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By the  
Cashier

## How to Acquire Wealth.

The only sure way to acquire wealth is to be honest, work hard and save a little of your earnings every day. Open an account with us and pay all your bills by check. Each check will be a receipt and you will know just how much you are spending. If you are not a patron of this bank consider this an invitation to become one. We know our relations will be mutually profitable. The possession of a bank account should be a matter of interest to every member of the family. You insure your property against fire. Why not insure your loved ones against poverty? It's wise to open an account today.

Very truly yours,

JEFF F. MONTGOMERY, Cashier  
The Brady National Bank,  
Brady, Texas

### Nearly an Inch Rain.

The government rain gauge shows that 9-10 inches of rain fell since last Saturday.

Ferd Hillje was here from Hallettsville Wednesday looking after his oil mill property.

The Standard, \$1 per year.

G. B. Awalt, the Bide-A-Wee Stock Farmer, was in from Camp San Saba Wednesday and gave The Standard a pleasant call.

### No Sale of Property.

This is to give due notice that there will be no sale at the J. T. Lake place on the Mason-Brady road as previously advertised for Saturday, May 6th.

W. T. LAKE.

District Clerk, P. A. Campbell, dropped in on us Wednesday to order The Standard sent to his mother, Mrs. M. J. Campbell, at San Saba.

## WANT I. O. O. F. HOME

Brady Citizens Warm Up to Proposition to Locate Widows and Orphans Home Here.

Probably no proposition that has ever confronted Brady citizens has caused more ready and favorable response than the proposition to secure the location of the Odd Fellows Widows and Orphans Home for Brady.

Not only has the project received the hearty endorsement of the Commercial Club directors, but individual citizens as well have come forward voluntarily with splendid offers and inducements. Meers Bros. and Dr. Granville have each offered two blocks of land in the Martin Heights addition free as a location for the home, and have signified their willingness to subscribe liberally toward any bonus. These four blocks adjoin and the intervening streets would without question be donated by the city, thus making a solid block. The above gentlemen have also offered to sell the entire tract at a figure that would make a wooden man sit up and take notice.

The Commercial club is actively advocating the movement, and petitions have been forwarded to 30 Odd Fellow lodges in West Texas asking for their assistance and co-operation in landing the Home for Brady.

Let every citizen pull for the Home and for Brady and Brady will have more than a fighting chance.

R. E. Hardin, the Melvin ginner, was in Brady on business Wednesday, and says present prospects are that business will be mighty good in his line this fall.

Ovie Garner, the popular head clerk at Anderson & Moffatt's has resigned his position with this firm to take effect on the 20th inst., and announces that he will leave about June 1st for South Texas, visiting Corpus Christi and other points, while deciding where he will locate. Mr. Garner has been in Brady about eight years and has been with Anderson & Moffatt ever since they first established in business, over four year ago, and had come to be regarded as a fixture in Brady. Mr. and Mrs. Garner have made a warm spot for themselves in the hearts of Brady citizens and it will be with genuine regret that their intention to leave will be learned.



No Matter How Busy I May Be, I Always Stop and Relieve that Aching Tooth

If your tooth aches don't think because I am so busy that I won't have time to relieve it, for I have made it a rule to stop whatever I may be doing and give my patient relief. For careful, easy and first-class work get Dr. Lindley, over Mistrot's old stand, to do it, where reasonable prices are charged. My motto, "Live and Let Live."

**H. W. Lindley**  
Dental Surgeon  
Office Over Mistrot's Store



## SHOES

In every last, and all the latest styles and prices. If you are a gentleman you should wear a gentleman's shoe, and that is the Nettleton.

If you are a lady, you should wear Dorothy Dodd or Gold Medal.

All Men's Shoes and Oxfords we will sell at cost to close out the line. All Ladies' and Children's Shoes and Oxfords at a very low price.

*"We Are the Shoe People of Brady.  
We Sell All-Leather Shoes"*

## Tipton & Striegler

### Ben McCulloch Camp.

The regular meeting of Ben McCulloch Camp will be held next Saturday, at which time the route to the Re-union at Little Rock will be decided on. Not only the veterans and members of the Camp are invited to attend this meeting, but all who are interested or who contemplate taking the trip are urged to be present. An effort will be made to ascertain how many will take the trip in order to take advantage of the reduced rates.

Brownwood had a midnight

fire Monday night, with a resultant loss of several thousand dollars of property. The Looney and Armstrong buildings, both frame, were partially destroyed, with only small insurance. The fire was burning through the roof when discovered, but a good water pressure and heroic work on the part of the fire department prevented a spread of the flames.

Otis Turney is now comfortably located in his handsome new bungalow just completed in the west part of town.

### Humane Society.

A meeting of the citizens of Brady will be held at the Klondike hall Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a Humane Society for the protection of dumb animals. Every citizen of Brady and McCulloch county is urged to be present and assist in this worthy object.

H. A. Ball has occupied the building just vacated by H. P. C. Evers on the east side, and will carry a complete line of confectionery goods and fruit.

## Memorandum Books



A Memorandum book is always a convenient article to have in your pocket; and we sell them. Also blank books of every description, of various sizes, and for every purpose. We want to supply you. . . .

Our line of fountain pens, pencils, pen staffs, erasers, tablets, etc., is worthy of attention if you need anything of the kind.

## Palace Drug Store

(Incorporated)

"ONLY THE BEST"

DAVE CAMP, Manager

## A Social Glass of Soda Water

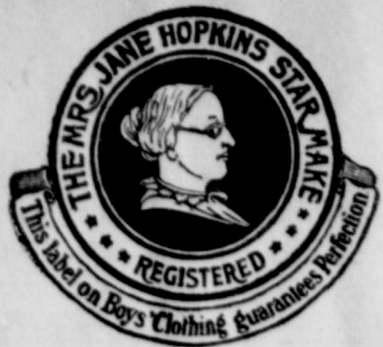


Is the most wholesome you can drink. Stop in here either alone or with friends and have a glass from our fountain. As a beverage and a cure for that tired feeling it has no equal. And the best of it is you can have all the pleasure without any unpleasant after effects.

## CENTRAL DRUGSTORE

"HAS IT"





Mrs. Jane Hopkins  
Clothing  
For Boys

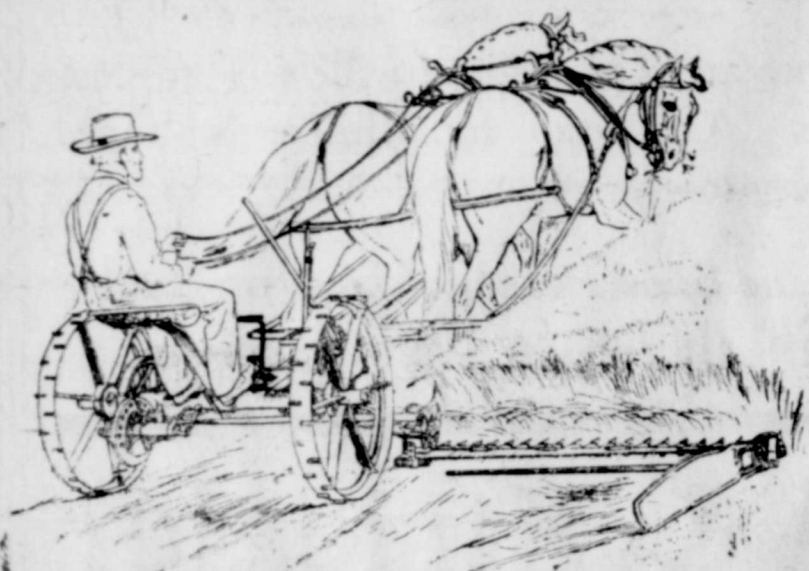
Just Arrived—a shipment of Cluett Shirts in whites, neat stripes and figures, prices \$1 to \$2. Our Collar Stock is also complete, we having all the latest styles obtainable.

R. & W. Trousers and Fancy Vests. We handle nothing but the best brands, therefore you always get value received when you buy anything from

**SCHARFF & NUSSBAUM**

Syndicate Bldg.

Next to Anderson & Moffatt



## "Standard" Mowers

Mean satisfaction. The Standard Mower and Rake means double satisfaction. It is just as easy to be satisfied as not. Why not be?

**O. D. Mann & Sons**  
BRADY TEXAS

## COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

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

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LEWIS BROOK

**We Want Your Business**

## LIMIT ON OBLIGATIONS

State Attorney Holds City Cannot Go Beyond Fund and Interest Created by the 25 Cent Tax

Austin, April 27.—Assistant Attorney General Zebe F. Caldwell today held that a city cannot make an obligation greater than the interest and sinking fund created by a maximum tax rate of 25 cents when it purchases a waterworks system.

At Brady the waterworks company offered to take a lien on the plant with notes for the balance, because the maximum rate was not sufficient to create a debt fund to meet the purchase price. It was held that this could not be done. The opinion affects every municipality desiring to purchase a waterworks system.

We are exclusive agents for Eastman kodaks and supplies. Central Drug Store, "Has It."

The cultivator that meets every demand and every condition and surpasses every other make on the market is the world-renowned John Deere cultivator. We only ask the chance of demonstrating their merits to you before you purchase.

Martin Hardware & Furniture Co.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. Burdock Blood Bitters conquers dyspepsia every time. It drives out impurities, tones the stomach, restores perfect digestion, normal weight, and good health.

The team of mules driven to the Wilansky delivery wagon, created quite a bit of excitement late Wednesday afternoon by making a wild dash down Blackburn street after having dumped their driver out. They turned the corner at Macy & Co.'s feed store and were stopped at C. W. L. Schaege's before any damage was done. While this manner of stunt is nothing unusual with this particular team, the team was particularly reckless on the above named occasion, the wagon swaying from one side of the street to the other and threatening to crash into a buggy or two alongside the street.

Watkins Remedies, extracts and etc., for sale at the Penny Store, Brady, Texas.

John B. Westbrook, Agent.

A large stock of window shades, the best shades made. Broad Mercantile Company.

