

LYRIC OPERA HOUSE

Friday, September 22

Presents

The Cowpuncher



Adapted from the Play by Hal Reid—World's Greatest Thriller. "The Cowpuncher," a photoplay in 6 reels, tells a story of love and adventure, with ranches and herds, and the great out-door for settings. It brings one into the life of the Plains. Compels one to encounter the outlawry of rustlers, the devilry of the red skins and the machinations of the Mexicans.

But this life is not all hardship. There is comedy and mirth and love and pathos, each in its turn.

"The Cowpuncher" shows all this and more. The War Bonnet, Round Up Shows, Bucking Bronchos, Wild Steers and Horse Racing. Immense herds of animals, hosts of people and all the hilarity for which the West is noted, making this picture a great American masterpiece.

Among the interesting characters who took part in the production of "The Cowpuncher" is a son of the great Indian chief, Sitting Bull. This aborigine is educated and speaks the English language very well. He is engaged most of the time intraveling with Orwin Bros. Wild West Shows.

Another character is Lee Caldwell of Pendleton, Ore., a young man of splendid physique and the Champion Broncho Buster of the world. Young Caldwell began breaking bronchos at 14 years of age. He is the winner of the Nevada, Montana, Idaho, Oregon and Utah Champion Saddles, as well as the World's Championship saddle for Broncho Breaking. There is no doubt that Caldwell is the greatest Buckaroo.

Where is the man who does not enjoy the rough and ready life of the pioneer and frontiersman; who does not thrill at the sight of chaps and spurs and the sombreros; the atmosphere of the great plains; the brawn of the cowpuncher, his freedom and hilarity. It rejuvenates the plodder who sits at a desk all day long and makes him yearn for the sand and the sagebrush.

Don't Miss This One. Prices, 20c, Children 10c. Show Starts at 8:00
Coming, "Pierre of the Plains"

Returns With Prisoner.

Sheriff J. C. Wall returned Friday morning from Cameron and Brownwood, having in custody Ethel Ward, a negress accused of purloining goods from Miss Doyle Tindel, and also a trunk containing not only the clothes stolen from Miss Tindel, but a collection of articles that the officers feel certain were stolen from other parties.

Sheriff Wall had an interesting time locating the prisoner. She was supposed to have been arrested at Buckholts and placed in jail at Cameron, Texas. However, the prisoner at Cameron proved to be the wrong party. The sheriff made several trips back and forth between Cameron and Buckholts and finally located the trunk full of clothes, which he had shipped to Brady. Some of the negroes there advised him that the Ward woman was in that community, but she could not be located. Acting on his own theory, Sheriff Wall returned to Brownwood and took up the search there, and soon located his party. It developed she had never been farther away than Brown county.

Yesterday the prisoner became very penitent, and made a written confession, stating in effect that she had been led astray, and that, while she took some of the clothes, they had been loaned to her and other negroes had induced her to make a get-away with them. She wound up her "confession" by stating that she had been doped with a bottle of beer in Menard.

The confession makes easy work for the prosecution, and it is very likely that Ethel will be removed from the sphere of temptation and doped bottles for the space of several moons.

We want all your Mohair and are paying top market prices. Get your Mohair to us during the next fifteen days.

H. P. RODDIE & CO.

Plenty of hog wire and barb wire at E. J. BROAD'S. Get their prices.

Monday's express brought us a new line of ladies' waists. Don't fail to see them.

C. H. Vincent, South Side.

Have your vulcanizing done by steam at Brady Auto Co

TEACHERS INSTITUTE.

Assistance Needed to Care for Visitors in October.

The Joint Teachers Institute to be held in Brady one week commencing October 16th, promises to gather here the largest number of visitors that has ever assembled in Brady for an event of this kind. Where there were some 200 teachers in attendance last year, this year more than 400 teachers are expected to be in attendance. The problem of caring for these visitors has been turned over to the Parent-Teachers club, and every citizen of Brady is urged to lend assistance to the club in providing all necessary accommodations for the visitors. Everyone who has a spare room is requested to place the same at the disposal of the club, and all who will take boarders or furnish combined board and room, are urged to communicate such fact to Mrs. W. H. Ballou, who will compile such lists and present them to the Parent-Teachers club. In communicating this information, it is also desired that the rate of room rent or board or combined room and board be mentioned for the guidance of the club.

The gathering of this great body of teachers is quite a feather in Brady's cap, and reflects credit upon the efforts of County Superintendent E. L. White to have an institute that will be a success from every standpoint. In this, Mr. White is being assisted by the Parent-Teachers club, and all that remains is the hearty co-operation of the citizens. The institute this year will be even better than the one held here last year, which was universally acknowledged one of the best in the state. Mr. White has been successful in securing

a number of the foremost educators, not only in the state, but of the nation, and of these quite a number will be here for the entire week. To care for and entertain the visitors in proper fashion will give Brady much favorable publicity upon the return of the teachers to their several homes.

For the convenience of citizens desiring to aid the Parent-Teachers club in providing accommodations for the visitors, The Standard suggests the following out and mailing of the following form:

Brady, Texas, _____ 191__

Mrs. W. H. Ballou, Chm. Com.,
Parent-Teachers Club,
Brady, Texas.

Board _____
Gentlemen _____
Ladies _____

I promise to Room _____

charging \$ _____ for board, \$ _____ for room, during the Joint Teachers Institute to be held in Brady during week beginning October 16th.

Signed _____

That Young Woman



who makes it a habit of stopping at our fountain for a glass of our delicious soda certainly knows what is good. And there are hundreds such. They come here regularly, either alone or with friends. They declare ours is the best soda they ever tasted.

Jones Drug Co., Inc.
C. A. TRIGG, Manager
Rexall Store On the Corner
"Your Money Back if You Want It"

Stone Jars From 1 Gallon to 20 Gallons

Stone Milk Cocks, 1-2 Gallon to 2 Gallons
Stone Churns, 1 Gallon to 4 Gallons
Stone Butter Bowls, 1 lb. to 10 lbs.

