

List of Lands, Lots, or Parts of Lots, Returned Delinquent or Reported Sold to the State of Texas Since January 1, 1885. Situated in McCulloch County.

The State of Texas, County of McCulloch, I, S. H. Mayo, Tax Collector of McCulloch County, do hereby certify that this is a correct record of lands and town lots according to the delinquent tax records in my office from the years from 1885 to 1914, both inclusive, to the best of my knowledge.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by S. H. Mayo this the 17th day of September, A. D. 1915.

W. J. YANTIS, County Clerk McCulloch County, Texas.

1912, T. O. Boring, Ab. 14, Or. G. Albers, Cert. 832, Pat. Cottle & Mosley, Acres Del. 21, St. Rev. 58c, Sch. 97c, Poll \$1.50, Pen. 30c, Co. Adv. \$1.16, Sp. \$1.22, Poll 25c, Dist. Sch. \$2.61, Pen. 52c, Total \$9.11.

W. T. Lemons, Acres Del. 320, St. Adv. \$3.20, Sch. \$5.33, Pen. 85c, Co. Adv. \$6.40, Sp. \$6.72, Dist. Sch. \$6.40, Pen. \$1.95, Total \$30.85.

Sp \$1.18, Poll 25c, Dist. Sch. \$1.00, Pen. 34c, Total \$7.49.

St. Adv. 45c, Sch. 49c, Pen. 9c, Co. Adv. 68c, Sp. 82c, Dist. Sch. 54c, Pen. 20c, Total \$2.27.



1906, Unknown, Brady, F Ad, Lt 2, Bk 30, St Adv 5c, Sch 4c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 7c, Sp 7c, Pen 3c, Total 27c.

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1911, Dan Carter, Brady, Lt 5, Bk 2, St Adv 3c, Sch 5c, Poll \$1.50, Pen 1c, Co Adv 7c, Sp 14c, Poll 25c, Pen 5c, Total \$2.22.

1913, Unknown, Brady, Lt 5, Bk 15, St Adv 12c, Sch 8c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 11c, Sp 22c, Pen 3c, Total 62c.

1914, Unknown, Brady, Lt 6, Bk 15, St Adv 12c, Sch 8c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 11c, Sp 22c, Pen 3c, Total 62c.

Sp \$5.05, Pen 7c, Total \$13.63. 1909, R. D. Dyer, Brady, Lt Ad, SE 1-4 Bk 130, St Adv 46c, Sch \$1.52, Pen 20c, Co Adv \$2.28, Sp \$3.54, Pen 59c, Total \$8.69.



1905, Unknown, Brady, F Ad, Lt 2, Blk 30, St Adv 5c, Sch 4c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 7c, Sp 7c, Pen 3c, Total 27c.

1906, Unknown, Brady, F Ad, Lt 2, Blk 30, St Adv 5c, Sch 4c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 7c, Sp 7c, Pen 3c, Total 27c.

1907, Unknown, Brady, F Ad, Lt 2, Blk 30, St Adv 5c, Sch 4c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 7c, Sp 7c, Pen 3c, Total 27c.

1908, Unknown, Brady, F Ad, Lt 2, Blk 30, St Adv 5c, Sch 4c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 7c, Sp 7c, Pen 3c, Total 27c.

1909, Unknown, Brady, F Ad, Lt 2, Blk 30, St Adv 5c, Sch 4c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 7c, Sp 7c, Pen 3c, Total 27c.

1910, Unknown, Brady, F Ad, Lt 2, Blk 30, St Adv 5c, Sch 4c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 7c, Sp 7c, Pen 3c, Total 27c.











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## LYRIC THEATRE

FRIDAY, JAN. 19

PRESENTS

*Douglas Fairbanks*

In the Great Frontier Drama

*"The Good Bad Man"*

Also the Laughable Keystone Comedy

*"Her Marble Heart"*

Prices 25c; Children 10c

Only One Show Starting at 7:45

Coming:

*The Great Drama, "Stepping Stone."*

## BUSINESS NOTICE

The firm of Myers & Myers, Confectioners, has been dissolved, Joe Myers retiring, and the business will in the future be conducted by W. I. Myers. I will endeavor to please the public, and will at all times handle only the very best in fruits, vegetables and confections.

### W. I. MYERS

Phone 376

### SNOW IN McCULLOCH.

White Blanket Covers Earth and Sleighriding is Fine.

The McCulloch county landscape is clothed in a blanket of white as a consequence of the sleet and rain which fell Sunday morning, and improvised sleds and sleighs have added to the enjoyment of this unusual event in Brady.

The norther of Saturday evening was resolved into a sleet storm Sunday morning, the icy particles and the slight moisture accompanying it froze as it fell, until within a few hours a solid sheet of ice encased the earth. On top of it all came a snow, the soft white flakes covering the ice clad earth with a fluffy covering like down. The brisk atmosphere, while quite cool, was not too crisp for enjoyment and it was not long until numerous sleds were furnishing pleasure for the young folks and several of the older folks had joined in the merriment by replacing buggy wheels with runners and were driving about the slippery streets.

