

THE BRADY STANDARD

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No. 38

Secure a Home in McCulloch County, the Land of Opportunity. Do it Now!

THE AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN

The young man who says to himself, "I will begin to save money now, so that some day I may be able to go into business myself," is just the young man we want to reach.

If that young man would select this bank in which to place his savings he would build up a reputation here as a saver and help him to secure banking credit when he gets ready to step into business for himself.

The Brady National Bank of Brady

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS:

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

WE KNOW YOUR WANTS and WANT YOUR BUSINESS.

MASS MEETING A FLUKE SANTA FE EXTENSION

Only a Handful of Citizens Attended Mass Meeting Called by School Board Tuesday Night.

The mass meeting called by the school board Tuesday night to discuss the bond issue for a ward building was so slimly attended that the meeting was not even called to order. The baker's dozen present discussed the matter desultorily, and a few warm speeches were made but no definite result was obtained.

The Standard sees but one thing remaining for the board to do, and that is to call the election for such sum as they may deem best and let the people vote their sentiments. There seems to be no prospect of getting the matter settled in any other way. The Standard favors now, as it always has, a bond issue of such sum as will build and equip a ward school building on the north side of sufficient size and capacity and along lines of architectural design such as will be a credit to the town and provide against being forced to enlarge same within the next several years. We do not believe this can be done for less than \$12,000 to \$15,000, and we believe the matter of bonds to that amount should be put squarely up to the voters at as early a date as can be legally provided.

For Sale Cheap.

One new Kimball organ, never been used. Also good Anchor buggy with top and single harness. Will give terms.

A. L. RYAN,
at Conservatory of Music,
Syndicate Building.

No Franchise Granted.

The city council was in session Monday night and a number of citizens were present to discuss the matter of granting a free franchise to the West Texas Company. Representatives of the company were present and heard. Speeches were also made by several local people, opposing the granting of the franchise. An expression of the intentions of the council in the matter was asked for by the representatives, and by a majority vote of the aldermen they were informed that the franchise would not be granted.

This action suits The Standard, and, we believe, the majority of the people of Brady who use telephones. Two telephone systems are not to be desired, and now that the local system has begun on the scheduled improvements, promising a strictly first-class service, we think they should be given the opportunity of making good—which they guarantee to do. We are also still of the opinion that the local company should, at the installation of the new service, raise the rates to a basis that will guarantee a sufficient revenue to make the system a paying proposition and maintain its better service.

Favor Good Roads and Bridges.

E. B. Kennedy, of Waldrip, was in town Monday and made The Standard a pleasant call. Mr. Kennedy sees great benefit to the Waldrip school district, and in fact to Brady and McCulloch county generally, in the building of the bridge over the Colorado river at Waldrip, and says the north part of the county will vote solidly for the bridge bonds at the election on Jan. 15. He says the building of the bridge will add about five miles of good Coleman county territory to the Brady trade, as people five miles across the river will then be as close to Brady as to Coleman, and with a better road leading this way. The Waldrip school district will be enlarged and bettered, and a good cotton gin will be erected at Waldrip as soon as the bridge is built. Mr. Kennedy also says that his people will all vote for road bonds if given the opportunity.

Wm. Connelly & Co., the new store on east side, sells for less.

Charter Amendment Filed in Order to Build from Lometa to Point in Concho County.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 6.—The Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company today had an amendment to its charter approved and filed providing for an extension from Lometa, on the San Angelo branch, through San Aba and Brady to a point in Concho County, a distance of 103 miles. This is the extension contracted for by the people of the San Saba Valley and those of Brady and McCulloch County. This extension will connect with the Concho, San Saba and Llano Valley road, a property recently acquired by the Santa Fe. It is extended south from Miles to Paint Rock, in Concho County, and when it is connected with the lines chartered today the Santa Fe will have a line from Lometa to Miles, both on the San Angelo branch.

Rochelle Bonds Voted.

S. H. Gainer, one of the Rochelle school trustees, was here Monday with the returns for the school bond election held in his town Saturday. He was very much gratified at the way the election went, there being sixty-three votes for the bonds and none against them. The amount of bonds called for is \$10,000, and the trustees will immediately proceed to build a brick or stone building which will be a pride of the town and county.

The Rochelle school is the largest in the county, excepting only the Brady school. The enrollment is now 220, with pros-

E. A. DAVIS (BIG DAVIS) RANCH

We are offering the Davis Ranch for sale, which consists of 10,000 acres of land, situated four miles south of Brady and is a very fine body of land—about half of it being fine farming land and the other half a fine proposition for stock farming, dairying, and for feeding cattle it is just the thing.

This ranch has about 1400 acres in farms and has about eight sections fenced with twenty wires and cross-fenced, making about four sections in each pasture, fenced absolutely hog, sheep, goat and wolf proof. Being well watered and well located, either of these four-section pastures will make a fine little ranch for anyone. We will sell any part of this land to suit purchaser and on very reasonable terms.

For further information call on us at our office, over Jones Drug Store.

MEERS LAND COMPANY

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Election April, 1910.

For City Marshal,
PAUL SHERIDAN.

pects of an increase soon. Five teachers are employed, and another is badly needed. Rochelle is rapidly coming to the front, and the erection of this building marks an epoch in the history of that thrifty little city.

Typewriter papers and carbon sheets, legal papers and foolscap. A big line. Spratt & Cauthorn.

Notice!

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Brady National Bank of Brady, Texas, will be held at their banking house in Brady, Texas at 3 o'clock, p. m., Tuesday, January 11, 1910.

J. F. Montgomery,
Cashier.

Our car of Standard Disc Plows has arrived, and if you want the best plow, don't pass the Standard up. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Buy your feed stuffs from C. D. Allen Grain Co. Full stock at all times.

Paul Sheridan.

The Standard starts its political announcement column this week with the name of Paul Sheridan for city marshal, election next April. Mr. Sheridan is the present marshal, having been elected at the last election, April 1908. He comes before the people of Brady asking for a second term with the assurance of having performed his duties in the past to the very best of his ability and to the entire satisfaction of those concerned, and the dockets of the city and justice courts will bear him out in the statement. He asks for your careful consideration at the polls.

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

Frisco Wakes Up.

At last the Frisco has woken up to the needs of this town and the rights of its citizenship. Beginning Monday a passenger train was installed without any local freight attachments. Conductor Fitzgerald remains in charge, and a local freight train will also make daily trips to and from Brownwood.

It looks unreasonable that a town the size of Brady and a country of the immense resources of the Brady country, should have so long been forced to put up with such passenger service as the Frisco has seen fit to saddle upon us, and now that we are to have a real passenger train ever day it is to be hoped that better time will be made and cleaner cars provided.

CLOSING OUT

I must close out the remainder of my stock during this month and will do so

REGARDLESS OF COST

My Shoe and Hat stocks are practically unbroken, and we still have most everything in Dry Goods. Cost cuts very little figure, as the goods must go.



JEFF STILL, DRY GOODS

One Door East of the Scott Grocery Co.



A Christmas Greeting

WE HOPE TO SEE every man, woman and child living in McCulloch county, in the GRAND LEADER store before Xmas. You will find a good hot stove and the children will not be in the way. Come whether you want to buy Dry Goods or not.

