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## FOR HOLIDAY GOODS

**Come to the Fair Racket Store for Holiday Goods. The only direct importation of Dolls, Mechanical Toys and Fancy China ever brought to Brady.**

Considering the present scarcity of money our entire stock must be sold and will be placed on sale at lowest possible prices. Bring the children to visit our store. Here you will find everything Santa Claus makes.    -:-    -:-    -:-

FREE—With every 25c purchase, a Ticket. Two Big Dolls and two Go-Carts to be given away December 22.

## THE FAIR RACKET STORE

## The GOOD WORK STILL GOES ON!

EVERYBODY is putting on a sale, but the people have been fooled long enough. They know when we put on a sale it is the place to get genuine bargains. Ask those who have traded here. We are giving more goods for a dollar than anyone and this sale will run all the year--as long as we have any goods. Here is just a few items of our bargains:



12 1-2c Ginghams go at .....	8 1-2c
Simpson's Oil Calicoat .....	3 1-2c
10c Outing at .....	7c
7c Outing at .....	4 1-2c
Edwin Clapp \$6.00 Shoes at .....	\$4.80
75c Underwear now .....	43c
All extra heavy fleece lined Underwear, 50c seller, now .....	39c
All \$3 and \$5 Ladies' Hats, take your pick .....	\$1.00

### Full Stock Stetson Hats Go in This Sale

All Walk-Over, Godman, Queen Quality, Boston Favorite and Fairfield Shoes—all listed goods cut to the quick. Blankets and Quilts and all High-Grade Dry Goods--no auction junk goes.

Now, all we ask is for you to come and see our goods and get our prices and trade where you will get no junk or auction shelf-worn goods. Remember, this sale runs the whole year--as long as we have goods.

## Conley Mercantile Co.

Next to the Post Office

# MCCULLY



# COMPANY

**Wants All The Turkeys for December Market delivered by    -:-    -:-    -:-**

**Friday, December 15**

**Will pay 8 cents per pound delivered in good condition.    ..    ..    ..    ..    ..**

# MCCULLY COMPANY

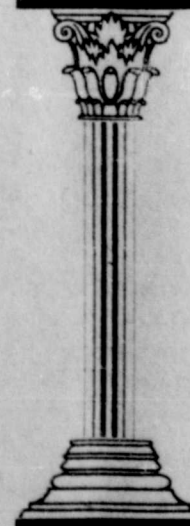


**A Close Examination** of anything will disclose defects, if any. Dentistry isn't outside this rule.

**A SET OF TEETH MADE BY ME** are so accurately fitted, and so perfectly made, that closest scrutiny fails to disclose imperfection. Our work is meritorious, as well as reasonable.

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

*The Past Is Gone!  
The Future Is Unforseen!  
The Present Is Here, and It's Going!*



The Great Question Is:

*What Are You Doing With the Pleasant Hours these Long Nights?*

Mak your life better by reading good books. A good book, properly read, is a helpful companion through life. We have about 500 volumes of good books from which to make your selections. Improve your mind. Do it now! Call and see us for good books.

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

"WHERE THE PEOPLE TRADE"

# THE BRADY STANDARD

TWICE-A-WEEK

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BRADY, TEXAS, Dec. 12, 1911

## WOULDN'T THAT JEKYLL YOU.

There is infinitely more joy in living a single life in Brady, than in living a double life in Menard.

A tip to banks: It would be good advertising to announce that you will cash Confederate pension warrants in your county without discount.—Fort Worth Record.

Dr. Hicks Martin, the ever-smiling postmaster-physician, of Katemey, gave us a pop call last Friday in order to boost his community a little. The doctor never fails to have something nice to say. He reports their new \$2,000 school building getting under way, and says they hope to have it ready within forty or sixty days.

We exchange or refund your money on any unsatisfactory purchase made of us during our Great Clearance Sale. Wm. Connolly & Co.

We are receiving fresh groceries, fruits and vegetables every day, and sell at prices that will surprise you. Come to see us. Abney & Vincent.

We guarantee our automobile work. Willbanks & Kerr.

Ben Hartley, representing Southwestern Paper Co., of Dallas, was in Brady Monday, making his last visit to printers for this year.

All our 12-2c Gingham goes at 8 1-2c during our Great Clearance Sale. Wm. Connolly & Co.

S. A. Bryant, of San Saba, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Yantis today while returning from a visit to Sipe Springs.

Any load for any gun. Any gun for any gun. O. D. Mann & Sons.

WATTERS' REASONABLE SALE GETS THE CROWD EVERY TIME. GOODS AT YOUR OWN PRICES.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown, of Camp San Saba, are the guests this week of their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Graham, and family.

Practical horseshoeing our specialty. McFarland, with Willbanks & Kerr.

Dave Camp visited friends and relatives in Brownwood Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. C. D. Newbold, of Marlin is the guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Ballou.

Wheezing in the lungs indicates that phlegm is obstructing the air passages. BALLARD'S HORE-HOUND SYRUP loosens the phlegm so that it can be coughed up and ejected. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Central Drug Store.

For nearly half a century we have maintained a reputation for value giving. Our Great Semi-Annual Clearance Sale is no exception. We are giving the values that sell the goods. Wm. Connolly & Co.

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

**DIAMOND BRAND**

Refuse all Substitutions.

Beware of Counterfeits.

LADIES! Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for twenty-five years reported as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS. TRIED EVERYWHERE.

