

# THE BRADY STANDARD

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Brady is the Largest Shipping Point in the World for Cattle, Cotton and Pecans, Combined; This Statement is Borne Out by the Shipping Records

## PROPOSES JAIL BONDS

Incident McCulloch County Citizen Expresses Himself Forcibly Against the Bond Issue.

To the voters of McCulloch County:

In The Brady Standard, issue of June 24th, appeared this "bluff": "County Commissioners have decided that Brady shall have a new jail, regardless."

Now, I wish to say there are some men who have good reasons for opposing the issuance of bonds to build a jail.

Quite a few people in this county would give more for bridges on the Colorado and San Saba rivers than they would for a new jail in every precinct in the county, and I believe the voters of Voca, Camps, Stacy, Waldrip, Fife and other places will remember how hard a matter it has been to get bridges built and rebuilt.

We need roads worse than we need a jail. The old jail can be repaired at a very small cost, so it will hold boot-leggers for a long time yet, that's about all we need it for as men jailed for graver offenses usually give bond for their appearance from term to term till their cases are dismissed.

There are some iron cages in that old jail that will hold anybody, and a man that is bad enough to be "jugged" isn't too good to be put in a cage.

A new jail, however well built and costly, would not hold prisoners if it wasn't kept locked.

A \$12,000 jail won't hold prisoners any better than the old one if they are allowed to have such toys as saws and miners' picks.

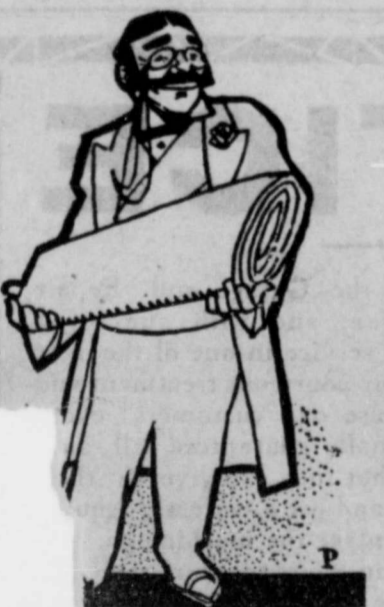
Better that they have nitroglycerine or gun-cotton, it is cleaner, quicker and more sensational.

If this new jail proposition is to improve the appearance of Brady, then I would like to suggest that a good fire or two would go a long way in the same direction.

If the honorable Commissioners

## TOWN THAT PUSH BUILT

IV.—The Shrewd Dry Goods Man



the dry goods man who... dealer's store and... and things he had wanted... chy ad. had captured his... for them with the very... ne to him from the butch-... rocer had his settlement... oney the honest workman

local dealer who's up to snuff... ways advertise his stuff.

Court, in all its wisdom, foresight, foresaw that we just had to have a new jail whether or no, what was the use of an election. As we are to have the jail anyway lets make this election unanimous by all voting against the bond issue.

I make this appeal especially to the voters of the northern and southern ends of the county.

If we defeat this bond issue maybe we will get a bridge or two through with it the next time it is gotten up. Talk to disinterested neighbors about this and lets defeat this new jail proposition. Use the money for roads and bridges and we won't need a jail so much. Respectfully,

F. M. Bradley.  
Fife, Texas, June, 25

## CATTLE AND WOOL SALES

### Schleicher County Success.

Following is a list of wool sales in San Angelo for Schleicher Co. sheepmen.

P. I. Elder sold 6,000 pounds 12 months clip for 22 1-2 cents per pound.

Frank Douglas sold 2700 pounds 12 month clip for 19 cents per pound.

O. C. Roberts sold 7200 pounds 12 months clip at about 21 cents per pound.

Jud Nicks sold 8000 pounds at 21 1-2 cents per pound, 12 months clip.

S. J. Pelt sold this week to J. F. Isaacs, 16 head of yearling colts at \$25 per head and 4 head at \$45 per head.

S. J. Pelt bought this week from J. W. Alexander, 342 head of two year old steers, the deal amounted to about \$7,695.

W. W. and E. M. Barbee sold 42 head of two-year-old steers this week to C. A. Spencer at \$17.25 per head. These steers are the cut outs of the big herd recently sold by the Barbee Bros.

### Sonora News.

Tom Adams of Sonora, sold to Hugh P. Allison, 1200 stock sheep at \$3. The lambs were extra good.

R. H. Martin of Sonora bought for Irve Ellis 175 one and two year old steers from Frank Taylor of Beaver Lake, at \$15 and \$21.

Irve Ellis of Menardville and Bud Ellis of San Angelo, were in Sonora this week looking after cattle interests.

J. I. Voorhies of San Antonio, representative of A. Cohen & Co., was in Sonora Saturday looking at the 20,000 pounds of mohair stored with the E. F. Vander-Stuken Company.

J. I. Voorhies bought in San Angelo for A. Cohen & Co., of San Antonio, 15,000 pounds of mohair from March Bros., and 5000 pounds from T. D. Newell of Sonora at 19 and 20 cents. The clips were six months growth.

The cows and calves of the Cusenbary & Negess cattle have been put on the fine grass near Brady. The boys who returned Monday report the country east of Mckavitt in splendid shape.

J. M. Kuykendall, Joe T. Williams and Mike Jennings of Brady were here last week closing up the deal by which Mr. Kuykendall sold his cattle and leased his Pontotoc ranch to the latter two gentlemen. Mr. Kuykendall sold his sheep to W. C. Edwards, and will likely locate in some town with his family. Messrs. Williams and Jennings have taken possession of the ranch.—Mason News.

## FIRE WAS INCENDIARY

Mason News States That Sheriff Saw Party Fire the Benhan Store and Escape on Horse.