The thermometer registered about 26 degrees above zero on Sunday, while yesterday morning was probably the coldest of the spell, the mercury dropping to 22 degrees above zero, or 10 degrees below freezing. The weather continues clear and calm, while slight drizzles of rain give hopes for more snow or moisture.

The snow appears to have been heavier in other portions of the state, Fort Worth reporting over half a foot fall, while in Brownwood there was said to be about four inches of snow.

Farmers are highly pleased over the snow and sleet, which, slight as it was, will prove of benefit to the winter grains which had not yet died out.

It is of interest to note that in the past seven years but six snows have been placed on record in McCulloch county, as follows: December 17, 1909, March 19, 1914, December 16, 1914, January 17, 1915, January 23, 1915, January 14, 1917.

While it is certain there have been other, and possibly greater snows in by-gone days, the fore-

## MATCO TRAILERS

*The Solution of the Delivery Problem*

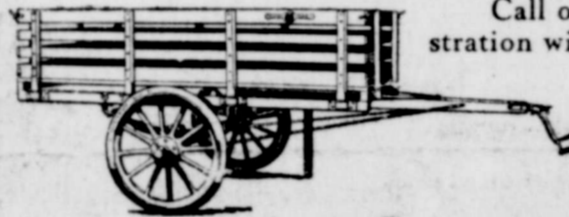
"MATCO" Trailers are built to stand up under any kind of work they are put to. They endure excessive usage because they are of motor truck construction throughout, and because of their long life and dependability make an immense cut in delivery costs in every line of business.

*Timken Axles  
Timken Roller Bearings  
Artillery Wheels  
Truck-Type Tires*

If you are interested in increasing the efficiency of your delivery and at the same time cutting your costs, we'd like you to investigate the "Matco" Trailer—it's built for that purpose.

Day in and day out grind proves it's built in quality. Your haulage can be simplified and made cheaper.

Call or write for complete information. A demonstration will convince you.



### F. R. Wulff

BRADY -- TEXAS

going is as far as the record of The Standard extends.

### FOR SALE.

Farm containing 165 acres, 6 miles south-west of Brady, near Dodge school. About 100 acres in cultivation. Easy terms. J. E. GRIFFITH, P. O. Box 944, Austin, Texas.

Dynamite, caps and fuse. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Another shipment of Dollar Pencil Sharpeners. Better than a jack knife for the boy or girl.

### Attention Dog Owners!

This is the month in which dog license for the year 1917 must be secured. Promptly on February 1st the dog catcher will begin the work of catching and impounding all dogs without proper license. You can avoid trouble and payment of a penalty by getting your license tag now.

LOUIS BAKER, City Marshal.

Advertise it in The Standard.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all our friends and the citizens of the Doole community for their kindness, assistance and attention during the illness of our mother, Mrs. Sallie A. Stafford, and for their words of consolation at her death on Tuesday, January 8th. Especially do we wish to thank Mr. Henry Cummins. We will ever remember you all with the deepest gratitude.

THE CHILDREN.

On account of the cold and unfavorable weather, breaking of ground, and the attendant ceremonies, for the new Methodist church building, which were scheduled to take place on Monday, have been postponed until a more favorable time. The stakes marking the corners of the new edifice, were set last

week, and the contractor has had lumber and material placed on the ground in readiness for the opening operations.

Free air and water to all autoists at Brady Auto Co.

FOR SALE—The Pear Valley school has 50 or 60 double desks for sale, at a greatly reduced price. See J. W. Jones, trustee.

### When You Have a Prescription Filled



here you can rest assured that the ingredients and compoundings are just as they should be. Physicians and nurses know that we fill prescriptions with absolute accuracy. They know that we use the best drugs only and that we use a checking system that eliminates mistakes.

### Jones Drug Co., Inc.

C. A. TRIGG, Manager

Retail Store On the Corner  
"Your Money Back if You Want It"

## Advance Showing OF Spring Goods

New Percales New Gingham  
New Silks New Skirts  
New LACES and EMBROIDERIES

### C. H. Vincent

DRY GOODS

SOUTH SIDE



# The Representative Beverage and its Representative Representatives

Merit attracts merit—success attracts the successful. No beverage ever before has, in so short a time, attracted to its standard such a fine army of representative men and concerns as has



## A Real Creation in Soft Drinks

Less than a year ago Bevo was a new creation—today it is as firmly established as a part of the beverage life of Texas as if it had been on the market for years. Its pure deliciousness and wholesome nutritiveness have introduced the

quality of Bevo to you and your friends—but the big men of Texas joined together to introduce the beverage to you.

They are the elements in Bevo's success.

