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BAPTIST LOYALTY LOAN DRIVE BEGINS ON SUNDAY AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Baptist Loyalty Loan Drive begins next Sunday at the Brady Baptist church. This drive is for McCulloch county, and will continue until Sunday, March 2nd. The Baptist Loyalty Bonds are offered in denominations of \$50, \$100 and \$1,000, bearing 6 per cent interest, paid semi-annually, and maturing in one to ten years. "Loyalty Bonds are as good as gold." Come and see.

J. H. TAYLOR, Pastor.

Elastic Roof Cement—stops leaks in roofs and tanks. O. D. Mann & Sons.

CAN'T CATCH BASS AND CRAPPIE IN MARCH AND APRIL NEW GAME LAW

Austin, Texas, Feb. 6.—The Game, Fish and Oyster Department is calling attention to the fresh water fishermen of the State to the statute which forbids the taking of bass and crappie from any of the fresh waters of the State during the months of March and April. The department is not sure that the existence of this law, passed in October, 1917, is generally known to the fishermen; and it is indisposed to take fishermen unawares and punish those who are ignorant of the law.

Spuds, per 100 lbs., \$2.45.
A. R. HOOPER.

PRAIRIE OIL & GAS CO., IS NEARING 1250 FT. SAND—NOW UNDERREAMING

GREAT INTEREST CENTERS IN DEVELOPMENTS AT THIS WELL—SMITH & JERGENS TO DRILL SHALLOW ALSO RECORD OIL & REFINING CO., ON BIG PROJECT.

"The McCulloch county field is the most remarkable in all my many years' experience," said a prominent Oklahoma oil man this week, "it is different from any other I ever saw, just simply from the standpoint of the developing being done. I have never seen a new field being so thoroughly tested out as is McCulloch county, and it gives me confidence in its future making, just to see the tests going down in all parts of the county. The drillers must be banking mighty strong on getting oil here."

The foregoing is the aptest expression of the general public opinion yet put into words, as concerns the McCulloch county field. There never was a field in which there was exhibited greater confidence, or higher expectations than is shown every day in the McCulloch county field. It is "the most talked of new field in Texas," is another aptly expressed opinion.

So far as development is concerned, it is going forward with the greatest of rapidity, and is being extended in all directions. Several other contracts are now being closed, which will widen the field of active operations considerably.

Probably the greatest development of the week is that being made by the Record Oil & Refining Co., successors to Weaver & Weaver. The Record company has not only taken over Weaver & Weaver's interests, but practically all of A. W. Cooper's acreage in the Lohn valley as well. D. E. Weaver, superintendent of field work, is here this week and is looking after the development work of the company. He states they are preparing to ship in four or five shallow rigs, and will have all of them at work within the next few weeks. At present the company controls something like 4,000 acres of the best land in the vicinity of the Lohn shallow field. They are continuing the operation of the shallow well started by A. W. Cooper on Survey 1104, an offset to the Tucker Company's shallow field, and expect to bring it in today, and also spudded in Sunday on the Southwest corner of Survey No. 99. D. E. Weaver drilled the discovery well in the Dixie Oil field in Wilson county, Kansas, where Messrs. Weaver & Weaver have 80 producing wells brought in at a depth of 860 feet. Mr. Weaver anticipates making McCulloch county an even greater field. He will be here permanently getting all the work started for the company.

Another interesting announcement is made by Dave Kinsey, superintendent of field operations for Smith & Jergens, who states that his company will begin a shallow test on their acreage in the Duroc community simultaneously with the spudding in of their deep test. A. L. Jones is this week at work on the Smith & Jergens rig, and will have the derrick completed by the week end. J. W. Waymire, who will drill the well, is anticipating arrival of his machinery and tools about the middle of next month.

Of the deep tests in the county, The Prairie Oil & Gas Company is anticipating entering the oil sands at 1250 feet some time next week. The Prairie is at present underreaming. They have been drilling in red bed at 1150 feet, which is said to be one of the best indications for an oil well. The interests of Thad O. Day have been merged into the Texas Oil & Refining Co., under which title future operations will be carried on. Mr. Day expects his rig in today, and Contractor Jones will begin the erection of the derrick immediately following completion of the Smith & Jergens derrick. The contract for drilling the well has been let to J. W. Waymire, and calls for a 2500 ft. hole. The

old rig will be dismantled and shipped to Fannin county for operation on acreage held there by the Texas Oil & Refining Co.

The Douglas Oil Co. has a hole full of water at 780 feet and is getting ready to underream, preparatory to setting 12 1-2 inch casing.

The Liberty Oil & Refining Co. has been held up on account of a stem, but is back at work again.

The Texas Eastern Oil Co., 4 miles northeast of Rochelle, has completed the setting of their 900 feet of casing and is now drilling steadily.

A representative of Harrison, Hyde & Meadows is expected here from Kansas City next week, at which time it is expected announcement will be made of the location of the well to be drilled by the company on the W. M. Capps 7,900 acres, 13 miles north-west of Brady.

C. S. Thomas' well at Whiteland is setting 12 1-2 inch casing at the bottom of an 830 ft. hole, and will be drilling steadily now, running four. The C. S. Thomas Salt Gap well will resume operations today, having received a new stem by express. They were shut down a few days on account of jumping a pin.

Burford-Brimm, southeast of Mercury are drilling at 750 ft., and are just above the lime.

H. H. Beagle resumed drilling Sunday on the Geo. F. King well. Mr. Beagle now has two stems in, a new stem having arrived from Wichita, Kansas, Sunday morning, having made the trip in the record-breaking time of six days. The stem that had been repaired is also at hand, so no further drilling at 700 feet.

Other delays are anticipated. The wells J. E. Morgan is drilling at 500 feet, and is making steady progress.

The Alvarado Oil Company is drilling steadily now. Contractor H. A. Martin having overcome his engine troubles by installing a new magnet.

The Tucker Oil Company is expecting to being in their well today.

Among the week's prominent visitors, have been the following:

A. M. DeBerry of Bogato, Texas, has bought some of the most valuable acreage in the north and west parts of the county. He expects to organize a stock company for development purposes.

J. H. Batson, representing Oklahoma and other interests, has secured acreage near the deep test west of Brady, for early drilling.

R. W. Morris of Muskogee is here looking after extensive acreage held by him, and is arranging for early development.

Included among those looking after acreage or interests in the McCulloch county field, and those buying acreage or adding to acreage already held, are the following week's visitors: W. L. George, Oklahoma City; W. A. McCabe, Hallett, Okla.; R. D. Logan, Fort Worth; W. B. Sessom, Fort Smith, Ark.; T. H. Betty, Tulsa, Okla.; E. C. Johnson, Abilene; W. H. Wallace, Mineral Wells; F. E. Sackrider, Karper; Chas. Hevenor, Mineral Wells; A. T. Jergens, Fort Worth; J. E. McGinley, Douglas, Neb.; Burt Price, of Price & Beagle, Denver, Colo.; W. R. Kincaid, Mulhall, Okla.; C. A. O'Hara, Denver, Colo.; J. H. Bradley, Los Angeles, Calif.; W. G. Page, Fort Worth; E. A. Reed and E. Stokes, Fort Worth; E. H. Gehrke and Jeff J. Norton, scouts for one of the large oil companies.

Make our office your headquarters. Every possible courtesy extended. McCulloch County Oil-Lease Exchange.

Window shades, Curtains and Curtain Scrims.
C. H. Vincent, South Side.

NEED GLASSES?

Dr. Jones, the Eye Man from Brownwood will be at the Queen Hotel again Tuesday and Wednesday, March 4th and 5th. Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted. Headache and Eye Strain relieved.

WANTED!

To hear from oil lease owners in Brady, county and vicinity.

W. L. GEORGE

112 E. 4th Fort Worth, Texas

TO EXTEND TIME FOR PAYING TAXES TO JAN. 31, 1920, WITHOUT FINES

Unless there is a hitch in the passage and the bill is knocked out, those who have not paid their 1918 taxes will not have to pay the usual ten per cent penalty tacked on delinquent taxes. The bill extending the time of West Texas counties is pending in the legislature with a favorable committee report, and the chances are that it will be enacted.

The bill provides that 1918 taxes can be paid any time before January 31st, 1920, without the tax payer having to pay penalties of any kind, and the following counties are listed in the bill for receiving the benefit of this extension of time:

Atascosa, Archer, Bandera, Baylor, Blanco, Borden, Brown, Burnet, Callahan, Coke, Coleman, Concho, Cottle, Coryell, Crosby, Childress, Crane, Comanche, Dawson, Dickens, Edwards, Erath, Ector, Fisher, Foard, Garza, Gillespie, Glasscock, Hardeman, Haskell, Howard, Hamilton, Irion, Kinney, Kent, Kimble, Jones, Lampasas, Loving, Lynn, Llano, La Salle, Mills, Mitchell, Medina, Midland, Martin, Menard, McCulloch, Nolan, Parker, Pecos, Runnels, Reagan, Reeves, San Saba, Schleicher, Scurry, Stephens, Stonewall, Swisher, Shackelford, Taylor, Tom Green, Upton, Uvalde, Wilbarger, Ward, Young, Winkler and Zavalle.—Ballinger Ledger.

PIE SALE.

Another one of those popular Home Made Pie Sales, by the Woman's Missionary society at Broad Mercantile Co. store tomorrow (Saturday). Benefit parsonage fund.

BRADY OIL MEN IN PULLMAN SLEEPER WRECK ON FRISCO NEAR CRESSON

Three Brady oil men, Messrs. A. T. Jergins, Jack Tait and Jeff Meers, had a rather unpleasant, although fortunate, experience in a rear end collision on the Frisco early Tuesday morning. While the passenger train, Fort Worth bound, and running behind schedule was just pulling out of the Cresson station, about an hour and a half out of Fort Worth, a freight train, unable to see it on account of fog, crashed into the Pullman sleeper, knocking off the rear vestibule and driving the trucks up under the car. Both fireman and engineer saved themselves by jumping. Mr. Jergins was slightly bruised and jolted by being thrown against the side of the berth in the crash, but all the others escaped with only their feelings somewhat ruffled.