The Mason News gives the following account of the fire in that city on the night of June, 17th:

The fire was of incendiary origin, as Sheriff Gibbs was aroused by seeing a light at the front of the Lowrey building and suspecting that someone was committing a burglary he started for the scene and just then heard a glass break and saw the party fire the place and jump on his horse and start to ride east down main street. Sheriff Gibbs attempted to intercept the incendiary, but he galloped down the street and the sheriff fired two shots in his direction. The party on horseback returned two shots and escaped. Several people saw or heard him as he rode out Austin street.

On account of the mass of goods hanging from the ceiling in the Lowrey building the flames spread very rapidly and the heat precluded the use of the fire engine at the front of the building when it arrived. All worked faithfully and the fire was about as well handled as could be expected with the facilities at hand for combatting such a catastrophe.

S. A. Benham carried \$1800 insurance on a stock of \$2500 and had sold several hundred dollars worth during the week.

Misses Kate and Fay Hey lost everything in their millinery and dressmaking house except a sewing machine that was taken out the window. Their loss is about \$200.

The loss to R. H. Lowrey on the building is about \$2000.

The loss of Harry Beirschwale on building is \$2500 and on stock of hardware and furniture about \$3000.

The loss on the store building of Mrs. M. Kooch is about \$800. No insurance was carried except by Mr. Benham, and the loss to Mr. Bierschwale falls very heavily, as his stock represented many years of work to accumulate it.

Mr. Bierschwale moved the portion of his goods that were saved into the Zork building. To the fact that there was no breeze blowing is due that the fire did not reach other buildings.

After the fire Mr. Benham found over \$16 in silver that was put away in a shoe box in his store. It was burned black.

A reward of \$500 is offered for the apprehension and conviction of the party setting fire to the store.

Mrs. G. R. White and Miss Carleta Matthews were spending the day in Brownwood yesterday while enroute home from a visit to Galveston. They were joined at Lampasas by Mrs. E. S. Noble, who accompanied them to the bay city. They report a most delightful trip.—Brownwood Bulletin, June 23.

Agent W. M. Hundley reports business picking up in railroad circles and assuming fall business proportions. Monday there were 21 cars of freight on the team track.

Miss Marie Crothers of Brady was the guest of friends here Saturday while enroute to Indianapolis, Ind., where she will visit during the summer with her aunt.—Brownwood Bulletin.

RIGHT QUALITY | RIGHT TREATMENT | RIGHT PRICES

### Men's Extra Pants

We have an up-to-date line of Men's extra pants, made from light weight, fancy worsteds, with side buckles, belt loops, peg and half peg top, with and without cuffs, at a pair

**\$3 to \$5**

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### New Things in Men's Wear

We are showing this week a new line of men's four-in-hand ties in the very latest styles and colors. Also a nice line of men's fancy half hose at

**25c, 35c and 50c**

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### Men's Summer Underwear

We have a very complete line of men's light weight summer underwear.

- Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, each 25c and.....50c
- Men's Porosknit Shirts and Drawers, each.....50c
- Men's Nainsook Shirts and Drawers, each.....50c
- Men's Elastic Seam Drawers per pair.....50c
- Men's Genuine Scrivens Drawers, per pair.....75c

### New Styles in Ladies' Skirts

We have just received an advance shipment of Ladies' Skirts, made of the very latest patterns in Voile, Serges and Panamas, all colors

**\$5 to \$8.50**

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### A New Assortment of Veils

We are showing a new assortment of Veils, including the Automobile and Scarf Veils

**50c to \$1.50**

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### A New Lot of Laces

We are showing this week an entirely new lot of Laces, in Persian All-overs, Persian Bands and German Val. Laces.

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### All Lace Hose Go at Reduced Prices

- Misses' 15c Lace Hose now .....10c
- Ladies' 25c Lace Hose now .....18c
- Ladies' 35c and 40c Lace Hose now .25c

**SWEET ORR OVERALLS---the best you can buy at \$1.00 per pair**

### Angelo Took All Three.

San Angelo took all three of the games from Brady on their own diamond last week, but the Brady boys put up a game they may well be proud of and the Angelo papers compliment their playing highly. Saturday's game was a 1-to-0 affair, and was characterized by clean snappy playing by both teams. "Shorty" Pearson, Brady's midget fielder, was the star of the game and was given the glad hand by the Angelo fans. He laced out a two bagger and stole third but his team mates were unable to bring him in with the necessary run to tie the score.

The scores were, 7 to 2, 4 to 0, and 1 to 0.

We understand that the people of the Fife community are preparing for a big picnic and barbecue on July 17. The Fife baseball team is practicing up to beat the Brady boys on that occasion, and Finlay rays he is going to fill the town boys so full of good things to eat that they won't be able to run bases.

Mr. McWilliams, of near Mason, was here Tuesday with a wagon load of fine peaches and grapes which sold on the street like hot cakes. Mr. McWilliams reports a short fruit crop this year.

We have three good span of mules for sale or trade. Call to see us.  
Broad Mercantile Co.

### Attention Confederate Veterans.

The annual Re-union of the Mountain Remnant Brigade will be held at Fredericksburg, Gillespie County, on Wednesday, July, 28th, 29th, and 30th, 1909.

Rations of bread, beef and coffee will be furnished the old soldiers, their wives and unmarried children, so come out and make this the banner Reunion of the Brigade.

Done by order of the general commanding.

B. W. PALMER,  
Brigadier General Commanding.  
A. F. HICKS,  
Adjutant General.

### Notice.

A regular meeting of the U. C. V. Camp 563, will be held at the Court House, Saturday evening, July 3rd, at 3 p. m. A full attendance is requested, as matters of importance are to be disposed of.

By order,  
J. T. Simpson, Com'dr.  
L. Ballou, Ad'jt.