## Buys Property.

W. J. West has purchased the splendid 308 acre farm of J. M. Williams located between Brady and Rochelle, and will take possession at once, occupying the place during the coming year. The deal amounted to \$10,780, the larger part of the deal being a cash consideration. Mr. West is one of our most substantial and prosperous citizens, and shows his faith in this section by investing his money in its land. Besides the Williams' place, Mr. West also owns a splendid farm in the Lohn community, and still another in the Lakeview neighborhood of San Saba county.

Mr. Williams expects to remain in McCulloch county, and is at present in the market for a suitable location. He likewise is one of our leading citizens, and The Standard is glad to note that we are not likely to lose him as a citizen.

## To My Friends.

I have accepted a position with Jones Drug Co., and will be pleased to have all my friends and the general public call and see me when needing anything in the drug line. I also desire, at this time, to express my appreciation of past courtesies shown me by the people of Brady and McCulloch county, and to assure them that I will ever strive to merit their friendship and patronage. Respectfully,  
D. D. CAMP.

## Carnival Opens.

Woods Great Alamo Show and Carnival company opens tonight (Tuesday) in full blast. The show has the reputation of being one of the best attractions of its kind in Texas today, and carries all the attractions usually included in such a company, together with numerous new and original features. Of special interest is the crocodile farm and animal tent. With the fair weather of the past few days, the square has rapidly dried up, making it possible for the show to open up, and indications point to large crowds and a good run of business for this season of the year.

Those ever popular manilla second sheets at The Standard office.

The best typewriter ribbons on the market at The Standard office. For all makes of machines.

Every dollar spent in patronizing home industries is an invitation to outside capital to invest in Texas. Nothing is so stimulating to home industry as the knowledge that there is a market for its produce close to the place of manufacture. When foreign capital realizes that Texas people buy Texas-made articles, then it will come into the State and build big factories. Texas needs factories.

## NO. 7828 REPORT OF THE CONDITION —OF THE— Brady National Bank

At Brady, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, Dec. 31st, 1911.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$156,381.72
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	3,180.09
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	20,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds.....	1,496.08
Banking house, furniture, fixtures.....	32,318.03
Other real estate owned.....	6,300.45
Due from national banks (not reserve agents).....	2,382.31
Due from state banks and bankers.....	5,347.51
Due from approved reserve agents.....	21,217.37
Checks and other cash items.....	5,912.61
Notes of other national banks.....	3,715.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	95.25
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Special.....	\$9,286.01
Legal Tender Notes.....	10,286.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	2,500.00
Bills of Exchange for Cotton.....	5,086.30
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$399,728.32</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund.....	16,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	3,181.90
National bank notes outstanding.....	20,000.00
Due to other national banks.....	1,129.09
Due to state banks and bankers.....	1,628.26
Due to approved Reserve Agents.....	1,258.48
Dividends unpaid.....	80.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	113,241.79
Cashiers' checks outstanding.....	30.00
Notes and bills rediscounted.....	22,568.95
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$399,728.32</b>

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF McCULLOCH, )  
I, J. F. Montgomery, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. F. MONTGOMERY, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of Dec, 1911. BEN ANDERSON, Notary Public.

CORRECT ATTEST: John P. Sheridan, C. P. Gray, J. E. Bell, Directors.

## The Development Dollar.

There is no part of our circulating medium so important to our progress as the development dollar. It is the empire builder. It is the most active, generous and peaceful of our legal tender and it is constantly seeking to develop our latent resources. It opens our mines, builds our factories, our railroads and our large industrial enterprises, and it is always a busy dollar.

Its inordinate desire for activity and its forgiving spirit makes it a target for legislation and rather than lie idle, it will submit to most any legislative handicap and plead guilty to most any charge, provided it is permitted to return to its appointed task without delay. Its generosity makes it the most popular dollar in circulation for wherever invested, it makes a free and equitable distribution of values to adjoining property. It wields a powerful influence in civilization. It has forced governments to sign treaties of peace and at its bidding nations have sprung into life or sunk into oblivion.

Its presence in a country is a sure sign of prosperity and its absence a most withering blight. Trace our development dollar to its source and we have located the money centers of Europe and America and we are drawing from them a million dollars per day and putting it into the industrial life of the State.

The domestic dollar can never develop Texas. It is already at work; at least as much of it as cares to labor. A dollar that withdraws from one investment and embarks in another has added nothing to the volume of our circulation medium or increased the amount of our property. It is the foreign dollar that adds volume and brings new property into the State. Property is the basis of prosperity and a dollar that moves into the community brings with it as much community prosperity as the dollar taken from the soil. We must look to the foreign dollar to build Texas. There is no other way.

## Empty Bags.

We will pay you 3c apiece for good empty cotton seed meal bags; 4c apiece for good mixed feed bags.

## BENCINI OIL MILL.

## Church Benefit.

The ladies of the Christian church will serve dinner Saturday, the 16th, at the Blue Ribbon restaurant. Everybody invited.

Best calico 3c per yard at Wm. Connolly & Co.'s Great Clearance Sale.

A rug, art square or rocker makes an admirable present. O. D. Mann & Sons.