Ben Moffatt, brother of Sam and John Moffatt, arrived Tuesday from Georgetown to take charge of the books for the firm of Anderson & Moffatt. The Standard is glad to see him remain with us.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Roberts left yesterday morning for Kerrville where they have decided to make their home. Mr. Roberts has not decided what line he will follow, but has a number of propositions under consideration. We wish him success in his new home.

Sallow complexion is due to a torpid liver. HERBINE purifies and strengthens the liver and bowels and restores the rosy bloom of health to the cheek. Price 50c. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Glad to have you call on us. Martin Hardware & Furniture Co.

### Frisco Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Garner and family, who have had charge of the Frisco Hotel, left Sunday for Brownwood where they will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wade have again taken charge of the business, Mrs. Wade having the active management. Mrs. Wade earned quite a reputation for herself and the hotel by her excellent management of the business in years past, and her many friends, both in Brady and among the traveling public, will be glad to learn that she will again have charge.

## The Rochelle School.

Rochelle, Texas, April 29. Editor Brady Standard:

I saw in your paper of the 28th of April, a statement that the Rochelle school had not been graded prior to two years ago. This is an error. Some years ago Mr. O. E. Rice, now cashier in the Rochelle State Bank, graded the Rochelle school. There has been quite a number of graduates. Three years ago Prof. D. Jones took charge of the school but had to give it up on account of ill health. Mr. Price then took charge temporarily for a few weeks, but had to give it up because of other business. The school was taught out, or rather six months of it was completed by the assistant teachers.

This misfortune of course, disorganized the grading. This, as a whole, was simply a misfortune that may fall to the lot of any school. Now we, the people of Rochelle, instead of being discouraged, only made a greater effort, and the splendid success the past two years is due to the way these people support a school and its management.

Some eight or ten years ago when the railroad came through McCulloch county, there was a one room house about one mile and a half from where Rochelle now stands. The last five years they have added a room and a teacher, and last year to meet the growing educational interests, they built the splendid stone structure they now have, at a cost of \$12,500.

The history of Rochelle is that its school has always been among the best in McCulloch or adjoining counties.

Yours very respectfully,  
D. M. LOWRANCE,  
Supt. School.

Fresh supply of Eastman kodak films just received. Central Drug Store, "Has It."

Ramsay does it and does it right—all kinds of mill and wood work.

Our repair shop the most complete in West Texas. Brady Auto Co.

THE ICE MAN will soon be making his regular visits, and if you need a refrigerator we want you to examine our line. We are sure to please you, and we only ask for the opportunity.

Martin Hardware & Furniture Co.

The largest line of Iron Beds in the city. Broad Mercantile Company.

Jones Drug Co. has something novel in the way of an aquarium on exhibition at their store. The aquarium is made to represent a section of a log resting on a cross cut slab, with openings on four sides through which the fish can be observed. The aquarium is not for sale, however, but is used as an ornamental feature of the soda fount.

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles yield to Doan's Ointment. Chronic cases soon relieved, finally cured. Druggists all sell it.

Contractor Chas. Horn Monday began the laying of 2000 feet of cement walks in and about the residence of Alderman C. A. Anderson, and expects to complete the job by the middle of next week. Mr. Anderson not only believes in enterprise and progress, but sets the example for others to follow. Here's wishing for 2,669 more like him.

A card from D. W. Bozeman states that the fire which destroyed the drug stock at Pecos occurred just about five hours before his arrival in the city. Mr. Bozeman will put in a complete new stock.

### How's This?

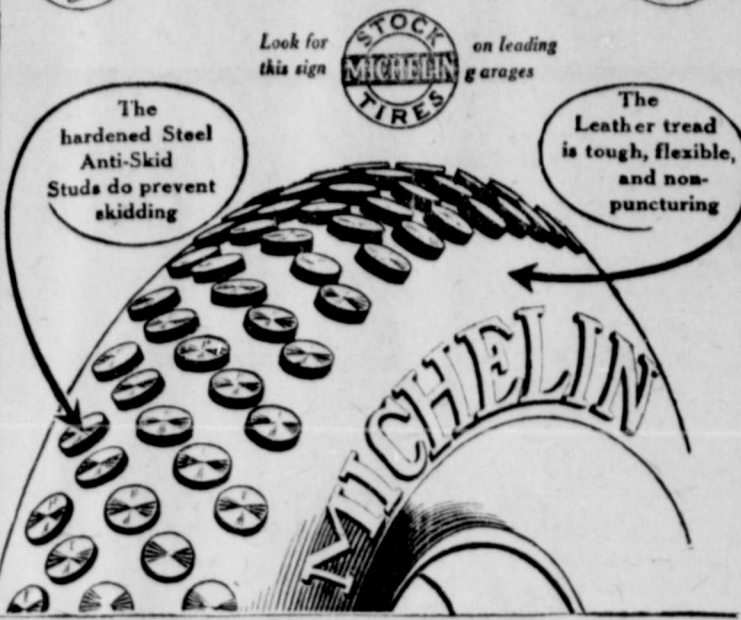
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, Ohio. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## MICHELIN

"Semelle" Anti-Skids



IN STOCK BY  
BRADY AUTO CO.

*Hotpoint*  
*El Tosto*

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Brady Water and Light Company

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And Trust Company

OF BRADY, TEXAS

"GUARANTY FUND BANK"

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THE BRADY STANDARD, TWICE-A-WEEK, \$1 PER YEAR

## W. T. MELTON & CO.

GENERAL LAND AGENTS

AND ABSTRACTERS

Brady, Texas

Let us show you or tell you of the great Brady country. We have land for sale in all sizes of tracts from small farms to large ranches, and have probably just the bargain you are looking for. We are also strong on Brady city property.

**See or Write us your Wants**

OUR ABSTRACT BOOKS are complete and up-to-date, and we guarantee you the best and quickest service in this line.



# New Silks, New Dresses, New Oxfords White Slippers.

Something New in All Lines This Week.

Prices That Please the Purse.

## C. B. WATTERS & COMPANY

### EGGS--FOR HATCHING--EGGS

Highest bred stock in the country.  
Stock direct from

RUDYS PERFECTION and DUSTON  
STRAIN WHITE WYANDOTTES

WM. COOK & SONS and KELLER-  
STRAUS WHITE ORPINGTONS  
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Eggs \$1.00 to \$3.00 per 15

**S. J. STRIEGLER**

Phones 111 and 212 BRADY, TEXAS

### DO YOU WANT TO PAINT?

I have the Paints, Varnishes, Stains and Enamels for every form of work, from the roughest to the finest finishes. My line is the best in the world and I can save you money on any order.

Also do all kinds of Painting, Paperhanging, Decorating, etc. All work guaranteed.

**C. W. RAMSAY**  
Shop on Southwest Corner Square

### The Summer Term

Of The Brady School  
Of Music

Will Open June 5,  
And Close Sept. 2

**PUPILS MAY ENROLL  
AT ANY TIME.**

**John C. Robbins,**

Director and Teacher

### New Location.

We beg to call the attention of our friends and customers to our new location on Blackburn street, just one block south of the square, and to invite them to call on us and visit with us every opportunity. We appreciate the business accorded us in the past, and will appreciate your future business as well, and our endeavor will always be to please you.

**Martin Hardware  
& Furniture Co.**

The American Fence, the best made for the money.  
Broad Mercantile Company.

## Over the County

News Notes of Interest From  
Our Country Correspondents

### WHITELAND HAPPENINGS.

(Too late for last week.)

Whiteland, Texas, Apr. 27.  
Editor Brady Standard:

As I haven't seen anything from this part of the country will chat awhile with the correspondents.

Cotton planting is the order of the day at Whiteland.

Vance Mitchell visited at J. T. Stewart's Sunday.

Some of the Whiteland boys went hunting Saturday night and all report a good time.

Henry Rogers had his phone put in Friday.

Miss Ollie Stewart visited her sister Mrs. Womble, of near Pasche, this week.

Quite a number attended singing at Mr. Woods' near Melvin Sunday night and while returning home Mr. Zora Rambo happened to quite a serious accident. His horse ran into a buggy and fell back on him.

Henry Bowers returned Tuesday from Brownwood where he has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Myrtle Roberts is on the sick list this week.

Isham Nelson was in our midst Sunday.

Mr. Mathew Neyland has a new buggy.

Bob Eubanks and father went to Melvin Wednesday.

Will come again soon.

OLD TIGE.

All druggists sell Dr. Cox's Barbed Wire Liniment, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 bottles. Guaranteed to heal without leaving a blemish, or money returned.

### IT STARTLED THE WORLD

when the astounding claims were first made for Bucklen's Arnica Salve, but forty years of wonderful cures have proved them true, and everywhere it is now known as the best salve on earth for Burns, Boils, Sores, Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Swellings, Eczema, Chapped hands, Fever Sores and Piles. Only 25c at Jones Drug Co.

G. C. Hill was kicked Monday by a fractious mule, the blow cutting a gash on his left cheek and missing the eye by a small margin.

### WHITELAND HAPPENINGS.

Whiteland, Texas, April 30.

Editor Brady Standard.

Sanford Wilkins visited Miss Lela Eubanks Sunday.

Dan Strockbin and wife visited W. T. Rambo and wife Sunday.

H. E. Rambo and wife were visiting at Melvin Saturday and Sunday.

The party at Tom Bowers Saturday night was enjoyed by all.

Hollis Rankin, Tom Stuart, Bob Eubanks and Clarence Robin went to the Brady mountains last week on a cat chase.

Gus Nelson and Clinton Johnson visited W. T. Rambo Sunday.

Mack Rambo visited at the Stuart home Sunday.

Whiteland was visited by a fine rain Saturday night.

Henry Rogers lost a fine milk cow Friday night.

OLD TIGE.

Dr. Cox's Barbed Wire Liniment does not burn or blister, relieves pain quickly, and flies will not bother the wound. For sale by all druggists.

Warm weather reminds you that now is the time to buy an ice cream freezer. Nothing so enjoyable on a warm day as some good home made ice cream, and no line of freezers better than those we are showing.