Miss Frances Tisdale has returned home to Brady after a very pleasant visit to her friend, Mrs. Fay Looney.—Brownwood Bulletin.

F. M. Bradley and A. M. Finlay of Fife, were here Monday.

**YOUR SOCIAL AFFAIRS**

Should be conducted so far as correspondence, invitations, announcements, etc., are concerned upon stationery whose character will denote your familiarity with fashion. For stationery stamped with style we are headquarters. Take a supply of it on your summer vacation. Then you'll be sure to have the right kind.

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### Resolutions of Respect

Resolutions of respect offered and adopted by Camp 563, U. C. V., Brady June 3, 1909:

Resolved, That Camp Ben McCulloch, U. C. V., do hereby express our sincere sorrow on the death of Comrade Davis, an honored and respected member of this camp who died at his home in Waldrip, April 12, 1909. He has gone to meet loved ones gone before and there join the mighty army of heroes that wore the grey as well as the blue; to dwell where is no more strife and no more war, but eternal rest and peace, in a house not made with hands eternal in the heavens.

Resolved, That we express our sincere sorrow in the death of Comrade McDowell, who died at his home in McCulloch county on April 26, 1909, and, by his last request, laid to rest by his comrades in Brady cemetery. He has gone to join the great army of the faithful, there to be assigned to a home not made with hands eternal in the Heavens. His will be done.

Be it resolved by Ben McCulloch Camp 563, U. C. V. as an association and individually, here join with others our sincere sorrow caused by the death of our beloved comrade, General W. T. Melton, a devoted and prominent member of our organization, who died at his home in Brady, April 28, 1909. A faithful and gallant soldier of R. E. Lee's army to its final surrender at Appomattox.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## Brady National Bank

At Brady, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$131,353.47
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,706.07
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	1,746.08
Bonds, securities, etc.	47.00
Banking house, furniture, fixtures	9,531.14
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	5,137.77
Due from state banks and bankers	4,334.41
Due from approved reserve agents	44,571.56
Cheques and other cash items	294.17
Notes of other national banks	919.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	146.75
Legal money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$6,259.20
Legal-tender notes	15,259.30
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	3,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$271,067.72</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus fund	8,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,538.72
National bank notes outstanding	49,500.00
Due to other national banks	824.40
Due to state banks and bankers	328.47
Dividends unpaid	250.00
Individual deposits subject to check	132,566.13
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$271,067.72</b>

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF McCULLOCH, )  
I, F. W. HENDERSON, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
F. W. HENDERSON, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 28th day of June, 1909.  
S. W. HIGGINS,  
Notary Public.

CORRECT—ALIAS:  
T. P. WOOD,  
J. M. P. SHERIDAN,  
E. E. WILLOUGHBY,  
Directors

## THE CHRISTIAN REVIVAL

An interesting Series of Meetings Being Held at the Christian Tabernacle by Rev. J. V. Coombs.

Rev. J. V. Coombs of Danville, Ind., arrived in Brady Saturday morning to begin a revival meeting at the Christian Tabernacle. The first service was held Saturday night, when Dr. Coombs delivered a short, interesting sermon on "Jesus."

On Sunday morning an unusually large crowd was present and heard a splendid discourse. At 3:30 Sunday afternoon a special sermon for women was delivered to a fairly good-sized audience. The subject chosen for this service was "Troubles—Real and Imaginary," and was forcefully presented.

At the Sunday night service the Tabernacle was entirely filled and quite a number were turned away for lack of seats. The sermon was an excellent one and was well received by the large audience.

Good crowds were in attendance on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. In the sermon on Tuesday night an especially strong plea to sinners was made, using for the subject of his discourse "How Shall We Escape if We Neglect so Great a Salvation." Tonight the sermon will be especially for men using as his subject "Hunting for a Man." On Saturday night a Children's Rally will be held.

Sunday, July 4th, has been designated as "Decision Day" and the following order of service has been announced for the day:

10:30 a. m.—Sermon to Children.

11:00 a. m.—Sermon, "What Think You of Christ?"

4:15 p. m.—Great mass meeting for every body. Subject—"Mother, Home and Heaven."

8:30 p. m.—Subject, "Crossing the Line;" Prelude, "Christian Union."

The excellent choir under the direction of Prof. Edward McKinney of Dorsey, Ill., deserves especial mention for the excellent music rendered at each service. The solos by Prof. McKinney are also very good.

Two services will be held each day—at 10 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.—through the coming week.

### Wanted.

Brown & Cline at Conner's wagon yard want to buy all your eggs and poultry. See them before selling.

—Have J. V. Searcy, jeweler, at Jones Drug Co., repair that watch. He does it the right way.

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.

The biggest and best—The Standard.

### GOOD ADVICE FOR THE YOUNG

And for the Matter of That, It is Worth Heeding by "Children of Larger Growth."

"Strike the knot," said a man one day to his son, who, tired and weary, was leaning on his ax over a log which he had been trying to cleave. Then, looking at the log, the gentleman saw how the boy had hacked and chipped all around the knot without hitting it. Taking the ax, he struck a few sharp blows on the knot and split the log without difficulty. Smiling, he returned the ax to his son, saying:

"Always strike the knot." That was good advice. It is as good for you as it was to the boy to whom it was first given. It is a capital maxim to follow when you are in trouble. Have you a hard sum to do at school? Have you got to face a difficulty? Are you leaving home to live for the first time among strangers? Strike the knot. Look your trouble in the eye, as the bold hunter looks in the face of the lion. Never shrink from a painful duty, but step right up to it and do it. Yes, strike the knot. Strike the knot, boys and girls, and you will always conquer your difficulties.—Montreal Herald.

## ELECT A NEW CASHIER

Brady National Bank Secures the Services of Mr. Jeff F. Montgomery an Experienced Banker.

