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MASONS PUBLIC INSTALLATION

Large Attendance of Members and Guests Witnesses Ceremony—Banquet Follows.

Public installation of officers in Brady lodge No. 628, A. F. & A. M., was had last night, at which time the lodge was host to some two or three hundred members and invited guests. W. B. McKenzie, as installing officer, and Dr. Wm. C. Jones, as marshal, officiated at the impressive ceremony of installation, seating the following duly elected officers: J. C. Moffatt, Worshipful Master; W. J. Yantis, Junior Warden; S. T. Ward, Chaplain; Swen Swenson, Senior Deacon; Clint Zimmerman, Junior Deacon; E. A. Baze, Secretary; L. P. Cooke, Tiler; Dr. J. B. Granville, Senior Stewart; M. P. Wegner, Junior Stewart.

Following the installation, refreshments of cream and cake were enjoyed by the guests, and the occasion was made the more enjoyable by various members responding briefly to toasts proposed by Toastmaster J. B. Granville. Music on the Edison was also enjoyed, an Edison having been thoughtfully provided by B. L. Malone & Co., and the guests spent the balance of the evening in pleasant conversation.

This was the first public housewarming since the new lodge rooms were occupied, and many were the compliments passed by the guests upon the lodge room, its arrangement and furnishings. In fact, everyone was agreed that Brady Masonic lodge has one of the most elegant, comfortable and up-to-date lodge rooms in the state.

Advertise it in The Standard.

ELECT OFFICERS.

Brady Fire Department Held Annual Meeting Last Week.

At the annual meeting of the Brady Fire Department, held last week, election of officers was had, and the following were named: Ben Moffatt, chief; Doc Strickland, 1st asst. chief; Frank Hurd, 2nd asst. chief; F. Y. Jackson, sec.; Howard Campbell, treas.; Mrs. W. N. White, sponsor; T. P. Grant, chaplain; Frank Roddie, mascot.

New officers were also created as follows: Irvine Hurd, master driver; Frank Hurd, master mechanic; H. B. Crump, night driver.

The Brady Fire department is at once the most necessary and most useful organization in Brady; it is made up of a congenial bunch of fire boys and the efficiency attained by the company has been proven time and again.

RED CROSS FUND TOTALS \$11,000

Brady Makes Best Showing of Any Town in Central West Texas.

Brady Red Cross Campaign committee expect to be able to report \$11,000 as their part of the \$100,000,000 National Red Cross week's campaign, which was brought to a close last night. Brady's apportionment was \$20,000.

Of the total sum of \$11,000, Brady district alone contributed more than \$5,000—\$5,047, to be exact—and the other nine districts in the county will have made up the \$6,000 balance. While the captains from the various districts have not all made complete reports, and while such reports as are in, have not yet been fully tabulated, roughly speaking, the following is the amount contributed by each of the ten districts in the county:

Brady	\$5,000
Mercury	800
Rochelle	1,200
Waldrip	400
Melvin	1,040
Calf Creek	375
Voca	860
Placid	10
Pear Valley	400
Lohn	800
Stacy	350

Total \$11,235

While the amount fell far short of the \$20,000 it nevertheless puts Brady in a class all to itself, as compared with contributions of neighboring points. According to last night Brownwood Bulletin, Brownwood (of which Brady Red Cross is an auxiliary) had contributed \$9,000, out of her allotted \$30,000. The Bulletin goes on to say that while a number of small towns, Winchell and Zephyr, for instance, had donated the expected \$1.00 per capita, Brownwood itself had only contributed about 50c per capita. The Brownwood campaign workers are so dissatisfied with the showing, that the Brownwood campaign has been extended another day, closing tonight at 6:00 o'clock, and a special effort is being made to arouse the citizens to do their full part. Latest advices from that place are in effect that Brownwood expects to have her total reach \$13,000.

The campaign in McCulloch county was marked by the greatest spirit and enthusiasm. Throughout the county meetings were held and the response in almost every district was very gratifying.

Arrangements had been completed by Brady citizens to invade the Mercury district on Sunday afternoon, and from there to go to Brownwood and assist in their last big rally Sunday night. Between 50 and 100 cars had been promised for the trip, Rochelle and Mercury had promised to join hands in the movement, and a rousing entry in Brownwood had been planned. Unfortunately, the weather condition disrupted all plans. Despite the dust and rain-storm, however, between thirty and forty cars started on the trip about 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon and had actually gotten within sight of Mercury, when muddy roads and the threatening storm clouds caused them to turn back. Not the least dismayed, another bunch set forth Monday night and visited Mercury, where the total subscriptions were very nearly trebled as a result of the meeting.