**Martin Hardware  
& Furniture Co.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Neal last Friday and Saturday on their return to Menard from Comanche where they buried their eight months' old baby the first of last week. The child was taken sick with whooping cough, which developed into pneumonia. It was taken to Comanche for treatment, but medical skill was of no avail, and its spirit took its flight Monday of last week. J. M. (or Audie, as he is better known) was formerly express messenger on the Frisco out of Brownwood, resigning the position to take a position as bookkeeper for the Mission Lumber Co. at Menard. He has many friends in Brady who sympathize with him in his loss.

The Moline Texas Dandy Cultivator—the best made, and the price is right. Abney & Vincent.

Commencing Monday, the sleeper formerly running through to Menard will be stopped at Brady, train No. 5 dropping it here, and train No. 6 picking it up and carrying it to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Odella Schafer closed a successful term of school at the Mooring school last Wednesday. The closing of the school was marked by an ice cream supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jowers, concluding with a dance. A splendid time is reported by all.

S. W. Hughes & Co. are located this week in their handsome new quarters over the Brady National Bank building.

Word was received in Brady that the condition of A. C. Marsden, who was quite seriously injured in an auto wreck at Beeville a few weeks ago, was so improved as to permit of him leaving the hospital at San Antonio for his home.

### Removal Notice.

I wish to announce to my friends and customers that I am now located in my new quarters in the Brady National Bank building, and will be glad to have one and all visit me.

I feel very grateful toward all who have contributed to my success in the past few years, and beg to say that my endeavors in the future will be to handle nothing but the very best in my line. My new quarters enable me to carry a larger and more complete line, and be of greater service to one and all than in the past, and I earnestly solicit a continuance of the business accorded me heretofore.

Respectfully,

H. P. C. EVERS.

A Colonization meeting will be held in Brownwood today at which there will be in attendance committees from the Commercial clubs of the various cities in this section of West Texas, together with the colonization agents of both the Frisco and the Santa Fe. The object of the meeting is to adopt plans of securing greater immigration to this section, and to secure the re-establishment of the cheap excursion rates which expired on March 11th last.

Curtain Poles and Trimmings, anything you could desire.  
Broad Mercantile Company.

The Moline Texas Dandy Cultivator, the best on the market, and sold at the right price. Abney & Vincent.

If you want a loan on your land, see us.  
Brady Loan & Investment Co.

An item that escaped our attention was the Easter egg hunt enjoyed Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mooring, which was participated in by J. J. Jowers and family, C. Jacobson and family and J. H. Adams and children. In spite of the rainy weather a splendid time is reported. A big dinner was one of the features of the day and one of the most pleasant recollections.

Rev. Epps, Methodist minister of Fredonia, was a business visitor in Brady Tuesday.

We have a beautiful line of art squares.  
Broad Mercantile Company.

Doan's Regulax cure constipation without griping, nausea, nor any weakening effect. Ask your druggist for them.

The McCormick Mower, the lightest draft, the highest speed, the longest life; you have in these three things the best mower made. We want you to figure with us on a mower, we can show you why it is better.  
Broad Mercantile Company.

### Protracted Meeting.

Rev. J. M. P. Morrow, of Fort Worth, began a protracted meeting at the Baptist church last Sunday morning. Rev. Morrow is a splendid speaker, and his sermons are of unusual interest. The meeting will continue all this week, and probably next week, services being held from 10 to 11 o'clock mornings, and at 8 o'clock evenings. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

## ALL NEW GOODS

This greatest of bargains has brought us scores of customers, nearly every one of them taking advantage of the rare opportunity to purchase from three to a dozen pairs at this extraordinary low price. Ask your neighbor about this great offer, or better still, come and let us show you. DON'T DELAY—TOMORROW MAY BE TOO LATE.

### Shoes, Shoes, Shoes,

2,000 Sample Pairs Hamilton-Brown Shoes, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00 per pair, go at..... **50c and 75c**

Special Values in Laces and Embroideries. Newest Weaves and Latest Designs in Dress Goods. Beautiful Line of Ladies' Ready-to-Wear. The Newest Styles—Lowest Prices—That's Us.

## M. SIMON, The Famous

THE STORE THAT PUT BRADY ON THE MAP



Get baby a new go-cart, then he won't cry

Dear Amy:—  
My life was a burden to me a long time. Baby John just cried and cried. I didn't know what was the matter. He was also looking pale and his food didn't agree with him. I didn't know it, but he needed air and sunshine. So I went and bought him a new go-cart. Now he smiles and is fat and rosy. You just must come and see him.

Always your pal,

LOU.

P. S.—What a beautiful line of go-carts and baby carriages, and furniture of all kinds you can get from

## O. D. Mann & Sons

BRADY, TEXAS

## WE SELL WALL PAPER

Do You Need It Today?  
Will You Need It Next  
Week or Next Month?

### The Answer, Yes?

Some time in the near future you will need Wall Paper. We can sell you good Paper from \$1.50 to \$8 per room.

Good Paper for \$1.50 per room.

See us before our leading patterns are sold out. We give you your money's worth.

"IT'S THE ONLY WAY"  
It's Our Way

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

"Where the People Trade."



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All obituaries, resolutions of respect and similar communications will be charged for at the rate of 5c per line by The Standard.

Brady, Texas, Friday, May 5, 1911

## CUT THE WEEDS!

With the abundant rains of the past week, vegetation of every description has put on a remarkable growth, and this growth is not confined to garden products, grass and flowers, but in even greater extent to weeds, and vacant lots and out-of-the-way corners promise to develop crops of this latter variety in such abundance as to completely overshadow the former.

It has been suggested that every vacant lot should be plowed up and planted in some useful feed stuff, thus not only doing away with the obnoxious weeds, but turning the work to profit. Let every owner of a vacant lot take heed and follow this advice, and Brady barns and bins will be bursting with feed stuff with the fall harvest.

DESPITE her failure to secure the endorsement of Congress for her celebration in honor of the completion of the Panama Canal, New Orleans has gone ahead and will have a little world's fair of her own, the event being styled the "United America's 1913 Celebration," uniting all the southern states in a series of international events and conventions, pageants and excursions to the canal. We like N. O.'s pluck, and you can bet your bottom dollar we're going to attend—when our pass arrives and all our dear delinquents have "extended their reputation."

THE Cattle Raisers Association of Texas, is vigorously protesting against the Canadian Reciprocity Treaty, and the proposal to place meats on the free list, and have filed a brief with the Ways and Means committee protesting against this removal of duty on live stock and meats. They urge the farmers and stock raisers to use every effort to prevent the placing of Texas on a Free Trade basis.

EVERY time we think of Editor Callan, of the Menard Messenger, having to wade through the sticky, muddy streets of Menard, we feel inclined to petition the Commissioners court on our own behalf to include Menard in Road Precinct No. 1.

WE want more railroads and more first-class, piked wagon roads, but since we are going to have the first shot at the wagon roads, we make a guess that we want the wagon roads the worse.

It's disheartening to have to do it all over again, but since we are in for it, we rise up to say we won't be satisfied with a ratio of 5 to 1 for the bonds. Nothing short of 354 to 0 will satisfy us.

A cement sidewalk now and then sets the pace for the other men.  
MORAL—Get the habit.

PULL up the weeds and clean out the rubbish about your place and note the wonderful improvement in appearances.

THE family cow is an article of priceless value nowadays, and the owner can live like a king if he chooses.

In a recent issue of "The Tradesman" appeared the following statement of reasons why a citizen should buy in his home city. In one of the cities of the smaller class this motto has been posted in street cars and in moving picture shows:—

## I Buy at Home:

- Because my interests are here.
- Because the community that is good enough for me to live in is good enough for me to buy in.
- Because I believe in transacting business with my friends.
- Because I want to see the goods.
- Because I want to get what I buy when I pay for it.
- Because my home dealer "carries" me when I am run short.
- Because every dollar I spend at home stays at home and helps work for the welfare of the city.
- Because the man I buy from stands back of the goods.
- Because I sell what I produce here at home.
- Because the man I buy from pays his part of the city and county taxes.
- Because the man I buy from gives value received always.
- Because the man I buy from helps support my school, my church, my lodge, my home.
- Because, when ill luck, misfortune or bereavement comes, the man I buy from is here with his kindly expressions of greeting, his words of cheer, and his pocketbook, if needs be.
- Here I live and here I buy.

## I Buy at Home! Do You?

WITH but little effort on the part of our citizens, every home in Brady can be transformed into a garden spot of beauty this year. Even a plain grass plot, if kept in trim, is a most pleasing sight.

THE sooner we place permanent walks about our places, the more rapidly will our resident property values be enhanced.

LET Dame Nature smile a little and give our citizens half a chance and Grand Old McCulloch will be a world beater.

GOOD sidewalks go hand in hand with progress, and it is not a far step to street lights and free city delivery.

DRAIN the puddles of water, and prevent fever and a breeding place for mosquitos.

AS charity is the greatest of virtues, so is voluntary idleness the greatest of vices.

SAY a good word for a good town—that's Brady—every chance you get.

1911 will be a record breaker for civic improvement in Brady.

OBITUARIES, CARDS OF THANKS, ETC., CHARGED FOR AT THE RATE OF A CENT A WORD. COUNT THE WORDS AND REMIT WITH COMMUNICATION.

THE STANDARD CAN NOT AND POSITIVELY WILL NOT PUBLISH ARTICLES SENT US UNLESS SIGNED WITH REAL NAME AS WELL AS PEN NAME.

FOR SALE—Scotch Collie pups. Write for prices. A. L. PEEL, Burlington, Iowa.

Windmills, pipe fittings, and supplies.—Bauhof Bros., Axtell old stand. Brady, Texas.

Make your preparations now to attend the Spring Race Meet, May 25th and 26th.

A New Arrival.  
Another lot of Excelsior Low Quarters. Call and see them. Excelsior Sho. Store.

## Leases Steam Laundry.

J. D. Justice, who has been in Brady the past several days on a prospecting trip and incidentally visiting his son, G. M. Justice, announces that he has purchased the lease of the Brady Steam Laundry from Lewis Jordan, taking charge of the business on the 1st of this month. Mr. Justice left on Wednesday night's train for his home in Ballinger to arrange for the removal of his family and household goods to Brady and expects to return the early part of next week. He will occupy one of the new houses just erected by W. W. Jones on the north side.