### Read these names—they are representative in Texas—all representatives of Bevo

DEALER	CITY	DEALER	CITY	DEALER	CITY
J. S. Anderson	Corsicana	C. D. Harnett Co.	Weatherford	Pecos Mercantile Co.	Pecos
M. Ains & Sons	El Paso	Heising & Norvell Co., Inc.	Beaumont	Pecos Mercantile Co.	Marfa
Walker Smith Co.	Texas City	Howell & Co.	Port Arthur	Pugh & Co.	Sherman
Behrens Drug Co.	Waco	Howell & Co.	Bryan	Sanders Bros.	Texarkana
Belton Ice & Electric Co.	Belton	Heidenheimer-Strassburger Co.	Calvert	Sanders Bros.	Mount Pleasant
Bonham Grocery Co.	Bonham	A. A. Jackson Co.	Dallas	Sanders Bros.	Jefferson
Collins Co.	San Antonio	M. Kahn & Bro.	Denison	Southern Drug Co.	Houston
Collins Co.	Uvalde	Kirby Lumber Co.	Gainesville	Schuhmacher Co.	Houston
Crystal Ice Co.	Laredo	Lockhart Grocery Co.	Houston	Schuhmacher Co.	Smithville
Crystal Ice Co.	Greenville	Moore Grocery Co.	Lockhart	Schuhmacher Co.	Victoria
Crystal Ice Co.	Mount Pleasant	Moore Grocery Co.	Tyler	Schuhmacher Co.	Eagle Lake
Caffarelli Bros.	Brownsville	Moore Grocery Co.	Pittsburg	Schuhmacher Co.	Navasota
F. C. Flewelen	Ennis	Moore Grocery Co.	Palentine	Schuhmacher Co.	McAllen
F. Freeman	Dublin	Moore Grocery Co.	Longview	Schuhmacher Co.	Trinity
O. L. Gregory Vinegar Co.	Paris	Mayfield Co.	Tyler	Schuhmacher Co.	Llano Grande
O. L. Gregory Vinegar Co.	Clarksville	Mayfield Co.	Athens	Schuhmacher Co.	Bay City
O. L. Gregory Vinegar Co.	Cooper	Mayfield Co.	Mincola	San Augustine Grocery Co.	San Augustine
Bonham Grocery Co.	Honey Grove	Mayfield Co.	Jacksonville	San Augustine Grocery Co.	Center
Gugenheim-Goldsmith Co.	Kenedy	Mayfield Co.	Gilmer	Taylor-Hanna-James Co.	Waco
Heidenheimer-Strassburger Co.	Austin	Mayfield Co.	Terrell	Taylor-Hanna-James Co.	Hillsboro
Harkrider-Keith-Cooke Co.	Fort Worth	Mayfield Co.	Henderson	Wichita Produce Co.	Wichita Falls
Harkrider-Keith-Cooke Co.	Cleburne	Meadows Grocery Co.	Comanche	Walker Smith Co.	Galveston
Harkrider-Keith-Cooke Co.	Mineral Wells	McNamara Bros.	Austin	Walker Smith Co.	Corpus Christi
Harkrider-Keith-Cooke Co.	Thurber	Jas. F. McCord & Co.	Quannah	Walker Smith Co.	Brownwood
Heyn Co.	Marshall	Jas. F. McCord & Co.	Waxahachie	Walker Smith Co.	Brady
		Jas. F. McCord & Co.	Bowie	Walker Smith Co.	Ablene
		Nacogdoches Grocery Co.	Nacogdoches	Walker Smith Co.	Stamford
		Nacogdoches Grocery Co.	Lufkin	Walker Smith Co.	Sweetwater
		Nobles Bros.	Memphis	Walker Smith Co.	San Angelo
		Nobles Bros.	Lubbock	Walker Smith Co.	Ballinger
		Nobles Bros.	Plainview	J. P. Webster & Co.	Cisco
		Nobles Bros.	Dalhart	Weil Bros.	Corpus Christi
		Nobles Bros.	Farwell	Wangemann-Reichardt Co.	Brenham



**A False Statement.**  
St. Peter removed the chain from the party gates and viewed the applicant cautiously thru the aperture. Your credentials," he demanded imperiously. The applicant threw back his shoulders proudly. "I raised a family of seven children," said he with calm confidence. "Three of them were clergymen, two were doctors, one a missionary and one—a girl—wrote helpful anecdotes for a religious magazine." "They were born, I presume, and they were born, I presume, and they were born, I presume," said St. Peter. "You endured months of mental torture before their arrival?" "Oh, no," replied the applicant, sadly, "their mother did that." "H'm," observed St. Peter thoughtfully. "Then it was you no doubt who bathed and fed them when they were little; mended their garments, taught them their prayers put them to bed and soothed them when they started crying at 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning." "Well—er—no," said the applicant with some hesitation. "Their—er—mother did that." "Oh, yes," smiled St. Peter, "but surely it was you who saw to their education, picked up the things that they dropped around the house, listened to their childish troubles and comforted them in their woes?" "No—not exactly," stammered the applicant. "Their mother did that." At this St. Peter lost patience, for he had had a hard day. "What did you mean, then," he roared, "by saying that you had raised a family of seven children? Their mother did that! Take the first turn to the left and go straight down!" And slamming the party gates in the applicant's face, he made amends for his outburst by writing a note on mother-of-pearl stationery, inviting the mother of the seven children to visit him indefinitely.—Life.