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Driller Wanted

For Shallow Wells in Lohn Valley. Will be in Brady next week. See me there or write

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swallow of water. The oil stimulates the kidney action and enables the organs to throw off the poisons which cause premature old age. New life and strength increase as you continue the treatment. When completely restored continue taking a capsule or two each day. GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules will keep you in health and vigor and prevent a return of the disease. Do not wait until old age or disease have settled down for good. Go to your druggist and get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules. Money refunded if they do not help you. Three sizes. But remember to ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand in sealed packages.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

STACY HAPPENINGS.

Day Well Getting Good Indications of Oil Leasing Lively.

Stacy, Texas, Feb. 16.

Editor Brady Standard:

On account of a bad case of flu, "Sunflower" was absent again last week. I was not by myself, either, for most every family in the community had two or more cases. The school will discontinue for two weeks and by that time we hope everybody will be well.

We have had some sand storms the past week but I know everybody was aware of the fact. Quite a large acreage of small grain was damaged or covered up. However, some think they will come out all right.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Hammon left for their home at Hammon, Okla., after several weeks' visit with relatives here.

Miss Ruth Farmer of Comanche is a guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Hammons this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cox returned last week from Orange, Texas, where they have been visiting the past few weeks.

Newel P. Hammons arrived home the past week from Ft. Sill, Okla., where he has been in training camp the past few months.

Dr. S. H. Spruell has made several professional calls in our community the past week.

Oil leasing in our community is picking up, owing to the fact that the Day well is getting good indications of oil. A depth of 2300 feet has been reached.

"SUNFLOWER."

Doan's Regulates are recommended by many who say they operate easily, without griping and without bad after effects. 30c at all drug stores.

MT. TABOR TATTLES.

Mt. Tabor Has Representative in France in Howard Horn.

Frederonia, Texas, Feb. 17.

Well, we have witnessed one of the worst sand storms the last few days we have ever witnessed, causing lots of people to suffer with their heads.

Mr. Addie Miller received a message Sunday that his father at Mason had been stricken with paralysis. Mr. Miller and family left Wednesday for that place.

Mrs. G. A. Brown and daughter, Miss Flora, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Samuelson at Brady Saturday.

Miss Clara Leigh McMillan visited in Llano the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wood and family, Mrs. Mollie Hays and children visited at C. H. Longley's Sunday.

Miss Lillian Hill is visiting relatives in Brady at present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bratton and family visited at Silva Wilson's Sunday.

We wish to correct a mistake we made in our last letter concerning this community not being represented in France. Howard Horn is our representative, though we were thinking he was a Mason county boy, but upon a slight reflection we knew he was our very own and a volunteer. We appreciate his service for us and wish for him a safe and speedy return.

Come on, "O. I. C. U. R. RIGHT," I hope we haven't scared you away. We also hope "Brown Eyes" has not become offended and will come on with her budget of news.

"BUDDIE."

Combs and Cutters for strongest Shearing Machines. O. D. Mann & Sons.

FIFE FINDINGS.

"E. Z." Says "O. I. C. U. R. Right's" Fruit Is All Right.

Fife, Texas, Feb. 18.

Editor Brady Standard:

About three-eighths of an inch of rain fell here Monday which settled the dust and made us all feel better after the dust storm.

Corporal Luther Pearce returned here Friday from Ft. Sill, Okla., where he received his honorable discharge from the army.

H. S. Espy of Eldorado visited with his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Roach here last week.

Commissioners J. M. Carrol was down from Lohn Monday on business.

Miss Bernice Winstead of Cow Gap visited with Misses Maggie and Mary Finlay here Saturday and Sunday.

H. E. Finigan died at his home here Wednesday morning and was buried Thursday morning at the Fife cemetery by the Masonic fraternity, of which he had been an honored member for forty years.

We wish to thank our Oregon correspondent for the delicious fruit sent last week. "E. Z." got in a little late with his name and was not expecting much but was greatly surprised at such nice fruit at this season. Thanks, "Right."

"E. Z."

Surgeons agree that in cases of cuts, burns, bruises and wounds, the first treatment is more important. When an efficient antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, Borozone is the Ideal Antiseptic and Healing Agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by Central Drug Co.

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PEAR VALLEY WHISPERS.

Some Think Sand Storm Has Killed Oats and Wheat.

Pear Valley, Texas, Feb. 17.

Editor Brady Standard:

My! my! Haven't the sand storms been bad? There are several of the farmers in the Valley that think their oats and wheat are killed.

I think the flu is about over with in the Valley, as we have no new cases.

We are glad to report Miss Bessie Smith able to be up again.

Mr. Monty Haywood was called to the bed side of his brother, at Fairland, who is suffering with pneumonia.

Miss Lillie Marshall and Lizzie Faulkner is spending several days this week with Mrs. Haywood.

Joe Russell and family returned from North Texas last Friday where they have been the past five months at work.

Miss Lola Bullock who is teaching school at Salt Gap visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Jennie Dean Fowler and Jessie Priest went to Brady Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sallee returned to their home at Camp San Saba after visiting Mrs. Sallee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Howard and children of Brady visited Mrs. Howard's sister, Mrs. Richard Brown Sunday.

Mr. Monty Haywood is the proud owner of a new Ford car.

"SMARTY."

EAST SWEDEN NEWS.

Ladies' Aid Society Met at Home of Mrs. O. E. Hurd.

Brady, Texas, Feb. 17.

Editor Brady Standard:

Here I am again. We were visited by a severe sand storm last Thursday afternoon and we are now visited by a good, slow rain, which is good on small grain, after having the terrible sand storm.

Emil Samuelson visited relatives and friends at Rochelle last Sunday.

Alfred Nelin spent last Sunday afternoon at the home of Eric Nelin.

Miss Edith Nelin is on the sick list this week.

Will Dutton and family visited at C. A. Johnson's home last Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Landrum and children spent last Saturday night with Pink Ake and family.

Roe Stearns and family from Brady were pleasant callers at the home of Chas. Johnson and family last Sunday.

G. B. Awalt went down to the Charlie Bryson ranch last Tuesday.

Conrad and Evar Nelin spent last Sunday afternoon at the Carl Johnson home.

The Ladies Aid Society of East Sweden met at Mrs. O. E. Hurd's last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie West visited at the home of her brother, R. H. Bergquist last Saturday.

Jno. Nelin and wife are still on the sick list, but the writer is wishing them a speedy recovery.

I will ring off and leave space for a good writer.

"JONNIE."

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COW GAP MOOINGS.

John Weldon Bags Big Game in Middle of Harris Field.

Brady, Texas, Feb. 18.

Editor Brady Standard:

Sweeping dirt is the order of the day since last week's sand storm—the worst that was ever seen in this country. The fields that were bedded are leveled over and you can't tell that it was ever plowed.

John Weldon was seen out hat hunting Sunday; his hat blew off as he



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DR. MILES' Anti-Pain Pills FOR RELIEF OF PAIN

was passing through here on Thursday, so Sunday he armed himself with a gun and started hunting it—and found it in the middle of Mr. Harris' field. We don't know if he intended shooting the man he found wearing it or was going to shoot the hat to stop it.

A. J. Cottrell visited at Newt McShan's from Saturday to Tuesday.

Mrs. B. Purdy and Miss Lucy, Chas. Hilliard and family visited at Mrs. J. Newton's Sunday.

Miss Bernice Winstead visited at Fife Saturday night and Sunday.

Messrs. Chas. Hinard, Elton and Billy Hemphill A. J. Cottrell, Mr. and Mrs. Winstead, Misses Lucy Purdy and Helen Newton enjoyed themselves at a singing and "42" game at N. C. McShan's Saturday night.

Mr. C. H. Waddle and family visited at Zeke Bray's at Waldrip Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Newton went to Brady Tuesday.

We are glad to have "Eyelyn," North Brady, come in with her letters.

News is scarce this week, so adieu. "SEED TICK."

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DEEDS, OIL AND GAS LEASES RECORDED DURING JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

The following is a partial list of the deeds, oil and gas leases and assignments recorded during January and February. Each week The Standard will publish a list including the oil leases, assignment of oil leases and real estate deals as they are filed for record, thus giving our readers complete information along this line.