Mr. Justice has placed the active management of the business in the hands of his son, G. M., who has been with the Brady Laundry the past year or so, and who is thoroughly conversant with every detail of the business. Mr. Jordan will also remain with the laundry, which is double assurance that the business will in no wise suffer from the change, but on the other hand will be enabled to give the very best of service to its patrons. The Standard welcomes Mr. Justice to Brady and trusts his stay here may be long and pleasant, as well as a profitable one.

Charter Oak Stoves, been the standard for years, and the best cookers on the market, the cost is a trifle more, but a stove is a life long proposition, and a little difference in cost now, amounts to years of extra service.

Broad Mercantile Company.  
WINDOW GLASS—A complete stock of all sizes and can cut it to order, and put it in on short notice.  
Ramsay's Planing Mill.

What? Spring Race Meet.  
Where? Brady.  
When? May 25th and 26th.

If it isn't an Eastman, it isn't a kodak. Central Drug Store, "Has It."

Typewriter paper, manifold-ing paper, typewriter ribbons, typewriter oil and all supplies at The Standard office.

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS

### A. G. WALKER

LAWYER

Brady, Texas

Over First State Bank and Trust Co.

### Dr. Hampshire

Offices in Palace Drug Store and Over State Bank.

Office and Residence Phones

### DR. Wm. C. JONES, Dentist

Office Over Jones Drug Store

PHONES Office 79  
Residence 202

BRADY, TEXAS

### HARVEY WALKER

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Will practice in District Court of McCulloch County. Office in Court House.

### F. M. NEWMAN

LAWYER

BRADY, TEXAS

J. E. Shropshire J. E. Brown

Shropshire & Brown  
LAWYERS

Brady, Texas.

Office South Side Square, Shropshire & Hughes old stand.



It May Be Cheaper to Walk Than to Ride.

BUT—

For Good Teams and Swell Rigs at Reasonable Prices None Can Compare with

Thompson & Co. Phone 40

Meets every Thursday night. Visitors invited to attend.  
W. H. MARSDEN,  
S. W. HUGHES, Clerk. Consul Com.

WOODMEN CIRCLE Meets second and fourth Tuesday of OLIVE GROVE No. 1120 each month at 3:00 p. m. MRS. WADE, Guardian MRS. RAINBOLT, Clerk

## COURT CALENDAR.

MCCULLOCH COUNTY.

DISTRICT COURT—Convenes second Mondays after first Mondays in February and September; each term two weeks. Civil docket first week; Criminal docket second.

COUNTY COURT—Convenes second Mondays in January, April, July and October; each term two weeks. Criminal docket first week; Civil docket second.

COMMISSIONERS COURT—Meets second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

## Brady Studio

Fine Photos, Kodak Finishing and Photo Supplies. "SOUTH SIDE SQUARE"

## WALL PAPER

Just received 5000 rolls of late styles in wall paper, ranging in price from 5c to \$2.50 per roll. The best and most varied stock ever brought to Brady.

## C. W. RAMSAY,

The only Exclusive Paint and Wall Paper Store in McCulloch county.

## Matthews Bros

Draying and Heavy Hauling of All Kinds

Will appreciate your draying and hauling business. Your freight and packages handled by careful and painstaking employees.

## Matthews Bros

P. P. Phillips has just let the contract to W. W. Weaver for a handsome modern 4-room cottage to be built in the south part of town, near the school house. The cottage will be on the bungalow order and will be complete with galleries, closets, etc. Taking into consideration the fact that P. P. claims to be "only a poor painter," he is making a remarkable record as a town builder, this being the third house he has built in Brady, and if every citizen did as much as Mr. Phillips in proportion to his means, Brady would soon be a city of tens of thousands. Work on the residence will commence the latter part of this week, the weather permitting, and when completed will be occupied by Mr. Phillips.

Queensware and Glassware, a large stock.  
Broad Mercantile Company.

## DO GHOSTS HAUNT SWAMPS?

No, Never. It's foolish to fear a fancied evil, when there are real and deadly perils to guard against in swamps and marshes, bayous, and lowlands. These are the malaria germs that cause ague, chills and fever, weakness, aches in the bones and muscles and may induce deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters destroys and casts out these vicious germs from the blood. "Three bottles drove all the malaria from my system," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of Lucarna, N.C. "and I've had fine health ever since." Use this safe, sure remedy only 50c at Jones Drug Co.

## HAS NO SUBSTITUTE



**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
Absolutely Pure  
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar  
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

Lee Young was in from Pasche the early part of the week and reported the finest grass and the fattest cattle in his country he ever saw, and milk and butter in an abundance such as never was before. With all the sweet there is some bitter, however, and Mr. Young says the weeds are fairly working them to death.

Allegretti and Nunnally chocolates are good as the best and better than the rest. Central Drug Store. "Has It."

## Remember The Date

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

MAY 25 AND 26

## SPRING RACE MEET

Interesting Program Arranged For Both Days.

## Don't Fail To Attend

## NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE

VIA



Between Fort Worth, Brownwood, Brady, Menard and Intermediate Stations

READ DOWN			READ UP		
No. 5	No. 3	DAILY SERVICE	No. 4	No. 6	
11:00 PM	8:00 AM	PORT WORTH	5:10 PM	6:45 AM	
12:45 AM	9:37 "	GRANBURY	5:35 "	4:15 "	
2:20 "	11:00 "	STEPHENVILLE	2:10 "	2:20 "	
3:00 "	11:38 "	DUBLIN	1:35 "	1:35 "	
4:00 "	12:35 PM	COMANCHE	12:35 "	2:40 "	
4:00 "	12:55 "	COMANCHE	12:15 "	12:40 "	
5:30 "	2:00 "	BROWNWOOD	11:05 AM	11:30 PM	
6:00 "	2:15 "	BROWNWOOD	10:50 "	11:00 "	
8:00 "	4:15 "	BRADY	9:00 "	9:00 "	
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9:00 "	"	WHITELAND	"	7:30 "	
9:30 "	"	CALLAN	"	"	
10:00 "	"	MENARD	"	7:00 PM	

Train 5 carries Brownwood Sleeper; passengers being allowed to occupy same until 7 a. m. This Sleeper returns from Brownwood on Train 6, being open for passengers at 10:00 p. m. Trains 5 and 6 also carry Sleeper between Fort Worth and Menard.

W. M. HUNDLEY, Agent  
BRADY, TEXAS

## Standard and Monitor WIND MILLS

ARE BETTER

Don't buy until you see them. Also Gas Engines, Pumps, Cylinders, Pipe, Fittings, Tanks, Bath Tubs, Etc. All work strictly first-class.

Wm. Bauhof.

Ed. F. Bauhof.

## Bauhof Bros.

Successors to J. G. Axtell.

The Wind Mill Men,

Brady, Texas.



## NEWS NOTES OF TEXAS

Compiled by Texas Commercial Secretaries Association

Farmersville has voted a bond issue of \$10,000 for permanent street improvements.

Some people look upon the good roads question as an abstract proposition, good to talk about but a poor thing to pay for.

Sweetwater has let the contract for eleven blocks of grading in the business district. Crushed rock and asphalt will be used.

The city of Longview has voted a bond issue of \$90,000 for the purpose of paving the business streets, erecting modern lighting facilities, etc.

Marion County has purchased mules, scrapers, etc., for the purpose of putting the county roads in good shape; also appointed an overseer to supervise the work.

The septic tank for the Bryan municipal sewerage system has been completed and 2000 feet of the main trunk line pipe laid. The system will be ready for use in the business district within thirty days.

The Commercial Secretaries' Association has compared the newspapers of Texas with many of the papers of other states and finds the Texas press far in advance of that of other states in the way of development news and industrial information. The columns of the Texas press contain reliable information on the agricultural, manufacturing, mining and industrial interests of the state and records the progress made in the development of the state's resources, and they present the information in such a way as to put energy into the industrial life of the state. To read the Texas press makes the farmer want to start another plow; the miner shoulder his pick; the manufacturer enlarge his plant and the banker increase his investments.

The doors of knowledge are open wide to the Texas farmers and the farmer who does not know the powers of the hidden soil has himself alone to blame. The United States Department of Agriculture is spending millions of dollars annually in educating American farmers, and of this amount approximately \$53,000 is expended in Texas in demonstration work, special agents, etc., and this amount is supplemented by a contribution of an equal amount from Commercial clubs and local communities. The State Department of Agriculture has done wonders for the agricultural interests on the small amount of money which the legislature has given them, \$25,000 per annum, and Commercial Clubs and other organizations are directing their efforts to furthering the interest of the Texas farmer.

We will trade for your horse.  
Broad Mercantile Company.

### FINE HAIR GROWER

Also Cures Any Case of Dandruff or Money Back. At Central Drug Store.

Parisian Sage will stop itching scalp and falling hair in two weeks, or money back.

It refreshes the scalp, gives it a delightful, comforting feeling and is not sticky or greasy.

It puts the radiance of sunshine into women's hair, and women who use it regularly are sure to have fascinating hair. It makes hair grow profusely; yet silky and lovely.

A large generous bottle of Parisian Sage only costs 50 cents at Central Drug Store. Girl with the Auburn hair on every bottle.

# NEW GOODS ARRIVE DAILY

SUMMER will soon be here and of course you must have new Summer togging. We are prepared to show you the right thing at the right price.

## WHITE HOUSE OXFORDS FOR PARTICULAR WOMEN



### EMBROIDERIES

Connolly & Co. bought 30,000 yards of Embroideries at one time for the six stores. We have just received our part of it and without a doubt we have the most complete showing you have ever seen. All-overs, Flouncing with bands to match. We have exactly what you want and in buying this quality of embroidery as we did we are able to make you prices which are far below what you are accustomed to paying.

### MEN'S AND BOYS' OXFORDS

We have a complete line of Oxfords for Men and Boys. Try one of our Packards for Men and Buster Brown for Boys. "Double wear in every pair."