WE WILL HAVE ON DISPLAY

The prettiest line of holiday goods ever shown in Brady, and we will make prices that will move every article out before Christmas day, as we will be closed all day Christmas and we can't afford to carry anything in holiday goods over. Buy your wife, your sweetheart, your children, your husband, your friends at home and abroad, something nice and useful for Xmas presents. We have ties, suspenders, mufflers and many other articles put up in individual cartons nicely decorated and ready for sending right out for Xmas presents. Men's Suits and Overcoats must sell before Christmas as this is our last season in this line. Come early and get choice. We have just a few more ladies suits and you will be surprised how cheap you can buy them.

REMEMBER OUR SHOES ARE LEATHER
And we have the largest shoe trade in Brady, and we are proud of it, as pleased customers are our best assets. Nettleton—Dorothy Dodd—Priestmeyer stamped on shoes means quality, style, sure-fit and durability.



TIPTON & STRIEGLER

The Home of Quality and Low Prices.



Settle That Christmas Problem



WHILE the confusing question of appropriate Christmas gifts is uppermost in all healthy minds, may we suggest that nothing is more acceptable and pleasing than some article of good jewelry.

In our stock you will find helpful suggestions in ornamental and useful presents which will prove to be "just what they wanted" and you will be astonished at the very small amount of money necessary to close the transaction.

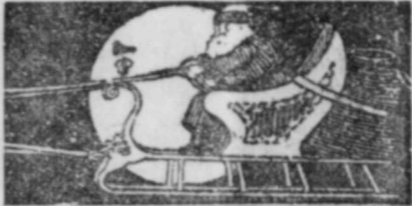
Our line is complete in the very latest style of Rings, Bracelets, Pins, Lockets, Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Tableware, etc., etc., and while our prices are low, our reputation is back of the quality of each article.

Won't you call and inspect the stock while it is complete? The few minutes spent in this investigation will be a pleasure to both of us, whether you decide to purchase or not.

J. V. Searcy, Jeweler

South Side Square

Brady, Texas



SOCIETY NOTES

MRS. A. G. WALKER, Editor
PHONE 149

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church is preparing a donation for Buckner Orphan's Home and expects to meet at the church on Monday afternoon, the 13th, at one o'clock, to pack and arrange box. Now this is a work that many should take a part in. Clothing, groceries, bed covers, and money will aid the ladies in making this offering of love such a wise one it will reflect credit on the dear old custom of making others glad. What would become of these poor little ones if it were not for the great work of giving? Let us not shut out the joy of contributing to those who but for this charity would go hungry and cold.

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These, together with the Grand Prix, Paris, 1900, are higher honors than were ever taken in the piano industry of the world, and are official evidence of the superiority of the Baldwin product.

Why should we not be proud of the line of pianos we handle?

Respectfully,
BOURLAND MUSIC CO.,
Syndicate Building.

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The peculiar properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have been thoroughly tested during epidemics of influenza, and when it was taken in time we have not heard of a single case of pneumonia. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

The National Stoves and Ranges will give you the best service. We are exclusive dealers in Brady on these excellent stoves. Satterwhite & Martin.

We have values to offer in furniture and you can't lose by buying your furniture at the Quality Store, where prices are always right. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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WALDRIP WARBLINGS.

Waldrip, Texas, Nov. 23.

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J. R. Winstead has just had the finishing coat of paint added to his new house and it greatly improves its looks. C. L. Wamsley, the painter, left to-day for Fife to paint the new residences of H. D. Bradley and Henry Martin of that place.

Don't forget your railroads, roads and bridges. Talk for them then vote for them. Don't be contrary at the last moment. For a county to have the natural resources of McCulloch, it is a shame to every citizen that we are so slow at advancement. Why should we be so indifferent when other counties with less merit march triumphantly by with things that should be common here yet are practically unthought of. Wake up if you ever expect to do anything. If you just have to sleep you had better move as we are going to stir a little. Those railroads just can't keep away any longer and that creamery indicates that we have resolved to snore less and work more. Brady territory could keep a mammoth packery busy, too, with cattle and hogs shipped out to other points. Think it over.

PROGRESS.

Trades Day 18th.

The list of prizes to be offered for Trades Day on Dec. 18, could not be gotten ready for this issue, but we are promised a list for next week, sure. Let everyone get ready for Brady's first Trades Day, Saturday, Dec. 18. A big crowd will be here, and it will be worth while.

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

COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

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

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We Want Your Business

WHEN IN NEED

Of something good to eat
call on or phone us

RAINBOLT & PLUMMER

Staple and Fancy Groceries



Merry Old Santa Claus

Is making his headquarters this year at THE FAIR, Brady's leading Toy Store, where you will find a greater assortment of useful and ornamental

CHRISTMAS GOODS

Than at any other place in town. This is truly a Santa Claus Store, showing thousands of beautiful and useful articles of every kind to delight the hearts of the little folks, while the big folks too can find here anything needed for Holiday Gifts. With every 25c Purchase we give a Ticket on the Two Big Dolls. See them in the show window. They are beauties, and some little girl is going to be very happy in possessing these Dolls. We want your Holiday trade and will give you more for your money than you can get anywhere else in the entire Brady Country.

The Fair

The Largest Racket Store
In West Texas.

Next to Palace Drug Store.



Columbian Conservatory of Music.

THE UP-TO-DATE SCHOOL.



We furnish all your music and studies. The tuition is less and the benefits are greater than under the old system of teaching.

Syndicate Bldg.

A. L. RYAN, City Supt.

HOLIDAY GOODS



A WIRELESS MESSAGE

To the People of McCulloch and Surrounding Counties

You can see the largest stock of Holiday Goods ever shown in Western Texas, or, at least, in McCulloch County. Best assortment of

Hammered Brass Goods,
Oriental Wood Ornaments,
Electric Arch Chandeliers,

All Styles of Ebony Wood Sets,
Parlor Smoking Sets,
Novelties and Bric-a-Brac of All Kinds.

Our prices are right and makes the present within reach of everybody. Don't wait until all the best selections are sold. Come our way today.

"IT'S THE ONLY WAY"

Where the People Trade

JONES DRUG CO.,

C. A. TRIGG,
Manager



GILT EDGE FLOUR

WE HAVE Just Received a car of the Famous Kansas Gilt Edge Flour. It is guaranteed to make more loaves of bread than any other flour. Give it a trial and be convinced. Every Sack Guaranteed.

Anderson & Moffatt
BRADY, TEXAS

Feed For Sale.

We are now prepared to deliver mixed feed, sacked, and to give one and one-half tons for one ton seed.

Bring your seed to The Brady Oil Mill and get your feed already mixed, ready to feed. A ton of this feed will go farther than a ton of seed, and is much better feed in every respect, and every person should try it. Once fed, you will never use anything else.

BRADY OIL MILL,
A. W. Wood,
Local Manager.

F. J. Riddick has returned to Brady to live, and says he can't find any other town as good though he has tried hard. He has bought his old barber business back from A. L. Draper, and is right in the collar again.

Good workmen and clean service at Riddick's barber shop, east side.

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

D. Doole, Sr., of Mason, came over Saturday and took train for Waco where he will attend the Masonic Grand Lodge. Arthur Reagor, Worshipful Master of the Brady Lodge, is also attending the convocation, and will likely be absent from his post of duty at Mann & Sons' for ten days or two weeks. Mr. Doole is one of the oldest Masons in this section of Texas, and is bright in the work, taking a never-failing interest in the teachings of the order.

We want your holiday furniture trade and we will make you prices that will get it if you will only investigate. Satterwhite & Martin.