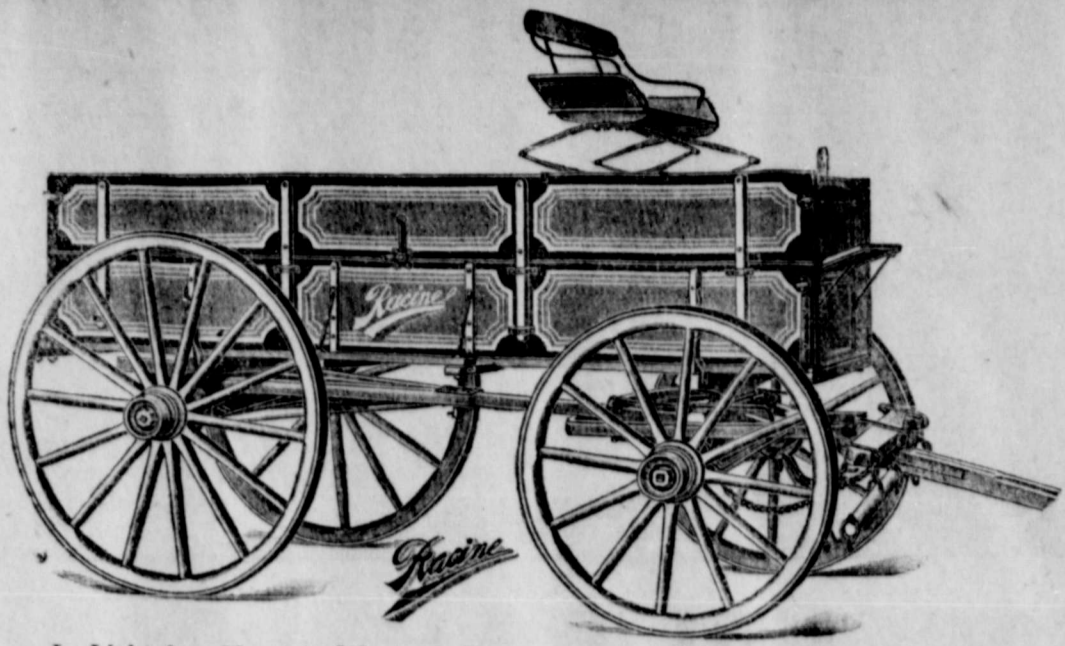
## NO. 8573 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Commercial National Bank

At Brady, in the State of Texas, at the close of business Dec. 31st, 1911.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$323,191.32
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	2,856.77
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	25,000.00
Bonds, Securities, Cotton a crop, taxes, etc.....	62,962.44
Banking house, furniture, fixtures.....	5,000.00
Other real estate owned.....	1,940.00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents).....	11,188.34
Due from State banks and bankers.....	14,896.02
Due from approved reserve agents.....	22,578.87
Checks and other cash items.....	4,346.28
Notes of other National banks.....	1,930.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	20.15
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Special.....	\$21,940.00
Legal Tender Notes.....	21,940.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	1,250.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$502,137.19</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund.....	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	8,495.97
National bank notes outstanding.....	25,000.00
Due to other national banks.....	15,459.70
Due to State banks and bankers.....	7,866.60
Due to approved Reserve Agents.....	822.84
Individual deposits subject to check.....	241,522.68
Cashiers' checks outstanding.....	5,000.00
Bills payable, including certificate of deposit for borrowed money.....	20,000.00
Liabilities other than above stated.....	25,000.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$502,137.19</b>

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF McCULLOCH, )  
I, W. D. Crothers, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. D. CROTHERS, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of Dec, 1911. CARLOS M. MATTHEWS, Notary Public.

CORRECT ATTEST: PAUL WILCOGHERY, G. R. WHITE, D. P. SAVAGE, Directors.



In Vehicles, Harness, Wagons, Etc., we can make you interesting prices.

## Horses For Sale

For most any kind of a horse team don't fail to call on me.

# C. W. L. SCHAEEG

DR. G. P. CALLAN  
Physician and Surgeon

Office with  
Palace Drug Store

## Announcement.

On Monday, January 15, Mrs. Allen and Miss Butler will organize classes for the little beginners. No other such classes will be organized after that date for this school year. All patrons who contemplate putting their little ones in school anytime this year are requested to have them ready at the above named date.

Respectfully,  
R. H. LONG, Supt.

## Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

WITH LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## SPECIAL AUCTION SALE FOR LADIES EVERY AFTERNOON AT 2:30. C. B. WATTERS' REASONABLE SALE.

Just the thing you have been looking for to keep your clothes looking fresh—a chifferobe. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Sickly children need WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It not only destroys worms, if there be any, but it acts as a strengthening tonic in the stomach and bowels. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Central Drug Store.

# HOLIDAY RATES

Over The



To All Points in Texas

Fare, One and one-third

Very Low Rates to South-eastern Points.

Visit the Old Folks in the Eastern States During the Holidays

G. M. BENNETT, Agt.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale—Mebane cotton seed, lint from 36 to 38.6 per cent, 50 cents if sold by Jan. 1st. J. T. Hamilton, Mercury, Texas.

Lost—Saddle blanket, somewhere on road to depot. Return to Standard office.

For Sale—Nice, gentle burro for children. See A. W. Wood.

Wanted—To trade block in Luhr addition, Brady. Has good residence and small house, close in; for farm in north McCulloch or Coleman county. Will give or take difference. Hugh Wheat, Gould Busk, Texas.

For Sale—Johnson grass hay. Address J. T. Hamilton, Mercury, Texas.

For Rent—250 acres of land, in cultivation; located 11 miles south west of Brady. See A. Ogden or E. L. Ogden at Commercial National bank.

For Sale or Trade for Feed—Work horse. See W. H. Ballou, Brady, Texas.

Wanted—Dolls to dress for Christmas at 25c each. Phone 219.