Brady and McCulloch county are proud of their record as patriotic citizens of Uncle Sam—in actual enlistments—in Liberty bond subscriptions—and last, but not least, in Red Cross fund donations.

Cadet Hose for Men, Women, Boys and Girls. "Every pair guaranteed" to give perfect satisfaction or your money back. C. H. VINCENT, South Side.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. HENDERSON

Passed Away in Rochester, Minn., Yesterday Afternoon. To Be Buried at Richmond.

A pall of sorrow was cast over the entire community yesterday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock with the receipt of a message by Mrs. G. R. White from F. W. Henderson at Rochester, Minn., announcing the death of Mrs. Henderson. The message read, "Mrs. Henderson passed away an hour ago. Am taking body to Richmond for burial."

No death in recent years has caused more universal grief than this, for Mrs. Henderson was known throughout McCulloch, Mason and Brown counties, and was beloved by old and young alike. Of beautiful Christian character, she made practical use of her Christianity, befriending the poor and needy, and lending aid and comfort wherever possible. No lady who ever lived here had done as much as she for Brady. A tireless and enthusiastic worker, she ever had the welfare of the town and citizens at heart, and her greatest pleasure lay in aiding its growth and development. She forgot her own sorrows and physical ailments in this work of love, and her cheerful and ambitious spirit must have had an influence upon the citizenship far greater than she even knew or than anyone realized.

As a leading figure in the Ladies Tuesday club, she had directed the work of that body along lines of greatest usefulness and progress. By interesting the club in the work of a Brady girl, Miss Waldine Tauch, Mrs. Henderson succeeded in having Miss Tauch placed under the tutelage of the famous sculptor, Pompeo Coppini, and started her on her life's work as a rising young sculptress. One of her most recent ambitions was to adorn the Brady public square with a fountain, and to otherwise improve it so as to make it an attractive gathering place for the citizens, and towards this end she had shaped the course of the Tuesday club.

In religious circles she was likewise a leader, and from the time of her first coming to Brady she was an active and earnest member of the Presbyterian church, and her shining example was guiding light to the members and an inspiration to all.

Mrs. Henderson was born in Richmond, Ky., her maiden name having been Miss Maggie Miller. She was married to Mr. Henderson when still quite young, and shortly thereafter Mr. and Mrs. Henderson moved to Texas, locating for a time in Houston. Later they located in Brownwood, then moved to Mason. After a time they returned to Brownwood, and after a year or two located a second time in Mason. From there they came to Brady in 1902.

For a number of years, Mrs. Henderson had been in ill health, and after consulting a number of surgeons throughout this section, it was decided to take her to Rochester, Minn., for treatment at the Mayo Bros.' sanitarium. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson left for Minnesota on May 29, and following a stay there of about three weeks had planned to go to Winchester, Ky., to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Wooten. Reassuring messages, stating that Mrs. Henderson had undergone the operation and was doing nicely, had been received here from Mr. Henderson only last week, and his last message was doubly shocking because it was so unexpected.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Henderson is survived by several sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. White of Mason, who were close friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, left last night for Kentucky to attend the funeral at Richmond,



To Owners of Ford Cars

THE FORD MOTOR COMPANY of Detroit, appointed us authorized agents for Ford cars in this territory, to properly represent Ford interests, to give service to Ford owners. The Company in return demands that we equip and maintain an adequate service station, employing competent Ford mechanics, using only genuine Ford-made materials and charging regular Ford prices.

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When your Ford car needs attention, bring it to us, and get the benefit of expert Ford mechanics. We give you the assurance of genuine Ford service with genuine Ford-made parts.

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J. H. HILL, AGENT

Brady, Texas

Mrs. Henderson's birthplace. As a fitting tribute to the great esteem in which Mrs. Henderson was held, all Brady business houses will be closed during the hour of the funeral Thursday.

Binder twine. O. D. Mann & Sons.

When you have auto trouble of any kind, phone 10 or call at our garage. Simpson & Co.

Cadet hose are best for wear. Sold in Brady only at

C. H. VINCENT'S. Cedar chests save your winter clothing from moths. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Receives Line of Trucks.

F. R. Wulff has just received his first shipment of Selden trucks, (and which constitute, in fact, the first shipment of trucks ever received in Brady) and now has them on display at Murphy's garage. The shipment includes two 1-ton, and one 2-ton trucks, the former selling for \$1387 and the latter for \$2350, f. o. b. the factory at Rochester, N. Y. This now makes Mr. Wulff's lines complete—Hupmobile and Dodge automobiles, Mateo trailer and Selden trucks.