Mrs. J. H. White left last Thursday for a visit to relatives and friends at Clarksville, Tenn.

Highest market price paid for pecans, hides, grain, hay, etc. C. D. Allen Grain Co.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson, on the 2nd, a girl.

A clean towel to every customer at Riddick's barber shop.

Brownwood People Invited.

The Bulletin man had the pleasure of meeting W. D. Crothers, of Brady, last night, and it was with no little degree of pleasure that we listened to that gentleman boost Brady. He says there is no town in Texas that will compare with Brady and that she is going to become a big city some day. Mr. Crothers was incidentally boosting an auction town-lot sale which will be held at Brady next Thursday, and left with the Bulletin a half page ad, which will be found elsewhere. He says Brownwood people would do well to come over for a day and get hold of some Brady real estate.

You get more milk and richer milk by feeding our Dairy Food, Souther & Co.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Blackburn, on the 3rd, a boy.

The Pioneer Fence is the best. Investigate and you will know why. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Typewriter ribbons and carbon papers at Standard office.

Dr. Paul Sheppard returned Saturday from Texarkana where he had been for two weeks on a visit to relatives. He attended the wedding of his brother, Congressman Morris Sheppard, while away. The bride was Miss Lucile Sanderson, and with her honored husband is now in Washington City for the winter.

Dairy Food for your milch cow. It gets results. Souther & Co. sell it.

Tailoring Change

I have bought the tailoring business of Paris Williams and will continue in the same location, with a good cleaner and presser always in charge. I represent the best tailoring houses and solicit a share of your trade. Cleaning, pressing and altering a specialty.

Roy Holliday

In Rear of Graham Grocery Store.

BIDE-A-WEE STOCK FARM

G. B. AWALT, Proprietor

Registered and High Grade Red Polled Cattle.

Camp San Saba, Texas

POLK'S BARBER SHOP

Wants Your Whiskers for Business Reasons

Bath Rooms Fitted Up With the Latest Sanitary Plumbing

NORTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE

Crothers & White Addition

To the City of Brady is Now on Sale by

W. T. Melton & Company

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

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

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We Want Your Business

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Of something good to eat
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Merry Old Santa Claus

Is making his headquarters this year at **THE FAIR**, Brady's leading Toy Store, where you will find a greater assortment of useful and ornamental

CHRISTMAS GOODS

Than at any other place in town. This is truly a Santa Claus Store, showing thousands of beautiful and useful articles of every kind to delight the hearts of the little folks, while the big folks too can find here anything needed for Holiday Gifts. **With every 25c Purchase we give a Ticket on the Two Big Dolls.** See them in the show window. They are beauties, and some little girl is going to be very happy in possessing these Dolls. We want your Holiday trade and will give you more for your money than you can get anywhere else in the entire Brady Country.

Columbian Conservatory of Music.

THE UP-TO-DATE SCHOOL.



We furnish all your music and studies. The tuition is less and the benefits are greater than under the old system of teaching.

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The Largest Racket Store
In West Texas.

Next to Palace Drug Store.



HOLIDAY GOODS



A WIRELESS MESSAGE

To the People of McCulloch and Surrounding Counties

You can see the largest stock of Holiday Goods ever shown in Western Texas, or, at least, in McCulloch County. Best assortment of

Hammered Brass Goods,
Oriental Wood Ornaments,
Electric Arch Chandeliers,

All Styles of Ebony Wood Sets,
Parlor Smoking Sets,
Novelties and Bric-a-Brac of All Kinds.

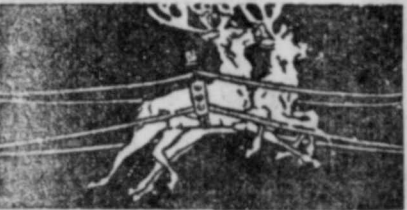
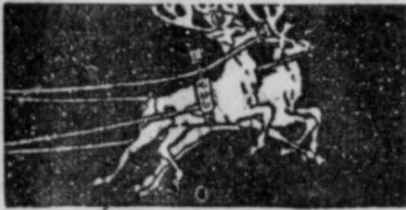
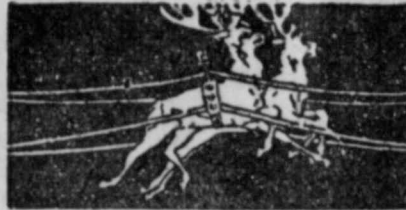
Our prices are right and makes the present within reach of everybody. Don't wait until all the best selections are sold. Come our way today.

"IT'S THE ONLY WAY"

Where the People Trade

JONES DRUG CO.,

C. A. TRIGG,
Manager



GILT EDGE FLOUR

WE HAVE Just Received a car of the Famous Kansas Gilt Edge Flour. It is guaranteed to make more loaves of bread than any other flour. Give it a trial and be convinced. Every Sack Guaranteed.

Anderson & Moffatt
BRADY, TEXAS

Feed For Sale.

We are now prepared to deliver mixed feed, sacked, and to give one and one-half tons for one ton seed.

Bring your seed to The Brady Oil Mill and get your feed already mixed, ready to feed. A ton of this feed will go farther than a ton of seed, and is much better feed in every respect, and every person should try it. Once fed, you will never use anything else.

BRADY OIL MILL,
A. W. Wood,
Local Manager.

F. J. Riddick has returned to Brady to live, and says he can't find any other town as good though he has tried hard. He has bought his old barber business back from A. L. Draper, and is right in the collar again.

Good workmen and clean service at Riddick's barber shop, east side.

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

D. Doole, Sr., of Mason, came over Saturday and took train for Waco where he will attend the Masonic Grand Lodge. Arthur Reagor, Worshipful Master of the Brady Lodge, is also attending the convocation, and will likely be absent from his post of duty at Mann & Sons' for ten days or two weeks. Mr. Doole is one of the oldest Masons in this section of Texas, and is bright in the work, taking a never-failing interest in the teachings of the order.

We want your holiday furniture trade and we will make you prices that will get it if you will only investigate. Satterwhite & Martin.

Mrs. J. H. White left last Thursday for a visit to relatives and friends at Clarksville, Tenn.

Highest market price paid for pecans, hides, grain, hay, etc. C. D. Allen Grain Co.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson, on the 2nd, a girl.

A clean towel to every customer at Riddick's barber shop.

Brownwood People Invited.

The Bulletin man had the pleasure of meeting W. D. Crothers, of Brady, last night, and it was with no little degree of pleasure that we listened to that gentleman boost Brady. He says there is no town in Texas that will compare with Brady and that she is going to become a big city some day. Mr. Crothers was incidentally boosting an auction town-lot sale which will be held at Brady next Thursday, and left with the Bulletin a half page ad, which will be found elsewhere. He says Brownwood people would do well to come over for a day and get hold of some Brady real estate.

You get more milk and richer milk by feeding our Dairy Food, Souther & Co.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Blackburn, on the 3rd, a boy.

The Pioneer Fence is the best. Investigate and you will know why. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Typewriter ribbons and carbon papers at Standard office.

Dr. Paul Sheppard returned Saturday from Texarkana where he had been for two weeks on a visit to relatives. He attended the wedding of his brother, Congressman Morris Sheppard, while away. The bride was Miss Lucile Sanderson, and with her honored husband is now in Washington City for the winter.