At a meeting of the directors of the Brady National Bank yesterday morning Cashier F. W. Henderson was made vice president; and Mr. Jeff F. Montgomery, late vice president of the Coleman National Bank, was elected cashier.

Mr. Montgomery comes to Brady bearing the very highest recommendations as a banker. For four years just prior to his connection with the Coleman bank he was with the Continental Bank and trust Co., of Fort Worth, as manager of their branch institution at Rising Star, and the officers of that concern are frank in stating that the record made by the Rising Star bank under Mr. Montgomery's management proves him to be a decided success in the banking business, a hustler, working at all times for the bank's interests with both dignity and intelligence.

Mr. Montgomery is a young man, a Christian gentleman of high character, industrious and ambitious, and the Brady National is indeed fortunate in securing his services. He assumes his duties today, and patrons of the bank in making his acquaintance, will, we are sure, endorse all that is said of him here. The Standard welcomes him to our business and social life.

Delay in taking Foley's Kidney Remedy if you have backache, kidney or bladder trouble, fastens the disease upon you and makes a cure more difficult. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today and you will soon be well. Why risk a serious malady. Jones Drug Co.

O. Wells and John Pool have returned from a visit to Rosebud. —Our refrigerators are about all gone. If you want one you will have to hurry as the prices we put on them cause us to sell them fast. Satterwhite & Martin.

Collier Monroe, a druggist of Rosebud, Texas, is in the city prospecting for a business location.

### OF INTEREST TO MOTORISTS.

Literary Shrines That Attract the Modern Pilgrim Who Travels in an Auto.

All manner of men and women are worshippers at literary shrines, even those of popular modern deities. Pierre Loti's house and that of Edmond Rostand are known of all winter birds of passage at Biarritz, and Americans from all the states have been known to journey to the southeast of England expressly for the purpose of gazing at Mr. Kipling's coast-house at Burwash, at Henry James' house at Rye, or at Ellen Terry's cottage at Winchelsea.

Memories of Shelley, Byron, Browning and Landor crop up every once and again in the Italian tour by road or rail, but how many who have made the entrance to Italy via the Riviera gateway have ever cast an eye on the modest little Chalet des Pins abutting on the Route d'Italie at Cap Martin, just after Monte Carlo, and before Menton is reached? Not many, doubtless. It is here that Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, the co-authors of the first and only automobile novel, have their winter rest house. How many good things in automobile fiction have been thought out and worked up here! This little corner of the Cote d'Azur has then a very welcome shrine for the literary motor pilgrim.

## Difficult Breathing

"I could not lie on either side, my heart fluttered, and I was so weak I could scarcely walk. Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy did wonders for me. I can sleep, eat, and do more work than I have in ten years." AGNES LEWIS, Lawrence, Kans.

Short, quick breath—when going up stairs, singing, or when you are angry or excited means that your heart action is weak. Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy is a safe, sure remedy for these symptoms. It strengthens and builds up the weakened nerves and muscles. The first bottle will benefit; if not, your druggist will return your money.

## A BANK'S FIRST DUTY

Is to its depositors. The business of this bank is conducted on this basis, which is, in truth, SECURITY and CONSERVATISM. Safety is considered before profits.

We feel justified in asking for your banking business assuring you always, courteous treatment and satisfactory service.

## The Brady National Bank

BRADY, TEXAS.

### TO THE STANDARD.

We wish to say through the columns of your paper that the Stacy District Singing Convention will meet the first Sunday in July with the Fife Class at Fife. All singers and lovers of music are invited to attend.

We would be glad to have other classes join our convention and push the good work along.

D. M. BEAUCHAMP,  
President.

Bob Rutherford, Clarence Snider, George Yantis, John Mayes and G. W. Vierling went to San Angelo in Mr. Vierling's auto Sunday to root for the Brady team in the ball game. They say that while Brady lost the game it should have been reversed, as our boys played perfect ball.

### Ladies of Brady.

Let The Standard print your calling cards. They will be just right if they come from this office. We have the standard sizes, also the latest type faces for the printing. Calling cards are too cheap for any woman to be without them.

Collier Monroe of Rosebud is in the city this week prospecting

T. E. Scales and family leave this week for Beakiss, Williamson county, where Mr. Scales has bought a mercantile business. J. K. Shelton succeeds Mr. Scales as manager of the Waters-Pierce Oil business in Brady.

## R. M. Russell Dray Line

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We have purchased the Garage and Repair Shop of Wade & Sheridan, and with our seven years' experience in actual service in one of the best auto cities of the South, our courteous treatment and every possible effort to please our customers, even piece of work, large or small, guaranteed all auto owners may rest assured that they can give us the work and supply business and get a perfectly square deal, and results that will make the machine go.

We will attend to your wants, day or night, town or twenty miles away, with any make of chine.

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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

### WADE'S TRANSFER LINE.

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

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Bath Rooms Fitted Up With the Latest Sanitary Plumbing

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H. N. COOK, Sec.-Treas.

**The Brady Water and Light Company**  
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Let us wire your residence. For terms see the Secretary. Rates most reasonable.

#### Bad Disease.

"What did Jigsby die of?"  
"I understand it was a complication of physicians."

#### Suited the Occasion.

"Myra was a typical April bride."  
"How so?"  
"All smiles and a showery bouquet."

#### Population of H—.

Because the News and Courier stated the obvious conclusion, from the fact that water pipes do not freeze in hades, that there are no plumbers in that region, some of our contemporaries are vilifying it in their narrow, partisan way. In spite of this, we now declare that the amount of gas constantly escaping from hades shows that what plumbers who may be there are apprentices.—Charleston News and Courier.