Oil and Gas Lease.
B. A. Cornils to L. H. King and E. L. Ogden (1) 100 acres Surv. 193, Cert. 2-447, Abst. 747. (2) 80 acres Surv. 593, Cert. 241, Abst. 1046. (3) 160 acres, Surv. 591, Abst. 1047, Cert. 241. (4) 160 acres, Surv. 590, Abst. 1689, Cert. 241. \$500.00.
Oil and Gas Lease Assignments.
Frank D. Harrison to E. R. Casfeal, 1-2 interest in his 1-3 interest (1) 640 acres, Surv. 25, Abst. 419, Cert. 1-842. (2) 160 acre Surv. 735, Abst. 991, Cert. 287. (3) 160 acres, Surv. 735, Abst. 992, Cert. 287. (4) 160 acres, Surv. 737, Abst. 993, Cert. 287. (5) 160 acres, Surv. 804, Abst. 998, Cert. 270. (6) 160 acres, Surv. 805, Abst. 1000, Cert. 270. (7) 163 acres, W end, Surv. 810, Abst. 1034, Cert. 218. (8) 163 acres W end, Surv. 809, Abst. 1035, Cert. 218. (9) 324 acres W part Surv. 105, Abst. 1189, Cert. 56. (10) 640 acres Surv. 107, Abst. 1190, Cert. 57. (11) 320 acres Surv. 734, Abst. 1350, Cert. 1086. (12) 320 acres, Surv. 733, Abst. 1366, Cert. 1086. (13) 849 acres Surv. 2, Abst. 1404, Cert. 19-263. (14) 170 acres W part Surv. 798, Abst. 1468, Cert. 822. (15) 445 acres Surv. 6, Abst. 1500, Cert. 31-197. (16) 640 acres Surv. 731, Abst. 1641, Cert. 929. (17) 100 acres Surv. 740, Abst. 1691. (18) 195 acres Surv. 812, Abst. 1692. (19) 320 acres N 1-2 Surv. 26, Abst. 1703, Cert. 1-842. (20) 640 acres Surv. 108, Abst. 1704, Cert. 57. (21) 160 acres Surv. 738, Abst. 2145, Cert. 287.
R. W. Lee to S. J. Howard 80 acres NW corner Surv. 206, Abst. 1311, Cert. 70.
H. H. Sessions to C. L. McShan, 80 acres, being E half 160 acres, Surv. 1336, Cert. 649, Abst. 781.
James Ellis to S. J. Howard 132 acres, Surv. 297, Abst. 263, Cert. 337. \$396.00.
S. J. Howard to J. H. Stone and F. E. Sackrider, 32 acres out of W side Surv. 296, Abst. 263, Cert. 337.
H. H. Sessions to M. A. Price, 20 acres being N 1-2 of S 1-2 of W 1-2 of the 160 acres Surv. 1336, Cert. 649, Abst. 781.
G. C. Cobb to John Morrow, N 50 acres Surv. 460, Abst. 208.
G. C. Cobb to Robert A. Alford, S 50 acres Surv. 460, Abst. 208.
Burford-Brimm Oil and Gas Co. to Pulaski Oil Co. E 80 acres Surv. 256.
H. H. Pierce to J. M. Clover, E 160 acres Surv. 633, Abst. 524, Cert. 748.
Oil and Gas Lease Assignments.
Thad O. Day to H. H. Pierce E 160 acres Surv. 633, Abst. 524, Cert. 784.
Skelly-Sankey Oil Co. to Sinclair Gulf Oil Co. 1-2 interest 265.37 acres being W part Surv. 792, Cert. 825, Abst. 182.
B. A. Hallum to V. Griggs, S. 66 acres Surv. 2, Abst. 1578.
C. A. Bowen to B. W. Grant, 1-4 interest in the following: (1) W 160 acres Surv. 548, Cert. 830, Abst. 351. (2) W 160 acres Surv. 1, Abst. 465, Cert. 160. (3) N 1-2 of S. W. 160 acres and SE 160 acres Surv. 192, Abst. 2161, Cert. 3-446. (4) 560 acres Surv. 190, Abst. 2146. (5) E 160 acres Surv. 636, Abst. 1108, Cert. 728. (6) 320 acres Surv. 637, Abst. 1229, Cert. 698. (7) W 160 acres Surv. 581.

The Texas Oil Fields

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Abst. 1098, Cert. 874.
S. W. Hughes to J. R. DeVall, J. G. Ingold, G. W. Clark, Thos. D. Johnson, E. H. Jordan, R. H. King, Forest F. Fowler, S. M. Atter, Wm. H. Jones, Jas. M. Park, N. Andrews, Jno. A. Mapes, C. D. Todd and O. O. Moore, 200 acres NE corner Surv. 138, Cert. 33-3267, Abst. 1563.
W. R. Henton to Paul W. Smith and A. T. Jergins, 1-2 interest Surv. 42, Abst. 1667, Cert. 33-3220. \$1920.
H. R. Hodges to Wm. R. Davidson, 1-2 interest 173.89 acres, Surv. 4, Abst. 1716.
H. B. Ogden to G. C. Cobb, 656 acres Surv. 514, Abst. 371, Cert. 248.
H. B. Ogden to G. C. Cobb (1) 315 acres Surv. 249, Abst. 711, Cert. 33-3331. (2) 160 acres Surv. 510, Abst. 1241, Cert. 131. (3) 160 acres Surv. 509, Abst. 1330, Cert. 131. (4) 160 acres Surv. 252, Abst. 1553, Cert. 33-3352. (5) 485 acres Surv. 252, Abst. 1817, Cert. 33-3332.
G. W. Russell to F. M. Newman, H. P. Jordan, W. W. Jorman and Sam McCollum, 1-2 interest 600 acres Survs. 1266, 1263, 1269, Absts. 838, 834, 834, Cert. 646. \$900.00.
E. A. Baze to G. C. Cobb, (1) 160 acres Surv. 461 1-2, Abst. 19. (2) 160 acres Surv. 459, Abst. 207. (3) 160 acres Surv. 460, Abst. 208. (4) 160 acres Surv. 457, Abst. 209. (5) 160 acres Surv. 458, Abst. 210. (6) 9 acres Surv. 468, Abst. 328. (7) 309 acres Surv. 249, Abst. 711. (8) 262 acres Surv. 467, Abst. 850. (9) 169 acres Surv. 4, Abst. 2326.
W. F. Evans to Prairie Oil and Gas Co., 137 acres Surv. 1713, Abst. 1425, Cert. 517.
W. F. Evans to Prairie Oil and Gas Co., 431 acres being part of Surv. 1713, Abst. 2425.
H. H. Sessions to S. S. Graham 40 acres being N 1-2 of W 1-2 Surv. 1336, Cert. 649, Abst. 781.
G. C. Cobb to E. A. Moffit, 160 acres Surv. 459, Abst. 207.
H. H. Sessions to H. Wilensky, 20 acres S 1-2 of S 1-2 of W 1-2 Surv. 1336, Cert. 649, Abst. 781.
J. P. Matlock to J. C. Penn, Frank Lacy, and Perry Eads 1 1-2 acres Surv. 949, Cert. 576, Abst. 568.
J. P. Matlock to J. C. Penn, Frank Lacy, Perry Eads, 1 acre Surv. 950, Abst. 1861, Cert. 577.
J. P. Matlock to J. C. Penn, Frank Lacy, Perry Eads (1) 1 1-4 acres (2) 15 acres Surv. 950.

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CLAXTON ECHOES.
Dance Saturday Night.—Personal Mention of Community.
Brady, Texas, Feb. 17.
Editor Brady Standard:
We had a severe sand storm here Wednesday and Thursday.
Mr. Earley Turnell and wife, who are away teaching school spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's father, Mr. Carl Engdahl.
Mrs. Rice is giving the "First Aid" at Claxton this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elliott visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Knight at Corn Creek Sunday.
There were quite a number present at the dance at the Ake home Saturday night.
Harve Knight who is at work at Ranger made a business trip to Rochelle and Claxton this week.
Mr. Virgil Jackson and wife left for Ranger Friday night, where he intends to work.
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Milburn and Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Elliott visited at the Elliott home Sunday evening.
Mrs. Tom Weldon who has been visiting at the home of her father returned to Pear Valley Sunday.
Mr. Walter Mooring returned last week from Ranger.
Finis Gamblin visited home folks at Hall Valley Friday, Saturday and Sunday. He reported a fine time. "ZIP."

CALF CREEK NEWS.

Community Saddened by Death of Bob Attaway Thursday.
Calf Creek, Texas, Feb. 18.
Editor Brady Standard:
We are having some more rainy weather. I think a few of the people were getting scared—afraid it was going to stay dry after we had such a sand storm. I don't see how so much sand could blow after so much rain.
One of my friends in Mississippi said they were all arguing over the sun. The sun looked like the moon, and when it shone out it looked like a rainbow through the windows; one old man called it a "silver sun."
So I guess while we had the dust the people in the eastern states had the sun.
Sorry to report that death has once more visited our community and took away the soul of Mr. Bob Attaway. He passed at eight o'clock Thursday night. He leaves a wife, mother, father and six sisters, Mrs. A. F. McCoy of Lohn, Mrs. Jim Kiser of Mason, Mrs. Tom Bingham, Mrs. Caffor Bingham, Mrs. Bruce Wren and Mrs. Bud Ewing to mourn his loss, besides a host of friends. The deceased was thirty-four years old the 24th of last August; he has been a member of the Baptist church ever since a small boy. Bob, we shall miss you, O, so much, but we have the sweet assurance that you have gone on to await our coming and that in a few years at most, we shall meet you in a world where sorrows never come; where loved ones never grieve. Mother and wife and loved ones, do not grieve for the dear boy. Think of him not as dead but asleep in Jesus.
And nearly all the rest of the flu cases are doing very well. Some are able to be up.
We have quite a number of new cases of the flu since last writing.
Mrs. Maggie Perry and family visited at the Bridge home Sunday.
M. O. Barnett and family visited at the home of J. H. William's last Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Petty of O'possum Hollow visited at the Bridge home Sunday.
Miss Celia Wright spent the day at Victoria William's last Sunday.
As my letter is getting long I will close.
"TOMMY."
P. S. Come again G. W. Scales when you don't make us too hungry; glad you like your new home.

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COW CREEK CALLINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Moore Receive Fine Valentine Boy.
Lohn, Texas, Feb. 18.
Editor Brady Standard:
We had a nice little rain Sunday night which will help to settle the dust from the dust storm of last Wednesday. It was the worst this country had ever had.
Miss Susie Hanley spent Sunday night with Mrs. Young.
W. S. Young and Driscoe Woods went to Lohn Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Moore are the proud parents of a big boy who came to their home February 14. Guess he must be a Valentine.
Mrs. Killingsworth and children attended church at Lower Cow Creek Sunday morning.
Mrs. Young called on Mrs. John Moore Saturday evening.
Claudie Neve went to Lower Cow Creek Sunday.
Ed Wade and Cecil Clark were at Brady Saturday on business.
Mrs. Ida Harrison left Monday for San Marcos where she expects to make her home in the future. Mr.