Lange's 5-10-25c Store

COTTON RECEIPTS.

Number of Bales of Fleecy Staple Swelling Fast.

Number of bales of cotton ginned in Brady up to Monday night totaled 1730 bales, as follows:

Brady Gin	406
N. B. Embry	575
J. C. Koerth	749

Total 1730
Number of bales in the cotton yard, about 3250.

Cotton is bringing 15c a pound and cotton seed \$41.00 per ton.

We sell for LESS, why pay MORE?

C. H. Vincent, South Side.

For Sale—Three or four second-hand wagons. E. J. BROAD.

We Are Buying Mohair.

Bring in your product during the next fifteen days, and get the advantage of the market's best offer.

H. P. RODDIE & CO.

Townsend-White.

The many friends of Fred Townsend will be interested to learn of his marriage at San Saba to Miss White, daughter of the foreman of the San Saba News office, the wedding having taken place a week or so ago. Mr. Townsend was both employed and engaged in the tailoring business here for several years, and was a universal favorite with all who knew him. He has been following the same line of business since locating in San Saba, and the newly-weds will continue to make that place their home. The warmest congratulations of their many Brady and McCulloch county friends are extended.

Men's work gloves—the same good quality and no advance in price, at Vincent's.

Turkey Dinner.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will serve a turkey dinner Saturday, Sept. 23rd in the Syndicate building.



C. H. Vincent

DRY GOODS

SOUTH SIDE

NEW COATS
NEW SUITS
NEW SKIRTS
NEW WAISTS



Blouse Craft

Every Train Brings Us Something
New to Offer You

"THE COWPUNCHER."

Great Western Play Shows Remarkable Feats.

"The Cowpuncher," advertised by Manager Levy of the Brady opera house as Friday night's feature, is one of the most notable and spectacular pictures offered the movie public. Not only is it a dramatization of Hal Reid's great novel, but in addition to the love story that runs through the drama, there is skillfully interwoven such remarkable scenes as the War Bonnet roundup at Idaho Falls, Idaho, Indian war dances and Indian attacks, wonderful feats in broncho busting by the world's champion, and various other scenes that hold the breathless attention of the audience.

This play is said to be the first and only six-reel production costing over \$50,000. More than 2,000 people, including cowboys, cowgirls and Indians, were employed in its production, not to mention 17,000 cattle, 500 horses, herds of buffalo and the like. The scenes of gripping interest, coupled with the love story, carry the audience through all emotions, from smiles to tears, and from sadness to gladness.

The play will be shown at the opera house on Friday only, and the usual feature night prices of 10c and 20c will prevail.

Try the Firestone tubes and casings next time. Guaranteed as good as the best. W. M. Murphy, King building, North side square.

We are headquarters for heating and cook stoves. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Furniture, furniture, of all descriptions. The best place in town to buy your house-furnishings at low prices. E. J. BROAD.

To My Patrons.

I wish to announce to my patrons that I am now located with Virgil Jones at the Jones Barber shop, where I will be pleased to have you call, and where I will take pleasure in serving you.

I appreciate the patronage accorded me in the past, and hope you will continue to favor me.
JAS. O. WYCKOFF.

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Official Paper City of Brady.

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of respect, and all matters not
news, will be charged for at the regular
rates.

BRADY, TEXAS, Sept. 19, 1916

A TRIBUTE.

Rev. T. P. Grant came in for a bit of deserved praise in the letter written to the Brady Y. M. B. L. by D. E. Colp of San Antonio, secretary-treasurer of the Good Roads association, in which Mr. Colp agreed to log the highway to Fort Worth beginning at Brady instead of at Brownwood, as was at first contemplated. Mr. Colp stated that Brady was coming in for a good deal of attention on the good roads proposition, and that "The Preacher" seemed determined to keep Brady represented in the highway movement despite all that the opposition could do.

The praise was well-timed and due. Parson Grant for the past year or more has taken upon himself the burden, first of getting Brady placed upon the national highway, and then of keeping her in that place. Much of the time he has worked alone or with but little assistance. Of late the citizens have begun to realize the value of his efforts, and since the organization of the Y. M. B. L. that body has come nobly to his assistance. Together with the able assistance of J. T. Freeman, president of the Y. M. B. L., and who, by the way, is some live wire himself, Mr. Grant has so far frustrated any and all efforts to take the highway away from Brady. It is to be hoped that the citizens of Brady, and of this entire section, as a result of yesterday's mass meeting have at last become fully aroused to the importance of this national highway proposition, and that active and able support may in future be accorded our pioneer Good Roads preacher.

HER LOVE POTION.

A young woman who thought she was losing her husband's affection went to a seventh daughter of a seventh daughter for a love powder. The mystery woman told her:

"Get a raw piece of beef, cut flat about an inch thick. Slice an onion in two, and rub the meat on both sides with it. Put on pepper and salt, and toast it on each side over a red coal fire. Drop on it three lumps of butter and two sprigs of parsley, and get him to eat it."

The young wife did so, and her husband loved her ever after.—Tit Bits.

PASSION FOR SPEED.

Now a man has dived off the top of the Singer building, but we must decline to approve of the New York spirit of hurry that refuses to wait for the elevator.—Grand Rapids Press.

RURAL SCHOOL PROBLEM.

It is high time for a general campaign for a school system which will bring equal opportunity of education to every boy and girl in America, in the country as well as in the town.

These are some of the things asked for by National Conference for Better Rural Schools: A 160-day, or more, school term.

Enough and adequately prepared teachers.

Consolidation of rural schools with an average of about twelve square miles for each school.

Teachers' home and small demonstration farm as a part of the school property.

An all-year session adapted to local conditions.

A country library with branch libraries under school distribution.

Community organization with the school as the intellectual, industrial, educational and social center.

A modern high school education for every boy and girl in America, in the country as well as in the town.