#### Madman's Wild Course.

According to advices from Yalla dolid, Spain, a dangerous lunatic, who was about to be confined to an asylum succeeded the other day in eluding the vigilance of his friends and rushed into the street. Here he fell upon a policeman, and wrestling his sword from him, killed him with it. The lunatic then took possession of the man's revolver, and continued upon his wild career through the city, firing right and left as he ran. A number of police and gendarmes started in pursuit, emptying their rifles and revolvers at the maniac, who was eventually shot down, but not until he had seriously wounded three persons. The noise of the firing caused a panic, and the doors of houses and shops were hastily shut. The excitement did not subside for some hours.

### STAR MEAT MARKET

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#### Church Too Poor for Offerories.

The bishop of Bath and Wells, who is making a tour of his diocese, visited one of its smallest parishes recently, says the London Daily Mail. This is the parish of Langridge, which consists of four farms and six or seven cottages. The income of the living is £33, and the rector, Rev. W. Burland, pays for everything himself.

When he entered upon the living Mr. Burland found that the offerories on a Sunday amounted to ninepence or a shilling, and so, as he explained to the bishop, he declined to hurt the poor people's feelings by collecting from them.

#### Lost.

One bay horse, 4 years old, white hind feet, Roman nose, branded L on left jaw, and fore-top cut out. Owner can recover above described horse two miles east of Placid. A. N. LEE.

#### An Anti-Swearing Bill.

It was stated at the West London police court recently that members of the "Victoria Swearing and Outing club," which meets at a Hammersmith public house, are fined a penny if they swear between 1:30 and 3:30 on Sundays. Any member who is not shaved on Sunday is fined a penny and a member who introduces a friend is fined if the latter swears.

We make the assertion that we have sold more screen doors and screen wire combined than all the other stores in Brady combined. Its because we make the price.

#### Broad Mercantile Co.

#### CROW WORRIED THE GOLFERS

Bird of Fastidious Tastes Would Swoop Down and Steal Only the New Balls.

The crow seems to be attracted to golf balls in a way wholly peculiar from the rest of the bird species. In parks where the rook and the crow abound one can notice them sitting in the trees or hopping about the putting greens in the distance watching the ball with a direct or sidelong glance expressive of the keenest interest and curiosity, which is soon translated into a desire to carry it off to the roost in the neighboring wood.

The Kew gardens adjoin the Mid Surrey course, and in the royal preserve there used to be a fairly large colony of crows nesting among the trees. Of this colony there was one particular crow who found his greatest amusement in mingling among the golfers and in disconcerting their play by indulging in repeated predatory campaigns against their golf balls.

His policy was to hover in attendance on those players who used new white balls only. Those on which the paint had been chipped or which had been used in play for several rounds by an economical player were always rejected by this particular bird as being beneath his fastidious attention.—From the Field.

Get DeWitts Carbolic Witch Hazel Salve when you ask for it. There are a great many imitations, but there is just one original. This salve is good for anything where a salve is needed to be used, but it is especially good for Piles. Sold by Central Drug Store.

#### The God of Chance.

The wife of a coachman in Falkirk, Scotland, is rejoicing in the possession of a quarter of a million sterling, secured by hearing one of her children reading. Her little girl had been spelling out her lessons from a newspaper, when she came to a small advertisement inserted by an Edinburgh lawyer. He desired to trace relatives of a farmer in America, who had left a large fortune to his nearest kin. The lucky woman, intent on aiding the child in her studies, looked at the advertisement and recognized that the farmer was her uncle, who emigrated 40 years ago.

She established her claim as next of kin, and is now a wealthy woman.

#### There Are Others.

"Bings is afraid that he may be prosecuted for polygamy."  
"Why, he is married to only one person, ain't he?"  
"That is what he thought for a while, but now it appears that he married her whole family, and there are seven of them."

The best pills made are DeWitts Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. They are small, gentle, pleasant, easy to take and act promptly. They are sold by Central Drug Store.

#### At the Museum.

"On this platform, ladies and gents," said the lecturer, "you see Sig Pankey, the legless wonder, or human stump, who was reduced to the condition in which you behold him by a shark in the Indian ocean 14 years ago. Sig Pankey, as you see, has no legs whatever, and his principal and only occupation nowadays, ladies and gents, is eating his head off. Proceeding to the next platform, I call your attention to the Egyptian mummy, supposed to be that of Rameses the Great."

Try us on your next grocery bill. We can certainly save you some money.

Broad Mercantile Co.

## THE ANNUAL REPORT

Of Superintendent of the Brady Public Schools, M. L. Stallings, as Made to State Authorities.

Supt. M. L. Stallings, of the Brady Public School, this week filed with the county judge his annual report to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. From it The Standard reporter gleaned the following statistical information regarding the past session of the Brady school:

Total enrollment	635
Total number days attended by all pupils	63,414
Number teachers employed	13
(Of these 4 held permanent State Certificates, and 8 first grade certificates, 3 were State Normal graduates, and 1 a college graduate.)	
Number of grades	11
Number pupils instructed in Agriculture	25
Am't paid teachers, all sources	\$6,175
Salary of Superintendent	\$1,200
Salary of Principal	\$1,000
Average annual salary of High School teachers	783
Average annual salary of grade teachers	\$450
Percentage of attendance on basis of census enumeration	84 per c
Percentage of attendance on basis of enrollment	61 per c
Number of single desks	510
Value of building and grounds	\$18,000
Value of school furniture	\$3,500
Value of library	\$500
Value of apparatus	\$200
Total value of all school property	\$22,200
Number volumes in library	626
Estimated cost of a pupil in Intermediate grades on basis of average daily attendance	\$11.28
Estimated cost of a pupil in High School grades on basis of average daily attendance	\$40.95

#### ANTIQUITIES MADE TO ORDER.

Switzerland Proves Itself in No Way Behind the Rest of the World in This Connection.