Harris expects to go soon.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Hanley visited Mr. and Mrs. Young Sunday.
B. A. Cornils attended the funeral of Mr. Finigan at Fife last Thursday.
Mrs. Will Hanley visited her mother, Mrs. Allie, Saturday.
Tom Moore and Miss Mary Plummer visited at the Cornils home Sunday evening.
B. A. Cornils went to Lohn Monday.
E. A. Marshall visited Brady Monday.
Tom and Will Moore were Brady visitors Monday.
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H. F. Schwenker, Editor

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BRADY, TEXAS, Feb. 21, 1919.

HONEST INJUN

Everybody reads The Standard. Most everybody commends it. Some few knock it—but they don't count.

PRAYING FOR A CALAMITY.

The Dallas News would adopt a cruel rule for reducing the cotton acreage, if that paper occupied the throne and dictated to the farmers what they should plant and what they should not plant. The News in commenting on the results of a large cotton acreage, says:

"If the usual acreage is planted this year we should not be without reason to pray for a repetition of last year's drouth, or the visitation of insects capable of reducing the yield to half or normal. Of the two calamities, it is at least questionable if that of the drouth would not, from the standpoint of the South's interest alone, be preferable."

We are glad the News' prayers do not reach any further towards the throne of mercy than the dome of its building. It may be the proper thing to do to cut the acreage, but the cutting should take place in some other country, and not in the drouth-stricken counties of Texas. The farmers of the drouth districts will bend every energy this year to make three years' crops. They are well on the way with a grain crop, and when that is harvested the stubble fields will be planted in cotton, if the seasons are favorable and the seed and labor available.

If the News is inclined to fervent prayers in such matters it should pray that the cotton market be placed on a fixed basis, the speculators put out of business, and a sound marketing system established.—Ballinger Banner-Ledger.

John Editor Cooke of the Rockdale Reporter is about the luckiest unlucky newspaper man we have recently read about. First John E. got down with influenza, pneumonia and what-not, which constituted hard luck of the hardest and unluckiest kind, and then while he was convalescent, the firemen pulled off a big banquet, at which he was unable to be present. Hard luck some more. But the firemen remembered him with a plate of the choicest eats from the banquet, sending up the plate just as Cooke had forewarned soft diet, and was prepared to tackle substantial "grub" once more. That's what we call Luck with a capital L. Also it was darned nice of the firemen to be so appreciative and thoughtful of the editor.

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THE CRIME AND THE PENALTY.

The editor of the San Antonio Express has worked himself into a frenzy over the recent lynching of a negro at Hillsboro, Texas. At the conclusion of a lengthy editorial on the subject the editor of the Express says:

"... That form of savagery—long since outgrown by the American Indians and now uncommon save with certain of the most barbarous tribes of Africa or the South Sea Islands—was reserved for a mob of white men, as their chosen form of murder, in a county and community of free, civilized, enlightened Texas—in free, civilized United States. The negro murderer's frightfulness was rivaled by his white lynchers. * *"

As long as outrages are committed upon the South's womanhood by brutes in human form, just that long will there be lynchings. The revolting crime for which the Hillsboro negro paid the penalty was rape upon a young white mother, who, together with her innocent babe, was afterwards murdered by the brute in order to cover up his tracks and escape his pursuers, to the end that he might live to perpetrate a like outrage in satisfaction of his beastly passions.

The editor of the San Antonio Express is within his rights when he condemns lynch law but when he essays to place the white citizenship a parity with the beastly acts of a of an outraged Texas community on black rapist he is uttering a slander unbecoming his position as editor of a leading Texas daily.

Crimes of rapine, and the brute who commits them, are scarcely amenable to law—they are outside the pale of law and order just as a mad dog, frothing with hyprophobia, is denied harbor and haven in a peaceful community. It is unfortunate, but it is so. Rapine is uncommon and so, mob violence is rarely invoked. But is there a person of ordinary intelligence—the editor of the Express excepted—who will assert that such extreme punishment does not serve in a great measure as an object lesson and restraining influence against the repetition of the crimes which it seeks to avenge.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

The State Highway Commission is to be "investigated." The Lord only knows it needs it. Since the creation of the department, over three and one-half million dollars have been paid into it. The annual report of the department says that \$163,698.38 have been expended on roads. The stupendous sum of \$224,668.48 have been spent on "salaries and office equip-ment." The costivity of this white elephant is running neck-and-neck with the Hog Island Ship Builders. One man with a clerk is all the force needed at Austin, all the auto taxes should go to the county in which they are paid. This quarter million dollars distributed over the state on the roads would do the tax payers more good and look better than to have squandered it on swivel chair dummies and expensive office fixtures.—San Saba Star.

SNAP SHOTS

Tillie Clinger says another sample of her luck was last night, when she rubbed her sore throat with horse liniment and dreamed her nightmare broke her neck.—Dallas News.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. J. T. H. Miller has ordered The Standard sent to her son, Harry Miller, who is now making his home at San Marcos.

B. W. Cude was among the Calf Creek visitors in Brady Tuesday, and made us feel good by telling us that his folks liked The Standard so well that he did not see how he could get along without it.

J. R. Malmstrom, while in town Monday attending court, helped out the widows and orphans' fund at The Standard office, and incidentally made us feel good by saying he "could not get along without The Standard."

Miss Elsie Cornils of Lohn sends in a renewal to The Standard and along with it, a renewal of the paper that is going to her brother, B. A., Jr., who is a wagoner in Co. E. of the 315th Engineers, and who is still located "Somewhere in France."

Paul Schmidt, who has been soldiering at Camp Travis, has returned to the Lohn community, having received an honorable discharge. Paul says he's tickled to once more be a citizen of McCulloch county, and is content to remain here the balance of his days.

A. M. Coalson, one of our good Pear Valley friends, dropped in Tuesday just to pass the time of day and a renewal of his subscription with the editor, and then to make us feel good all over, he remarked that they couldn't get along without The Standard out his way. That's the way we like to have folks fooled.

Lee McShan tells us that our old friend, Arthur Reagor, was so favorably impressed with the copy of The Standard's "Oil Edition," that he wrote and told him to enter his name as a Standard subscriber forthwith. "Deer peepul," we just can't help it; but folks just naturally cry for The Standard like children cry for Castoria.

J. M. Cavin and wife were here from Lohn Tuesday enroute to Oklahoma, where they will visit their children for a week or ten days. Mr. Cavin's place lies a couple miles east of the Lohn shallow wells and as he is greatly interested in the oil developments he subscribed for The Standard while in town, so he can keep posted on developments.

Leonard Wood says the easiest and best way to answer his brother, Edgar, at Hutto, when the latter writes for information about the progress in the McCulloch county oil field, is to send him The Standard. So Edgar might as well be comforted by the thought that The Standard is just about the same as a personal letter from his brother—we'll try to fill the bill.

Sam Wilensky is this week moving his family and household effects back from Dallas, and will again enter Brady business circles. He is preparing to engage in the dry goods and grocery business in the building formerly occupied by Acosta Bros., on the south side. Sam was formerly in the grocery business here, but for the past several years has been located in Dallas.

John Plummer was in town a few days the latter part of last week, visiting his sister, Mrs. O. D. Mann.

TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

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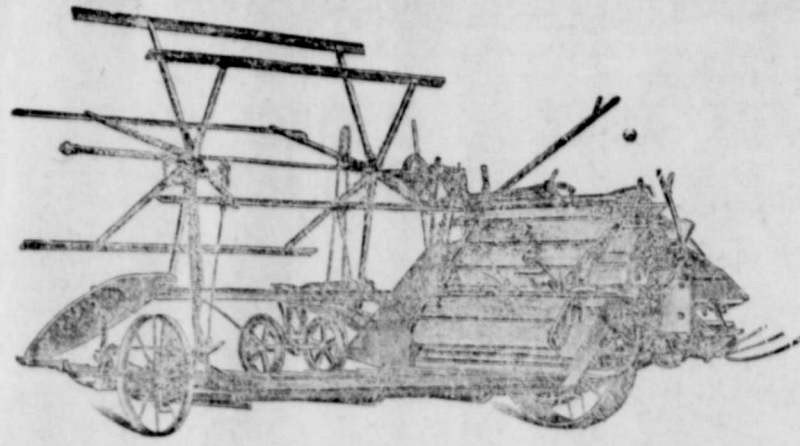
Rossville, Ga.—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: "My husband is an engineer, and once while lifting, he injured himself with a piece of heavy machinery, across the abdomen. He was so sore he could not bear to press on himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked like he would die. We had three different doctors, yet with all their medicine, his bowels failed to act. He would turn up a ten-cent bottle of castor oil, and drink it two or three days in succession. He did this yet without result. We became desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen terribly. He told me his suffering could only be described as torture.

I sent and bought Theford's Black-Draught. I made him take a big dose, and when it began to act he fainted, he was in such misery, but he got relief and began to mend at once. He got well, and we both feel he owes his life to Theford's Black-Draught."

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Sr., and relatives and friends in the city, before returning to South Texas to take up civilian duties once more. John has been stationed at Camp Travis the past eight months, having been in the Depot Brigade. Prior to going into service he was with Walker-Smith Co.'s Galveston house as salesman.

Mrs. Katie Roberts, proprietress of the Queen Hotel, is all smiles these days, since her son, S. B. has returned from Musel Shoals, Ala., where he has been at work in a munitions plant. S. B. says Brady is about the liveliest place he has seen lately, and he expects to remain here and help boost the game along by helping his mother maintain her reputation as making the Queen hotel the most popular hostelry in this part of Texas.

Teddy Edell of Dallas came in this week, and will look after the business of the Hub Dry Goods Company, while H. W. Zweig goes to market. Mr. Zweig expects to leave Saturday and will visit St. Louis and Chicago in search of the newest and best offerings in his line. Mr. Zweig foresees a splendid business year, and expects to buy a stock of goods adequate for every demand, even should present oil and crop prospects both materialize.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Simpson returned Saturday morning, Mrs. Simpson having spent the week at market purchasing her Spring millinery stock. Mrs. Simpson states that the new Spring styles are particularly attractive this season, and her purchases were made with a view of not only pleasing her own particular patrons, but of catering to the ladies of this vicinity who desire attractive and becoming millinery at a reasonable price.