Dairy Food for your milch cow. It gets results. Souther & Co. sell it.

Tailoring Change

I have bought the tailoring business of Paris Williams and will continue in the same location, with a good cleaner and presser always in charge. I represent the best tailoring houses and solicit a share of your trade. Cleaning, pressing and altering a specialty.

Roy Holliday

In Rear of Graham Grocery Store.

BIDE-A-WEE STOCK FARM

G. B. AWALT, Proprietor

Registered and High Grade Red Polled Cattle.

Camp San Saba, Texas

POLK'S BARBER SHOP

Wants Your Whiskers for Business Reasons

Bath Rooms Fitted Up With the Latest Sanitary Plumbing

NORTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE

Crothers & White Addition

To the City of Brady is Now on Sale by

W. T. Melton & Company

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

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

For Prices and Terms See

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

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BRADY, TEXAS, DECEMBER 9, 1909

THAT creamery puts another stack in the "smokestack district." Watch Brady grow!

VOTE the bridge bonds, then let's get ready for good roads. "Every road a pike," should be the slogan for McCulloch county.

THE poor we have always with us. Let us remember this fact while we are enjoying the Holidays and the blessings which have been given us.

IF you have no cows for the creamery you should buy a few and get ready to realize your part of the profits from this valuable industry. Buy some good Jerseys while you are about it.



PIONEER STOCK FARM

J. M. ROBINSON, Proprietor

Breeder of

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

STOCK FOR SALE

MERCURY, TEXAS

DAME NATURE is smiling on Grand Old McCulloch this winter, and the season now looks mighty favorable for a big crop of small grain next year.

THE STANDARD has no copy-right on the phrase, "Bully, Bustling, Busy, Building Brady," and we are glad to see others take it up. Get in the hustle line and help Brady grow!

LET us not forget the bridge bond election for January 15. This is a very important matter and the bond issue should not only carry but the people should show their appreciation by turning out and polling a heavy vote. Remember, there are three bridges to be voted on, and all are badly needed.

BUSY, bustling, building Brady is indeed a busy place. Just note the improvements going on all the time. New business houses building, new residences going up on every hand, and new residence additions being constantly opened, widening the town's area and offering opportunities for cheap homes in the best town in West Texas.

I Am Located.

I am now located in the Yeary building on the south side of the square, just across the street from the Brady National Bank, and my patrons will find me there with a full stock of saddles, harness and all leather goods. Thanking you for all past favors, and soliciting a continuance of your business in my new location, I remain,

Yours truly,
J. F. SCHAEG.

Attention is called to the ad of Simpson & Co., local agents for the Buick automobiles. Mr. Simpson can tell you all about the Buick and will demonstrate its points of superiority in a manner that will effect a sale if you are in the market for a machine. Headquarters with Brady Auto Co.

I have some lots in the Spiller addition which I will exchange for cattle or good horses, see me in person for any trade which you might want to make.

W. W. SPILLER.

E. J. Haines, of Broadmoor, made us a pleasant call Tuesday, reporting a fine rain which will be fine for the small grain of which there is considerable acreage. Farmers are through with their cotton and are now breaking land for next year's crop.

We are offering great inducements in all departments just now, and can make it to your advantage to buy your hardware and furniture needs here. Satterwhite & Martin.

We are informed that a new time card will go into effect Sunday, the train leaving Brownwood at same hour as formerly and arriving here at 11:30 a. m.

J. F. Schaege handles good gloves.

The Holidays.

A look at the various stocks of holiday goods now on display by the merchants of Brady is proof conclusive that good old St. Nicholas is fully aware of the fact that Brady is on the map and that the people of the Brady country are in a prosperous condition. Never before have we seen so elaborate a display as these stocks afford, and it would indeed be a hard person to please who would be unable to find holiday goods to suit his fancy. Business is "picking up," too, so say the merchants, and the early buyers are already in the field. In this connection it might not be amiss to call attention to the fact that the early buyer not only gets choice selection, but by so doing lifts a burden from the shoulders of overworked clerks and salesmen. Don't wait till the last minute when ever clerk will be rushed to death. Do your buying early.

Lost.

Between our store and Tom Bell's residence, two leather sofa pillows. Finder please return to us and receive reward.

O. D. MANN & SONS.

The Standard is requested to say that the ex-confederates having found the Sunday date for their meetings impracticable, have decided to return to their former arrangement, and meetings will hereafter be held on the first Saturday in each month, promptly at 1:30 p. m.

The value of an article is measured by the service it gives. That is why we offer you Lily Darling Stoves and Ranges, also the best heater of the hour. O. D. Mann & Sons.

This is a fine time to flat break your land for another crop, and the crop will be all the better if the land is broke in the winter. There should be more flat breaking; it pays.

See our line of magic lanterns; just one moving picture machine left. Spratt & Cauthorn, Blackburn street.

—For A—

CHRISTMAS GIFT

Nothing is more suitable or more appreciated than good PHOTOGRAPHS. Send the folks back home a picture of the baby, or a family group. I will make a specialty of this class of work from now till Xmas, and my prices will be found satisfactory. Don't delay too long, but come at once for a sitting. And remember that cloudy days are as good as any.

THE BRADY STUDIO

R. Hutcheonreuter, Prop. South Side Square

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK



Of the many advantages to be gained by making your purchases at the Great Quality Store? We know this is the season when you are thinking of buying gifts suitable for your loved ones and friends, and we appeal to you to think, and think deeply, the benefits and pleasures of selecting gifts that meet a necessity or fill a want.

Of the many homes that could be made more attractive and happier by adding, here and there, some nice piece of Furniture. The parlor may need re-furnishing, other rooms furnished, and rugs for the floor, all of these are suitable gifts and ones that will be appreciated. We have a beautiful assortment of Art Squares and Rugs and in visiting this store you cannot make a mistake.

The year is fast drawing to a close, in fact we are now in the last month, and the future is yet before us. We have made mistakes and we ask that you overlook them, forget them, and continue to be a friend and customer to the house. We want your friendship, your good will, and if we can win and hold these we can successfully give you better values and better service than in the past, and in placing your account with us for 1910, you are not making any mistake.

O. D. MANN & SONS

BRADY, TEXAS

Do You Want the Best?

If you want an easy-riding saddle, use Evers' special make. The best material that can be bought is used in its construction. Sold on its merits. Recognized by stockmen as being the best saddle in West Texas. H. P. C. Evers, east side square.

If you want values in hardware and furniture, visit the Great Quality Store and make your purchases there. Good goods, honest values and prices that are consistent with quality. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The Standard \$1 per year.

Some Good Reasons.

There are many reasons why the people prefer to trade with J. F. Schaege. First, he uses nothing but the best materials in the construction of his goods. Second, he employs none but expert workmen. Third, he employs no crooked methods. He calls superior saddles good, and inferior harness bad. Yours for a square deal, west side square.

Have you tried the New Casaday Sulky. They are winners. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Wm. Connolly & Co., the new store on west side, sells for less.

THE ECONOMY GRAIN AND FEED STORE

JAS. E. PATTERSON, Prop.

Prices Reasonable

In Aug. F. Behrens' old stand. Brady, Texas

Viola McCoy, the colored woman who has been in jail for several months, charged with killing her paramour, died last Thursday night of tuberculosis.

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS



We want to show you that it is to your advantage to buy from the new cash store on the west side of the square. We handle everything in DRY GOODS and GROCERIES, and our cash plan enables us to handle your business at a great saving. Remember, the new store sells for cash and sells for less.