Switzerland will have an additional attraction this season for the tourists. "The one hundredth anniversary of the struggle for independence will be celebrated, and the thrifty inhabitants of the little republic," says an American tourist, "always watchful for the coin, are making great preparations for the various celebrations. Aside from the pageant and other civic festivities, they are laying in a stock of historic souvenirs, for which they know there will be a ready market. An Innsbruck paper says that one of the popular manufactured antiquities is the Swiss flag of a hundred years ago. A new one is made to resemble a centenarian by a process which includes fading the colors in the sun, bespattering it with tallow and laying it in the granary, where the mice soon give it the necessary tattered appearance. Finally it is subjected again to the rays of Father Sun, is mounted on a worn-eaten, broken staff, and is then ready for the English or American tourist in search of centennial trophies."

#### Similarity.

"Oh, James," cried Mrs. Van Sant, in despair, "that dreadful Napoleon has returned and has driven the dog and the parrot out of the porch."  
"Hi!" grunted Mr. Van Sant. "Who in thunderation is Napoleon?"  
"Why, surely you remember Napoleon. Don't you know the horrid tomatoc you gave a colored man a dollar to maroon on an island a mile from the shore?"  
"Oh, yes, so I do. But blamed if I don't change that cat's name from Napoleon to Castro."  
"Gracious! Why?"  
"Because, no matter where he goes, he's sure to come back and soon as he comes back he wants to fight."

#### Different Stages.

He—Are you deaf to my pleadings?  
She—I am.  
He—But what if I were to offer you a diamond ring?  
She—Oh, I'm not stone deaf.—University of Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

## PIONEER STOCK FARM

J. M. ROBINSON, Proprietor



Breeder of

RED POLL CATTLE,

BERKSHIRE HOGS,

BARRED AND WHITE ROCK CHICKENS

STOCK FOR SALE

MERCURY, TEXAS

There are very few things you can call for that we do not carry while some times we may have just cleaned out. Don't you think it is an advantage to you to trade with this kind of a concern? Broad Mercantile Co.

#### Field Mice Work Havoc.

Certain parts of Lanarkshire, Scotland, are at present suffering from a plague of voles or field mice, which have effected much havoc amongst vegetation. Many young trees in plantations have been destroyed, and various kinds of flower plants have suffered considerably. It is thought that mild winters may partly account for these plagues of voles. The last serious visitation was about seventeen years ago, when great damage was done on the farms in the south of Scotland, and a royal commission was appointed to investigate the matter. It is believed that the main reason of the trouble lies in the fact that the balance of nature has been upset by the destruction of owls, hawks, weasels and stoats, which are natural enemies of the voles.

#### A Knock.

He—I have been to handsome.  
She—When was that?  
He—To-day.  
She—No; I mean when were you handsome?—Comic Cuts.

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

#### For Sale.

We have about 300 two-year-old steers for sale. Price \$21 with reasonable per cent cut.

DAN JORDAN & HOERSTER,  
Plehmerville, Texas.

—Do you want your watch repaired right? If so take it to J. V. Searcy, jeweler.

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FRESH, BEEF, PORK AND SAUSAGE

We Want Your Trade.

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Registered and High Grade Red Polled Cattle.

Young Stock of both sexes for sale. Stock as good as the best at reasonable prices

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Camp San Saba, Texas





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Dwelling of the Patriot is Now the Oldest House Standing in Boston.

Built some time between 1650 and 1680 in the very heart of Boston...

The house was purchased by Paul Revere in 1770 and here he lived until 1800...

In restoring the house, the Paul Revere Memorial association...

From being a modern three-story building and L, with a store on the ground floor...

In removing all these later additions and rechanging the changes...

Helping Lonely Women.

Massachusetts has long held the record of possessing the greatest proportional surplus of women...

Rooks' Hatred of Crows.

A curious incident in the recent history of the Gray's Inn settlement...

It appears that a couple of carrion crows settled in the gardens and one day it was discovered that the rookery was deserted...

Then a curious thing happened. Not a rook had been seen for weeks at Gray's Inn...

Manchester Guardian.

ENROLLMENT IS 3014

Reports From Various School Districts Shows McCulloch County to Have 3014 Scholastics.

County Judge Harvey Walker has been busy lately tabulating the scholastic census of McCulloch county...

This is quite a healthy increase and serves to show the rapid growth and development of the county.

Table with columns for School District, Enrollment, and Scholastics. Lists districts like Brady, Camp San Saba, Voca, etc.

At the August terms of the commissioners' court the matter of the appointment or election of a county superintendent will be brought to the attention of the court by Judge Walker.

LADIES—Mrs. Robertson will go to your house and do your sewing. Phone 115.

Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops chronic coughs that weaken the constitution and develop into consumption...

Mother's Life Saved by Child. A little boy, nine years old, saved his mother from being murdered by his father in the Rue Mauzin, Buttes-Chaumont, France...

Remember we carry everything but dry goods, and are in a position to take care of your wants.

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To the City of Brady is Now on Sale by

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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.

For Prices and Terms See

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Method by Which Up-to-Date Superintendent Restored Plant to Paying Basis.

Some years ago a superintendent took charge of a run-down factory. It had stopped paying dividends under the former superintendent.

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New York Innovation Declared Fruitful Source of Health and Happiness.

There is no form of benevolence that has produced quicker and more perceptible results than that of looking after and providing for the entertainment of the children of large cities.

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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.

There are, in fact, very few ailments which cannot be traced directly to impure blood.

Kodol will effectually assist Nature to secure a complete restoration of good digestion.

When it is recalled that Apoplexy, Heart Disease, Cancer—and even Consumption—are due to poor digestion and poisons thus transmitted to the blood...