There can be no large difference of opinion as to the entire justice of these demands.—Omaha Daily News.

Marriage solves the problem of life, muses the bride, whom we hasten to remind that life frequently fails to solve the problem of marriage.—Omaha Daily News.

"The Memphis News-Scimitar wants an embargo on the exportation of print paper until the price is lowered. Every publisher will endorse that suggestion. Over 1,000,000 pounds was shipped to France during the month of May."—Austin American.

The Sanderson Times says:

"When the tongue of trade is coated, when the eyes and limbs of the clerk are dull and languid, when the raging fever tackles the empty vitals of till, when the spider roosts in the empty cash box, and the bouquets of decay are on the chandeliers, it is conclusive that the advertising doctor has not been consulted."

The Concho (Paint Rock) Herald complains: "We have had to cut off of our list about 160 delinquent subscribers, a loss to us of about an average of \$3.00 to the delinquent. This means a loss of nearly \$500, which we can ill afford to lose. We carried these in good faith through very hard times for all, and many of them are well able to pay. Who is to blame?" Well, just to get down to brass tacks, the publisher is at fault. If it is necessary, after three or four years to cut off 160 delinquent subscribers, then it would have been good business policy to cut those 160 off when their subscription expired, and thereby save what is now a loss of \$500. The cash-in-advance, pay-as-you-go system is the only system—fair to publisher and subscriber alike, and during the five or six years we have conducted our list on this basis, we have had never a squabble over a subscription, which is more than any publisher on the old haphazard plan can say. The tremendous increase in the price of paper is accomplishing what all other means have failed to do, viz: it is forcing publishers to go on a cash subscription basis. Not only that, but it will force the advance of subscription prices from \$1.00 per year to \$1.50 and \$2.00.

A big shipment of trunks and suit cases just arrived at Vincent's.

Murphy's tires and inner tubes. Murphy the auto accessories man. Next to Standard office.

SWEET CLOVER.

Said to Be a Profitable Crop in This Section.

The attention of The Standard editor has been called to the article herewith reproduced appearing in a recent issue of Farm & Ranch regarding the sowing of sweet clover. This crop is said to have been grown with great success for the past several years in the San Angelo country, and to have proven very profitable. We are reprinting the article for the benefit of our readers.

"Recent observation has shown that white sweet clover, *mellilotus alba*, has far greater possibilities than most people believe. On waste lands and by road sides plants can be seen looking thrifty and growing in very warm, dry weather. If they will grow so well under such circumstances it would seem that cultivation on good soil would show excellent results.

"The white sweet clover is not a clover botanically speaking. It is a *mellilotus*. It is a biennial, but will frequently reseed itself for a number of years. The plants grow from 18 inches to five feet tall according to the soil and the season. So far as is now known there are no very troublesome insects or plant diseases to interfere with the crop.

"There are generally speaking three uses of white sweet clover. (The yellow variety, *mellilotus officinalis*, is worthless as a crop.) It is grown for soil improvement, for hay and for grazing. Often two or more uses of the crop may be had in rotation.

"For soil improvement sweet clover is excelled by none of the other legumes where it thrives. Its long branching tap roots extend to considerable depth in the soil and renovate it. Being a legume sweet clover uses free nitrogen and stores it on the roots in the form of tubercles or nodules. Following a crop that has fibrous roots, such as oats, wheat, corn or grass, the clover enriches the soil, adds humus and thus increases the yield. It grows in fall, winter and early spring when a growing plant is greatly needed on the soil.

"Sweet clover makes most excellent grazing. Cows, sheep and poultry do well on sweet clover pasture. The plants are a little bitter or acrid and animals may not like it at first, but they soon learn to eat it and thrive well on it. It will not bloat cattle and sheep like alfalfa and some of the clovers, and for this reason is a valuable grazing crop. Stock may be turned on the fields soon after the plants are well started and when grazed off soon come back. As hog pasture sweet clover has much to recommend it.

"For many years dairymen farther north have planted the sweet clover for hay. The hay is as rich in feeding nutriment as alfalfa and when cows learn to eat it relish it as well. As is the grazing, the hay is a little bitter, but the odor is sweet and tempting. Animals soon learn to relish it. It grows where the land is not suitable for alfalfa, and while it is a biennial it need not be planted every year ordinarily.

"When planted for hay the crop may be cut two or three times for hay and the last cutting left for seed. The seeds are threshed like clover or alfalfa.

"Sweet clover hay may be fed with grain, silage and such concentrates as cotton seed meal. It is cut and cured like alfalfa or red clover hay.

"Sweet clover may be planted either in the fall or spring, depending upon the locality. Generally speaking, fall plant-

ing is preferable here in the Southwest, as our mild winters scarcely interrupt growth, but give the plants an excellent start. This reduces danger of drouth the first summer. Furthermore fall planting gives the plants a start of weeds which may be troublesome when the sowing is done in the spring.

"Land for sweet clover should be prepared some time before planting. Best stands are generally obtained when the land has been prepared in time to settle well so a firm seedbed may be made. Fall planting may be done in the latitude of North Texas any time from September 1 to November 1. Usually about the first of October is a good time. Farther north from September 1 to October 15 would be about right. In South Texas planting might be done till the first of December.

"From 15 to 20 pounds of seed per acre is generally recommended. Where the seeds are heavy and clean and the land in good condition 15 pounds per acre will be sufficient. Sowing may be done by a seeder with clover or alfalfa plates. The drill should be set shallow.

"Those who are not sure that sweet clover will thrive on their farms might find it desirable to plant a small area and give it a fair trial before going to much expense. This will be the best plan to try this crop and find out for yourself whether or not it will pay to grow it."

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In addition to other properties, Lax-Fos contains Cascara in acceptable form, a stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-Fos acts effectively and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. At the same time, it aids digestion, crosses the liver and secretions and restores the healthy functions. 50c.

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Some way down low prices on buggies and hacks. See us. E. J. BROAD.