**Important to Those Who Must Drink.**  
To the married man who can not get along without his drink, the following is the solution of bondage to the habit:  
1. Start a saloon in your own home.  
2. You be the only customer. You will have no license to pay.  
3. Give your wife two dollars to buy a gallon of whiskey, and, remember, there are 96 drinks in a gallon.  
4. Buy your drinks from your wife only, and by the time the first gallon is gone she will have \$7.60 to put in bank and \$2.00 to start in business again.  
5. Should you live ten years and continue to buy booze from her, then die with snakes in your boots, she will have money enough to give you a respectable burial, educate your children, buy a house and lot, and marry a decent man and quit thinking about you.—Exchange.

Fishing poles and lines; also casting lines, reels and minnows.  
O. D. Mann & Sons.  
Wagons, Buggies and Implements—we lead them all in prices and quality. E. J. BROAD.  
Don't sell your cattle and hogs before getting my bid. Abner Hanson.  
Did you ever investigate our prices on rugs?  
O. D. Mann & Sons.  
Tires and inner tubes. Murphy, the auto accessories man. Next to Standard office.

**Too Scientific**  
The city-bred boy's parents had just moved into the country, and arrangements were being made for him to attend the public school. One day he saw electricians at work there. "What are those fellows doing?" he asked his father. "Putting in an electric switch," was the reply. "Well I am going back to town at once," was the boy's astonishing comment. "I won't attend a school where they do their licking by electricity."—New York Times.

**MOTHER! GIVE CHILD "SYRUP OF FIGS" IF TONGUE IS COATED.**  
If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious, Clean Little Liver and Bowels.  
Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.  
A child will simply not stop playing to empty the bowels and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little ones becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleepor act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child.  
Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.  
Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.  
If it is hardware or furniture you need, we can absolutely sell you cheaper.  
O. D. Mann & Sons.  
Get your auto accessories from Murphy. Next to Standard office.  
A few more Canton and Jno. Deere Disc Plows for sale. E. J. BROAD.

**Absent Minded.**  
Ira E. Guthrie, secretary of the Interstate Public Service Company, was riding to his office on an Indianapolis street car the other day when the driver of a small car speeded out of a cross street and struck the street car squarely amidships. The street car conductor got off to investigate and collect evidence for his official report. "What's the matter with you?" the conductor asked the driver. "Don't you know you can't run under my car with the top up?"—Indianapolis News.

Phone your orders for coal to 295, Best Swastika or McAlister coal. Macy & Co.  
We furnish the homes, and the reason of it is we sell so reasonable.  
O. D. Mann & Sons.  
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.  
Let us sell you that varnish you are going to need later.  
O. D. Mann & Sons.

**Even-Handed Justice.**  
The inquiring stranger was discussing the village rose show with a native, and congratulating him on having secured first prize for his display of roses. "I suppose you were very pleased when the result was announced?" the visitor observed. "Were you surprised at your success?" "Well, I don't know as I was surprised," the rustic admitted. "You see, I bought all my plants from the judge."—Grit.

The latest and most improved in the bicycle line—CROWN. We sell them.  
O. D. Mann & Sons. Advertise it in The Standard.

**Mule Teams.**  
25 head young mules, two to five years old. See us if you want a team.  
MANN BROS.

**SAN SABA SAYINGS**  
From the Star:  
The death of N. R. (Rice) Sloan, at his home in San Saba last Friday, came as a shock to his host of friends in this county. In failing health for some time, a number of complications carried him off swiftly before many of his friends had realized that he was seriously ill. Mr. Sloan was seventy-two years old and was born in Tishomingo county, Mississippi, on Jan. 22, 1845. He was one of the pioneers of this county, having come here with other members of the Sloan family in 1854. For many years he conducted a very successful ranch in this county, but sold out his land holdings a number of years ago, and moved to town and went into the mercantile business. The splendid stone building known as the Sloan block was built by Mr. Sloan, and showed his initiative and his belief in the future of San Saba.  
Before the New Year is very old, San Saba will have in definite shape plans for the erection of an up-to-date modern hotel. Judge John Seiders and Mitch Johnson are in charge of securing stock for the new hotel and if you want to give San Saba a good, strong, substantial boost, call on them and take as much stock as your financial ability will allow you. There is no doubt of her not getting this much-needed improvement for a New Year's gift.