Wanted—Parties having milk bottles in their possession are earnestly requested to return them at once. ABERNATHY DAIRY.

Best calico 3c per yard at Wm. Connolly & Co.'s Great Clearance Sale.

We need not speak of the good points of a standard disc. Its reputation sells it. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Plenty of meals and hulls on hand at the Brady (Bencini) Oil Mill. No use to let old Pidge go hungry.

We do just as we advertise. Wm. Connolly & Co.'s Great Clearance Sale.

We are overstocked on Razor brand tobacco. Regular 50c goods will be sold as long as it lasts for 35c. Abney & Vincent.

Get something useful for a Christmas present this year. Our store excels in articles of this kind. O. D. Mann & Sons.

It happens next Monday night at the former Watters stand. Don't miss it.

Entire stock of groceries included in the reduction at Wm. Connolly & Co.'s Great Clearance Sale. Buy your bill now. We save you money.

The Brady Standard, \$1.00.

## Notice of Share Holders' Meeting

The regular annual meeting of the share holders of the Brady National Bank, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at its banking house at 2:30 p. m. on second Tuesday in January, 1912, same being 9th day of January, A. D. 1912.

Very respectfully,  
J. F. MONTGOMERY,  
Cashier.

Brady Masons who attended the Grand Lodge at Waco last week are enthusiastic in their description of the meeting and the royal time accorded them in that city. Among those who attended from Brady were: J. P. Baze, F. M. Newman, A. A. Carroll and Dr. Wm. C. Jones.

The Commercial National Bank receives market reports of cotton by telegraph every half hour during the day. This is done for the benefit of our customers. Would be glad to have you call and keep posted on the cotton market.

There's a Reason. C. B. Watters & Co's Auction Sale.

Gas in the stomach comes from food which has fermented. Get rid of this badly digested food as quickly as possible if you would avoid a bilious attack; HERBINE is the remedy you need. It cleanses and strengthens the stomach, liver and bowels, and restores energy and cheerfulness. Price 50c. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Buy the W. R. Case and Sonpocket knife. They are guaranteed at Abney & Vincents.

Every article marked sale price in plain figures. No price juggling or substitution at our Great Clearance Sale. Wm. Connolly & Co.

## LIVED ON RAW EGGS

Mr. Richard's Experience With Different Diets. Peaches and Buttermilk for Three Years.

Cecilton, Md.—Mr. George Richards, of this place, during the past 12 years, has probably tried more different diets than the average person would ever use in a lifetime.

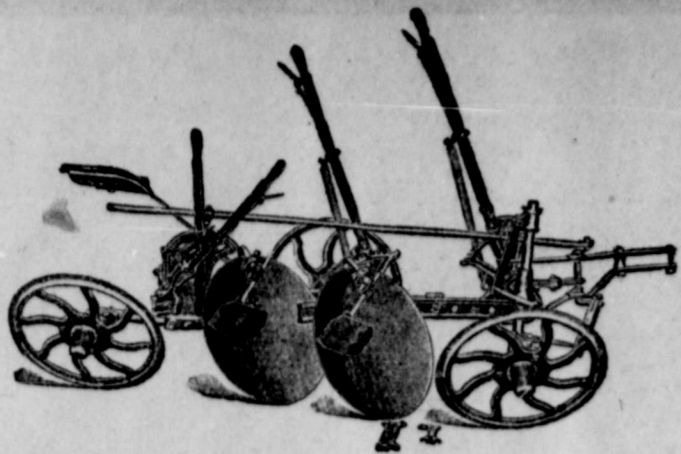
What he has to say about his experiments, must therefore be highly interesting to anyone suffering from indigestion or stomach troubles of any kind.

He says: "For more than 12 years, I suffered with stomach troubles, and paid hundreds of dollars for doctor bills and medicines. I was also operated on for piles.

I lived on dried peaches and buttermilk for nearly three years. The only thing that would not give me pain was raw eggs. I was a physical wreck. I could not sleep, and was as near crazy as a man could well be.

I must say that after taking two 25-cent packages of Theford's Black-Draught, it did me more good than all I ever spent for other medicines.

I have been working daily on the farm ever since, and I am as hard as iron. This purely vegetable remedy has been in successful use for more than 70 years. Try it. But be sure that it's "Theford's."



Combine strength and durability, add to that light draft, ease in operation and good work and you have the New Standard Double Disc. You will be pleased with one; you cannot help it.

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

**Splendid Entertainment.**

The Recital and Vaudeville given by local talent last Friday night in the Watters building was a success from every standpoint but attendance. Owing to the rain and disagreeable weather, but a handful were present to enjoy the evening. Nevertheless the program was carried out just as had been originally planned, and every one present had naught but praise for the entertainment.

Worthy of special mention Evelyn Yeager, the solo by Mrs. Faye Bonds Stanley and the duet by Miss Carlita Matthews and Mr. Claud McClellan. Each of these numbers was heartily enjoyed. Another feature of the program was the duet with music by Misses Evelyn and Gladys Yeager. Music was furnished by the band, and "Snowball" and Jim likewise contributed between numbers.

It has been decided to repeat the performance next Monday night at the same place. The public is requested to bear in mind that this home talent affair is for the benefit of the Brady Concert Band, and it is hoped that every citizen will lend his presence upon the occasion.

Heartburn is a symptom of indigestion. Take a dose of HERBINE in such cases. The pain disappears instantly. The bowels operate speedily and you feel fine, vigorous and cheerful. Price 50c. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Automobile repairing a specialty. Willbanks & Kerr.