Kodol is prepared at the laboratories of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

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sample Latest Model "Hanger" bicycle furnished by us. Our agents everywhere are making money fast.

NO MONEY REQUIRED until you receive and approve of your bicycle. We ship to anyone, anywhere in the U. S. without a cent deposit in advance.

FACTORY PRICES. We furnish it at highest grade bicycles it is possible to make behind your bicycle.

YOU WILL BE ASTONISHED. We are not regularly handling second hand bicycles, but usually have a number on hand taken in trade by our Chicago retail stores.

COASTER-BRAKES, single wheels, imported roller chains and pedals, fuses, repairs and equipment of all kinds at half the usual retail price.

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DESCRIPTION: Made in all sizes. It is lively and easy riding, very durable and lined inside with a special quality of rubber, which never becomes porous and which closes up small punctures without allowing the air to escape.

IF YOU NEED TIRES. Hedgethorn Puncture-Proof tires on approval and trial at the special introductory price quoted above; or write for our Big Tire and Sundry Catalogue which describes and quotes all makes and kinds of tires at about half the usual price.

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### Bozeman's Screw Worm Dope

**Is guaranteed to kill  
the worm, heal the  
wound and keep the  
flies away. Try it**

4 oz	25c
Pint	75c
Quart	\$1.25
Half Gallon	2.00
Gallon	3.75

## Palace Drug Store

BOZEMAN & FORD

#### Busted His Bubble.

"Say," said Walter Jordan to The Standard scribe the other day, "you can tell 'em that I'm the boss buzz wagon buster of the Brady country." Asked to elucidate the junior member of the big real estate firm of W. T. Melton & Co. explained that one day last week he started down into the Land of Llano to bring back his better half who had been visiting thereabouts for several weeks.

"I thought I had mastered an auto," said Walter, "and I was doing fine, fighting the sand beds to a fare-you-well, dodging rocks and stumps and hitting the road in high places generally. Presently I saw a stump just ahead that was to big to climb over and I started to slow down. I pushed the thimbob, but this only seemed to madden the old girl and she made a wild plunge for the stump. Seeing the danger I put my foot on the lever that works the dingbatus rod which chibobobolates the monosconob, and the old girl began to go backwards at an awful speed and took out across the road in a 45 degree curve toward a 5-wire fence. Seeing that something had to be done quick I simply pressed the button that works the electricity box, thinking to cut of the juice, but I guess I turned it the wrong way, and she rose in the air, stood on her hind legs and jumped clear over the fence. I got excited and jerked the highpotus lever, and she sped away a mile a minute and struck a stump about ten feet tall, which stopped her so quick that I went right on out and took the wheel off the post with me. Oh, no, it didn't break much; just tore the old girl all to pieces and I trailed back to town behind a farm wagon."

Mr. Jordan says the walking is fine out his way now.

#### Moonlight Picnic.

Remember the moonlight picnic given by the Sweden Cornet Band tomorrow night at the J. E. Carlson place two and one-half miles east of town on the San Saba road. There will be plenty of good music and cold drinks and ice cream will be served. Everybody cordially invited to come out and have a good time.

#### A Chance to Save Money.

As we are going to make a change in our business soon we will offer any goods in our house at a substantial reduction in price for the next 30 days. Now is the time to buy buggies, harness or saddles. We also carry a complete line of strictly high grade gloves. We will sell you for cash or good negotiable paper, or will give you a good trade on horses, cattle or other property.

J. F. SCHAEG & BRO.

Demp Branscum has taken down his yard fence since the town cow has been shut up, and with his new cement sidewalks his place assumes city-like beauty. He is also digging a storm cellar to store canned fruit in; Demp wouldn't run from a cloud.

#### For Sale.

Two chair barber shop in Stacy, equipped with bath outfit. House 12x80, lot 14x100. The high man buys it. Reason for selling: Other business.

G. A. JARRETT,  
Stacy, Texas

#### Notice.

240 acres of as fine land as there is in Mason county; 75 acres in cultivation, 30 in orchard 4 or 5 years old, balance in hog-proof pasture. Good house and barn; plenty of water supplied by three wells and wind-mill and creek, joins the town of Katemey, Texas. Price \$20.00 per acre. Apply to J. H. Dobbs, Katemey, Texas.

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HEARSE IN CONNECTION

#### PERSONAL MENTION

The Standard—a winner.

Loans. Shropshire & Hughes.  
—Rent house to let. J. F. Schaeg & Bro.

WANTED—Good milch cow for her keep. Apply at this office.

—Typewriter ribbons and carbon papers at Standard office.

H. M. Bates, who has been seriously ill, is reported convalescing.

The Victor Cultivator, like the Canton Planter, has got them all guessing, and both are made by the same company.

Broad Mercantile Co.

Coalie, the negro boot black at Draper's shop, was arrested last week charged with the burglaries reported in last Thursday's Standard. The chances seem very good for Coalie spending a few years at Huntsville.

The land office of W. T. Melton & Co., is being remodeled by changing the partitions and reshaping things generally. A fine cork linoleum will also be laid, and the office made not only more comfortable, but more pleasing to the eye as well.

If we are strangers to you come and get acquainted. If we can save you even a small amount isn't that worth coming after?  
Broad Mercantile Co.

The Standard was in error last week when it stated that D. Doole, Sr., was a soldier at the government post at Mason in the early days. Mr. Doole went to Mason at that time as post trader. This was in 1868, after he had left the army.

T. J. Alexander, of Broadmoor, was in the city Monday and made The Standard a pleasant call. He reports his community in good shape since the late rains, and feed crop prospects splendid. If they get the proper season from now on Mr. Alexander thinks a big cotton crop will also be gathered by himself and neighbors.

W. N. Ellis was elected principal of the San Saba High School at the meeting Tuesday night and Miss Lillie Girvin was elected to teach the second grade. This leaves only one place on the faculty to be filled; that of first assistant.—Mason News.