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Telephone Service



Brady's new central battery switchboard was cut into service at an early hour Monday morning, June 25th. The transfer was made in a comparatively short time and little or no trouble was experienced, which was due to the careful preparations going on for several weeks.

The installation of the new telephones, which form a part of the central battery equipment, is now going on and all of the telephones will be installed within the next few days.

After this is done, the old plant will be dismantled and the finishing touches put on the outside plant. Brady will then have a telephone system equal to any town of its size in the State of Texas.

We will also then be prepared to handle all orders promptly and it is suggested that those desiring service over the new system, leave their order with the manager at once and same will be handled as soon as possible.

As the central battery system is new to the Company's patrons, as well as our operators, we ask that our patrons be patient with our operators, as some operating mistakes will no doubt be made, but a competent force is on hand to keep these down to a minimum.



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THE BRADY STANDARD

TRADE AT HOME.
Probably no one hears and learns more of various individual's grievances than does the newspaper man in his rounds—and probably no one has fewer of his own. Each week we hear and sympathize with individuals who are aggrieved at their neighbors, their friends, their associates, their patrons, their aldermen, their governor; yes, even their president. We pour forth the Balm of Gilead, try to smooth their thorny paths—and go back to the office and write heavy editorials bemoaning facts as they are and also facts as they are not, but should be.

Well, neighbors, friends and fellow-citizens, this week we are called upon to remind folks it is their duty to trade at home. The merchant and business institutions who are anxious and willing to serve you; who keep large and varied stocks on hand for your convenience; who pay taxes, give employment to those who live in the town and who are called upon time and again, day after day, to help the needy, to assist the unfortunate, to contribute to worthy causes; in fact, those men and concerns that make the town just the town it is, are deserving of and should be given your support upon all occasions in preference to any outside concern. The man who reasons any other way is merely cutting off his nose to spite his face, and is, to be plain-spoken, a traitor to his town and fellow-citizens.

We might harp upon this subject for the length of this column, but the pithiest trade at home article we ever heard is simply this: "If you trade away from your home town, and your neighbor trades away from the home town, and everybody else trades away from the home town what becomes of the home town?"—Brady Standard.

Say, Harry, you don't say a word about those Brady business concerns that send away from home for their printing. What's the matter? Have you gotten them all lined up at last to patronize the home printer even as they expect the home people to patronize them? If so, we congratulate—not you—but THEM. If not, we doubledog dare you to reprint this comment.—Rockdale Reporter.

Let up on us, John Esten Cooke! Just as we are engaged in anointing a sore head in our community, you come along and double dare us to—pour forth the vials of our wrath instead. Don't you realize that there are

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BRADY, TEXAS, June 26, 1917

THE WORLD WAR.

The following article by "Sun-of-a-gun" in the San Saba News, is the most lucid statement of the world-war, which we have yet seen in print.

"Kaiser Wilhelm says the people of the United States do not know what they are fighting for and are not behind President Wilson. There are some people, and some newspapers, who have persistently declared that the people of Germany and her allies do not know what they are fighting for. We guess the pot is just about as black as the frying pan. We know exactly what we are fighting for and the American ideals in this war. By we, is meant the American people. It is just as certain that the German people are as sure of their ideals as are the American people. The difference is the ideals. In America the ideal is a republic of self-governing people; in Germany the ideal is a government by divine right of kings and the world dominated by German kultur. There is just as much honesty, sincerity, patriotism and self sacrifice among the people in one nation as the other. We had as well recognize that fact. This war is a struggle between the Teuton and the Anglo-Saxon, both tracing their ancestry to a common source. They are both conquering branches of the race. Neither have ever known what it is to bow the knee of submit to a foreign power. Both believe they are destined to rule the world. This war is the old, old struggle for world supremacy and no doubt victory awaits the survival of the fittest."

Coal Orders.

Phane 295 for deep shaft McAlister coal. Deliveries now being made. Coal will be scarce and high later. Order today! Macy & Co.

Don't sell your cattle and hogs without getting our bid. Hanson & Strickland.

If your Cadet Hose fail to give you the service that they ought to, bring them and you'll get another pair or your money back without any grumbling.

C. H. VINCENT, South Side.

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

We now have the service of an expert mechanic and electrician, and are prepared to handle all your work. Simpson & Co.

Red Cross Box Supper.