When you want hardware, cutlery or ammunition, we have the goods and make the price. Abney & Vincent.

There's a Reason. C. B. Watters & Co's Auction Sale.

H. B. Murphy knows how to make us glad and his subscription now reads way up in '13. He says the rain was exactly to his liking.

WATTERS' REASONABLE SALE GETS THE CROWD EVERY TIME. GOODS AT YOUR OWN PRICES.

A line of harness and leather goods made especially for this climate. O. D. Mann & Sons.

**Fine Rain.**

Reports in the daily newspapers tell of fine rains that visited nearly every section of Texas, and McCulloch county is rejoicing over the fact that it received its full share of the down-pour. The government bureau here showed a precipitation of an inch and a half Friday and Saturday, and in many parts of the county the amount was near or three inches. The rain will be of immense benefit to the farmers, especially to those who have been fortunate enough to get in some early breaking.

A tricycle for the kid. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Lame back may come from overwork, cold settled in the muscles of the back, or from disease. In the two former cases the right remedy is BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It should be rubbed in thoroughly over the affected part, the relief will be prompt and satisfactory. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Wood and coal heaters at Abney & Vincent.

Best calico 3c per yard at Wm. Connolly & Co's Great Clearance Sale.

The Commercial National Bank receives reports of the cattle market, the sheep market and the hog market daily by telegraph. This is for the benefit of our customers, and would be glad to have you call and keep posted on the live stock market.

Mr. Wilson Bethel and sister, Miss Ruby, and Jim Jones are here from Wolfe City for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Westbrook. They will also visit in Menard.

There's a Reason. C. B. Watters & Co's Auction Sale.

Do you want a good 120 acre farm? Will take part Brady property, balance vendors lien notes, as long time as wanted. Apply to JOHN McCLEARY, at O. D. Mann & Sons.

ATTEND C. B. WATTERS & CO'S AUCTION SALE. EVERY DAY AND NIGHT.

**CHANGE AT THE PALACE.**

**J. F. and A. L. Quicksall Purchase Interests.**

Messrs. A. L. and J. F. Quicksall last week purchased the interests of Messrs. J. V. Searcy and Dave Camp in the Palace store, the change becoming effective at once. A. L. Quicksall assumes management of the business, while Mr. Searcy will have charge of the jewelry and repair department and Mr. Lowrey will continue in charge of the prescription department as heretofore.

The Palace Drug Store has enjoyed a splendid business under the management of Mr. Camp, and with Mr. Quicksall in charge everything is favorable for a continuance of a prosperous and increasing business. The personnel of the firm includes wide-awake and progressive young business men, who are ever alert to the accommodation and satisfactory treatment of their customers. They extend a cordial invitation to the public to visit them and make their store headquarters when in town.

**Tax Collector's Notice.**

I will be at the following places on the following dates for the purpose of collecting taxes, for the convenience of those that are ready to pay.

- Fife ..... Dec. 4th
- Waldrip ..... Dec. 5th
- Stacy ..... Dec. 6th
- Pear Valley ..... Dec. 7th
- Lohn ..... Dec. 8th
- Nine ..... Dec. 11th
- Tucker ..... Dec. 12th
- Melvin ..... Dec. 14th
- Milburn ..... Dec. 18th
- Mercury ..... Dec. 19th
- Placid ..... Dec. 20th
- Rochelle ..... Dec. 21st

S. H. MAYO,  
Tax Collector McCulloch Co.

**The Story of Creation.**

Rev. T. P. Grant will deliver a lecture Friday afternoon at 2:40 to 4:00, at the High School building on "The Story of Creation" as viewed from the standpoint of the scientist. The lecture will be for the benefit of the high school pupils, but anyone desiring to hear Bro. Grant on this subject will be welcomed by the faculty.

See the hand painted china and water color pictures on display and for sale at Benham's.

We make prices others dare not attempt. Wm. Connolly & Co.

One lot Shirts worth 50c to \$1.00 for 35c at Wm. Connolly & Co's Clearance Sale.

W. J. Gault was here from Placid Saturday and reported a rainfall of something like three inches.

We make prices others dare not attempt. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Don't fail to attend the Recital and high class vaudeville by local talent in the former Watters building next Monday night. Benefit Brady Concert band.

**To the Patrons of the Brady School.**

As the holidays approach, the disposition upon the part of the pupils to stop school to arrange for the holidays increases, and generally speaking, many stop school a week before hand and remain out a week after the holidays are over. In all such cases, not only do the pupils lose interest but they cause a falling off of interest upon the part of other pupils. Let me kindly ask the patrons to keep the children in school up to the day we dismiss for the holidays so as not to interfere so much with our work. Just a little encouragement from you is all that is necessary to keep them in full time.

Very respectfully,  
R. H. LONG, Supt.

**Shareholders' Meeting.**

The regular annual meeting of the shareholders of the Commercial National Bank, of Brady, will be held at their bank at 10 a. m. the second Tuesday in January, being January 9th, 1912, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may come before it.

W. D. CROTHERS,  
Cashier.

**Turkeys! Turkeys!**



CATCH THOSE TURKEYS,  
THEY ARE WHAT I WANT



I want to get all the Turkeys I can get by Xmas. Don't hold your turkeys later than the 20th, you will get better prices now. I will pay 20c a pound for all the Turkeys I can get between now and the 20th of this month.