### MEN'S AND BOYS' TROUSERS

See our special line of Trousers, all colors in all the new popular goods, the very latest thing. We have the exclusive agency for the famous R. & W. Trousers—The Best on Earth.

## LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S OXFORDS AND PUMPS

If you want the correct thing in something which is serviceable, snappy and comfortable come in and let us show our line. The most complete in West Texas.

### SKIRTS

We have just received a shipment of Ladies' Skirts in blacks, blues and novelty colors. We have the new panel back and front in the straight line effects. The prettiest line of skirts you ever saw. All prices, come in and see them.



Come and see us before making a purchase of anything in our lines. We will make you glad you came.

"A Minute of Demonstration is Worth An Hour of Explanation."

# Wm. Connolly & Co.,

West Side Square

BRADY,

TEXAS

### Suggestions to Farmers.

We suggest that you do not have your crop too thick. One good stalk of corn or cotton will produce more than two poor stalks. When your corn is fifteen inches high, the small hair-like roots will almost meet between the rows. You should therefore cultivate as nearly level as possible. If you go deeper than two inches, you will cut thousands of these roots and greatly damage your crop. Use a sweep or a very short toothed harrow that is narrow enough to go well between the rows. Pull up all weak plants, and destroy all suckers and weeds. These parasites suck the life blood from the plant, just as vermin do from live stock.

Plants like animals must have a balanced ration with an abundance of nutritious food, if you expect the best results. The larger the plant, the more food it will need to assist it in its life

work of producing and perfecting its crop. It is a very great mistake to lay by and leave the crop when it is one-half or two-thirds grown, and allow it to live on short rations, fight dry weather, suckers and weeds, at the most vital period in its career.

To get the best and most profitable results, shallow mulch cultivation should continue until the grain and cotton are fully matured. If it is possible to do so, well rotted manure, cotton seed meal or any other good fertilizers that are easily soluble, should be spread between the rows of corn and cotton and worked into the soft top mulch a short time before the crop begins to fruit. A cotton seed planter with fertilizer attachment set to run very shallow, does this work fairly well, or you can do it by hand.

If you cannot apply these fertilizers you certainly can destroy the suckers, weeds and weak plants, and by constant shallow

mulch cultivation, keep the earth from cracking and thereby conserve its moisture, warding off to a great extent the damaging effects of hot winds and a dry season. The dryer it is, the more unpromising things seem to be, the greater necessity for constant work. Keep the weeds down, suckers out, the top of the earth soft, and you will raise a crop anyway.

Guard against damage to land from washing, by terracing and contour plowing, going around rather than up and down a slope.

HENRY EXALL,  
President Texas Industrial Congress.

160 acres, all tillable, in good locality, for sale at a very low price. If you want a bargain see us.

BRADY LOAN & INVESTMENT CO.

In Furniture we have a complete stock, and we are very anxious to figure with you.

Broad Mercantile Company.

### CALLAN CONCOCTIONS FOR MAGNIFICENT MENARD

From the Messenger.

Some low-down whelp has announced that whiskey is not a cure for snake bites. Why in the world can't folks leave well enough alone.

The Commissioners last week let the contract for the bridge over the San Saba to the El Paso Bridge Co. for \$18,000, work to commence in forty-five days and the bridge to be completed on or before November 1st. The court let the contract some time ago, but the first company "craw fish-ed."

H. R. Hodges and wife were over from Brady this week.

W. J. Wilkinson is making arrangements to take a trip to Mississippi, where he will spend a few months visiting his old home and a number of relatives.

## Commercial Corner

BY THE SECRETARY

It was a great disappointment to the people of Road District No. 1 to find that through an error in the field notes that our bonds had been turned down by the attorney general at Austin. Some are disposed to think that the error was so insignificant that it was through pure stubbornness that the attorney general refused to sign the bonds. Whatever mistakes have been made, we must profit by them; and in the future use such care as to forbid any error being placed to the credit of any one. And now while we are at the work, let us put them in such condition that any bonded company will take them at par and be glad to get them. We want to get busy with the roads so the farmers will have the use of them this fall and winter. The longer we postpone the working of the roads the harder they will be to put in condition. An old road with deep ruts and rocks showing here and there is more expensive to grade and put in traveling order than a new one.

I wish to call the attention of the farmers to let them know that District Director Wm. Ganser of Denton, will be here on the 9th of this month. We wish to arrange two or more Farmers Institutes while he is here. If any community wants him, write me now so I can make the dates.

On the 10th of this month, F. S. White will be here with the Frisco exhibit car of the Agricultural and Horticultural Commission department of the Frisco railway company. Every farmer should be here and get some ideas from this experienced man. He has all sorts of seeds and knows what he talks about. Our business men should talk this matter and insist on all to go. In fact the car should be crowded every hour during his stay. Remember, he will give a free lecture at the court house at 1:30 and 7:30 on the 10th. Don't miss either of them. The car will be on the track near the depot. Come and bring some one with you.

If you ever wish to dispose of your buggy, and it has the name Moon Bros. on it, it sells for at least \$35 to \$50 more. It is money in your pocket to buy a Moon Bros.

Broad Mercantile Co.

### LIVE LOCAL LINEUPS IN RUSTLING ROCHELLE.

From the Rochelle Record.

Alvin Neal made a business trip to Brady yesterday.

E. C. Stockton and family will leave tonight for Cherokee county where they will reside in the future. Their many friends here regret their departure but wish them well.

M. L. Camp made a business trip to Brady yesterday.

Dr. J. B. Lockhart was here Monday. He was enroute to Brady after a visit to his family at Austin.

Judge Joe A. Adkins and A. B. Carrithers were here Tuesday in the interest of Brady. When we say they were here "in the interest of Brady," we mean what we say, as they were trying to arrange to have Rochelle annex Brady and call it Ward No. 2.

Jerry McCarthy came down from Brady Tuesday.

Born, last Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stewart, a boy.

Mrs. Ben Isaacs of El Dorado, visited her sister, Mrs. W. D. Price, last Friday and Saturday.

I. D. Adams made a business trip to Brady Tuesday.

James J. Dent, of Brady, was in Rochelle yesterday on business.





**CURTISS COMEDY CO.**

Attracts Large Houses in Spite of Unfavorable Weather--First Class Show and High Class Company.

Dramatic performances of the higher class are very seldom seen in the smaller towns for two reasons: first, few companies are large enough for the proper cast, and second, few, if any, have the dramatic talent to depict the strong scene with the dramatic intensity to make them interesting. For that reason, if no other, the performance of "The Man of Mystery" at the Vendome tonight should draw the banner house of the week. Mr. Ben Ezzell, who will be seen in the stellar role, has given indisputable proof of his ability by his clever work during the week and the cast in his support has demonstrated clearly their adaptability for any part for which they may be cast. The play is described as a "dramatic sensation" and will be found fully up to that description.

Miss Bertha Natino, Miss Dorris Beneta, Miss Jennie Abbey and Miss Flossie Stricker, who are fast becoming strong favorites with our theatre patrons will be found in congenial roles tonight. Norman Grey, Bruce Abbey, Frank Brown and Mr. Curtiss will also have ample opportunity.

Tomorrow night this popular company will close their first week in the comedy with a plot, "The Man From New Jersey" and Monday night they will open with Bartley Campbell's great drama, "My Partner,"—one of the strongest of this great author's efforts. The list of plays selected by Manager Curtiss for next week will be found new and interesting throughout. Friday night of next week a special production of "St. Elmo" will be given in which Mr. Curtiss promises to excel anything yet attempted, from an artistic point. The musical part of the show

will be one of the big features of the week, and at each performance a musical program will be given by the band and orchestra that will alone be well worth the price of admission.

**Whiteland Succeeds Where Others Fail.**  
Whiteland is the only new town in this country that has been successful in developing good water with the single exception of Callan.

Lots and business locations at Whiteland can be had now very cheap before the real activity begins there. Farming lands in size tracts to suit purchaser. Prettiest town location in Texas. Good water already developed for town use. Commodious hotel; lumberyard. Located at the Junction of the Frisco and Santa Fe railroads. Large joint depot finished. 6,300 acres of cotton tributary to Whiteland to be ginned this year.

The double advantage of two railroads will benefit Brady and Whiteland above all other towns in this district.

If you purchase now on the monthly payment plan you will share in the benefits of our late work.

Prices and information submitted upon request.

**RICHEY-DEFREEST LAND CO.**  
Brady, Texas.  
J. H. Beckham, Jr., Res. Mgr.

You make a bad investment when buying a buggy, unless you buy a Moon Bros. You take no risk, you know what it is, you know it has stood up longer in West Texas than any other buggy made. The wheels are better, the leather is better, the shafts and poles are better, the bodies are better, and it rides easier. Everything to make it a better buggy than any other buggy on the market. We can give you good terms.

Broad Mercantile Company.

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than **BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT**. In cuts, wounds, sprains, burns, scalds and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

C. R. Thomas, Jr., the government road expert, left Wednesday night, but expects to be returned to Brady when the new road bonds have been approved. Mr. Thomas has been of great assistance in the preliminary work of mapping out the road improvements and a vote of thanks was tendered him by the directors of the Commercial Club for his efforts.

Moon Bros. Buggies, strictly high-grade. Broad Mercantile Company.

**FOR RENT**—Two light house keeping rooms and bath. Phone 78.

Brady Auto Co. solicits your business.

**Brownwood Summer Normal, Brownwood, Texas.**  
Opens June 6 and Closes with Examinations July 13, 1911.

FACULTY:—Geo. H. Carpenter, Supt. Brownwood, Conductor. J. E. Hickman, Supt. Coleman. C. H. Hufford, High School, Brownwood. C. H. Foley, Prin. High School, Coleman. J. M. Griffith, Prin. Bangs. Miss Frances D. Hope, Primary Methods, Dallas.

Miss Hooe, who is a Primary Specialist, will give her work the first three weeks of the Normal. Preparation for all grades of certificates will be offered. The new certificate law will apply to the Normals in 1911. Send for announcement which explains the important changes. For further information write any member of the faculty.