The ladies of Brady Red Cross auxiliary will give a box supper on the court house lawn, Saturday, June 30th, at 8:30 o'clock. All cordially invited.

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.

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some folks in every community who, when they want favors, show the home newspaper man every consideration, but when they have job printing to be done nothing this side of St. Looney will suit. We'll confess to having a temper that is the very old dickens himself, but we have been trying to adopt a spirit of charity towards these erring ones—and we hope to yet accomplish our intentions.

But since you have agged us on, we'll state the case very plainly. If every bit of printing that is used in McCulloch county, were to be done in Brady, The Brady Standard would today have a printing plant that would make even dear old St. Looney look to her laurels. More than that, in addition to having a magnificent plant, unexcelled equipment and every facility for handling every character of work, we would be enabled to give employment, not to two or three men, but to several dozens of workmen. But, as Gloomy Gus says, "it wouldn't work." The green-eyed monster of jealousy would soon get to working over-time. You know, lots of folks can't stand to see anyone else prosper or succeed. It is their policy to rest stumbling blocks, dig pitfalls or sow briars in the paths of their fellow men. They are so blinded by their own prejudices that they would rather forfeit their own share in community happiness than to see that community rise and advance in the world. They remind us forcefully of the little ditty about the lightning bug— "The lightning bug is a funny thing, It hasn't any mind; It goes all through this world With its headlight on behind."

Expressing Automobiles.

Brady Auto Company has, for some time endeavored to secure enough Buick automobiles to supply their customers, but have encountered every manner of difficulty. The most recent of their troubles was in securing transportation facilities, because of the congested freight conditions up north and the great need of cars by the government for transportation of war supplies and the like. The company has just received and unloaded a carload of four Buicks which had been forwarded to them by express, freight cars having been impossible to secure. While the express bill amounts to a small fortune, yet in view of the announced increase in the price of Buicks next month, the securing of the cars even by express represents a saving. In the meantime Manager B. A. Hallum has returned from headquarters at Flint, Mich., where he was successful in securing an allotment of seventeen cars. These are now enroute and will be received in Brady within a week or so.

CHAPTER XX.

Conclusion of the Quiet Afternoon.

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But it relieved him only temporarily. His tormentors were unaffected by it and increased their howlings until at last George lost his head altogether. Badgered beyond bearing, his eyes shining with a wild light, he broke through the besieging trio, hurrying little Maurice from his path with a frantic hand.

"I'll show you!" he cried in this sudden frenzy. "You give me a chance, and I'll prove it right now!"

"That's talkin' business!" shouted Penrod. "Everybody keep still a minute—everybody!"

He took command of the situation at once, displaying a fine capacity for organization and system. It needed only a few minutes to set order in the place of confusion and to determine, with the full concurrence of all parties, the conditions under which George Bassett was to defend his claim by undergoing what may be perhaps intelligibly defined as the Herman test. George declared he could do it easily. He was in a state of great excitement and in no condition to think calmly or probably he would not have made the attempt at all. Certainly he was overconfident.

It was during the discussion of the details of this enterprise that George's mother a short distance down the street received a few female callers, who came by appointment to drink a glass of iced tea with her and to meet the Rev. Mr. Kinrossing. Mr. Kinrossing was proving almost formidably interesting to the women and girls of his own and other flocks. What favor of his fellow clergymen a slight precociousness of manner and pronunciation cost him was more than balanced by the visible ecstasies of ladies. They blossomed at his touch.

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PENROD

By BOOTH TARKINGTON

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SYNOPSIS.

Penrod, fearing the ordeal of playing the part of the Child Sir Lancelot, seeks forgetfulness in the composition of a dime novel.

Penrod's mother and sister dress him in his costume for the "Children's Pageant of the Round Table." Penrod is ashamed to wear it.

He breaks up the whole pageant by putting on a pair of the janitor's overalls over his costume.

A visit to a moving picture show gives him an idea and he loafs away his time in school, dreaming dreams.

The teacher reproves him. He seeks to distract attention from himself by alleging loss of sleep because of a drunken uncle.

The teacher sympathizes with Penrod's aunt because of her wayward husband, and it then develops that Penrod has been trying to—

Penrod, Sam Williams and two colored boys, Herman and Verman, get up a big show to entertain the town.

Verman makes a decided hit, but Roderick Magworth Blitts, Jr., says the show is a failure. Penrod asks him if he is a relation of Rena Magworth, a murderer.

Roderick, seeking fame, says she is his aunt. Roderick's mother finds him posing as a nephew of the murderer and stops the circus.