Turkeys, fat, per lb. 12c. Hens, fat, per lb. 7c. Fryers 2 lbs. and under, per lb. 13c. Fryers over 2 lbs. per lb. 7c. Ducks, full feather, per dozen, \$5.00. Geese, full feather, dozen, \$6.00. Roosters over 2 lbs. per dozen, \$2.00. Guineas, a head, 15c. Eggs, per case, \$8.00.

I will give these prices to all that ship by and on the 20th. Ship at once and get the highest prices. I want all the poultry I can get before the 20th of this month. Drop me a card when you ship.

**M. S. Larche Poultry Yards**

1112 Evans Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas

**ORDINANCE.**

An ordinance regulating the peddling and selling of merchandise, fruits and confections, within certain limits within the city of Brady.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of Brady, Texas, that it shall hereafter be unlawful for any person to peddle, or any other manner sell any kind of merchandise, fruits and confections at any one place, or within 40 feet of the same place, for a longer time than 30 minutes at any one time, on the public square, or any of the public streets or alleys of this city within 3 blocks of the public square.

Sec. 2. Any person who shall violate any provision of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined in any sum not less than \$1.00 and not more than \$25.00.

Sec. 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this ordinance be, and they are hereby repealed.

Passed and approved this 5th day of Dec. A. D. 1911, under a suspension of Rule 21.

F. M. RICHARDS,  
Mayor.

Attest:—S. M. Richardson,  
City Sec'y.

Call and see us to get Good-year tires and inner tubes. Willbanks & Kerr.

ATTEND C. B. WATTERS & CO'S AUCTION SALE. EVERY DAY AND NIGHT.

What would make a better Christmas present than a Hoosier Kitchen cabinet and a Sealy mattress. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Best calico 3c per yard at Wm. Connolly & Co's Great Clearance Sale.

See the hand painted china and water color pictures on display and for sale at Benham's.

We exchange or refund your money on any unsatisfactory purchase made of us during our Great Clearance Sale. Wm. Connolly & Co.

**CAN'T CURE CATARRH.**

Stomach Dosing, Sprays and Douches Have all Failed.

There is only one way to cure catarrh. Reach the raw, tender, inflamed membrane that is infested with catarrh germs, and destroy the germs.

You can't reach the nooks and crevices with liquid preparations—there is only one way—breathe the antiseptic germ killing air of HYOMEI (pronounce it High-o-me) directly over the infested parts.

HYOMEI contains no opium, cocaine or other harmful drugs, it is made of Australian eucalyptus, thymol and other Listerian antiseptics. It is guaranteed to end the misery of catarrh, asthma, croup and bronchitis, or money back.

Ask Central Drug Store about the HYOMEI outfit today. They sell it for only 1.00 and guarantee it.

**Will Close Office.**

Mr. R. P. Faubion has returned from Kansas City to wind up the business of the McMurry Contracting Co., which will close its offices here the latter part of this week. The McMurry Contracting Co. has had an office in Brady ever since the beginning of the Frisco extension, and it was anticipated that they would continue their office here for the purpose of taking up contracts on the Frisco extension to Mason. Their latest move would indicate that this project has been dropped by the Frisco for the present at least.

It matters not what prices others make you, see us before buying for we will save you money. Wm. Connolly & Co.

**W. O. W. Officers.**

The Woodmen of the World have elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: W. H. P. Marsden, C. C.; C. D. Allen, A. L.; R. E. Luhn, Clerk; Sam McCollum, B.; A. D. Wright, Escort; J. B. McKnight, J. B. Lockhart and J. G. McCall, Physicians; C. K. Reed, Watchman; P. O. Neel, Sentry; W. K. Gay, Ed Broad and Sam Hughes, Managers.

Best calico 3c per yard at Wm. Connolly & Co's Great Clearance Sale.

Linoleum in all grades and patterns. O. D. Mann & Sons.

GOODS AT YOUR OWN FIGURES AT WATTERS' AUCTION SALE.

**Brady Transfer Line**  
LIVERY AND FEED STABLE

Successors to Thompson & Co.

Baggage Carefully and Promptly Handled  
Special Consideration to Commercial Travelers

**J. P. Lindsay & Sons, Props.**  
PHONE NO. 40 BRADY, TEXAS

**JONES BROS. BARBER SHOP**

WE EMPLOY NONE BUT  
FIRST CLASS WORKMEN  
HOT AND COLD BATHS

GIBBONS BUILDING BRADY, TEXAS

**POLK'S BARBER SHOP**

Wants Your Whiskers for Business Reasons

Bath Rooms Fitted Up With the Latest  
Sanitary Plumbing

NORTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE

**O. D. Mann & Sons**  
Brady, Texas

**Funeral Directors,  
UNDERTAKERS AND EMBALMERS**

HEARSE IN CONNECTION

Day Phone No. 4.

Night Phones 82 and 195

**WORTH ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD**

To the sick and suffering. To those who have kidney trouble. To anyone who knows what it is to be unable to work

**PRICKLY ASH BITTERS**

Is a golden remedy. It cures kidney ailments, liver torpidity, indigestion and constipation. Puts the system in perfect order, restores strength, appetite and cheerful spirits.

Get the Genuine with the Figure "3" in Red on Front Label.  
Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00 per bottle.

**Central Drug Store, Special Agents**

Why feed Corn and other High Priced Feed when **COTTON SEED MEAL** and **CAKE** are much better and cheaper. By mixing with **HULLS** or any other roughness you can reduce your feed bill one-third to one-half.