Marion Fowler of Lohn evidently thought the editor looked mighty needy Tuesday, for he passed him a dollar and a half, even though the subscription to The Standard lacked several weeks being out. We rather suspect that Marion is one of the McCulloch county folks who has profited by the oil boom. You see, The Standard is boosting the oil game in every way it can; the boosting is bringing returns for the farmers and landowners, and, in turn, these same folks appreciate our efforts and boost us with their subscriptions. So, after all, every boost is just like bread cast

upon the water. So why not BOOST?

The Standard's good friend, Jack Smith, was here from Lohn Saturday. J. L. says the big wind storm last week was the longest he ever experienced—and he's no spring chicken either, by the way. Considerable damage was done to oats and winter feed. In some places the oats were blown clear out of the ground over into other fields, which were covered up by the sand. Mr. Smith had not gone into his oats yet, and did not know the extent of the damage he sustained. He has 116 acres, which, he says, were just getting dry enough, and would have made the finest grazing imaginable.

Any skin itching is a temper tester. The more you scratch the worse it itches. Doan's Ointment is for piles, eczema—any skin itching. 60c at all drug stores.

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Evangelical Lutheran Service. There will be divine service next Sunday at the Episcopal church beginning at 3:00 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited. A. W. GODE.

FRANK JOHNSON INVESTS IN BRADY PROPERTY AND WILL MAKE HIS PERMANENT HOME

Frank Johnson, the genial operator at the Western Union downtown office, has become so enamored of Brady that he has decided to make his home among us permanently and accordingly has purchased a home in the southeast part of town from W. W. Sammons. Mr. Johnson's mother, Mrs. F. L. Johnson, and his nephew, Chas. Johnson, have come over from Brownwood, and will make their home with him here.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S PASTELLESS CHILD TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

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Men's \$2.25 Driving Gloves, \$1.85 at Vincent's Clearance Sale.

Twelve Things To Remember. The value of time.

- The success of perseverance.
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Bridge Club. The regular weekly meeting of the Bridge club was held Tuesday afternoon of this week with Mrs. G. V. Gansel. Members present were Mesdames W. D. Crothers, G. R. White, F. R. Wulff, Bailey Jones, S. S. Graham, W. R. Davidson, C. T. White.

Ed Campbell, Herbert L. Wood, W. L. Hughes, R. W. Turner; and guests: Mesdames Wiley W. Walker, B. Simpson, Geo. F. King, Rockwell Hoskins, Marion Bingham of Ohio.

Club prize was received by Mrs. Wulff, and guest prize fell to Mrs. Bingham.

The hostess served a salad course. Mrs. Campbell entertains for the club next Tuesday afternoon.

Valentine Bridge. Mrs. W. R. Davidson entertained on last Friday night with a Valentine Bridge club, the party being novel in that it was the first night party of the Bridge club, and the gentlemen being honor guests.

Bridge was played at six tables, club prizes falling to Mrs. Graham for the ladies and Mr. Gansel for the gentlemen, and guests prizes being received by Mrs. C. T. White for the ladies, and Mr. Brannum for the gentlemen. Mrs. Fred Ellis, as guest of honor, received a favor.

The Davidson home was beautiful in its valentine decorations, with red carnations carrying out the color scheme, and the valentine motif being also found in the dainty plate decorations.

The hostess served jelly chicken, cherry sherbet and stuffed dates to members present; Messrs. and Mesdames S. S. Graham, G. V. Gansel, W. D. Crothers; Mrs. R. W. Turner; and guests: Messrs. and Mesdames C. T. White, G. R. White, F. R. Wulff, Ed Campbell, G. C. Kirk, Wiley W. Walker, H. M. Brannum; Mesdames Marion Bingham of Ohio, Fred Ellis of Menard; Miss Minnie J. Crothers.

Five Hundred Club. Mrs. C. T. White entertained for the Five Hundred club on Thursday afternoon of last week, the following club members being present: Mesdames J. S. Anderson, J. G. McCall, C. D. Allen, J. S. Wall, F. R. Wulff, Wiley W. Walker, W. E. Campbell, G. C. Kirk, G. R. White, Dick Winters; Miss Lucile Benham. Guests were: Mesdames Herbert L. Wood, W. R. Davidson, Fred Ellis of Menard, Rufus Adams of Dublin, Marion Bingham of Ohio.

Club prize was received by Mrs. Wulff, and Mrs. Ellis received the guest prize.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The meeting of the club for this afternoon has not been announced.

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At the close of the evening, a salad course was served by the hostess to the following guests present: Misses Marjorie McCall, Carmen Anderson, Gertrude Trigg, Florence Smith, Maggie Bryson, Willie Benson, Eulalia Gavitt, Mabel Strickland and the hostess, Frances Samuel; Messrs. Leslie Meers, Carl King, Sidney Meers, Arthur Awalt, Jimmie Espy, James Neal.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Matt Rainbolt has been here this week from Brownwood visiting his sister, Mrs. Joe McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murphy of San Angelo, are visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Willis of Voca.

Mrs. Willy Duke is here from Tulsa, Okla., and is a guest of her sister, Mrs. B. L. Craddock, and family.

H. B. Bradley was here from Brownwood Monday greeting his friends, while on a business visit as representative of Swift & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Hoehn of Kansas City, Mo. were here Monday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Benham, while enroute to South Texas on a business trip.

W. D. Price of Rochelle was here yesterday, greeting his many friends. Wallace reports doing a nice business in the tailoring line in our neighbor city.

Mrs. S. J. Durnett left last Friday for Fredericksburg and Harper, and expects to visit her father, G. F. Harper, at the latter place, for the next month or two.

Mrs. Ludie Willis has returned from Eastland after a seven weeks stay with her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Jordan and family, all of them having recovered from the flu.

Mrs. S. J. Howard left Tuesday night for Fort Worth and Dallas, to join Mr. Howard who has been spending the past week or so there in the interest of the oil game.

Mrs. G. Edwin Ryan of Beggs, Okla., was in the city Wednesday, having been called here by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Smart, at Lohn, who recently suffered a second stroke of paralysis.

Forest Adams dropped in Monday on a business trip, and was kept busy handshaking with his many friends here. Forest has been in service, but is now back on his old job selling "Checkers," and expects to make frequent visits out this way.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Anderson left Wednesday night for Dallas, where Mrs. Anderson expects to undergo an operation for appendicitis at a sanitarium. All their many friends hope for her speedy and complete recovery, and an early return home.

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I do not think there were any doctors in the world better than ours, and they were always trying to make things easy for us. They did not rip the dressings off your wounds like some of the butchers do in some of our dispensaries that I know of, but took them off carefully. Everything was very clean and sanitary, and some of the hospitals had sun parlors, which were well used, you can be sure.

Some of the men made toys and fancy articles, such as button hooks and paper knives. They made the handles from empty shell cases, or shrapnel, or pieces of Zeppelins, or anything else picked up along the front.

When they are getting well, the men learn harness making, mechanical drawing, telegraphy, gardening, poultry raising, typewriting, bookkeeping and the men teach the nurses how to make canes out of shell cases, and rings of aluminum, and slippers and gloves out of blankets.

The nurses certainly work hard. They always have more to do than they ought to, but they never complain, and are always cheerful and ready to play games when they have the time, or read to some patient. And their work is pretty dirty too: I would not like to have to do it. They say there were lots of French society ladies working as nurses, but you never heard much about society, or any talk about Lord Helpus, or Count Whosis, or pink teas or anything like that from these nurses.

A few shells landed near our hospital, while I was there, but no patient was hit. They knocked a shrine of Our Lady to splinters, though, and bowled over a big crucifix. The kitchen was near by, and it was just the chef's luck that he had walked over to our ward to see a pal of his, when a shell landed plumb in the center of the kitchen, and all you could see all over the barracks was stew.

That was a regular eatless day for us, until they rigged up bottles and got some more dioxin, and mixed up some cornmeal for us. The chef made up for it the next day, though. The chef was a great little guy. He was a "blessed" himself, and I guess his stomach sympathized with ours.

There was a Frenchman in the bed next to me who had the whole side of his face torn off. He told me he had been next to a bomber, who had just lit a fuse and did not think it was burning fast enough, so he blew on it. It burned fast enough after that, and there he was.

There was a Belgian in one of the other wards, whom I got to know pretty well, and he would often come over and visit me. He asked many questions about Dixmude, for he had had relatives there, though he had lost track of them. He often tried to describe the house they had lived in, so that I might tell him whether it was still standing or not, but I could not remember the place he spoke of. During our talks, he told me about many atrocities. Some of the things he told me I had heard before, and some of them I heard of afterward. Here are some things that he either saw or heard of from victims:

He said that when the Germans entered the town of St. Quentin, they started firing into the windows as they passed along. First, after they had occupied the town, they bayoneted every workman they could find. Then they took about half of the children that they could find, and killed them with their musket butts. After this, they marched the remainder of the children and the women to the square, where they had lined up a row of male citizens against a wall. The women and children were told that if they moved, they would all be shot. Another file of men was brought up, and made to kneel in front of the other men against the wall.

The women and children began to beg for the lives of the men, and many of them were knocked in the head with gun butts before they stopped.

Then the Germans fired at the double rank of men. After three volleys, there were eighty-four dead and twenty wounded. Most of the wounded they then killed with axes, but somehow, three or four escaped by hiding under the bodies of others and playing dead, though the officers walked up and down firing their revolvers into the piles of bodies.

At one place, a man was tied by the arms to the ceiling of his room and set afire. His trunk was completely carbonized, but his head and arms were unburned. At the same place, the body of a fifteen-year-old boy was found, pierced by more than twenty bayonet thrusts. Other dead were found with their hands still in the air, leaning up against walls.