Wm. CONNOLLY & COMPANY

THE HOUSE OF QUALITY

TOWN LOT SALE

LINDLEY ADDITION TO BRADY

Saturday, Dec. 18, 1909
1:30 p. m.

These lots will be sold at auction, the fairest way on earth to buy anything. The highest bidder gets the pick of the lots, and you know just what you pay and the very lot you are getting. Anyone can buy a lot, because the terms are easy.

Only \$10 Down and \$10 per Month

Or One-Third Cash, and 2, 4 and 6 Months' Time.

This addition will be the prettiest in the city. The streets will be graded and trees trimmed up. A fine well of water. Just a pretty distance from town, one mile south on Mason road. The Famous Auctioneer,

COL. RUFUS J. LACKLAND,

Of Fort Worth, will have charge of the sale. It is worth your time to make the trip only to hear Col. Lackland sell these lots, as he is a man of statewide reputation, and is worth going many miles to hear. Come and see how we do it.

Lot Given Away Free.

Tickets are FREE, and every man, woman and child that attends the sale can have one whether they buy or not. Ask for Tickets *at any Store in Brady.*

THE GLOBE LAND CO

R. A. LINDLEY, Manager.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

DR. H. W. LINDLEY,
DENTIST

Office Over Anderson & Moffatt's Store.
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Will practice in all Courts of the State. Notary in office.

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LAWYER

BRADY, TEXAS

DR. PAUL SHEPPARD
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Office at J. W. Morrow's Store
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MELVIN, TEXAS

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FIRE INSURANCE

At The Brady National Bank

Your Business Respectfully Solicited

WATKINS' REMEDIES

at Weeks' Restaurant.

LEWIS, Salesman.

Sunday School Institute.

Mr. W. N. Wiggins, International President of Field Workers of America, together with Mrs. Wiggins, will hold a Sunday School Institute in Brady, in the Presbyterian church, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 16 and 17. The hours will be Thursday, 10 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Friday, 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. This will be for all pastors, Sunday School Superintendents, teachers and workers of all denominations in the county. Delegates coming from outside of Brady send their names to any one of the Brady pastors that entertainment may be provided. Let all come who can.

L. C. MATTHIS.

There is But One Way To Do Anything.

That is the right way. So get right—stay right and do right, and treat every body right. This is our motto. Stop at Satterwhite & Martin's Hardware and Furniture Store and see if we are right.

We want your 1910 account. Our stock is complete, and we can offer you better inducements than elsewhere. Our prices are always consistent with the quality. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Extra large line of toys for Christmas. See the new mechanical ideas. This store is Santa Claus' headquarters. Spratt & Cauthorn.

Don't buy anything in groceries or dry goods till you get the prices of the new store on west side. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Builders Hardware a specialty. Stock, quality and price, three things to consider. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Be sure and get tickets for the free lot to be given away Saturday, Dec. 18, in the beautiful Lindley Addition to Brady.

Tissue and crepe paper for Xmas decorations. Full stock, all colors and cheap prices. Spratt & Cauthorn.

Our furniture department has values unequalled. Our prices can't be equalled. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Dolls and doll buggies—a big assortment at the new store of Spratt & Cauthorn.

Railroad News.

Our railroad committee and quite a number of citizens met at the school house last Thursday evening and discussed the bonus proposition. It was ascertained that notes to the rise of \$16,000 had been signed and some right-of-way secured. Several at the meeting increased their subscriptions, and the outlook is somewhat hopeful for the bonus being raised in the very early future. A mass meeting of all who are interested is called for to-night at the school house. We hope all may come out and that our committee will be ready to sign with the Frisco by Monday of next week.—Eden Echo.

Trained Nurse.

Miss F. Hunter, of Fort Worth, offers her services as trained nurse to the people of Brady, having located permanently. Can be found at residence of T. L. Sansom, phone 125-2 rings.

Seed Oats.

If seed oats are what you want Souther & Co. have them.

The impressions which the beautiful Baldwin Pianos make in the home, in the circle of the family, is the strong rock on which its great success is building.

BOURLAND MUSIC CO.
Brady, Texas.

The approach of Christmas makes one think of the necessity for appropriate holiday gifts, and we wish to remind thinking buyers that our regular stock of hardware and furniture will offer many inducements in this line. Satterwhite & Martin.

Diamond tires and tubes are better. Our stock is complete, let us show you the value of a diamond. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Feed your cow right and get more milk and better milk. Dairy Food is the stuff and Souther & Co. the place to get it.

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Be sure and get tickets for the free lot to be given away Saturday, Dec. 18, in the beautiful Lindley Addition to Brady.

WINTER IS HERE AT LAST!

Now is the opportune time to buy your fall and winter wear. Didn't the last norther remind you that you must prepare for the winter storms? You know we are recognized as the best place for this kind of merchandise.

We will give ten per cent off on all Ladies' and Misses' Suits. Just received another shipment of Ladies' Long Coats and they are twenty-five per cent cheaper than elsewhere.

NEW THINGS IN LADIES' NOVELTIES FOR CHRISTMAS

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|-------------|--------------------|
| Collars, | Bags, |
| Jabots, | Hair Nets, |
| Bandos, | Back Combs, |
| Bows, | Neck Chains, |
| Barretts, | Beaded Purses, |
| Side Combs, | Dutch Collar Pins. |

Buy a Sanitary Ideal Turban, they take the place of the hair rat. See our heavy Blankets and Comforts; they will keep you warm. Price unquestionable.

ALL MILLINERY REDUCED

A few more Pattern and Gold Medal Hats at actual cost. We save you money on solid leather Shoes.

CONLEY MERCANTILE CO.,
BRADY, TEXAS



Carload Of
NICE, NEW, NOBBY BUGGIES
Just Received

This shipment shows some of the prettiest rigs ever brought to Brady, and the quality is the same as always—THE BEST. I have two more cars ordered to arrive soon, so if you want a CASH BARGAIN I will make it to your interest to buy now as I will need room for the coming shipment. Special inducements to buyers for the next thirty days. Have also just received a new line of Harness of the best makes. My Racine Wagon is still attracting attention. This is one of the best wagons made and I want to sell you one. Still have some good horses and mules for sale. Will give part time on some of this stuff, or will make you a bargain for cash. Cash will count in my business for the next month or so, and if you are really looking for a bargain you don't want to miss looking me up.

C. W. L. SCHAEG

In E. J. Broad Building, Opposite
Broad Mercantile Co.

FOR SALE

320 acres of land. Situated 16 miles southwest of Brady. 2 miles from Tucker, one mile from gin and school house. 90 acres in cultivation, 220 tillable, three-room house and gallery, cribs and shed, \$25 per acre. \$3000 cash, balance good terms. Call on or address

E. B. Deland,
Tucker, Texas

WALDRIP WARBLINGS.

Waldrip, Texas, Dec. 5.
Editor Brady Standard:

We were visited by a fine rain last week which put a fine season in the ground. The rain was followed by a cold spell.

Messrs. Johnson and Hickey left this morning for Brady to sell their cotton and seed.

Although we have suffered much from the drouth the farmers have realized a larger profit than last year.

Mrs. Ruby McBride left for Waco last Thursday.

Mr. J. R. Winstead has now had the finishing touch put on his house.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickey, of Brady, visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. A. F. Vise, of Rockwood, was here last week visiting Mrs. Hayes.