### CORN AT 28 CENTS PER BUSHEL

Don't pay more than this to feed

Your Horse, Your Mule, Your Hog or Cow

## COTTON SEED MEAL

Is shown by chemical analysis and proven by practical tests by hundreds and thousands of practical Texas farmers and by experienced feeders and at the Agricultural Experiment Stations in this country, in Great Britain and in Europe to be the most nutritious, Healthful and purest of all feeding materials. It is a home product clean, convenient to handle, free from adulteration, reliable and uniform in quality and sold at a fair valuation.

## Cotton Seed Hulls

A most excellent "roughness", absolutely free from dirt, dust or other foreign matter, of highly nutritive properties, while its peculiar form gives it all the advantage of chopped food in the most convenient condition for storing, handling and feeding without waste. Horses, Mules, Cattle and Hogs of all kinds eat it readily, while in nutritive element and as a milk or butter, flesh or fat producer, it is fully equal, pound for pound, to many varieties of hay and when fed in connection with cotton seed meal, it makes an—

Almost Perfect Feed for All Kinds of Farm Stock

### PRESENT PRICES

Cotton Seed Meal \$1.35 Per 100 Pounds

Cotton Seed Hulls \$7.00 Per Ton.

The best authorities fix the actual nutritive value of 80 pounds cotton seed hulls and 20 pounds cotton seed meal as equivalent to two bushels best corn.

2 bushels Corn at 85c per bushel costs .....	\$1.70
80lb Cotton Seed Hulls at \$7 per ton costs.....	.28
20lb Cotton Seed Meal at \$1.35 per 100lb costs....	.27
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.....	.55

### Equivalent to Corn at 27 1-2c to 28c per Bu.

And at any price over this, corn is a wasteful and extravagant feed as compared with meal and hulls, and whenever you pay more than this for it, you are throwing away money by simply paying too much to feed your horse, your mule, your hog or your cow. Probably just because "your father did it", while he did it only because he never heard, perhaps, of cotton seed meal and hulls.

## You Can't Afford

To Feed Corn, Corn Chops, Wheat Bran, Western Hay or Whole Cotton Seed at their present prices. Figure it for yourself. In a Ton of Raw Seed You Have

One ton of Seed weighing.....	2,000lbs
Dirt, trash, sand, etc. about.....	150lbs
Crude Cotton Seed Oil (Has no nutriment) .....	250lbs
Making total foreign matter about .....	400lbs
Leaving an actual nutritive material only.....	1,600lbs

The value of this ton of seed is \$18. This 1600 pounds is made up as follows: 750 pounds Meal and 850 pounds Hulls, so, figuring this at the prices we will make you in exchanging for the raw seed, you have in your ton of seed feed value of only \$12.35. And this is not in the proper proportion of "fat and protein," or in good shape for digestion. A ton of cotton seed, mixed with other feed, will feed your cow about three months, and it is good for cattle only. For the same ton of cotton seed, we will give in exchange—

3220lbs Cotton Seed Hulls at \$7 per ton.....	\$11.27
500lbs Cotton Seed Meal at \$1.35 per 100lbs.....	6.75
Making 3720lbs of actual feeding material in about the	
right proportion for feeding.....	\$18.02

Or over two pounds for every pound of feeding material you bring us. This will feed your cow 150 days with no other feed, and keep her fat and increase your butter and milk, and it can also be fed to your horses or any other stock, with excellent results. It is also an excellent poultry feed, in fact in this, you have a "properly balanced" ration, absolutely free from dirt, dust or foreign matter, in proper proportion for proper digestion, partly cooked, and if fed to horses and mules will keep them in better condition and enable them to do more work than any other feed at anything like the same cost. If fed to milch cows, will give more flesh, more milk, more butter, better milk and better butter, and keep the cow in better condition than any other feed or combination of feeds on earth. A trial will convince you. Ask your friends who are using this feed daily, or a trial yourself will be better, and will convince you that it is the best and cheapest feed on earth.

We will be glad to give you a booklet of instructions as to how to feed all kinds of live stock and poultry.

## Bencini Oil Mill

### CHILDREN'S CORNER

From Doss.  
Doss, Texas, Dec. 5.

Dear Editor and Cousins:  
Hello, I see the cousin page has grown some, and some more new cousins are writing. I am glad you all write for I enjoy the children's page so much.

David Little I think that is a very nice subject to discuss. It is hard to tell which month I like best for we have ripe fruit every month in the year. I like December best, for dear old jolly Santa Claus comes.

Now I will write you all of the fun I had the other night. I went to a farewell party December 1st, and I had a real nice time. Wish you cousins could have been with me. The best of all was while on the way to the party I saw a wild deer, the first I ever saw. I can't see why people love to kill them, they are such pretty animals.

Jewel Little you come and live with me a year and you will get to eat plenty of fruit. We have all kinds. Annie Darley I don't know what became of all the cousins, but it seems as if they are trying to show up again. That is right cousins, come on. I guess your age to be 12 years. Eva Prickett I guess your age to be about 14 years.

"Santa Claus is on the way, Coming on both night and day Loaded full of Christmas toys, For the happy girls and boys." I will close with a merry Christmas to the editor and cousins.

ELLA LANGE,  
Doss, Texas.

### WATTERS' REASONABLE SALE GETS THE CROWD EVERY TIME. GOODS AT YOUR OWN PRICES.

The Commercial National Bank receives reports of the cattle market, the sheep market and the hog market daily by telegraph. This is for the benefit of our customers, and would be glad to have you call and keep posted on the live stock market.