Children's ready made school dresses cheaper than you can make them at home.

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Too Much to Believe.

"The late Bishop Hare," said a Sioux Falls physician, "used, very reasonably, to impute skepticism to misunderstanding.

"He once told me about a Philadelphia business man of skeptical tendencies, who said to him:

"My dear Mr. Hare, I do not refuse to believe in the story of the Ark. I can accept the Ark's enormous size, its odd shape and the vast number of animals it contained, but when I am asked, my dear doctor, to believe that the children of Israel carried this unwieldy thing for forty years in the wilderness—well, there I'm bound to say my faith breaks down."—Living Church.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank my many friends for their kindness and courtesy shown toward me during the illness and death of my daughter, Maud Leona Goynes, who passed away Wednesday night, September 6, 1916.

P. R. GOYNES.

Four In One.

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We keep asbestos table mats of assorted sizes in stock. Let us show them to you. O. D. Mann & Sons.

New coats and suits arriving almost every day at Vincent's.

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We are well pleased with the outcome and wish to thank all those that helped, also those that bought ranges. We know they will be pleased and satisfied with the range, so well satisfied that they would not return the range for twice what they paid if they could not get another like it.

O. D. MANN & SONS

San Saba Star's Linotype.

The San Saba Star has joined the class of newspapers whose motto is "The Linotype Way Is the Only Way," and is now grinding out great volumes of reading matter for Star readers on the machine that does everything but think. It takes an expert linotype machinist to assemble the 7,000 or more parts composing this wonderful collection of mechanism, and the installation of the Star's machine was undertaken by S. M. Richardson, The Brady Standard's expert linotype machinist. Just how pleasing his work was is told by Editor Huchingson of The Star in his first issue printed from linotype slugs:

"The linotype was installed by Mack Richardson, the handsome, genial and efficient operator for The Brady Standard. Mr. Richardson came over on the afternoon train Tuesday,

and had the machine assembled and ready for business by noon Thursday, which was remarkably fast time considering the fact that he was so profusely assisted (?) by the entire Star force, who quite willingly and cheerfully tendered their advice and suggestions as to how the numerous intricate parts should be placed, and the manner in which the delicate adjustments should be made. Mack is the prince of good fellows, but there is one thing in which he did act a little "short"—he forgot to thank us for the valuable aid rendered him in assembling the machine."

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILI TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 5c.

For Sale or Trade—One or two good second-hand automobiles. E. J. BROAD.

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Bath Rooms Fitted Up With the Latest Sanitary Plumbing

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Scissors Sharpened

Don't let your wife worry by having to use a dull pair of scissors when you can get them sharpened for the small sum of 15c, and the work is guaranteed.

RAY LOVELACE

The Barber East of Anderson & Moffatt's

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Woodwork and Horseshoeing a Specialty
We Make or Repair Anything.

NORTHWEST CORNER SQUARE

PHONE 222

Woodrow Wilson Fund.

The following is a list of contributors to the Woodrow Wilson campaign fund, each agreeing to pay the amount subscribed on or before October 15, 1916, at Brady, Texas.

- J. E. Shropshire \$5.00
- F. M. Newman 5.00
- W. D. Crothers 5.00
- Brady Standard 5.00
- E. L. Ogden 2.50
- F. W. Henderson 5.00
- S. A. Benham 2.00
- G. R. White 5.00
- J. S. Wall 5.00
- McCall & Anderson 2.00
- Joe McCall 1.00
- J. E. White 1.00
- G. C. Kirk 1.00
- H. C. Samuel 1.00
- S. J. Striegler 1.00
- Sam McCollum 1.00
- J. B. Whiteman 1.00
- W. W. Jordan 1.00
- W. F. Dutton 1.00
- A. B. Reagan 10.00
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- O. C. Summers 1.00
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- James Conner .30
- Omer Conner .50
- I. G. Abney .50
- C. H. Vincent 2.00
- S. H. Mayo 2.00
- F. W. Henderson 5.00
- J. Meers .50
- O. L. McShan .50
- Rev. J. F. Nichols .50
- E. L. White 1.00
- O. B. Westbrook 2.50
- D. W. Rowlett .50
- S. M. Richardson 1.00
- A. B. Cox 1.00
- Dr. D. M. Stone 1.00
- A. N. Bryson 1.00
- W. J. Yantis 1.00

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Men's brown duck riding suits at Vincent's.



Rate 5c per line per insertion.

For Sale—Good coming 2-year-old Suffolk colt from O. A. McShan horse. See J. F. Schaeg.

For Sale—A 5-room cottage in North Brady, at a bargain. See Frank Biggs.

For Sale—Sharples separator, good as new. Or will trade. See J. M. Connally.

For Sale—Three registered female fox terrier dogs, cheap. See V. L. Sessions.

For Sale—The E. L. Wade residence and hotel; also wagons and harness. See Mrs. E. L. Wade, or phone 87.

For Rent—Nicely furnished room close in. Phone 22.

Notice.

Want to trade good motorcycle for young cow or heifer. For information write Box 164, Brady.

Before You Buy a Car
See J. S. Abernathy about the Birch. Price \$750.00, delivered.

Lost—Pair of glasses, gold frame with bows, in B. L. Malone & Co. case; "E. I. C." scratched on back of case. Return to Eph Cummins.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. W. Scott is here from Tahoka on business.

S. C. Rowe of Fort Worth returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Williams was here from Broadmoor yesterday shopping.

W. W. Cherry of the Brown county metropolis was a Sunday visitor in Brady.

B. A. Hallum made a business trip to Brownwood on the Monday evening train.

Mrs. Ben Sedar of Mason left Sunday for Kanapolis, Kan., where she will visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Baumann of Field Creek are visiting the family of H. C. Samuel.

Pat Standifer has been in Austin the past few days, where he placed his daughter in school.

Mrs. Ellen Sands of Mason took the evening passenger Sunday for El Paso, where she will visit.