**SPRAINS! RUB PAINS AND SWELLING AWAY.**  
Don't Suffer. Go About Your Duties—Relief Comes the Moment You Apply "St. Jacobs Oil."  
Don't stay crippled! Rub this soothing, penetrating oil right into the sprain, ache or strain, and out comes pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling.  
Nothing else penetrates, heals and strengthens the injured muscles, nerves, tendons and ligaments so promptly. It does not burn or discolor the skin and can not cause injury. Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store now—limber up! Rub the misery right out. A moment after "St. Jacobs Oil" is applied you can not feel the slightest pain or soreness, and you can go about your regular duties.  
"St. Jacobs Oil" conquers pain. It has been used effectively for sprains, strains, soreness and stiffness for 60 years—six gold medal awards.  
We can furnish that bicycle now.  
O. D. Mann & Sons.  
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.  
Don't wait until you are out. Phone Macy & Co. today for McAlister or Swastika coal.

**U. S. Weather Report.**  
The Weather bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, sends out the following forecast for the week beginning Sunday, January 11th:  
For West Gulf States—The weather will be cold and fair during the first half of the week followed by unsettled and warmer, probably with rains on Wednesday or Thursday, and fair thereafter to end of week.

**Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's**  
The Old Standard Grove's Tonic 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.

**Horrible Crime.**  
"Not long ago," said a Judge, "a colored woman came into court to see what could be done about securing a pardon for her husband, who was in jail. 'What was your husband sentenced for?' I asked. 'Ah ain't shuah, Jedge, but Ah thinks 'twas emblazonment!' was the reply."—Case and Comment.

**Catarh Cannot Be Cured**  
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c.  
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

We keep a complete record of all orders for job printing. Just phone 163 and tell us to duplicate your last order—we'll deliver the job on time. The Brady Standard.

For the school room—Boston Dollar Pencil Sharpener—an indispensable necessity. Brady Standard, sole selling agents. ups, too. The Brady Standard.

Brady Auto Co. Complete line of gasoline, oils and supplies.  
Phone 295 for best McAlister or Swastika coal.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children  
In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears the Signature of

Standard ads get the grapes.

# THE BRADY STANDARD

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Official Paper City of Brady

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One Year \$1.00  
Six Months 50c; Three Months 25c  
More Than 50 Miles from Brady  
One Year \$1.50  
Six Months 75c; Three Months 40c

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.

Notices of church entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all matters not news, will be charged for at the regular rates.

**ADVERTISING RATES**  
Local Readers, 5c per line per issue  
Classified Ads, 5c per line per issue  
Classified Ads, 5c per line per issue  
Display Rates Given upon Application

BRADY, TEXAS, Jan. 16, 1917

### WHY I LIKE THE WEST.

A contributor to the San Angelo Standard tells in an interesting manner why he likes to live in West Texas. Following are some of his reasons:

"Because it is God's country—more sunshine, more bracing breezes, bluer skies by day and brighter stars by night than in any other part of the world; and the people are like the country, with hearts as big and broad as its prairies, and spirits as free and forceful as its bracing winds.

"Because the people combine the hospitality and courtesy of the Old South with the strength and vigor of the New West; because the stranger is treated like a friend and fellow-citizen; like a brother.

"Because your neighbor is your neighbor—and not 'the man who lives next door.' He is the kind who calls you over to breakfast when your wife is out of town or your cook quits.

"I like this country because in it disrespect to a woman is a thing unknown, and from the roughest and most uncouth looking man, she will hear never a coarse or an unkind word; will never see an impertinent look in his honest eyes.

"I like this country because a man is judged by what is in his heart and not what is in his pocket.

"I like it because rough clothes with boots and spurs are as good as tailor-made—and because they are no better.

"I like it because everybody you meet on the street seeks to you, and everybody you pass on the road waves to you.

"It is the country of light and warmth and color and strength and vigor and friendship and welcome, and there's room for everybody."

A dear lady subscriber of The Brady Standard, living in the North, who has been on our list the past five years sends in her renewal subscription of \$1.50, and complains: "I think the advance in price of 50c rather extreme, particularly as we see no mention of oil lands activity." Unfortunately, dear subscriber, there is no oil land activity to report. We once had high hopes of seeing snouting oil wells dot the hills and valleys of this fair land like checkers on a checker board, but such is not the case. The money has been put into the wells instead of the money coming out of the wells. No returns or oil stock have come in time

ly aid in meeting the high and constantly increasing cost of paper; and so we must depend upon our readers to help us tide over the times of high prices and non-producing oil wells.

### 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 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.

### Goes to New York.

Dr. R. A. Lindley left on last Saturday night for New York City, where he will make a visit with his brother, Dr. H. W. Lindley, incidental to spending some time with the leading impurities of coloring matters and chemicals, with a view of arranging an advance purchase of sufficient supplies to assure his being able to meet every demand for his successful product, Dr. Lindley's Marking Ink. He expects also to place on the market another product, a bluing of superior merit, during the year. Upon his return to Brady, he will be accompanied by his brother, who will visit here for several months.