GEO. H. CARPENTER, Conductor, Brownwood, Texas.

**Bide-A-Wee Stock Farm**

Registered and High-Grade Red Polled Cattle. . . . .  
Choice Milch Cows and Young Bulls For Sale. . . . .

G. B. AWALT, Proprietor - - - CAMP SAN SABA TEXAS

**Will Vote on Road Bonds.**  
Judge Harvey Walker received a phone message from Dr. O. C. Jackson at Voca, requesting that he get up a petition for a road bond election in the Voca, Mt. Tabor and Lost Creek precincts and forward it to them at once in order that they might have it ready to present to the Commissioners court for action next week. The amount in which the bonds are to be voted was not stated. The action of these enterprising citizens is most commendable and shows that the citizens are alive to their needs and keeping abreast of the times.

Parties having Vendor Lien notes to sell or want loans on land see us. Our companies are open for business in McCulloch and adjoining counties.

Brady Loan & Investment Co., W. H. Caldwell, B. E. Hurlbut, Jr.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. **McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR** is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

A. H. Richardson and family will leave in the morning for Brady and from there will go to the home of Mrs. Richardson's father, J. A. Bowers, on the San Saba river where they will spend a few days visiting. "Dick" says he is going to spend the time fishing and that he expects to catch some big fellows—Brownwood Bulletin.

Why buy an inferior fence when you can get the American for just a trifle more. A hog fence is a life long fence, and if you do not buy the best, it is a short life deal. Buy the best made now, and that is the American, you will never again have to buy a hog fence.

A. B. Walker, who has been very sick for the past twelve weeks at Madisonville, Texas, is reported only a very little better and still in a dangerous condition. He is suffering with rheumatism of the worst form.

J. M. (Audie) Smith last week purchased a complete bill of household goods from the Martin Hardware and Furniture Co., to be shipped to him at Menard as soon as he secures a residence.

**CONFIRMED PROOF**  
Residents of Brady Cannot Doubt What Has Been Twice Proved.

In gratitude for complete relief from aches and pains of bad backs—from distressing kidney ills—thousands have publicly recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. Residents of this vicinity who so testified years ago, now say their cures were permanent. This testimony doubly proves the worth of Doan's Kidney Pills to Brady kidney sufferers.

D. C. Dingus, of Coleman, Texas, says: "When living in Comanche, three years ago, I gave a public statement recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. At this time I am pleased to add that my boy who was cured of kidney complaint by Doan's Kidney Pills has never had a return attack of the trouble. For some time his kidneys were weak and there was a lack of control over the kidney secretions. This caused no end of worry and extra work and defied all efforts for relief until Doan's Kidney Pills were used. The fact that the cure effected by this preparation has remained permanent, is convincing proof that it is one of great merit."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**City Council Meeting.**  
The city council met in regular session Tuesday night at which all members were present. The bids for the position of street superintendent were opened and after considerable discussion the contract was awarded to J. W. Batey, the present incumbent, at a salary of \$3 per day. The street committee was instructed to prepare a contract with Mr. Batey. There were seven bidders for the work, the bids ranging from \$2.75 to \$4 per day.

Dr. J. B. Granville was re-appointed city health officer for the year.

The monthly reports of City Marshal and Tax Assessor and Collector Sheridan and Secretary-Treasurer Richardson were presented, approved and ordered filed.

**SAVED CHILD FROM DEATH.**

"After our child had suffered from severe bronchial trouble for a year," wrote G. T. Richardson, of Richardson Mills, Ala., "we feared it had consumption. It had a bad cough all the time. We tried many remedies without avail, and doctor's medicine seemed as useless. Finally we tried Dr. King's New Discovery, and are pleased to say that one bottle effected a complete cure, and our child is again strong and healthy." For coughs, colds, hoarseness, lagrippe, asthma, croup and sore lungs, its most infallible remedy that's made. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Jones Drug Co.

J. Lynn Thomas, representing the Dairy Division of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, was here from College Station last Friday, and in company with the directors of the Brady Creamery, inspected the local plant. Mr. Thomas was well pleased with the equipment and machinery, and was of the opinion that the plant ought to be successfully operated, especially with the favorable season now in prospect. He stated that he would endeavor to secure a first-class butter maker to open up the business again, believing the venture should prove a profitable one to all concerned.

Ed Miller and wife are receiving the congratulations of their friends over the arrival of a 12 1/2 pound girl last Wednesday.

Editor D. C. Broyles, of the Eden Echo, was in town Monday. Mr. Broyles, who is also superintendent of the Eden school, was accompanying Rev. Edgar L. Storey, of Brownwood, on his return from Eden, where he preached the commencement sermon at the close of the school last Friday.

Call to see us. Martin Hardware & Furniture Co.

Commissioner W. J. Wilkinson was in from Menard county Tuesday enroute to Mineral Wells where he will spend several weeks. He will probably visit his old home in Mississippi also before his return. He reports Menard as wet and muddy as it ever was, and says the streets are almost impassable. He is contemplating the rebuilding of his ranch home destroyed something over a year ago by fire, but has not definitely decided the matter as yet.

We want to trade for some horses and mules. Broad Mercantile Company.

Why not get the best? Buy a Moline Texas Dandy Cultivator from Abney & Vincent.

J. Brewer, of Fort Worth, is in the city, having the contract to repair the roof of the Broad Mercantile Co. building, as well as a number of other buildings about town. Mr. Brewer is one of the highest class workmen in his line, and comes with the best of recommendations. Parties desiring work will do well to see him.

A good attendance greeted Hon. W. P. Lane, Controller of Public Accounts, of Austin, at the Christian tabernacle Sunday night. Mr. Lane gave an interesting talk on Statewide Prohibition.

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Rev. L. C. Matthis, presiding elder of the San Angelo district, was in Brady Thursday.

W. B. McKenzie returned Monday from a visit to Valley Mills and with home folks at Carlton.

Tom Bell returned Wednesday from Brownwood where he had been for a few days on business.

Misses Bertha and Stella Sayles have returned from a visit with the family of C. A. Chambers in Brownwood.

Mrs. Anna Phillips, who has charge of the hotel at Melvin is the guest of Mrs. Duke Marsden for a few days this week.

As a household remedy for cuts, burns, bruises, piles, pain and soreness of all kinds, Dr. Cox's Barbed Wire Liniment, 25c size, has no equal. If not satisfactory, money refunded. For sale by all druggists.

Editor R. W. H. Kennon, of the Rockdale Reporter, was a business visitor in Brady last Thursday, and was agreeably impressed with the Brady Country.

C. C. Horn was in from Fife Monday to add his name to the Standard list. Mr. Horn reports last Sunday morning's rain the best they have had in nearly a year, and said all the creeks were up.

F. M. Karnes and son were the guests of his niece, Mrs. John H. Moore Saturday and Sunday while enroute to their home at Center City. The lad was just recovering from an attack of pneumonia, and an operation for abscess of the lungs performed at Pasche.

G. W. Vierling, Sr., as expected, was in Brady Saturday. He reports alfalfa crops looking so fine in Kimble county that he contemplated making the first cutting the early part of this week.

**FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE**

One of the most remarkable proofs of the unusual laxative merit contained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is that it is effective not only in people in the prime of life, but at the extremes of ages. As many letters are received from mothers regarding the cures of children, as from men and women of sixty, seventy and eighty years of age. It must be truly a wonderful laxative.

In the cure of constipation and bowel trouble in old people it has no equal. It cures the constipation, dispels the headache, biliousness, gas, drowsiness after eating, etc. People advancing in years should see to it that their bowels move freely, and if they do not, to take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. You can prolong your life by healthy bowel action. Closed bowels invite disease. Women about to pass the menstrual period cannot do better than use Syrup Pepsin several times a week until the system has settled to its future condition.

Among the strongest supporters of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are Mr. W. G. Zorn of New Decatur, Ala., and Mr. George S. Spaulding of the National Soldiers' Home, Kansas, both elderly men. Their regular use bottles can be bought of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar, but a free sample bottle can be had by sending your address to the doctor.

Dr. Caldwell does not feel that the purchase of his remedy ends his obligation, and he will be pleased to give the reader any advice on the subject free of charge. All are welcome to write him. Whether for the medical advice or the free sample address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 402 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

**LOST CREEK ECHOES.**  
Voca, Texas, May 2.

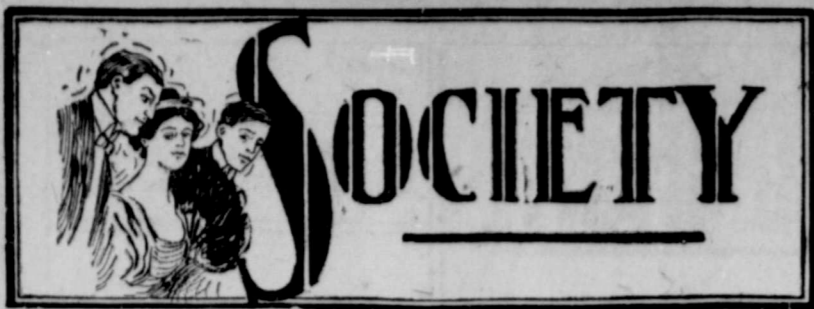
Editor Standard: Isn't this good old West Texas (so called) a funny old country? Last year our rainfall was "too none;" this year it is too much. But I like it, though, don't you?

Crop conditions are very good considering the wet season. Corn crops are good, generally, most of the cotton is planted and a considerable amount is up, while quite a lot has been worked out. Cotton is not growing off as well as it should, owing to the wet season.