Brady's "social center" (the depot) had a large gathering of friends and acquaintances Sunday evening.

Misses Esther Creath of Abilene and Ollie Miens of Coleman are guests this week of Miss Carrie Sessions.

Mrs. C. R. Mathis of Amity, Oregon, has arrived in Brady for a visit with the family of her uncle, Thos. S. Wood.

Miss Margaret Bierschwale of Mason was in the city Sunday enroute to Randolph Macon college at Lynchburg, Va.

Misses Jennie White and Julia Bierschwale of Mason left Sunday night for Ward-Beumont school at Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Paul Willoughby and son, Paul Hovey, arrived Saturday from Ozona for an extended visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Kirk, accompanied by Mrs. A. H. Conner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis at the ranch beyond Menard.

Mrs. A. B. Reagan went to Lampasas last week for a visit with relatives, accompanying her uncle, G. W. Birchfield, of Fort Worth, who had been her guest.

Sunday morning Mrs. G. W. Russell and two children arrived from Fort Worth to make their home here with Mr. Russell, the Frisco operator, until he is permanently located by the railway company.

Mrs. Ada West of Brown county came in on the Sunday morning passenger to spend the day with her aunt, Mrs. C. R. Mathis of Amity, Ore., who is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wood and other relatives.

Mrs. W. W. Walker returned Friday from Temple, where she spent the week as a guest of Mrs. Dr. Wilson. She was accompanied upon her return by Lit Walker, who underwent a successful operation at the Temple sanitarium.

Mr. and Marshall Rankin returned the latter part of last week from San Saba, Mr. Rankin having gone over the early part of the week on a business visit and to bring Mrs. Rankin home from a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Don't buy until you have seen our line of "Palmer Garments." The latest fall styles. Coats and coat suits now on display.

C. H. Vincent, South Side.

H. P. Roddie & Co. are paying top prices for Mohair, and want all your product delivered within the next fifteen days.

For windmills, pipe and mill supplies, bath tubs, etc., see Wm Bauhof, or phone 109.

Announcement.

We wish to announce to the milk consumers of this vicinity the installation of a Milk Clarifier. From now on we will be able to supply our trade with special clarified milk.

The process of clarification is positively the greatest step yet made toward the production of absolutely clean milk. Clarification removes from raw milk every particle of sediment, thick milk, dust and all objectionable matter it may contain.

We have gone to a great expense in buying this machine in order to give you clean milk in its most palatable form. Bottles and bottle caps have advanced in price and we are forced to adopt this measure: Unless the driver finds your empty bottle in its place each day he will not leave you any milk.

It is very important that you do not neglect to return your bottles. It is not sanitary to fill bottles on the route and there is a state law against this practice. So don't let them accumulate, but put them out each day and give us a chance to sterilize them and fill all bottles before leaving the dairy. We kindly ask your co-operation in this matter and you may depend upon the purity of the milk you buy from us.

Convenient deliveries and prompt service are also a part of our plan. Why not try a sample of our Special Clarified Milk?

THE SANITARY DAIRY.

Thos. Donnell, Prop.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BISMUTH QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

Every freight, every express brings us new goods.

C. H. Vincent, South Side.

Phone or write me if you have cattle or hogs for sale. Abner Hanson.

For Sale—The best disc plow on the market, the Canton and the John Deere, and they are going at the old price. We will save you money. See us before buying elsewhere. E. J. BROAD.

Plenty of cotton picker sacks, cheaper than you can buy the duck and make them, at Vincent's.

We have added the famous Firestone line of casings and tubes to our stock of automobile accessories, and can supply them in any size. Nothing better than the Firestone. W. M. Murphy. King building, North side square.

These cool mornings make one think of heating stoves. Let us show you a Darling hot blast. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Cotton picker sacks, 75c each, at Vincent's.

Phone 295 when you want cow feed, and order "Four In One." Best feed on the market. Macy & Co.

All kinds automobile accessories at Murphy's. Next to Standard office.

When you think of printing, think of The Brady Standard. Phone 163.

A large shipment of guns. If you are thinking of getting one, better come and get pick. They are sure to be gone early. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Why not buy good merchandise when you get it at the same price?
C. H. Vincent, South Side.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

H. E. Finnigan has located in the Fife community and has us send his Standard to that address.

Ben Brown, who has been spending the past several weeks at Marlin, returned Saturday, and his friends are pleased to note a wonderful improvement in his condition, the rheumatism having entirely left him. He is able to be about and is rapidly regaining his strength.

John O. Beck orders The Standard sent to him at Florence, Texas, where he has an excellent position as teacher of English and History in the high school, which opened last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Beck were located at Fife the past year. Their many McCulloch county friends will be pleased to learn of their success.

Jack Burrows has resigned his position with S. Goldwasser to accept a position as salesman with Borschow Salvage Co. Mr. Burrows is well known to the retail dry goods and clothing trade and invites his many friends to call on him at his new location.

Miss Ella Borschow has accepted a position as stenographer at the Commercial National bank.

A. W. Tipton left last Friday night for Dallas accompanying Mrs. Tipton to the Baptist sanitarium at that place. Mrs. Tipton yesterday morning underwent a very serious operation, and a message yesterday afternoon stated she was just coming out from under the influence of the anesthetic. No later news has been had, but all the many friends of the family are hopeful that Mrs. Tipton may have an early recovery.

Jim Wyckoff has accepted a position in the Jones Barber shop, taking the place of Top Jones, who has forsaken the business to undertake ranching. In making the change, Mr. Wyckoff has discontinued the Bank Barber shop and has stored his fixtures until he makes some disposition of same. He is well-known to patrons of the local tonsorial parlors, and all will be pleased to learn that he has become associated with the Jones' shop.

Rev. T. P. Grant, Sec. D. W. Rowlett and several other Brady live wires will go to Melvin tonight to hold a good roads meeting and to secure the co-operation of the Melvin citizens in getting the roads in shape for the National highways. Tomorrow night they will go to Lohn on a similar mission. The McCulloch county citizenship is becoming alive to the real meaning and value of National highways, and it is a safe guess that more united effort will be put forth on road improvement work during the next twelve months than was ever known before.