### Joe Johnson Dead.

Joe Johnson, a prominent citizen of the Melvin community, died at his home Sunday from pneumonia, with which was combined an attack of paralysis. Deceased was about 43 years of age, and was well known throughout the county. He had been sick for some time, and had just returned from a visit in the Abilene country, where he had gone in the hopes of benefiting his health, about a week ago, when he was taken with his fatal illness. Funeral services were held Monday, and interment was made in the cemetery at Melvin.

**The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head**  
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO 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.

### Lady Nearly Buried Alive.

Brownwood, Texas, Jan. 9.—A Mrs. Jones, living in the Winchell section of Brown county narrowly escaped being buried alive last Saturday afternoon, according to reports which reached Brownwood today. Mrs. Jones had been suffering from the effects of pneumonia for several days when she was pronounced dead by physicians. Her body was prepared for burial in a neighboring cemetery and her relatives were notified of her death. A few minutes before the funeral services were to be held, Mrs. Jones arose in her casket. It is believed now she will get well.

LATER—Tuesday morning report comes that Mrs. Jones died Monday evening at 5 o'clock. Burial was at Algerita cemetery Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock, funeral services being conducted by Elder J. T. Whitt. The heartbroken family and relatives have the deepest sympathy of the entire community.

Mrs. Jones was formerly Miss Ozella Dickens and from childhood has been a warm personal friend of the Editor of the News. She was a companionable schoolmate, a noble girl and died a consecrated mother.—San Saba News.

### To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

Get your auto accessories from Murphy. Next to Standard office.

Shipment Boston Dollar Pencil Pointers just received. Does the work of any \$5.00 sharpener on the market. \$1.00 each. By mail, postpaid, \$1.05. The Brady Standard.

**Mrs. Stafford Dead.**  
Mrs. Sallie A. Stafford died at the home of her son in the Doole community on last Tuesday, January 9th, and was buried on Wednesday in the cemetery at Stacy. Mrs. Stafford was 66 years old, and was well known throughout that section of the country, having made her home there the past eight or nine years. She was a member of the Baptist church and was a devout Christian woman. Her husband preceded her in death a number of years ago, since which time she had been making her home with her son, Henry in the Doole community.

Surviving are five sons, Benjie of Dallas, Daniel of Fort Worth, Eddie of Coleman county and Henry and Willie living at Doole; also three daughters, Mrs. C. L. Willett of Brady, Mrs. J. H. Meador and Mrs. R. L. Whately both of Dallas. All of the children were present for the funeral, the sad occasion being their first reunion in a long number of years.

### MASON MAVERICKS

From The News.

Editor C. M. Nichols of the Kimble County Citizen took upon himself a wife as a Christmas present. He gave an account of the marriage in a humorous write-up, saying many nice things about the bride and, on the other hand, gives the groom a black eye. He stated in the heading of the article that it had been his desire for some time to have the opportunity of writing an account of a wedding in which he could tell of the many admirable traits of the bride and know that he was speaking the truth, and be able to tell the truth about the worthlessness of the groom without having to dodge him for fear of getting a thrashing.

Last Sunday, January 7th, at Llano, the marriage of Mr. G. H. Willis, sheriff and tax collector of Mason county, and Miss Ellen Wyckoff of Cold Creek, was solemnized, Rev. Streater of Llano pastor of the Christian church, officiating. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wyckoff of Cold Creek, having been born and reared near Field Creek, and is well known by many of the people of Mason county. The groom needs no introduction at our hands, having been elected sheriff and tax collector of this county at the recent general election, and having been born and raised in this county near Pontotoc, is widely and favorably known throughout the county. The young couple returned to Mason last Monday and have started house keeping in the jail building.

Sam Hoerster recently purchased the O. M. Smith farm in the Peters Prairie section, paying \$22 per acre for same, and the farm consists of 480 acres.

Mrs. Lucy Caroline (Motte) Vedder, one of Mason's most beloved citizens, died at the home of her son, C. S. Vedder, Sunday January 7, 1917, at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Vedder was a native of Texas, born at Navasota, October 18, 1844. She was married to J. S. Vedder at Navasota in 1869. After a few years they moved to California, where their only child, C. S. Vedder, of the Vedder Drug Co. of Mason, was born. After a few years' residence in California, they returned to Texas and lived in this state the remainder of their lives. After her husband's death, which occurred two years ago at Mason, Mrs. Vedder lived with her son, C. S. Vedder, until her death. Mrs. Vedder was a faithful member of the Methodist church from childhood.

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

### PERSONAL MENTION.

S. E. McKnight was in the city Saturday from Sonora, enroute to Fort Worth.

Dave Pliner left on Saturday night for Fort Worth, where he will spend several days.

Carl Sheppard, linotype operator with The Standard, is taking an enforced vacation on account of illness.

Miss Ruth Babb of Santa Anna is making her home in the city, having accepted a position with S. A. Benham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stoneberg have the sympathy of all in the loss of their 3-year-old child, which died Sunday night.