PROGRESS.

The Baldwin Piano Co.—their product is known the world over, its reputation has spread to every corner of the globe. During the last year it was exported to thirty-two countries, into every one of the six continents. No other American piano has achieved such success.

BOURLAND MUSIC CO.,
Brady, Texas.

Xmas is Coming.

Have you ordered that new suit yet? Better see Kirk, the tailor, and have your glad rags ordered now. He guarantees fit and finish. Nuf sed. tf

Progressiveness, hustle, painstaking exactness—these are some of the points noticeable in the Diamond way of manufacturing the famous Diamond tire. O. D. Mann & Sons.

A fine line of high grade linen tablets cheaper than you ever bought them before. Spratt & Cauthorn.

—Chattel Mortgage blanks for sale at Standard office.

I. A. Cox, of Lohn, came in to see The Standard last Friday and left four big dollars for four annual subscriptions to friends in other sections of the state. This makes five dollars Mr. Cox has invested in The Standard, and if a hundred of McCulloch county people would do likewise it would form the best advertising matter that could be circulated concerning our town and county. Mr. Cox is not only a warm friend of the paper, but realizes its value in inducing people at a distance to investigate our boundless resources.

We have just unloaded a car of Sanson Wind Mills. Everybody knows the value of a Sanson. O. D. Mann & Sons.

A. B. Carrithers has bought some lots in the Jones addition and will establish his home in that popular section of the city.

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

Lee Horton is now with Riddick's barber shop on the east side, while A. L. Draper is doing stunts with Enos Polk on the north side.

That The Standard has a modern printing plant was evidenced last week when we turned out for the Crothers & White auction sale fifteen thousand quarter-sheet posters, delivering the job in 24 hours after receiving the copy.

OUR SERVICE

Is Unexcelled.

PHONE 68

STAR MEAT MARKET

MILLER & DEANS, Props.

R. M. Russell
Dray Line

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

All the sanitary regulations strictly enforced. The best place in town for a shave, bath or other barber work. Riddick, east side.

Furniture is here for sale—a great storehouse of values. O. D. Mann & Sons.

O. D. Mann & Sons

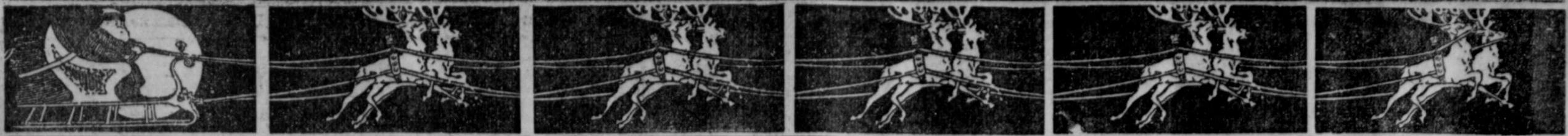
Brady, Texas

UNDERTAKERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Day Phone No. 4.

Night Phones 82 and 195

HEARSE IN CONNECTION



HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT

Our Holiday Stock is now ready, and we have the choicest assortment in the Brady Country. The stock is all new and the prices are right, with satisfaction guaranteed on every purchase.



Bibles
Games
Gift Books
Tally Cards
Card Cases
Testaments
Bridge Sets
Holly Paper
Place Cards
Toilet Cases
Library Sets
Shaving Sets
Safety Razors
Fountain Pens

Paper Napkins
Fancy Baskets
Fancy Candles
Paper Weights
Magic Lanterns
Japanese Goods
Children's Books
Fancy Ink Stands
Hammered Brass
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Hand Painted China
Fancy Box Stationery
Ioga Vases, Mugs and Jugs
Cigars in Holiday Packages

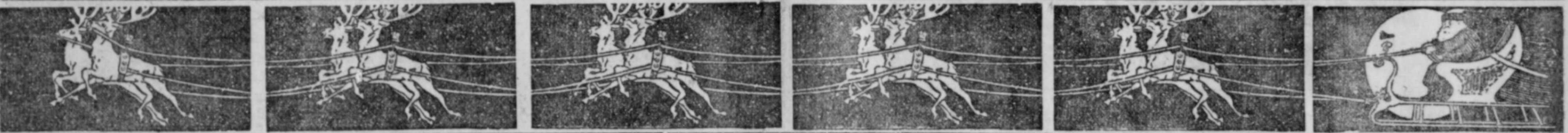


Our stock is too large and varied to attempt to enumerate all the beautiful and useful things which we show, suitable for holiday gifts for young and old. We invite everyone in the Brady country to visit our store. No old stock to work off; everything new and up-to-date.



CENTRAL DRUG STORE

"HAS IT."



Licensed Embalmer.

O. D. Mann & Sons announce the arrival of Mr. Walter A. Collins, of Dallas, who comes to take charge of their undertaking department. Brady is not immune from the visitations of the grim reaper; people will die, even in the best communities in the world, and the Messrs. Mann have equipped their undertaking department to take care of the business in the latest and most modern manner. Mr. Collins is the first licensed embalmer Brady has ever had located here, and comes with high endorsements of his work.

Pyrography supplies and wood for burning, such as necktie racks, picture frames and plaques, at Spratt & Cauthorn's, on Blackburn street. Extra needles and bulbs in stock.

BRADY MEAT MARKET,

WEGNER & SNEARLY,
Proprietors

FRESH, BEEF, PORK AND
SAUSAGE

We Want Your Trade.

Big shipments of trees and shrubbery are now being received in Brady, and the prospects look good for much of this kind of improvement being done in our city this season. There is nothing which adds to a town's attractiveness like trees and shrubbery, and Brady can have as pretty homes as any place in the state and we are constantly coming to a better realization of that fact. Plant trees. Watch Brady grow!

The Gilbo-Nielsen Company left Sunday for Winters where they play a week's return engagement. This was one of the best all-round theater companies which has ever visited Brady, and the fact that they played two weeks to good houses here without previous announcement and with a "home-made" opera house shaped hurriedly, speaks highly for their worth.

Another rain Saturday, followed by the first real cold weather of the winter served to remind Bradyites that this section of Texas is not, after all, in the torrid zone. There was plenty of ice for all.

J. E. White came in from his ranch last week and reported fine rains which will be good for the grass.

FORT WORTH MARKET.

Top prices on the Fort Worth market Monday were as follows:
Beef Steers 5.50
Stockers and feeders 3.25
Cows 3.90
Calves 5.60
Hogs 8.22
Sheep 3.50

If you are suffering from biliousness, constipation, indigestion, chronic headache, invest one cent in a postal card, send to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, with your name and address plainly on the back, and they will forward you a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Lost.

Between our store and Tom Bell's residence, two leather sofa pillows. Finder please return to us and receive reward.

O. D. MANN & SONS.

Dr. J. S. Anderson left Tuesday night for Clarendon in response to a telegram calling him to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Dr. P. F. Gould, who is dangerously ill with typhoid fever. Mrs. Gould has many friends in Brady who will join The Standard in solicitous regard for her recovery.

Dr. A. S. Holly was called to Lohn Monday in his capacity as county health officer to investigate a suspicious case, thought to be scarlet fever. He found, however, no such disease.

W. M. Hundley, the popular Frisco depot agent, has bought lots in Jones addition. The Standard hopes to see Mr. Hundley and wife comfortably ensconced in their own home soon.