At another place the Germans shelled the town for a day, and then entered and sacked it. The women and children were turned loose, without being allowed to take anything with them, and forced to leave the town. Nearly five hundred men were deported to Germany. Three, who were almost exhausted by hunger, tried to escape. They were bayoneted and clubbed to death. Twelve men, who had taken refuge in a farm, were tied together and shot in a mess. Another group of six were tied together and shot, after the Germans had put out their eyes and tortured them with bayonets. Three others were brought before their wives and children and sabred.



Women and Children Begged for the Lives of the Men.

The Belgian told me he was at Namur when the Germans began shelling it. The bombardment lasted the whole of August 21 and 22, 1914. They centered their fire on the prison, the hospital, and the railway station. They entered the town at four o'clock in the afternoon of August 23. During the first twenty-four hours, they behaved themselves, but on the 24th they began firing at anyone they pleased, and set fire to different houses on five of the principal squares.

Then they ordered every one to leave his house, and those who did not were shot. The others, about four hundred in all, were drawn up in front of the church, close to the river bank. The Belgian said he could never forget how they all looked.

"I can remember just how it was," he said. "There were eight men, whom I knew very well, standing in a row with several priests. Next came two good friends of mine named Balbau and Guillaume, with Balbau's seventeen-year-old son; then two men who had taken refuge in a barn and had been discovered and blinded; then two other men whom I had never seen before."

"It was awful to see the way the women were crying—'Shoot me too, shoot me with my husband.'"

"The men were lined up on the edge of the hollow, which runs from the high road to the bottom of the village. One of them was leaning on the shoulders of an old priest, and he was crying, 'I am too young—I can't face death bravely.'"

"I couldn't bear the sight any longer. I turned my back to the road and covered my eyes. I heard the volley and the bodies falling. Then some one cried, 'Look, they're all down.' But a few escaped."

This Belgian had escaped by hiding—he could not remember how many days—in an old cart filled with manure and rubbish. He had chewed old hides for food, had swam across the river, and hid in a mud bank for almost a week longer, and finally got to France.

He took it very hard when we talked about Dixmude, and I told him that the old church was just shot to pieces. He asked about a painting called the "Adoration of the Magi," and one of the other prisoners told us it had been saved and transported to Germany. If that is true, and they do not destroy it meanwhile, we will get it back, don't worry!

My wound was just a clean gunshot wound and not very serious, so, although it was not completely healed, they let me go after three weeks. But before I went, I saw something that no man of us will ever forget. Some of them took vows just like the men of the legion I have told about.

One of the patients was a German doctor, who had been picked up in No Man's Land, very seriously wounded. He was given the same treatment as

any of us, that is, the very best, but finally, the doctors gave him up. They thought he would die slowly, and that it might take several weeks.

But there was a nurse there, who took special interest in his case, and she stayed up day and night for some time and finally brought him through. The case was very well known, and everybody said she had performed a miracle. He got better slowly.

Then a few weeks later, when he was out of danger and was able to walk, and it was only a question of time before he would be released from the hospital, this nurse was transferred to another hospital. Everybody knew her and liked her, and when she went around to say good-by, all the men were sorry and gave her little presents, and wanted her to write to them. She was going to get a nurse she knew in the other hospital to turn her letters into English, so that she could write to me. I gave her a ring I had made from a piece of shell case, but I guess she had hundreds of them at that.

But this German doctor would not say good-by to her. That would not have made me sore, but it made this French girl feel very bad, and she began to cry. One of the French officers saw her and found out about the doctor, and the officer went up and spoke to the German. Then the French officer left, and the German called to the nurse and she went over to him and stopped crying.

They talked for a little while, and then she put out her hands as if she was going to leave. He put out his



And Then He Twisted Her Wrists and Broke Them.

hands, too, and took hold of hers. And then he twisted her wrists and broke them. We heard the snap.

There were men in that ward who had not been on foot since the day they came to the hospital, and one of them was supposed to be dying, but it is an absolute fact that when we heard her scream, there was not a man left in bed.

I need not tell you what we did to the German. They did not need to shoot him, after we got through with him. They did shoot what was left of him, to make sure, though.

Now, I have heard people say that it is not the Germans we are fighting, but the Kaiser and his system. Well, it may be true that some of the Boche soldiers would not do these things if they did not have to; myself, I am not so sure.

But you take this doctor. Here he was, an educated man, who had been trained all his life to help people who were in pain, and not to cause it. And he was not where he would have to obey the Kaiser or any other German. And this nurse had saved his life.

So I do not see that there is any argument about it. He broke that girl's wrists because he wanted to; that is all there is to it. Now, I say this German doctor was a dirty cur and a scoundrel. But I say that he is a fair sample of most of the Germans I have met. And it is Germans of this kind that we are fighting—not merely the Kaiser.

It is like going to college. I have never been there, but I have heard some people say it did not do a man any good to go. But I have never heard a man who went there say that. Probably you have not been over there, and maybe you think we are not fighting the German people, but only the Kaiser and his flunkies.

Well, nobody had better tell me that. Because I have been there, and I have seen this. And I know.

CHAPTER X.

Hell at Gallipoli.

After I was discharged from the hospital, I was ordered to report to my ship at Brest for sea duty.

The boys aboard the Cassard gave me a hearty welcome, especially Murray, who had come back after two weeks in the trenches at Dixmude. I was glad to see them, too, for after all, I was glad to see them, too, for after all, they were garbles, and I always feel more at home with them than with soldiers. Then, it was pretty rough stuff at Dixmude, and after resting up at the hospital, I was keen on going to sea again.

The Cassard was in dry dock for repairs after her last voyage to the Dardanelles as convoy to the troopship Duplex. Everything was being rushed to get her out as soon as possible, and crews were working day and night. There were other ships there too—superdreadnaughts, and dreadnaughts, and battleships, and armored cruisers,

all being repaired. We received and placed guns of newer design, filled the magazines with the highest explosives known to naval use, and generally made ready for a hard job. Our magazines were filled with shells for our big 12 and 14-inch guns. A 14-inch shell can tear a hole through the heaviest armor plate at 12,000 yards, and will do more damage than you would think.

When we had coaled and had got our stores aboard, we dressed for action—or rather, undressed. The decks were clear; hatch covers bolted and davits folded down; furniture, chests, tables, chairs were sent ashore, and inflammable gear, like our rope hammocks, went overboard. You could not find a single wooden chair or table in the ward room.

When the ship is cleared for action, a shell bursting inside cannot find much to set afire, and if one bursts on deck, there is nothing to burn but the wooden deck, and that is covered with steel plate.

Finally, we had roll call—all men present. Then we set sail for the Dardanelles as escort to the Duplex, which had on board territorial and provincial French troops—Gascons, Parisians, Normans, Indo-Chinese, Spahis, Turcos—all kinds. When we messed, we had to squat down on the steel mess deck and eat from metal plates.

There had been a notice posted before we left that the Zeppelins had begun sea raids, and we kept a live eye out for them. The news proved to be a fake, though, and we did not see a single cigar while we were out.

We made the trip to the Dardanelles without sighting an enemy craft, keeping in close touch with the Duplex, and busy every minute preparing for action.

I was made gun captain and given charge of the starboard bow turret, mounting two 14-inch guns. I had my men at gun practice daily, and by the time we neared the Dardanelles, after five days, they were in pretty fair shape.

It was about 5 a. m. when we drew near Cape Helles and took stations for action. The Duplex was in front of us. The batteries on the cape opened up on us, and in a few minutes later those at Kum Kaleh joined in.

As the Duplex made for "V" beach and prepared to land her troops, we swung broadside on, raking their batteries as we did so, and received a shell, which entered through a gun port in the after turret and exploded. Some bags of powder stored there (where they should never have been) were fired and the roof of the turret was just lifted off. It landed on deck, tilted up against the side of the turret.

On deck the rain of fire was simply terrific. Steel flew in all directions. It was smash, crash, slam-bang all the time, and I do not mind saying I never thought we would come out of it.

Some of the heavy armor plate up forward was shot away and after that the old Cassard looked more like a monitor than anything else to me. As we drew nearer the shore they began using shrapnel on us and in no time at all our funnels were shot full of holes and a sieve was watertight compared to them.

Naturally we were not just taking all this punishment without any comeback. Our guns were at it fast and from the way the fire slackened in certain places we knew we were making it effective. My guns did for two enemy pieces that I know of, and perhaps several others.

The French garbles were a good deal more excited in action than I thought they would be. They were dodging around below decks, trying to miss the shrapnel that came aboard, shouting, swearing, singing—but fighting hard, at that. They stood the gaff just as well as any other garbles would, only in their own sweet way—which is noisy enough, believe me.

One of our sergeants was hit 100 times by fragments of shrapnel, so you can see what they were up against in the dodging line. A gun turret in action is not exactly the best place on earth for a nervous man nor one who likes his comfort. There is an awful lot of heat and noise and smell and work, all the time in a fighting gun turret. But during an engagement I would rather be in a gun turret every time than between decks. At that, if anything does happen in a turret—it is good night sure for all, and no rain checks needed.

One of our junior lieutenants was struck by a fragment of shell as he was at his station behind the wheelhouse and a piece of his skull was driven into his brain. He was carried into my gun turret, but he would not let them take him to sick bay to have his wound dressed. There he sat, asking every now and then how the fight was going and then sort of dozing off for a while.

After half an hour of action we put about and started away, still firing. As a parting snap on the back the Turks tore off one of our big-gun turrets, and then away we went, back to Brest with a casualty list of only 15. We did not have much trouble guessing that it was dry dock for us again.

This story will be continued in our next issue. Without question, Gunner Depew has had the most remarkable experiences of any man in the service. He gives a graphic description of his life on land and on sea, on the famous "Moewe," that daring German sea raider, and in the prison camps.