See the hand painted china and water color pictures on display and for sale at Benham's.

The De Laval cream separator will soon pay for itself by the saving on cream. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Our immense stock of Clothing and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear is being sold at prices that you cannot afford to pass by. The best values and lowest prices, at Wm. Connolly & Co.'s Clearance Sale.

Don't fail to attend the Recital and high class vaudeville by local talent in the former Watters building next Monday night. Benefit Brady Concert band.

Elgin Braily came down from Brady Saturday and has a force of hands at work this week moving the Martin Telephone exchange from the Clark building to the Murray building on the south side of Wallace street, where the temporary court house was. Mr. Braily will likely be employed here for two or three weeks. Mrs. Braily was a passenger on the train on her way to visit her parents in Llano.—San Saba News.

We fit you from head to foot at prices that others dare not attempt. Attend our Great Clearance Sale. Wm. Connolly & Co.

See the Recital and vaudeville next Monday night in the former Watters building. 15c, 25c and 35c. Benefit Brady Concert band.

Best calico 3c per yard at Wm. Connolly & Co.'s Great Clearance Sale.

When you think of maize or maize chops, think of Macy & Co. They are the folks that have it.

#### Notice.

We have some good work horses and mules which we are offering for sale cheap for the cash, or will take good notes payable in fall of 1912. Also a couple of good milk cows for sale.

ABNEY & VINCENT.



National banks are chartered by the United States government and their affairs are closely looked after, not only by the officers of the banks, but by the government as well. Frequent examinations, stringent regulations and wise precautions more than doubly safeguard your funds. This is a National Bank and is conducted in a way that merits your confidence. The government keeps an account here.

Let OUR BANK be YOUR Bank

The Brady National Bank  
OF BRADY

### CALLAN CONCOCTIONS FOR MAGNIFICENT MENARD

From the Messenger.

The editor of the Menard Messenger says: "Even the bray of a donkey is sweeter music in magnificent Menard than the voice of a prima donna in Del Rio." Well, bray on then, nobody's trying to stop you.—Del Rio Herald.

Duke Mann was over from miserably Brady visiting relatives in glorious Menard.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hodges visited Mr. and Mrs. R. Graham Sunday.

Last Friday B. F. Parker, President of the Menard Land Company, was presented with a beautiful gold watch by the employees of the Frisco in Texas. Before assuming the management of the Menard Land Company, Mr. Parker was train master of the Frisco lines in Texas, which position he resigned to enter the land business at Menard.

A recent visitor from Brady asserted that more people could be seen on the streets of his town any day in the week than Menard can boast on Saturday. A fact. Menard people stay at home to look after their crops, plant trees, play with the babies and eat country ham and poached eggs, while those of Brady are loafing the streets in search of odd jobs, hoping to earn enough to buy a pound or so of corn meal and a few choice cuts of hog liver.

Get a Wilson hot blast heater. It saves one third the fuel and keeps your room at an even temperature. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Our good friend, W. J. West, was in Brady today and reported that he had sold 100 bales of cotton off his San Saba county farm, with three or four more still to gather. He also sold 42 bales from his Lohn farm. Mr. West looks after both places, going back and forth in his auto.

We make prices others dare not attempt. Wm. Connolly & Co.

A Lily Darling stove insured satisfaction. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Dave Camp has accepted a position with Jones Drug Company, assuming his duties there Monday. Dave is a good druggist, and his many friends are pleased to learn that he will remain in Brady.

We exchange or refund your money on any unsatisfactory purchase made of us during our Great Clearance Sale. Wm. Connolly & Co.

### MASON MAVERICKS.

From the News.

A. B. Awalt, one of Peters Prairie's successful farmers, was here Saturday and informed the News that Mrs. Awalt recently sold a bunch of turkeys for \$132.50, and that, too, at the low price of 8c a pound. Mr. A. says he has been able to break considerable land for next season's crop, but will have to wait now for a rain.

Will Ellebracht brings the news of a distressing accident last week at the Doss gin. Mrs. Rosenbusch, wife of the owner of the gin, was assisting her husband in the gin and had her hand caught in the saws and lost three fingers. She was taken to Fredericksburg for treatment. Mr. Rosenbusch had his hand mangled in the gin last year.

Wm. Ellebracht, who has been in the ginning business for a quarter century, proposes to erect a flour mill in Mason provided enough of our farmers will plant wheat to justify it. This would prove an enterprise of great benefit to the country, and it is hoped enough of our farmers will engage in wheat raising to make it a success.

J. I. Davenport, a good farmer of Katemey, was here Saturday and reports just having completed harvesting his cotton crop. He made 19 bales, and we don't think we ever saw a prettier cotton field than was his a month ago. The stalks were loaded and much of it was destroyed by the winds and rain. He was late in getting it out on account of sickness.

Miss Kate Doole was here from Brady to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, returning home Sunday.

Wm. Graf made a business trip to Brady Friday, returning Saturday.

### ARE YOU MISSING THOSE GREAT BARGAINS AT WATTERS' AUCTION SALE?

A complete display of stoves. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Every day a "hammer" at Wm. Connolly & Co.'s Great Clearance Sale.

The Commercial National Bank receives market reports of cotton by telegraph every half hour during the day. This is done for the benefit of our customers. Would be glad to have you call and keep posted on the cotton market.

We stand behind every article sold during our sale, guaranteeing it to be just as represented. Wm. Connolly & Co.