Mr. and Mrs. Top Jones have packed their household effects, and last Saturday moved them to the Stewart ranch in Sutton county, where they will make home. Mr. and Mrs. Jones have a large circle of friends who regret to see them leave, but Mr. Jones has for some time desired outdoor work, and following the sale of his property here a few weeks back, was not long in deciding that ranch life had charms that the barber business could never hope to equal. In their new location they have the best wishes of all their many friends, and upon their part, they promise early and often returns to the scene of their past enjoyable associations.

Three strong reasons urge you to buy the Ford car; First because of its record of satisfactory service to more than fifteen hundred thousand owners; Second, because of the reliability of the Company which makes it; Third, because of its large radiator and enclosed fan, streamline hood, crown fenders front and rear, black finish, nickel trimmings, it is most attractive in appearance. To these must be added its wonderful economy in operation and maintenance—about two cents a mile; likewise the fact that by reason of its simplicity in construction anyone can operate and care for it. Nine thousand Ford agents make Ford service as universal as the car. Touring Car \$360 Runabout \$345 Coupelet \$505 Town Car \$595 Sedan \$645—f. o. b. Detroit.

WM. CONNOLLY & CO., Local Agent

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bodenhamer will regret to learn of their departure for Oklahoma, where they will make their home. They leave tonight for Stillwater to spend a week with their son, and will where Mr. Bodenhamer will look after business interests for his son. Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Ogden and little son will accompany them, Mr. Ogden being associated with Mr. Bodenhamer in business interests there. Mr. Bodenhamer retains his property interests here, and reserves the privilege of returning at any time.

Plenty of cotton bats at Vincent's.

Ask H. P. Roddie & Co. for top quotations on your Mohair. We want all your Mohair delivered within the next fifteen days.

Full stock of casings and inner tubes at Murphy's. Next to Standard office.

Let us sell you one of our \$3.50 L. & P. bed springs. They are guaranteed for a life time. G. D. Mann & Sons.

Report of the Condition of THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK
At Brady, in the State of Texas, at the Close of Business on September 12th, 1916.

Resources		
Loans and discounts (except those shown on b)	\$540,252.16	\$540,252.16
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	32,500.00	
U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits (par value)	2,000.00	
Total U. S. bonds		34,500.00
Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock		1,500.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		6,000.00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	9,157.05	9,157.05
Furniture and fixtures		6,465.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		9,300.00
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank		21,869.74
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	41,596.44	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	20,386.88	61,983.32
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11)		33,639.69
Other checks on banks in same city or town as reporting bank	3,191.80	
Outside checks and other cash items	6,388.63	
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	593.25	6,981.88
Notes of other national banks		5,060.00
Coin and certificates		21,350.00
Legal tender notes		5,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,625.00
Other assets, if any—Cotton Acceptances		147,456.26
Total		\$915,331.90
Liabilities.		
Capital stock paid in		\$130,000.00
Surplus fund		70,000.00
Undivided profits	\$ 33,269.35	
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	6,245.62	27,023.73
Circulating notes outstanding		32,500.00
Net amount due to approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	8.05	8.05
Net amount due to banks and bankers (other than included in 31 or 32)		96,718.61
Individual deposits subject to check		472,774.67
Postal savings deposits		1,306.84
Total demand deposits, Items 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42	474,081.51	
Certificates of deposit		10,000.00
Bills payable, including all obligations representing money borrowed, other than rediscounts		75,000.00
Total		\$915,331.90

State of Texas, County of McCulloch, ss:—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 19th day of September, 1916.

WM. R. DAVIDSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. N. WHITE,
W. E. CAMPBELL,
J. S. WALL,
Directors.

Announcements

For Representative 114th Dist.:
T. J. (TOM) BEASLEY.
For Judge 35th Judicial Dist.:
J. O. WOODWARD.
For District Clerk:
P. A. CAMPBELL.
For County Judge:
JOHN E. BROWN.
For County Sheriff:
J. C. (Jim) WALL.
For County Clerk:
W. J. YANTIS.
For County Tax Assessor:
H. R. (Henry) HODGES.
For County Tax Collector:
S. H. (Silas) MAYO.
For County Treasurer:
JUNE COORPENDER.
For County Attorney:
EVANS J. ADKINS.
For County Superintendent:
E. L. WHITE.
For County Surveyor:
W. P. DOTY.
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 1:
CHAS. SAMUELSON.
For Commissioner Pre. No. 2:
R. L. BURNS.
For Commissioner Pre. No. 3:
J. M. CARROLL.
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 1:
T. J. KING.
For Public Weigher:
J. U. SILVERS.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is the list of letters remaining unclaimed at Brady, Texas, for the week ending September 16, 1916:

Ladies' List.

Milburn, Mrs. A.
Simpson, Mrs. Lula.

Gentlemen's List.

Allen, J. S.
Carrington, Fred.
Craford, W. C.
Draper, Dave.
Hunt, Major.
Lewis, Will.
Moore, J. W.
Rankin, Williams.

Mexican Letters.

Arreola, Pomposo.
Bermea, Antonio.
Luna, Damito.
Ramirez, Alfredo.

When calling for any of the above listed letters please say that they were advertised, and give number and date of advertisement.

A. BURTON REAGAN,
Postmaster.

The Magic Washing Stick.

"The Magic Washing Stick is the thing—it sure will do the work. It makes the clothes so white and clean," says Mrs. M. L. Beaver, Canton, Texas. We want you to try this article at our risk. If you don't like it, it don't cost you one cent. It washes clothes without rubbing. Makes washing a pleasure instead of a drudgery. Call and let us tell you about the Magic Washing Stick. The Jones Drug Co., Brady, Texas.

We have plenty of all kinds of ammunition. O. D. Mann & Sons.