The west side certainly looks good since the steam roller was used on it last week. When the Fitzgerald property is completed the west side is going to be a "comer".

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hensley, on the 3rd, a girl.

Ed Broad was in Brownwood the first of the week on business.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Jack White, on the 4th, a girl.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Gus Nelson, on the 4th, a boy.

Gansel Singing Convention Program.

MORNING PROGRAM.

1. Opening song by O. B. Jarrett.
2. Prayer by Chaplain.
3. Welcome address by G. W. Vineyard.
4. Song by O. B. Jarrett.
5. Two songs led by Prof. Pearce.
6. Two songs led by Henry Stafford.
7. Two songs led by Monroe Todd.

After which adjourned for dinner to meet at 1:30 o'clock.

EVENING PROGRAM.

1. Two songs led by O. B. Jarrett. Mary Dickinson, organist.
2. Two songs by D. N. Conley. Same organist.
3. Two songs Willie Bowen. Same organist.
4. Quartette arranged by Prof. Pearce. Mrs. Griffith, org.

5. Two songs led by Monroe Todd. Viola Batchlor, org.
6. Two songs led by A. W. Johnson. Same organist.
7. Two songs led by Henry Stafford. Mrs. Griffith, org.
8. Two songs led by R. W. Ground. Same organist.
9. Two songs led by Ollie Johnson. Same organist.
10. Quartette arranged by Prof. Pearce. Mattie Matthews, org.
11. Two songs led by Prof. Griffith. Mrs. Griffith org.
12. Two songs led by Prof. Pearce. Same organist.
13. Closing song led by Prof. Griffith.

After which adjournment to meet at Stacy first Sunday in March, 1910.

MARY DICKINSON, Sec.

See C. D. Allen Grain Co. before you sell your hides and pecans.

Rev. W. A. Knight came in from Dallas Saturday and occupied his pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday, returning to Dallas Monday to be with Mrs. Knight who is at the Baptist Sanitarium in Dallas, succeeding the operation for appendicitis, the operation for which was made in these columns last week. The Standard is glad to learn that this estimable lady is recovering rapidly.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

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

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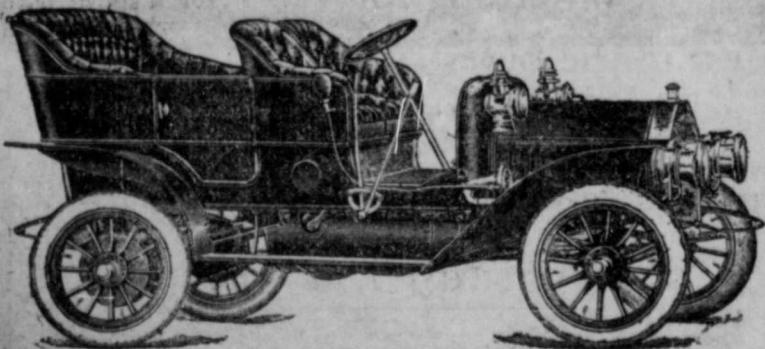
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Special Sale on Model F, Two-Cylinder Buick Touring Car, complete with Top and Wind Shield, from now until January 1, 1910

\$1150.00

SIMPSON & CO., Agents

HEADQUARTERS AT BRADY AUTO COMPANY

SIXTEEN DAYS AND THEN CHRISTMAS

IN SELECTING Our Christmas Goods we were careful to select only such as would be both ornamental and useful. See the correct styles in Men's Youth's and Boys' Hats. Remember our Tailored Suits at cost makes it very easy to make father, brother or uncle a nice, useful present for a very little money.

ORNAMENTAL. Side and Back Combs, Barretts and Bands, Hair Nets, Real Hair Switches and Puffs, Beauty Pins, Belt Buckles, and one of the largest assortment of Belts to select from of any house in Brady. Also Collars, Ties, and Fancy Bows in Molin with gold cords. Ladies' Wool and Silk Mufflers, Silk Scarfs, etc. In Ladies Handbags we have anything you want.

NOTIONS. Men's Fancy Vests, the latest out, Ties, Suspenders, and Silk Mufflers. Complete set of Cuff Buttons with Scarf Pins. Silk Handkerchiefs and Fancy Ties. Also a nice line of Men's Belts and Gloves, Silk Garters, etc.

NOVELTIES. Ladies' Lace Shirt Waists, complete, no two alike, Fancy Turnups, Bands, etc. House Slippers in colors. Pearl Collar Supports, Electric Hair Curlers, Keep-Clean Hair Brushes. The latest style in Band Ruching in Collars. Nice line pure linen Towels and Napkins.

We Have Many Other Articles That Would Be
Just the Thing for Christmas Presents.

Alney & Vincent
THE ONE PRICE STORE

Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.
All grades pipes, from 5c to \$5.00, at Spratt & Cauthorn's.
See C. D. Allen Grain Co. before you sell your hides and pecans.

C. W. Ramsay is the high-class painter and paper hanger of Brady.

Everything in hardware and furniture at prices to please the prudent buyer. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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

More Standard Disc Plows used in this county than all others combined. Ask yourself the reason. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The Methodist ladies will hold a Bazaar at Broad's store Dec. 17 and 18, a special feature of this Bazaar will be a doll display.

Be sure and get tickets for the free lot to be given away Saturday, Dec. 15, in the beautiful Lindley Addition to Brady.

And don't forget—we do the best cleaning, pressing and repairing. No cheap rates and slighted work, but an honest job and a fair price. Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed

There are various kinds of graining and marblizing. I do the right kind—the best kind—the kind that is different and far superior. Let me prove it.
C. W. RAMSAY.

The John Deere double disc plow is one of a thousand. They don't make 'em any better, and few as good. We can tell you why, and we can sell you at a price that will satisfy you. Satterwhite & Martin.

Visit the new store of Spratt & Cauthorn on Blackburn street before you spend a cent of your Xmas money. New stock, new ideas and low prices.

The greatest danger from influenza is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be obviated by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as it not only cures influenza, but counteracts any tendency of the disease towards pneumonia. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

The sweetness of low prices never equals the bitterness of poor quality. O. D. Mann & Sons.



BRADY AUTO CO.

We have on exhibition at our garage, one of the Model AA Maxwell Cars. The Motor is two cylinder, 4x4. Ignition is double magneto and battery. The magneto is one of the famous Splitdorf, known by all users of automobiles. Wheel base is 82 inches, and has full elliptic springs, which makes it one of the easiest riding small cars on the market. If you are in the market for a Runabout, it will pay you to investigate this. Price, fully equipped with top, gas lights and full set of tools delivered in Brady, \$700.

Hereafter we will furnish our customers best grade gasoline from our Bowser tank at 16c, and engine naphtha 12c.

C. E. WELCH, Mgr.

J. H. WHITE, Pres.

G. H. WHITE, V. Pres.

H. N. COOK, Sec.-Treas.

The Brady Water and Light Company
Wants Your Business

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

The Standard, \$1 per year.
—If it's glass you want we have it. Jones Drug Co.

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

Wm. Connolly & Co., the new store on west side, sells for less.

Savory Roasters, the roaster that makes the meats sweet and juicy. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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

Kirk, the tailor, wants to make your Christmas suit.

Try our Dairy Food on your milch cow. Souther & Co.

I have a good yoke of steers for sale. C. W. L. Schaeg.

We can save you money on Harness, Saddles, etc. O. D. Mann & Sons.