H. N. Cook, the genial proprietor of the Queen hotel, is enjoying a visit from his sisters, Mesdames Marcus S. Sonntag of Evansville, Ind., and D. M. Cowie and little daughter, Margaret, of Ann Arbor, Mich, who arrived Sunday morning for a visit of several weeks.

G. E. Young was in town Saturday and reported that he was building a new house on his place seven miles north of town. The new building will have five rooms and galleries and will be built with a special view to maximum comfort and convenience. C. V. Gustafson is doing the carpenter work.

E. W. Harris was in from Broadmoor Saturday, and reported that he expected to leave Sunday night for his new ranch in Missouri, taking with him a number of Mexican families who will be employed as sheep-herders. Mr. Harris said that there has been aroused wide-spread interest in that section since the accounts of his purchase were first published, and he has had many inquiries as to the possibilities of that territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Davidson and daughter, accompanied by Mrs. M. L. Stallings, returned Saturday from the oil field near Houston, where they have been watching developments the past several weeks. Will reports the prospects for a good well as excellent, and now that the drillers have begun cleaning the well, developments are being noted with keen anticipation. The trip, both going and returning was made in the Davidson Hupmobile, and from Cuero to Brady, a distance of 253 miles, was made in one day's drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Calvert arrive yesterday morning from Waco, and their many friends will be pleased to learn that they are again to make their home in Brady, Mr. Calvert having accepted a position with G. R. and J. H. White, taking charge of their office and book-keeping. Mr. and Mrs. Calvert have been located in Waco since leaving Brady some three years ago, Mr. Calvert having charge of the bookkeeping department of the Waco Machinery & Foundry Co., but despite the attraction of a large city, he has had a longing to get back to his old friends and the familiar scenes in Brady, consequently he is happy to be once more numbered a citizen here.

Standard ads get the grapes.

## WHAT IS LAX-FOS

LAX-FOS is an improved Cascara (a tonic-laxative) pleasant to take

In LAX-FOS the Cascara is improved by the addition of certain harmless chemicals which increase the efficiency of the Cascara, making it better than ordinary Cascara. LAX-FOS is pleasant to take and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. Adapted to children as well as adults. Just try one bottle for constipation. 50c.



## Did You Know

One-third of your life was spent in bed. Make that part comfortable with a **SEALY MATTRESS**. They are guaranteed for 20 years and no telling how long they will last after.

# O. D. Mann & Sons

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### SAN SABA SAYINGS

From the Star:

H. W. Marley, pioneer citizen of San Saba county, died Sunday morning at one o'clock at his home near Big Valley. Funeral services were conducted at 3:00 p. m. by Rev. Z. V. Liles, and burial was made in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

Mr. J. B. Carroll and Miss Ethel Cravy were married Tuesday evening at eight o'clock in Lometa. Immediately after the wedding the happy couple left for San Saba, where they intend to make their home.  
San Saba Star

### Such Pies As Mother Never Made.

What pies are conducive to sleepiness? Poppies.  
What pies were considered very annoying in olden times? Harpies.  
What pies do schoolboys usually dislike? Copies.  
What pies consider themselves quite swell? Chappies.  
What pies might bite you? Puppies.  
What pies might we sit under? Canopies.  
What pies are noisy and mischievous? Magpies.  
What pies prance around the water? Kewpies.  
What pies are placed on the table, but never eaten? Nappies.—Exchange.

### Growing Dangerous.

Near a Scotch coast town recently an old farmer and his plowman were carting sand from the seashore, says London Tid Bits. They were behind the target on the rifle range, but hidden by a bank of sand from a party of V. T. C. men who were at practice. A stray spent bullet struck the plowman on the leg, and he immediately dropped, exclaiming: "I'm shot!"  
The farmer at once ran hurriedly up the bank and frantically waving his hands to the volunteer party, shouted: "Hey, lads! Stop that shut-in" will ye. Ye've shot a man—and it might have been a horse!"—Ex.

### Trespassing Notice.

No hunting, trapping or other trespassing will be permitted upon the Glenn Bros. ranch, under penalty of the law.  
JESSE GLENN.

### No Trespassing.

All hunting, trapping and other trespassing upon my land is forbidden under penalty of the law.  
MAX MARTIN,  
Mason, Texas.

### Within the Law.

Pearl (in surprise)—What? You let that young man kiss you? Why I am surprised! Don't you know the rules of our club firmly state that any girl who lets a young man kiss her will be suspended.  
Ruby—Well, I was suspended, dear. I was in a hammock.—Ex.

## A. F. McALISTER

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in  
**HORSES and MULES**  
BROWNWOOD, TEXAS

**AUCTION SALES:**  
January 2 and 3.      January 15 and 16  
January 29 and 30

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1912 G. M. Huffstutler, Rochelle, Lt 16, Blk 62, St Adv 6c, Sch 10c, Pen 2c, Co Adv 12c, Sp 13c, Dist Sch 27c, Pen 5c, Total 76c.