New line of silk petticoats on display at Vincent's.

Making a Bad Matter Worse.

It is a dangerous thing when you have let slip an unfortunate remark to try to cover up the blunder.

Mrs. G. was talking with the wife of Judge H. about her son's choice of a profession. "I don't want him to be a lawyer," she said.

"Why not?" said the judge's wife. "I think there is nothing much finer than the legal profession for a bright boy."

"Well," said Mrs. G. bluntly, "a lawyer has to tell so many lies." Then it dawned on her that she was talking to the wife of a lawyer; so she hastily added "That is—er—to be a good lawyer!"

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

(Delayed from Last Week)

STACY SAYINGS.

Many Stacy Young Folks Off for School.

Stacy, Texas, Sept. 11.
Editor Brady Standard:

Miss Ritamae Taylor left this week for Denton where she will attend C. I. A. college at that place.

L. M. Griffin left Friday for Junction to be at the bedside of his niece, who is seriously ill.

Dr. Mannering and son, Ivan, made a business trip to Coleman Thursday.

Lester Cox was in Coleman Wednesday on business.

Mr. B. F. Davis and daughter were in Brady one day the past week.

Miss Kathaleen Doss is visiting in Coleman this week.

Lester Mannering left this week for Brownwood, where he will attend school the coming season.

Miss Althamae DuBois and brother, Roy, left this week for Brady where they will attend school.

Miss Cleve Doss leaves this week for Denton where she will attend C. I. A. college the coming season.

Mrs. Archie Johnson and children have returned home from Post and Snider, after several weeks' visit with relatives.

Miss Stella Watson, who has been the guest of her sister the past week, left Saturday for Coleman, where she will teach school the coming season.

Mrs. Sam Johnson has returned from San Angelo where she has been visiting the past week.

Mrs. Wiley Williams and Wiley, Jr., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson this week.

Mrs. Fletch Powell of Konhasie is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dickinson.

Mrs. Jenkins, who is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Rev. Burrow, is visiting in Brady this week.

Showers still continue to fall in and around Stacy, but the big rain has not come yet.

Will vote for the Pear Valley Correspondent.

SUNFLOWER.

The Magic Washing Stick.

We want the people of Brady to know that we positively guarantee that the Magic Washing Stick will in fact wash clothes without the use of a washboard or machine, thus saving all the hard work on washday. We will let you try the Magic Washing Stick five times at our risk and if at the end of that time you do not say it is the best thing you ever saw, we will give you your money back. Come and let us explain it to you. The Jones Drug Co., Brady, Texas.

ONION GAP SAYINGS.

Bratton Bros. Have Cattle Look-in Fine at Present.

Rochelle, Texas, Sept. 12.
Editor Brady Standard:

We have begun saying, "I do hope it won't rain." Principally all the cotton has opened in the last week, and hands can't be had at any price. If nothing happens, the bulk of the cotton crop will be over by the first of October.

Loyd Watson and wife are the proud grand parents of a fine baby girl, who made her appearance Monday. Mother and babe doing nicely.

There was a right good crowd out at church meeting at the Gap Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Reynolds were visiting Mrs. Reynold's parents Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gressett were

visiting in Brady Saturday night and Sunday, guests of A. W. Wood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Neal have been picking cotton for Mr. Clyde Eubank.

Mr. Andy Hall and wife were guests at the Ince home Sunday.

Mr. Brown and family and Mrs. Fletcher and children of Uvalde are camped on the Sellman place, picking cotton. Those people said it was as muddy where they started from as it was dry where they landed.

Bill McCartney and family were visiting at Mr. Gressett's Friday.

Clyde Eubank has his well drill set where he intends to drill a well in the near future. It will be remembered, Mr. Eubank bought half section of the Pumphrey ranch, that joins Charley Bratton on the north. He intends to move to same in the new year.

Mrs. Steward was visiting Mrs. Watson Monday.

The Bratton Boys have a nice bunch of fat stock in the Bratton pocket at the Gap. We were surprised to see stock looking so well.

Mr. Calloway has moved to the Jim Bell place, which he recently purchased from H. E. Finnigan.

Mrs. Watson's mother, of San Saba, is visiting her this week.

The sprinkler ran through our Gap Tuesday.

Floyd Ince went to Melvin the first of the week to pick cotton.

FAIRY.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Peter Schuttler wagons. O. D. Mann & Sons.

EDEN ECHO

From Eden Echo:

The Stephens gin has ginned 578 bales; J. P. Sorrell, 44.

Ed Latham has weighed 1100 bales.

The Eden city council, at a meeting Tuesday night, elected L. E. Laurence, Jr., as city attorney.

J. E. Odiome of San Saba shipped 12 cars of cattle from Eden Wednesday.

Mrs. Mattie McWilliams paid Brady a visit Tuesday.

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years.

At all druggists.
Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain language. B.G. 128

NORTH BRADY.

Shower Tuesday Not Sufficient to Bring up Turnips.

Brady, Texas, Sept. 12.
Editor Brady Standard:

Well, I have been quite a while joining the circle of writers, but will do my best to be interesting.

Most every one in this neighborhood has to haul water.

Miss Dollie Ranne of Rochelle visited her sister, Mrs. Kittie Hoffman, Saturday.

Jonah Bell is cutting feed this week for John M. Johnson.

Several have picked one or more bales of cotton, but cotton is opening so rapidly, picking will begin right, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Sanders' baby has been real ill, teething, but is all right at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Hoffman called on Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Sanders Saturday night.

Messrs. Tom and Morgan Sanders' mother from Travis county is here on a visit with relatives.

Mrs. John M. Johnson spent the day with her sister, Mrs. R. V. Stearns Thursday.

Mrs. G. A. Nelson and Miss Ebba Ekdall spent the day with Mrs. C. P. Eklund Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tatum Gressett took dinner with Mrs. Jim Cottrell Saturday, and went to Am Wood's to spend Saturday night and Sunday with a cousin of Mrs. Gressett, who is visiting at Am Wood's home at present.