A 7-knife Stalk Cutter we offer for \$27.50 and its a John Deere, but only until December 1st. Broad Mercantile Co.

BEAUTIFUL HOLIDAY GOODS

Early Buyers

Are fast taking advantage of the opportunity and are buying before the stock is broken. Now is the time to get the best and something that will please the most exacting.

Let us put your selection away for you until you call for it.



We Can Meet Your Wants

To your entire satisfaction. Come, look over our assortment and you will say we have the best to be had in the city at right prices.

Something for the youngest to the oldest.

Look and You Buy

Yours for High-Grade Presents

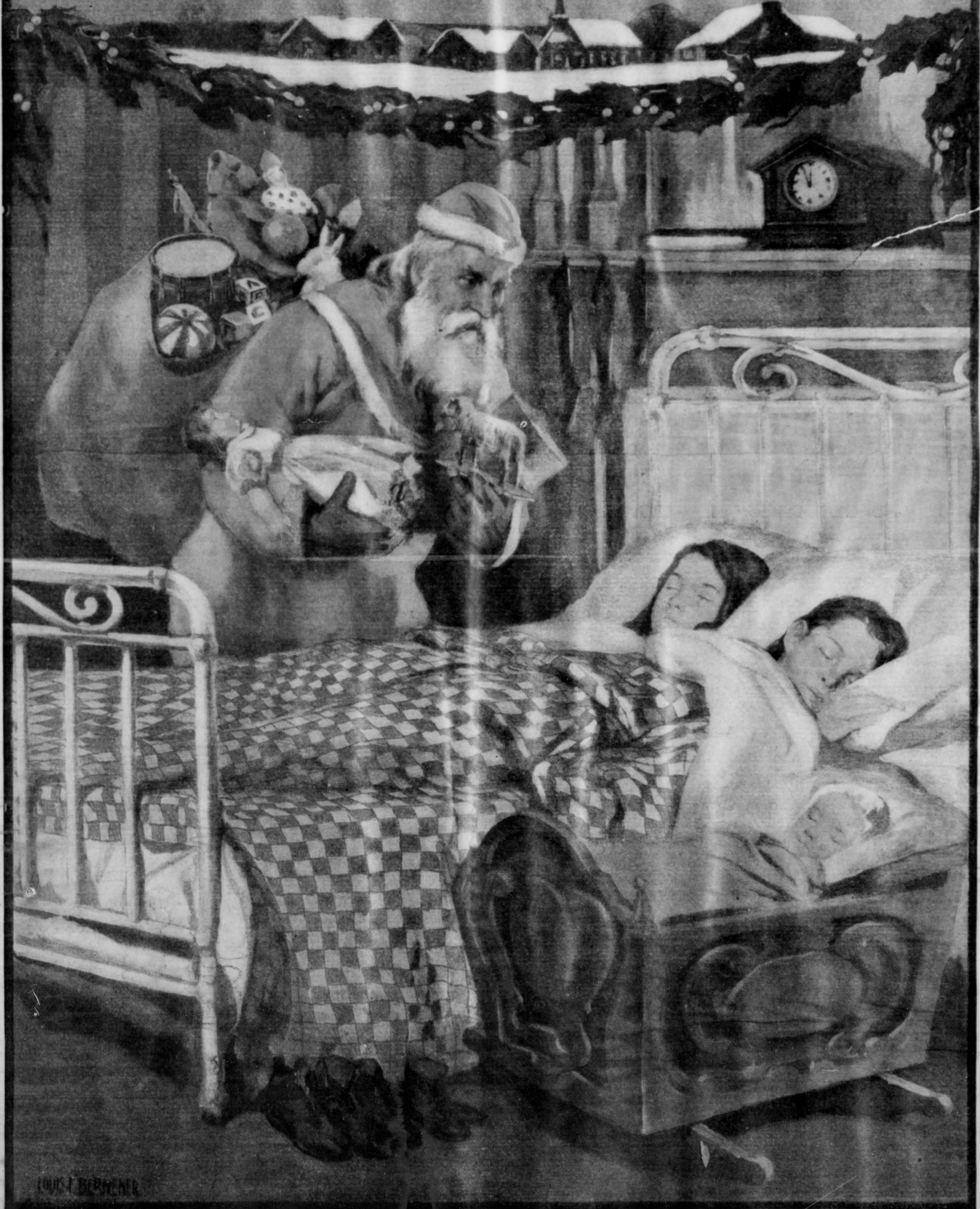
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CHRISTMAS EDITION

The Brady Standard

DECEMBER 16, 1909



LOUIS BERNEER

HOLIDAY GREETING

Brady Telephone Exchange

Extends to its patrons the season's greetings with best wishes for a Merry Christmas. We are thankful for your past patronage, and with our new equipment, now being installed, beg to assure our patrons that you will soon have telephone service second to none in the state

KIRK, The Tailor

Wishes to say to his many customers that the past year has been a prosperous one, for which he desires to thank you, soliciting a continuance of your business favors. My new line of Spring and Summer samples will be ready for your inspection by Jan. 1st. Call and see them.

KIRK, The Tailor
N U F S E D

.....BRADY LUMBER COMPANY.....

JULIAN DAVIS, Manager

For a splendid business in 1909 we are very grateful, and in extending our hearty thanks to the public at this time we beg to hope that you have also had a prosperous year and will enjoy a happy Christmas.....

Abney & Vincent

Dry Goods, Groceries, Shelf Hardware

We are glad to say our 1909 business has been most satisfactory, and we beg to thank the good people of Brady and surrounding counties for their generous patronage, assuring them of our appreciation, and soliciting their future business, guaranteeing dependable goods and the right treatment. May this Holiday Season be one of good cheer, and

May Prosperity Continue
to Attend You

.....HARDIN & JONES.....

THE LUMBER PEOPLE

We take this method of saying to our friends and patrons that we have enjoyed a good year's business, for which we thank you. We trust that this Holiday Season will be one of gladness to you, and beg to assure you that we will appreciate a continuance of your business favors

DEMP, THE TAILOR MEN'S FURNISHINGS

A Merry Christmas to one and all my friends and customers, and may you see many returns of this holiday season. I thank you cordially for a splendid business during the good year 1909, and will appreciate your business in the future.....

DEMP, THE TAILOR

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS To Our Friends and Customers

No one but ourselves understand how much we appreciate the many courtesies shown us in the past by our friends. We thank you; we thank you and wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.....

MEERS LAND COMPANY

Conley Merc. Com'y.

The Daylight Store

We trust that the year just closing has been as satisfactory to you as it has been to us, and for a successful year's business we extend our hearty thanks, with best wishes for a Merry Christmas to one and all.

We Solicit a Continuation of
Your Favors

and it shall be our effort to
deserve same.

Alfalfa Lumber Co.

Since taking the management of this business I have many reasons to feel grateful to the people of the Brady Country, and in thus expressing my appreciation I wish to solicit your future business, promising right treatment to each and every customer. May you have a very Merry Christmas is my sincere wish.

.... N. B. EMBRY, Manager

Christmas Greetings

At the close of a prosperous year we desire to extend our thanks to the hardware and furniture trade of this territory for many favors, and to say that we appreciate your business and will be glad to continue to serve you to the best of our abilities. We hope that each and every one of you may have a Happy Christmas and a prosperous year succeeding it.

Satterwhite & Martin

—DON WILSON—'07