1913, Unknown, Rochelle, NA, Lt 17, Blk 1, St Adv 4c, Sch 3c, Pens 1c, Co Adv 3c, Sp 4c, Dist Sch 8c, Pen 1c, Total 25c.

1914, Unknown, Rochelle, NA, Lt 17, Blk 1, St Adv 1c, Sch 2c, Pens 1c, Co Adv 1c, Sp 2c, Dist Sch 4c, Pen 1c, Total 12c.

1913, F A Lackey, Rochelle, NA, Lt 43, Blk 1, St Adv 5c, Sch 4c, Pens 1c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 4c, Sp 5c, Dist Sch 10c, Pen 2c, Total 31c.

1913, Unknown, Rochelle, NA, Lt 8, Blk 3, St Adv 3c, Sch 2c, Pens 1c, Pen 1c, Co Adv 2c, Sp 3c, Dist Sch 5c, Pen 1c, Total 19c.

Sch 9c, Pen 3c, Total 59c. 1912 J. P. Henry, Stacy, Lt 8, Blk 1, St Adv 37c, Sch 62c, Poll \$1.50, Pen 25c, Co Adv 74c, Sp 79c, Total \$5.50.

1912, Unknown, Stacy, Lt 8, Blk 1, St Adv 1c, Sch 8c, Pens 2c, Pen 2c, Co Adv 11c, Sp 12c, Dist Sch 9c, Pen 3c, Total 59c.

1911, Unknown, Stacy, Lt 8, Blk 1, St Adv 15c, Sch 50c, Pen 6c, Co Adv 75c, Sp \$1.20, Dist Sch 60c, Pen 25c, Total \$3.51.





Pen. 5c, Co. Adv. 39c, Dist. Sch. 18c, Pen. 6c, Total \$1.18. J. W. Russell, Jr., Ab. 1830. Cert. Pre. Surv. 403, Orig. Gr. J. C. Callison, Sr., Acres Del. 110x135 ft., St. Rev. 45c, Sch. 31c, Pen. 7c, Pen. 8c, Co. Adv. 65c, Rd. Sp. 30c, Pen. 10c, Total \$1.96.

Unknown Owner, Whiteland, Lts 5 to 20, Blk 16, St. Rev. 1c, Sch. 1c, Pen. 1c, Co. Adv. 2c, Dist. Sch. 2c, Pen. 1c, Total 8c.

Unknown Owner, Whiteland, Lts 1 to 12, Blk 39, St. Rev. 1c, Sch. 1c, Pen. 1c, Co. Adv. 2c, Dist. Sch. 2c, Pen. 1c, Total 8c.

Unknown Owner, Whiteland, Lts 1 to 12, Blk 72, St. Rev. 1c, Sch. 1c, Pen. 1c, Co. Adv. 2c, Dist. Sch. 2c, Pen. 1c, Total 8c.

Unknown Owner, Whiteland, Lts 1 to 12, Blk 74, St. Rev. 1c, Sch. 1c, Pen. 1c, Co. Adv. 2c, Dist. Sch. 2c, Pen. 1c, Total 8c.

Unknown Owner, Whiteland, Lts 1 to 12, Blk 76, St. Rev. 1c, Sch. 1c, Pen. 1c, Co. Adv. 2c, Dist. Sch. 2c, Pen. 1c, Total 8c.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS COURT

The State of Texas, County of McCulloch, In Commissioners Court. We certify that we have examined the within report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of McCulloch County, for the year 1915, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1915 only, and find the same correct and that S. H. Mayo, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as shown hereon, as follows, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Tax Category and Amount. Includes State Revenue Tax (\$267.00), State School Tax (177.32), State Pension Tax (46.2), and State Poll Tax (19.50).

Total County Taxes \$510.12. County Ad Valorem Tax \$82.79. County Special Road Tax 65.97. County Poll Tax 3.25. District School Tax 222.52. Total County Taxes \$647.54.

Given in open court this 10th day of May 1916. J. E. BROWN, County Judge. CHAS. SAMUELSON, G. B. AWALT, J. M. CARROLL, H. E. McBRIDE, County Commissioners.

Attest: W. J. YANTIS, County Clerk.

Lands Sold to The State or Reported Delinquent in Former Years

Not Redeemed and Are Also Delinquent for 1915 in McCulloch County.

The State of Texas, County of McCulloch, I, S. H. Mayo, Tax Collector of McCulloch County do hereby certify that the within report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of said County for the year 1915, which have been sold to the State or reported delinquent for the taxes of former years and not redeemed, and are also delinquent for the taxes of 1915, is correct, and that I am entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

Batey, J. W., Brady, 100x100 ft., Blk 35, F. Ad. 1c, Total 1c.

Batey, J. W., Brady, W. 1-2 Blk 98, L. Ad., St. Rev. \$4.49, Sch. \$3.00, Pen. \$5.00, Rd. Sp. \$3.00, Poll 25c, Pen. 9c, Total \$12.44.