A considerable amount of Irish potatoes are being grown for market in this section this year and a fine crop is promised. If farmers of this section of country would give more attention to this crop it would mean thousands of dollars to them as this country seems suitably adapted to potato growing and the crop comes in just at a time when most farmers would appreciate a little ready cash. Some would argue that too much potatoes would glut the local market and prices would run too low. There is just where we miss it—by not raising more than we do. If we farmers would raise plenty to supply the market there would be no room for the wholesale men to order in carload lots from other counties when they could fill their orders with home-grown stuff. Isn't it plain how we can do it? But some will argue we can't make a success raising potatoes without irrigation. I admit that it is best to be prepared to irrigate, but it can be made a profitable crop without irrigation as is proven in hundreds of instances all over the country every year, on a small scale for home consumption. A failure is seldom heard of. I hope to see the day when this part of McCulloch county will take up diversification of crops instead of all cotton and corn, then you will see the farmers step to the front. Land that can now be bought at thirty dollars per acre would then be considered cheap at \$100. I am drawing these conclusions from other parts of Texas where conditions are no more favorable to diversified farming than here in McCulloch county. Home grown vegetables are now decorating our country tables, in the way of snap beans, English peas, Irish potatoes, onions, and various other varieties. In fact a table good enough for a king can be set here, grown and made exclusively on the farm. Where is the country that can say more.

A CITIZEN.  
W. S. Robinson, lately of San Antonio, arrived last Friday to take charge of the prescription department at J. V. Searcy & Co's. Mr. Robinson brings the best of recommendations as a druggist of ability, and as a useful and enterprising citizen we extend him a hearty welcome to our city.





Mrs. Agnes Cooke, Editor, Phone 145-3r.

The Tea and White Sale given Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Henry Jordan, by the ladies of the Calvary Circle, was a grand success, both socially and financially. The home was beautifully decorated in cut flowers, the library being in red roses, the reception room in pink roses and the white sale taking place in the white room which was beautifully decorated with white roses. The lights turned on throughout the house, made a most brilliant scene long to be remembered by those attending. The guests were received in the library where hot chocolate and cake were served. Cakes and candies were on sale in this room and after enjoying a few minutes with friends the guests passed on to the reception room where music was enjoyed, and thence to the white room, where many beautiful articles in white were on display. The ladies were loud in their praise of the beautiful array of articles for sale before them. The cash receipts for the afternoon were \$35.00. The ladies of the Circle can be proud of this occasion and thanks are due Mrs. Jordan for her excellent planning and execution.

The new social club organized last week at Mrs. Stone's was entertained by Mrs. J. S. Anderson Wednesday evening. This being the first meeting of the club, and the members being privileged each to plan her own form of entertainment as the meetings fall in alphabetical order, Mrs. Anderson chose to invite the husbands of the club members and named evening as the time instead of afternoon. In consequence the gathering was one of the largest and most pleasant social affairs of the season. Nine tables were placed for "42" and eight intensely interesting games served to pass the time all too quickly. The ladies' prize, a beautiful hat pin, fell to Mrs.

S. A. Benham, while Mr. G. R. White was fortunate in capturing the gentlemen's favor, a gold scarf holder. Dainty refreshments, consisting of cream and cake, followed by mints, were served, after which music was enjoyed, and the guests departed at a late hour, voting the new organization a brilliant success, and Mrs. Anderson a perfect hostess. The next meeting of the club will be next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Thos. Donnell, who has planned a novelty in the way of an out-door party in the Dutton Park, at which time a name for the organization will be chosen.

Miss Posey, of Indian Creek, was here last week and organized a Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star—an adjunct which the local Masonic Lodge has heretofore lacked. Several meetings were held and organization effected Saturday night at which time the following officers were elected: Miss Kate Doole, Worth Matron; Mrs. W. H. Wroten, Associate Matron; Mrs. D. Doole, Conductress; Mrs. H. J. Lowrey, Associate Conductress; A. C. Baze, Worthy Patron; A. W. Tipton, Treasurer; Frank Watters, Secretary; W. J. Yantis, Sentinel; I. G. Abney, Chaplain; J. B. Lockhart, Warden; A. C. Baze, Frank Watters, E. E. Polk, A. W. Tipton, W. J. Yantis, Star Officers. The following are Charter members: Miss Kate Doole, Mesdames Mollie Doole, Effie Wroten, Mattie Baze, Viola Lowrey, Lena Watters, Mary Abney, Annie Polk, Loudie Tipton, Ida Yantis, Ella Holley; Messrs. J. B. Lockhart, D. Doole, Jr., A. C. Baze, H. J. Lowrey, Frank Watters, I. G. Abney, E. E. Polk, W. J. Yantis, A. S. Holley. Call was issued for another meeting last night for the purpose of installing the officers. The members are all enthusiastic and the Chapter bids fair to be a success in every respect.

A delightful 1:00 o'clock luncheon was tendered a number of Brady ladies at the Klondike Hall Friday, by Mrs. J. H. Beckham, honoring Mrs. R. B. Rodgers of Dallas, and Mrs. M. E. McDaniels of Houston. The hall was beautifully decorated with cut flowers. Five tables were laid with snow-white Mexican drawn work, and red American Beauty roses formed the center pieces. The guests found their places by means of dainty place cards. A five course luncheon was served. The guests departed declaring Mrs. Beckham a most charming hostess and expressing thanks for this pleasant occasion. Those present were: Mesdames G. R. White, F. W. Henderson, Lucy Wooten, Geo. Gansel; W. D. Crothers, John Wall, Joe White, W. N. White, Will Davidson, A. M. Martin, W. T. Boyd, E. W. Harris, of Broadmoor, Turner, Rodgers and M. E. McDaniel; Misses Laura White and Marie Crothers.

Thursday afternoon was marked by a charming reception given by Mrs. J. T. Mann in honor of her mother, Mrs. Smith, and sister, Miss Clara Smith, of Dallas, and Mrs. Johnson of Rochelle. The beautiful home, with its large rooms, was tastefully decorated with choice cut flowers. As the guests entered they were greeted by the hostess and with her usual gracious manner she passed them on into the hall where the honorables formed the receiving line. Mrs. J. G. McCall very gracefully conducted them into the dining room where cut flowers in profusion made a brilliant scene. The dining table was laid with a Cluny cover, a cut glass bowl filled with roses forming the centerpiece. The guests were served to a delicious ice course with cake, after which music was enjoyed in the library throughout the afternoon.

At the home of Mrs. A. M. Martin, Master Herbert Mason entertained a number of his friends Friday evening. Games and music were the diversion of the evening. Punch and cake were served and a jolly good time was had. Those present were Misses Sallie Miller, Hattie Pence, Sarah Johanson, Lucile Benham, Fay Wall, Minnie Jarvis Crothers, Wilda Ford, Mary Brook, Flora Schaeg, Masters Marion Hardison, Howard Campbell, Robert Snow, R. H. Long, Erv Boyd, Neil Yeager, John McKnight and Anderson Martin.

Mrs. Joe White invited a number of ladies Saturday to the "table" in Sessions grove to partake of her hospitality. The honor guests were Mesdames Rodgers and McDaniels. A tempting spread consisting of all kinds of goods things to eat was set before them. Mrs. White is known for her excellent way of entertaining and it was again proven on this occasion. These outings are so much enjoyed at this time of year, especially after several months of winter spent indoors.

Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Burgess entertained the members of the Sweden congregation of the Presbyterian church last Saturday, the occasion being commemorative of the fourth wedding anniversary of the doctor and wife. There were about seventy-five guests present, and an excellent program of music and recitations was had. Refreshments of punch, cream and cake were served. The congregation presented Dr. and Mrs. Burgess with a handsome rocker.

Another pleasant occasion was that of Friday evening at the home of Mrs. W. D. Crothers. The library and reception rooms were beautifully decorated with pink roses and palms. The games of Forty-Two and Five Hundred were enjoyed. At the close of the evening a delicious two course luncheon was served.

Mrs. A. W. Tipton had the

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pleasure of entertaining. The Merry Matrons Wednesday afternoon. The ladies of this club are enjoying the meetings more, if possible, each week. Wednesday afternoon was one of the most pleasant occasions yet had. Mrs. Tipton was awarded the club favors for the week, having made the highest score at "42." Refreshments consisted of sherbet and cake.

We regret exceedingly to report that Mrs. Joe Neumegen is very, very low, and with poor prospects of any improvement. Mrs. Neumegen is one of the sweetest characters we have ever known and beloved of all who know her. Her sister, Mrs. J. D. Clark, of Fort Worth, is at her bedside, having been called Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Coopender left Monday for Graham to be one of a house party to be given there. She joined a party from Chicago at Fort Worth who had the pleasure of her company from there to Graham. Miss Pearl will later go to Galveston where she expects to spend the greater part of the summer.

Mrs. Bob Rutherford leaves the last of this week for Menard, her new home. We regret to see these good people leave us and wish for Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford, health and prosperity in their new home. Mrs. Rutherford will be greatly missed in the social line as well as church life of our city.

Prof. M. L. Stallings is home from an extended business trip to Georgia and is talking of building a nice home on his beautiful lots in the Crothers & White addition. This is as it should be. Brady cannot afford to give up this excellent family. An impromptu dance was had

at the Klondike Hall Tuesday evening after the theater. The Curtiss Comedy Company orchestra furnished splendid music and quite a large crowd enjoyed the pleasures of Terpsichore until a late hour.

Mrs. Jack Coe entertained the Foreign Mission Society of the Methodist church Thursday afternoon from 3:30 to 6:00 o'clock. This society meets once a month and the meetings are always pleasant and interesting. Mrs. Coe served a dainty salad course followed with cake and cream.

Friday evening Mrs. James T. Mann tendered the young folks a party, honoring her sister, Miss Clara Smith of Dallas. Games and music were enjoyed during the evening and a general round of pleasure was had.

Misses Mary Schaeg and Ruth Campbell arrived today from San Antonio where they have been attending school. These girls will be gladly welcomed home again by their many friends.

Messrs. C. W. L. Schaeg and J. F. Schaeg expect a visit from their mother, Mrs. M. Schaeg of San Antonio. Mrs. Schaeg will arrive this week if not otherwise detained.

Mrs. Smith left Wednesday morning for Rochelle, where she will visit relatives for a few days. Mrs. Smith has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Mann.

Mr. L. W. St. Clair returned Monday from a several days business trip to Dallas. He also enjoyed the meeting of the photographers of the state.