Moon Bros. buggies, nothing can touch them for quality and price. Broad Mercantile Co.

Dr. J. S. Anderson has lately built some cement walks at his residence. He is further improving his place by raising the yard several inches by an application of rich soil.

Dr. Wm. C. Jones has recently added to the looks of his residence by a judicious use of fresh paint. Dr. Jones is also growing a pretty lawn.

F. Hilji, of Hallettsville, was here the past week looking after the interests of the Brady Oil Company. He is well pleased with the prospects of the cotton crop.

C. H. Calvert came in from Brownwood Monday to assume charge of the books at the Brady Lumber Co. Mr. Calvert was with the Brady Compress during the cotton season.

It was her little 2-year-old cousin whom Little Miss Catherine Ballou saved from drowning at the ranch in Midland county, and not her sister as reported in The Standard last week.

Miss Nora Jones, of Austin, is visiting Miss Linda Anderson, having returned home with the Anderson family last week. She will spend several weeks in Brady.

#### Strayed.

Little sorrel mare, about 14 hands high, slightly swayback, branded BR on left hip, scar low down on right leg. Will pay for trouble of return or information leading to her recovery.

P. S. Castleman,  
Brady, Texas.

Grover Kirk takes great pride in the appearance of his premises, and as a result has one of the prettiest places in Brady. His grass lawn is a thing of beauty.

J. F. Quicksall, next door, also has a beautiful yard, and of a contrary character to Kirk's.

Mr. Quicksall has no grass but a yard full of flowers in which great pride is manifest by their careful cultivation. There is nothing like pretty yards to help the looks of a town, and Brady is getting to be more and more a city of pretty yards.

Henry Jordan has joined the storm cellar ranks. He is also putting down quite a stretch of cement sidewalk, and has lately dug a well. If Mr. Jordan's place was bigger he would doubtless get more improvements on it. As it is he has one of the nicest and prettiest homes in Brady.

W. D. Crothers has recently had about \$400 worth of work done on the avenue leading out to his home in the northwest part of the city. The work is not yet completed, but will be as soon as the fills have time to settle.

The biggest and best—The Standard.

## Who is Your Prescriptionist.... ?

You have confidence in your physician. When illness comes into your family you call him to your aid. He writes a prescription. His years of experience are embodied in this prescription, and that prescription should be rightly compounded. We feel that we are justified in asking for your prescription business. Our drug store is never open unless there be a competent registered pharmacist in charge. Two registered druggists are here, and one or the other is always at his post. Our prescription department is given that exacting care and attention which all physicians demand and to which you as our customer are entitled. Bring us your prescriptions.



## Central Drug Store

"Has It"

Phone 59

NORTH SIDE SQUARE, BRADY, TEXAS

## YOUNG MAN

Would you spend a few dollars if you knew they would bring in three times as much in a few months? LISTEN!

Do you know that Brady is one of the best towns in West Texas? The Luhr addition is full. Of course there are still vacant lots in the Luhr addition, and if you want one of them we can sell it to you, and it will be a good investment for you. But these new houses will not all be built in the Luhr addition by a big majority. Where will they be built? The town is growing in two directions—north and south. As we have just said, the south part, the Luhr addition is full. There is a strong tendency to build southward. The south line of the Luhr addition is just a half mile from town. Every block beyond that means just that much further from town. The people who will buy and build here this fall will want to get just as near to town as possible. Remember that. The Jones addition will have lots of new buildings on it this fall. We can sell you Jones addition property if you want it. The Doty-Stone addition will be very desirable property this fall. We can sell you Doty-Stone lots if you want them. These properties are next closest to town after the Luhr addition. But we want to call your attention to the White addition. It lies just south of the Luhr addition. It is as near town as any of these additions. It is a whole lot nearer than some of them. It lies just east of the Doty residence, extending from the Mason road to the compress. These lots are larger than any others in town; they are 100x150 feet. They face on streets and all have an alley in the rear. These lots are being offered a long ways cheaper than other lots elsewhere of the same size. They lie pretty. They are going to sell and be built on this fall.

Another thing. Lots of men who come here this fall will expect to make their living by labor. Many of them will work at the compress or one of the oil mills, or will have some business that will call for them to be at or near the railroad during the day. Laboring men, in particular, do not want to have to go very far to their work. It is a mile from the southwest corner of the Luhr addition to the compress. It is a mile from town. It is a mile and a quarter from the depot. The White addition is less than half a mile from the compress. It is about half a mile from town. It is about half a mile from the depot. It is close enough for business men who have stores in town. It is close enough for men who work at the public works. At the same time it is high and pretty, and far enough away from the mills to be out of the dust and noise.

Now, about your making money out of it. Listen! We will sell you one of these lots—your choice—for the small sum of \$25 down. You being the first to buy, get the choicest lot. It becomes yours. This fall when the boom comes somebody will have to have your lot. Before you make your second payment you will have a chance to sell, and at a nice profit. Now notice. You have invested \$25. That is all the cash you are out. If you sell for a profit of \$25 you have doubled your money, haven't you? You put in \$25; you take out \$50. That is, if you sell for only \$25 profit. If you get \$50 more than you gave, you have trebled your money. And many of these lots will, by the middle of September sell for \$50 more than you now offering them for. That is no day dream about this. It is bound to grow, and these are bound to sell. You have an opportunity of the year to pay a few dollars and take big profit.

Now, remember, there are 26 of these lots being offered. That is one reason why they are all going to sell. Do you want in? Come and let's show you how they lie on the map, then let's go and look at them ourselves, and see if we are correct. Take one of them, you invest only \$25 or three for an investment of \$75. First come first served. Get the most desirable and reap the biggest profits.

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