The visit, of course, was a very enjoyable one, as this was the first time they ever met.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sanders and his mother visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McShan Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spillers, near Carrol Colony, visited Mrs. Mattie Riley Sunday evening.

Mrs. Nannie Cottrell went to Whiteland to visit her new grand daughter, born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cottrell one day last week.

We got a little shower today, but not enough moisture to bring up turnips.

TOPAZ.

Disc plows are dry time plows. The Standard is made to do the best work when the ground is good and hard, as it is now. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The Boston Pencil Sharpener is indispensable. Ask any user. Two sizes—\$1.00 and \$1.50. Does the work of any \$5.00 machine. The thing when you want to put on a sale. The Brady Standard.

How about your watch? Is it keeping correct time? If not, let us remedy the trouble for you. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Grant, jeweler, east side square.

Get top prices for your Mohair. See H. P. Roddie & Co. during the next fifteen days.

For Sale—Bain, Studebaker and Fort Smith wagons, the world's best. Let us sell you a wagon. E. J. BROAD.

Another shipment of "Wooley Boy" school suits arrived this week.

C. H. Vincent, South Side.

We have some very pretty patterns of linoleum. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Don't sell your cattle and hogs before getting my bid. Abner Hanson.

Ask to see samples of Astor Text—the latest and most approved style of engraving for cards and stationery. The Brady Standard.

For Sale—Three or four good second-hand disc plows, John Deere and Canton. E. J. BROAD.

WANT TO SELL?

If you want to sell your property in McCulloch county, we have a buyer ready. ACOSTA BROS.

O. D. MANN & SONS

BRADY, TEXAS

Funeral Directors UNDERTAKERS AND EMBALMERS

HEARSE IN CONNECTION

Day Phone No. 4

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There's a Risk

in failing to exercise care in the selection of the Mechanic who works on your car. OUR'S has had years of experience and is no amateur in his line.

Simpson & Co.

DEEP CREEK WRITE-UP.

8-Year Old Grandson of J. F. Powell Bitten by Rattler.

Deep Creek, Texas, Sept. 10.
Editor Brady Standard:

We failed to get in our bit of news last week, but will say that we haven't had any rain yet.

People of this part are all very busy on the account of trying to get their cotton out before we have any rain.

G. Parks is doing successful work with his gasoline plow. Mr. Parks is a hustler. He awakes his entire neighbors of a morning before their usual hour as he goes back and forth in his car from his work home; so if you people have any sleepy head, call the Parks' plow crew.

Commissioner H. E. McBride is spending a few days in Brady now.

Mr. J. W. Powell is now in possession of a gasoline well machine. He says people need water in his neighborhood and he will go down after it. He is to begin drilling for Mr. Caywer this week.

The protracted meeting closed Sunday night, the 10th. It was conducted by the Bro. Swinney. People were so busy, they didn't have such large crowds as was expected. One candidate for baptism and a large crowd Sunday, and a fine dinner. All who could attend the baptizing at the river in the evening. A week's meeting is to begin at Placid Monday night, 11th, conducted by the same preacher. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Annie Steward is on the sick list yet. She improves very slowly.

The Powell kindred were shocked Sunday when the news reached them from Llano that Earston Boatright, the 8-year old grandson of J. F. Powell, was bitten on the ankle by a rattlesnake.

He was in serious condition at that hour; haven't had any later news.

Mrs. G. Parks was visiting Mrs. Tull Smith Monday. She was accompanied by Grandma Parks.

The people of our community were real glad to meet the visitors from other communities Sunday. Placid was well represented. Glad to see the Placid people.

Mrs. Edd Penn has gone home. She and little son, Clifton, enjoyed a week's stay with home folks and attended the Christian meeting.

J. F. Powell and wife and daughter, Mrs. Ada Long, made a trip to Brownwood and back Saturday for medical treatment.

This writer hasn't very much news, so I will wish success to

GARLAND.

The Magic Washing Stick.

"I received your Magic Washing Sticks and have tried them and think they are just fine. They make the clothes so clear and clean," writes Mrs. Fay Collins, Route 1, Box 20, Pampa, Texas. Washes clothes without rubbing. Guaranteed to please you. Ask the Jones Drug Co., Brady, Texas.

Shirts, Ties, Socks, Underwear at C. H. Vincent, South Side.

Roddie & Co. are in the market for your Mohair. See them for top prices within the next fifteen days.

Get your auto accessories from Murphy. Next to Standard office I am making shipments every week, and am in the market for your cattle and hogs. Abner Hanson.

A complete stock of iron beds to choose from. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Get Four In One.

The best cow feed—hulls and meal mixed. Sold by Macy & Co.

MASON MAVERICKS

From The News

Kurt Martin was in town last Monday from the Block House ranch closing up a deal with J. R. Hext, in which he became the owner of Mr. Hext's 2,045 acre farm near Hext, paying him \$8.50 per acre. This property is located but a short way from the Block House ranch and he says he will rent or lease the farm land, while he will stock the pasture and attend to himself without changing his place of residence.

Max Martin enlarged his ready large Block House ranch last week when he purchased 1700 acres adjoining him from J. I. Jones of Tucker. 480 acres Mr. Martin paid \$12.50 for, while for the remaining 1220 acres he paid \$11.00 per acre.

Hon. E. J. Hernan, assistant director general of the National Highway association, spoke at the court house on Wednesday night. The crowd turning out to hear Mr. Hernan was large, although it was composed chiefly of men, only a few women attending. Before adjourning the crowd voted unanimously in favor of organizing a Mason County Good Roads association to affiliate with the Texas Good Roads association. "Something like sixty of Mason county citizens joined this organization last night and it is expected that by the last of the week there will be as many more to join. S. A. McCollum was elected president of the association, while Felix Jordan of Katemcy was elected vice president and John T. Banks elected secretary and treasurer.