Miss Alma Christianus went over to Mason Monday for a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. A. Patrick left last Thursday for a visit to her parents at Hico. She will also visit Mr. Patrick's sister at Dublin before returning home.

Mrs. T. H. Marsden and daughter, Miss Clara, left Monday for a visit with relatives in Beeville. Alice and Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Dr. A. S. Holley and little daughter, Lois, returned Thursday from a visit to Eagle Lake and Houston.

Mrs. Carl Steffins returned home to Brownwood Saturday after a visit to her mother, Mrs. A. W. Keller.

Misses Alice Gauldin and Ruby Smith, of Lohn, visited the family of J. C. Hall the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Embry returned Monday from a visit to relatives at Stacy.

Mrs. Johnson of Menard, visited Mrs. J. T. Mann last week.

Mr. A. M. Martin returned Monday from Houston.

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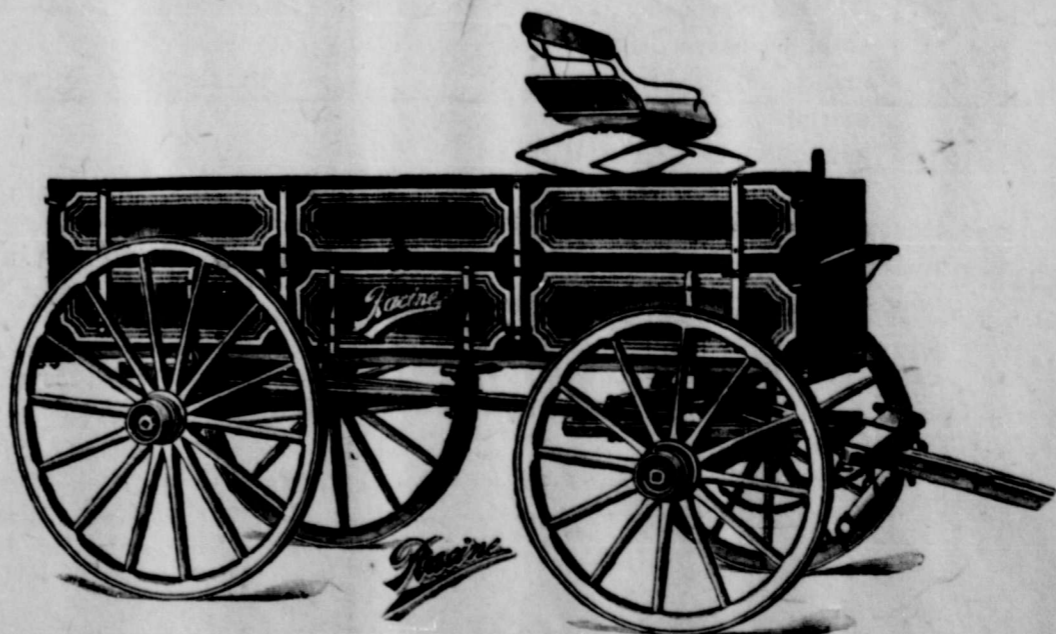
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**Mercury Preparing for a Bumper Crop.**

A representative of The Standard spent the day Wednesday in the thriving little city of Mercury and is indebted to nearly every business firm in the town for favors during the day. We found Mercury a little duller in the way of business being transacted than is usual, for the reason that it was the first bright and sunny day in more than a week, and all the farmers were busy in their fields. Mercury and the country immediately tributary thereto, had perhaps had more rain during the past month than any other section of the county, which is saying a good deal. We were told that it had averaged wet three days out of each week for the past month, and some of the rains which fell were much heavier than in other portions of the county. As a consequence the farmers are somewhat behind with their work, and are taking advantage of every possible hour of suitable weather for field work. Some cotton will have to be replanted, though not enough to amount to anything. Many crops are up and growing and some of them are in the grass, but with a few more bright days the battle with Col. Green will have been won.

The cotton acreage around Mercury will be about the same as last year, but we were informed that the acreage of feed stuffs would be greatly increased. Much new land has been put in cultivation, and the stump puller is still in evidence and still other field of new ground are being prepared. All the farmers did much winter breaking and the seed beds have been prepared with greater care than ever before, and the season in the ground is the best in years. This makes brighter prospects for a bumper crop than ever before. The business men are all in good spirits, realizing that the brighter the prospects for the farmer the brighter for themselves.

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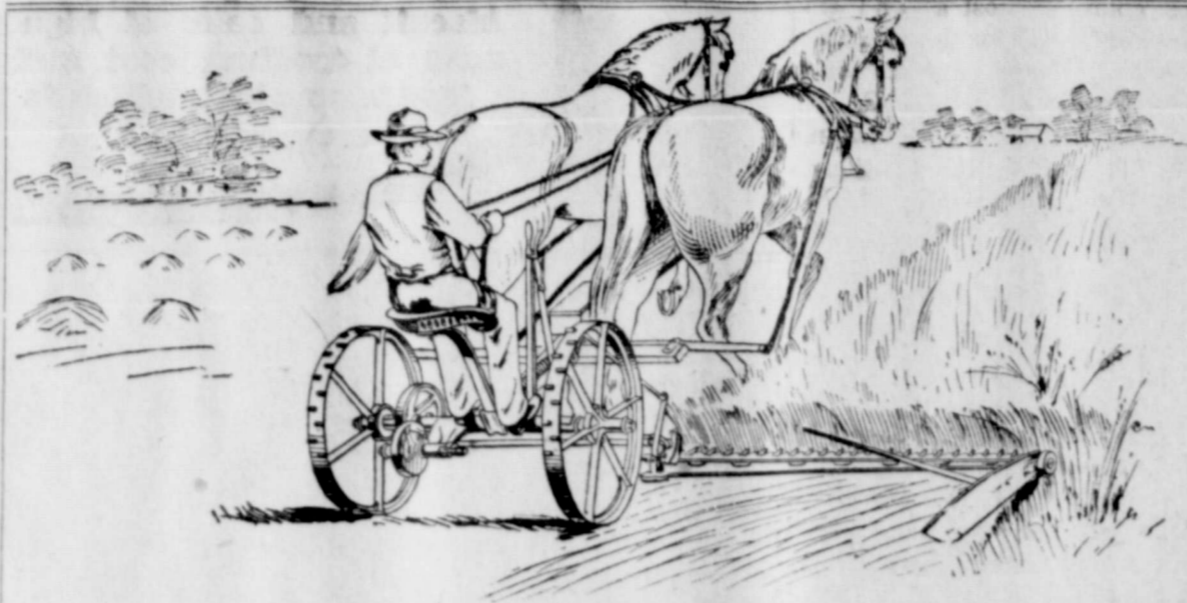


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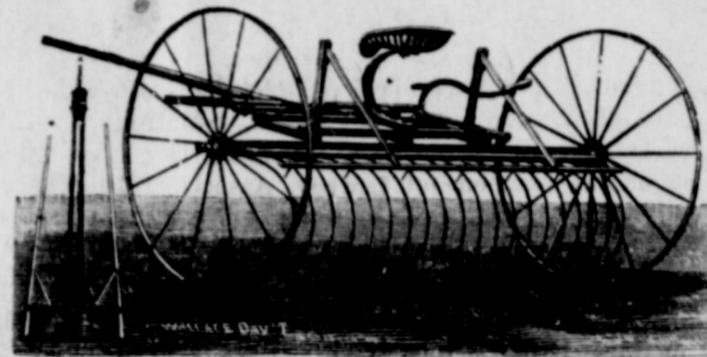
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**Stallings Not an Applicant.**

M. L. Stallings, former superintendent of the Brady Public Schools, but now occupying an important official position with the Amicable Life Insurance Company with headquarters in Georgia, came in Wednesday and will remain a few weeks looking after the erection of a new residence on his property in the Crothers & White addition.

Mr. Stallings, we understand, has no intention of re-entering school work, and the rumor that he will be an applicant for the position of superintendent of the Brady schools next year is erroneous. He has too good a thing with the Amicable Company, and will remain in charge of that company's Georgia business. However, he will continue to call Brady his home, and will build a comfortable home here for his family, as above stated.

The Standard is glad to know that Mr. Stallings will remain a citizen of Brady, even though his work calls him to distant fields of endeavor. He is one of our best citizens, and we are sure our readers will all be glad to know that he and his excellent family will not leave us, and will join us in extending best wishes for an abundant success in his new calling.

Dr. Cox's Painless Blister. Price 50c. Guaranteed to blister without pain, or money refunded. For sale by all druggists.

J. W. Roach, of Sulphur Springs, brother of A. J. Roach, principal of the Tucker school, is here this week prospecting.

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**Swedish Conference**

The District Meeting of the Austin Conference of the Swedish M. E. Church is now in session at the West Sweden church, with quite a number of visiting pastors in attendance, among others of prominence being Rev. B. Howe, Austin; Rev. T. G. Westerberg, Taylor; Rev. Carl Lemberg, Manda; Rev. Gust. Lindstrom, Decker.

The dedication of the West Sweden church will take place Sunday, May 7th, Rev. T. J. King preaching the dedication sermon at 3 o'clock p. m. Rev. O. E. Olander, of Georgetown, District Superintendent, was unable to attend the meeting by reason of illness.

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E. B. Ramsay is this week installing the bank furniture and fixtures in the new Brady National Bank building. The remarkable feature of the work is that Mr. Ramsay was obliged to build about 31 feet of new fixtures, including the telephone booth, to match the old, and so skillful was his work that it would take an expert to detect which was the new and which the old. Mr. Ramsay has a splendid plant and is in position to turn out woodwork that compares favorably with the products of the best factories in the United States.

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Don't forget the dates, May 25th and 26th, the Spring Race Meet.

**Masonic Lecture.**

C. P. Boon, of San Antonio, made the local lodge of Chapter and Council Masons a visit Wednesday in his official capacity as Official Visitor for the Grand Chapter and Grand Council of Texas for the 14th Masonic district.

Mr. Boon is one of the brightest men in the Chapter work in Texas, and his lecture Wednesday night was heard with much interest by a large number of the lodge members. He goes from here to Mason and Llano.

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