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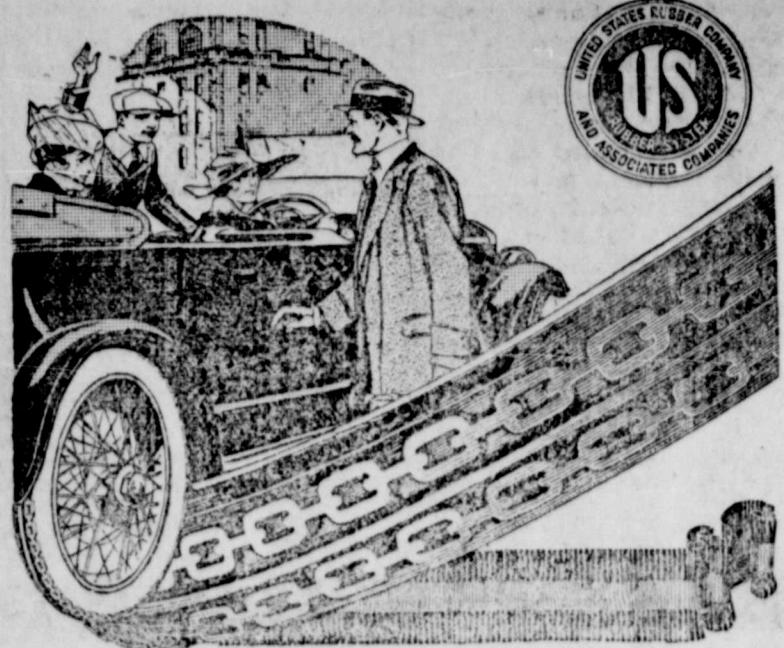
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Others may come, and others may go, but "SAM" stays right on the job, good times or bad, to give his customers that "SPIZZERINKTUM SHINE".
Stays Longest—Looks the Best
Sam, The Shine
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The Economy of Buying Good Tires

It's mighty poor economy to put cheap tires on your car.

If you can't depend on your tires, you can't depend on your car,

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It pays to buy good tires—United States Tires.

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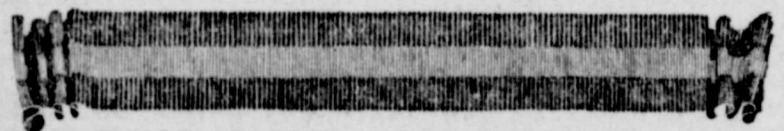
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Each has the built-in strength that means your money back in extra miles.

Among them are exactly the tires you want for your car, and your driving conditions.

Our nearest Sales and Service Depot Dealer will gladly help you.

United States Tires are Good Tires



BEN STRICKLAND PROPRIETOR OF CALLEY'S MARKET —TOWNSEND IN CHARGE

Ben Strickland has purchased the interest of W. L. Calley in Calley's Market, taking charge of the same the latter part of last week. The business will be continued at the same stand, with E. A. Townsend in charge. Mr. Strickland states that he is now killing and dressing some extra choice beef, and will continue to

handle only the best and choicest of meat products. He reports a splendid run of business, and expects to increase and enlarge his patronage as the quality of his meat becomes known.

When the bowels become irregular you are uncomfortable and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. You can get rid of this misery quickly by using Herbine. Take a dose on going to bed and see how fine you feel next day. Sold by Central Drug Co.

EGGS

From my trap-nested S. C. English White Leghorns. My pens headed by males from HIGHEST EGG RECORD HENS from FUNK and PENNSYLVANIA POULTRY FARMS.

Eggs—15 for \$1.50; 100 for \$7.50. Baby Chicks, 15c each.

LEE MORGAN Brady, Texas



E. B. RAMSAY, UNDERTAKER

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DISTRICT COURT CRIMINAL DOCKET TAKEN UP

The February term of district court was convened Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock with Judge J. O. Woodward on the bench. The civil docket was first taken up, but no jury cases were tried. There are eleven divorce cases on the civil docket, two of which have been dismissed while most others have been continued. The criminal docket was taken up yesterday morning. Cases on the civil docket disposed of, are the following:

Prugudes Garcia vs. Guadalupe Garcia, divorce; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

M. A. Tyler et al vs. J. N. Brown et al, suit to try title as well as for damages; judgment for plaintiff as prayed for.

Commercial National Bank vs. C. K. Woods et al, suit on note; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

A. W. Jones and Emma Jones vs. E. J. Howard, suit to cancel contract; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

W. H. Jones et al vs. A. J. Beavers et al, suit to cancel lease; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

E. W. McMurtrey et al vs. A. J. Beavers et al, suit to cancel lease; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

R. Hamilton et al vs. A. J. Beavers et al, suit to cancel lease; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

J. M. Hollenbeck et al vs. J. D. Cravens et al, suit to cancel contract; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

J. A. Henton et al vs. J. Meers et al, suit to cancel contract; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

A. T. Jordan and wife vs. W. K. Gay, sciri facias to receive judgment; judgment for plaintiff as prayed for.

E. E. Willoughby et al vs. R. L. Methis et al, suit to cancel deed and establish a lien; judgment for plaintiffs.

W. D. Crothers vs. L. W. Womble, suit on notes and foreclosure of vendors lien; judgment for plaintiff.

G. R. White vs. W. E. Reid, suit on note and foreclosure of lien; dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Emery L. Davis, executor vs. M. D. Wilson, suit on notes and foreclosure of vendors lien; dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Buy your Corduroy Suits and extra Pants at Vincent's Clearance Sale.

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.

We have unloaded this week a car of Rock Island Implements. Don't buy your implements until you look at what we have to offer.

Broad Mercantile Co.

We are having a nice trade on Incubators. Better come in and get one. There is money in it. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Now's the time to order your Spring Suit. All my samples are here. Kirk, The Tailor, Nuff-Sed.

CHILDREN'S KIDNEYS.

No Brady Mother Should Neglect the Little One's Health.

Oftentimes weak kidneys cause great annoyance and embarrassment to children. Inability to control the kidney secretions, at night or while at play, is attributed to carelessness and too frequently the child is punished. Parents having children troubled with kidney weakness would do well to treat the kidneys with a tested and proven kidney remedy. If there is pain in the back, discolored urine, irregular urination, headaches, dizzy spells or a tired, worn-out feeling, try Doan's Kidney Pills at once. A remedy that has been used in kidney troubles for over 50 years and has been recommended by thousands. Proof of merit in a Brady citizen's statement.

Mrs. Lee McShan, Brady, says: "A younger member of my family was afflicted with kidney trouble. Her kidneys acted too freely, especially at night and this was very annoying. A neighbor advised me to give her Doan's Kidney Pills and I did. The first box brought relief and after the use of two boxes, her kidneys haven't caused any trouble."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.



PRINCE ALBERT



LAY your smoketaste flush up against a listening post—and you'll get the Prince Albert call, all right! You'll hunt a jimmy pipe so quick and get so much tobacco joy out of every puff you'll wish you had been born twins! For, Prince Albert puts over a turn new to every man fond of a pipe or a home made cigarette. It wins your glad hand completely. That's because it has the quality!

And, right behind this quality flavor and quality fragrance is Prince Albert's freedom from bite and parch which is cut out by our exclusive patented process. We tell you to smoke your fill at any clip—jimmy pipe or makin's cigarette—without a comeback!

Tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors—and—that clever, practical pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., Winston-Salem, N. C.

F. R. WULFF PREPARING FOR INCREASING VOLUME OF AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS

F. R. Wulff, one of Brady's live wires, is anticipating the greatest volume of business during the present year in the automobile and garage line, that he has ever had, and is backing his optimistic outlook upon the situation by practically doubling his floor space. Mr. Wulff has just closed a lease for the F. W. Henderson building adjoining The Standard building on the east, and is having it improved and remodeled with the expectation of using it for automobile storage.

Mr. Wulff has one of the best equipped and most up-to-date garages in this part of Texas, and his view of the business situation cannot be said to be entirely speculative, since during the past fortnight his business has increased to such proportions as to make his present quarters entirely inadequate to his needs. His newly leased property is well located, both with reference to his own use and the convenience of the general public, and will make a valuable addition to his garage.

A Tonic Laxative that will remove the bile from the liver and cleanse the system THOROUGHLY without griping or disturbing the stomach is truly a Perfect Laxative.

LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN is the name of a Reliable and Perfect Laxative which soon relieves Sick Headache, Dizziness, Indigestion, Stomach Trouble, Gas and Flies caused by a Torpid Liver and Constipation. Always use a Reliable Laxative in the treatment of Colds, Grip and Influenza.

LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN is a Liquid Dissoluble Tonic Laxative, excellent in its effect on the system, both as a tonic and as a laxative. It is just as good for Children as for Adults. Pleasant to take. Children like it. 50c. Made and recommended to the public by Parke, Davis & Co., St. Louis, Mo., manufacturers of Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic.

Those famous Ed V. Price Suits that always fit and always please. Let us take your order today. Spring samples now on display. MANN BROS.

Munsing Union Suits at Clearance prices C. H. Vincent, South Side.

Gas in the stomach or bowels is a disagreeable symptom of a torpid liver. To get rid of it quickly take Herbine. It is a marvelous liver stimulant and bowel purifier. Sold by Central Drug Co.

Give us your Binder order now.

Broad Mercantile Co. To do good work this year, you need good, strong, hand-made harness and saddles. The highest values for the least money is our motto.

H. P. C. EVERS.

We want your order for a Binder and Twine. Can make as good terms as can be made. Will have a complete stock of Extras and you can get them any time, day or night during Harvest time. O. D. Mann & Sons.

COME ON PATRIOTS!

KNOW THE JOY OF SAVING HERE'S HOW!

Let's finish the job. Let's pay our debts. The Government has spent billions of dollars to save us from ruin and disgrace. We must pay the bill. Ever know the joy of saving? It's the grandest feeling! Save now and later be able to buy that "something" you have always longed for. Carry out your savings pledge if you made one; or make one right now. Buy of your War Savings Society, or bank, postoffice, store. Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps.

Willard SERVICE STATION

Would You Run on a Flat Tire?

Suppose your front tire went flat ten miles from home. You would not bang and bump along after you knew that every turn of the wheel was tearing the life out of the casing. Why not be as reasonable about your battery? The penalty for mistreating a battery is just as sure as for abusing a tire. The care is just as easy. Drive into our Service Station and let us tell you just how easy it is.

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OUR NEW SPRING GOODS Are Now Arriving Every Day. We Are Making Close Prices on the Most Up-to-Date Merchandise.

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Just arrived a car of **Bewley's Best Extra High Patent Flour** same as pre-war flour. If in need in the line of Groceries we are here to save you money on your purchases.



OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT WAY BELOW THE MARKET PRICES.

Myers Brothers
For Groceries and Feed

LOCAL PROPERTY INTERESTS FOREIGN CAPITAL

That the oil boom in McCulloch county is redounding to our benefit in more ways than one, is evidenced by the increasing activity in local real estate circles. Brady property is coming into demand, and various projects are now on foot that will materially enhance and build up the value of Brady real estate and business property.

The first of these deals was closed this week by Lee McShan, who sold to Otto Stehlik of Wichita Falls, representing a syndicate of Wichita Falls capitalists, the S. A. Conley business property in the southeast part of the business district, for a consideration of \$9,000.00. The property includes three business houses at present occupied by A. R. Hooper, Allen & McClure and the Brady postoffice, and has a frontage of 70 feet, and a depth of 90 feet. The property has been owned the past five years or more by McKean-Eilers, and Sanger Bros.

Mr. Stehlik first became interested in the McCulloch county oil game a few months ago, and holds some valuable leases in the county. However, he and his associates foresee the greatest of possibilities offered in Brady business property, and he was so well pleased with his initial investment that he instructed Mr. McShan to secure for him, if possible, additional Brady business property. It is the plan of Mr. Stehlik to shortly make a trip east, and also to London and Europe, where he is confident he can interest capital in making extensive investments in this important section.

In addition to this deal, parties are interested in securing suitable sites for erecting cottages to sell or rent to the inflowing citizens; others are interested in hotel and rooming house propositions, and various other enterprises are on foot.

From these indications, it would appear that Brady is on the verge of the biggest business building that has ever struck any town in Texas.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

We will have a car load of Plymouth Twine. There's no Twine better than Plymouth. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Mr. Oil Man. We have just unloaded a car of Well Casing, and want your business. We have the right price.
Broad Mercantile Co.

I want your Cleaning and Pressing and know how to do it! So bring it to Kirk, The Old Reliable, Nuf-Sed.

Percalene, 16 1-2 cents a yard at Vincent's Clearance Sale.

A child that has intestinal worms is handicapped in its growth. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge destroys and expels worms; the child immediately improves and thrives wonderfully. Sold by Central Drug Co.

Card of Thanks.

To the friends that were so kind and sympathetic in our sorrow at the loss of our son and brother, John, we are deeply grateful, and appreciate their kind words of condolence and the beautiful floral decorations, more than words can tell; may Heaven bless you all.

MRS. E. D. CHILDERS.
O. S. CHILDERS.
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Help Your Digestion

When acid-distressed, relieve the indigestion with

KI-MOIDS

Dissolve easily on tongue—as pleasant to take as candy. Keep your stomach sweet, try Ki-moids

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WONDER WORDS.

Lots of Rain, but Only Little Snow in Oregon.

Wonder, Ore., Feb. 10.
Editor Brady Standard:

"All day the low-hung clouds hath dropped
Their garnered fullness down,
All day the soft, grey mist hath wrapped
Hill, valley, grove and town."

Not only all day, but all night also. Day after day and night after night. Well! I suppose you McCulloch county people know what rain is by this time. Whenever it rains until the water in the creek ceases to be muddy, but runs banks full of clear water—so clear that you can see the fish, and all the wells in the country run over the top, and every barrel, can, keg and tub that is right end up catches full of water (I will not add and every old shoe, for since the war no shoes are discarded until they are too badly worn to hold water). But when these conditions prevail then you may know IT HAS RAINED!

But don't brag about your fifteen inch snow. It seems that Oregon and Texas are trying to swap climates. We haven't had a bit of snow this

winter except on the very highest mountain tops and only a very few inches there. But two winters ago, and the winter before that, the snow attained a depth of not only fifteen inches, but fifteen feet. That was the winter our coast mail had to be sent via San Francisco, thence by water. On such occasions airplanes would come in quite handy.

Thanking you, editor, and correspondents, for the many courtesies and kindly mentionings in my behalf, and stating that I received in today's mail the names of "Sunflower" and "Tommy," but if I don't send their portion of fruit now it is because I have none worth sending. But I will file their applications away and when some more grows, I will try to make them glad they had to wait.

"O. I. C. U. R. RIGHT."

Indigestion.
Take a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets as directed for indigestion, and you will soon forget about your stomach troubles. Try it.

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

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One kind for barns or out buildings, another for the dwelling. We have paints especially prepared for every use. Paints for barns, paints for roofs, paints for dwellings. Paints for interior work as well as exterior. Tell us what you propose to paint and we'll supply just what is best for the purpose.

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WANTED—Will pay 3c per lb. for clean, white cotton rags—no scraps. F. R. WULFF, Brady.

LEASES WANTED—From owners or local middlemen. Give exact location and lowest cash price. Large tracts of cheap acreage especially desired. D. R. SEMMES, 303 1/2 Main St., Fort Worth.

SALESMEN WANTED—Extraordinary good proposition to offer good reliable stock salesmen. 508 Stewart Building, Houston, Texas.

FOR SALE—
FOR SALE—Two good milch cows. See J. A. Patterson, Rochelle, Texas.

FOR SALE—Eggs for setting from pen of extra good layers—direct from M. Johnson's; bred to lay; White Leghorn flock. 15, \$1.50; 100, \$7.50; Mrs. H. C. HOLCOMB, Richland Springs, Texas, R. F. D. No. 1.

FOR SALE—Well Drill, 500 ft. capacity; 6 H. P. Gasoline Engine; plenty tools. In good running shape. E. O. Bradshaw, Pilot Point, Texas.

FOR SALE—New Ford roadster. F. R. Wulff, Brady.

FOR SALE—Brand new Buckeye Incubator—200 egg size. See or write Mrs. M. E. Abernathy, Nine, Texas.

FOR SALE or Rent—Harvey Walker house, 7 rooms, good cistern of water, car shed and lots. Apply to C. A. Yoas, Brady.

FOR SALE—A couple good Milk Cows. See F. M. Campbell, Brady.

FOR SALE or TRADE—Two houses and lots in Dutton addition, at a bargain. Would consider a Ford car. What have you? Address, Box 386, Belton, Texas.

LOST—
LOST—Crank for Chalmers automobile. Reward for return to Standard office.

LOST—Between Morrow hotel and Kirk's tailor shop, leather folding purse, with small amount of change and calling card with name of "Mrs. Bert W. Speed." Finder please return to Mrs. Speed at Morrow hotel, Brady.

MISCELLANEOUS—
Posted.
All parties are hereby warned that all of my papers are posted against hunting or trespassing of any kind. Anyone violating this notice will be prosecuted.
MAX MARTIN,
Mason, Texas.

WINDOW GLASS.
See RAMSAY for window glass to replace those broken panes. All sizes, put in on short notice. Phone 56.

Men's warm lined Work Glasses, 95 cents at Vincent's Clearance Sale.

OIL MEN ATTENTION.
We have an up-to-date map of McCulloch county, size 19x24 inches (suitable for carrying in the pocket). Price, on heavy bond paper, \$1.00 each; on canvas cloth, \$1.50 each. Special prices in larger quantities.

THE BRADY STANDARD.
We want to take your order for your Spring Suit. The famous Ed V. Price line of samples ready for your selection. MANN BROS.

Jno. Deere Double Cultivators and Mr. Bill Double Row Planters. You can't beat this combination. O. D. Mann & Sons.

You will find we are right in price on Binders. You will be able to buy a Deering & McCormick Binder as reasonable as any other Binder, and there is no question about the Deering & McCormick making good. You know what they will do.
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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.

Nothing to keep; everything for sale. McCulloch County Oil-Lease Exchange.

Dreadful Cough Cured.
A severe cold is often followed by a rough cough for which Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has proven especially valuable. Mrs. F. W. Olsen, Marysville, Mo., writes: "About two years ago my little boy Jean caught a severe cold and coughed dreadfully for days. I tried a number of cough medicines but nothing did him any good until I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It relieved his cough right away and before he had finished taking one bottle he was cured. I think it is just fine for children."

Abney's Great Reduction Sale

Will make the lowest price on the best goods. You will find my prices a very great saving to you. Will give prices on only a few items:

20c Calico	10c	\$3.00 Cotton Blankets	\$2.25
30c Gingham	15c and 20c	Heavy Comforts	\$2.50
25c Bleached Domestic	15c	\$3.00 Men's Work Shoes	\$2.50
30c Bleached Domestic	23c	\$4.50 Men's Work Shoes	\$3.75
30c Heavy Brown Domestic	20c	\$7.00 Ladies Black Boots	\$5.85
35c Extra Heavy Cotton Flannel	25c	\$8.00 Ladies Black Boots	\$6.50
35c Best Outing	20c	\$10.00 Ladies Brown Boots	\$7.25
\$1.25 Men's Under Shirts	75c	\$10.00 Ladies Grey Boots	\$7.50
\$2.25 Men's Union Suits	\$1.50	\$12.00 Ladies Light Grey Boots	\$9.50
\$1.25 Children's Union Suits	75c	\$7.00 Ladies Black and Brown Heavy Boots	\$5.75
\$2.25 and \$2.50 Fancy Silk	\$1.75	Big Line of Ladies' Slippers at Greatly Reduced Prices.	
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Men's and Boys' Suits at a big reduction in Price. Knee Pants for all the boys.

My stock is new fresh goods, and I will make you a low price on anything you want. Yours to please.

I. G. ABNEY

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