Penrod gets very musical and buys an accordion, with which he makes a great hit with beautiful Marjorie Jones.

At the big and pony show Penrod eats so many different varieties of indigestible things that he is taken violently ill.

Rupe Collins, a very tough boy, bullies Penrod and at once becomes a great hero in Penrod's eyes.

Penrod tries to be a tough boy himself. He arouses fear in the hearts of Sam Williams, Herman and Verman by describing Rupe's bullying tactics.

Rupe tries to intimidate Herman and Verman, and the two little colored boys speedily drive him off the place.

Mitchy-Mitch, Marjorie's little brother, infuriates Penrod by calling him "little gentleman," and a great fight starts.

Penrod is punished. The Rev. Mr. Kinrossing calls and unskillfully refers to Penrod several times as "little gentleman."

Penrod fills Kinrossing's hat with tar and the minister departs, never to return. George Bassett says that he is going to be a minister.

George tries to prove his qualifications by imitating a colored revivalist, whose pole climbing is described by Herman.

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Williams families and would have been familiar to Mrs. Bassett had George been permitted greater intimacy with Penrod and Sam.

Mr. Kinrossing sipped his iced tea and looked about him approvingly. Seven ladies leaned forward, for it was to be seen that he meant to speak.

"This cool room is a relief," he said, waving a graceful hand to a neatly limited gesture, which everybody's eyes followed, his own included. "It is a relief and a retreat. The windows open, the blinds closed—that is as it should be. It is a retreat, a fastness, a bastion against the heat's assault. For me a quiet room—a quiet room and a book, a volume in the hand, held lightly between the fingers—a volume of poems, lines metrical and cadenced, something by a sound Victorian. We have no later poets."

"Swinburne?" suggested Miss Beam, an eager spinster. "Swinburne. Mr. Kinrossing? Ah, Swinburne?"

"Not Swinburne," said Mr. Kinrossing chastely. "No."

That concluded all the remarks about Swinburne.

Miss Beam retired in confusion behind another lady, and somehow there became diffused an impression that Miss Beam was erotic.

"I do not observe your many little son," Mr. Kinrossing addressed his hostess.

"He's out playing in the yard," Mrs. Bassett returned. "I heard his voice just now, I think."

"Everywhere I hear wonderful reports of him," said Mr. Kinrossing. "I may say that I understand boys, and I feel that he is a rare, a fine, a pure, a lofty spirit. I say spirit, for spirit is the word I hear spoken of him."

A chorus of enthusiastic approbation affirmed the accuracy of this proclamation, and Mrs. Bassett flushed with pleasure. George's spiritual perfection was demonstrated by instances of it related by the visitors. His piety was etched and wonderful things he had said were quoted.

"Not all boys are pure, of fine spirit, of high mind," said Mr. Kinrossing, and continued with true feeling: "You have a neighbor, dear Mrs. Bassett, whose household I indeed really feel it quite impossible to visit until such time when better, firmer, stronger handed, more determined discipline shall prevail. I find Mr. and Mrs. Schofield and their daughter charming, but—"

Three or four ladies said "Oh!" and spoke a name simultaneously. It was as if they had said, "Oh, the bubonic plague!"

"Oh! Penrod Schofield?"

"George does not play with him," said Mrs. Bassett quickly—"that is, he avoids him as much as he can without hurting Penrod's feelings. George is very sensitive to giving pain. I suppose a mother should not tell these things, and I know people who talk about their own children are dreadful bores, but it was only last Thursday night that George looked up in my face so sweetly after he had said his prayers, and his little cheeks flushed as he said: "Mamma, I think it would be right for me to go more with Penrod. I think it would make him a better boy."

A sibilance went about the room. "Sweet! How sweet! The sweet little soul. Ah, sweet!"

"And that very afternoon," continued Mrs. Bassett, "he had come home in a dreadful state. Penrod had thrown tar all over him."

"Your son has a forgiving spirit," said Mr. Kinrossing, with vehemence; "a too forgiving spirit perhaps." He set down his glass. "No more, I thank you. No more cake, I thank you. Was it not Cardinal Newman who said—"

He was interrupted by the sounds of an altercation just outside the closed blinds of the window nearest him.

"Let him pick his tree." It was the voice of Samuel Williams. "Didn't we come over here to give him one of his own trees? Give him a fair show, can't you?"

"The little lads!" Mr. Kinrossing smiled. "They have their games, their outdoor sports, their pastimes. The young muscles are toughening. The sun will not harm them. They grow, they expand, they learn. They learn fair play, honor, courtesy, from one another as pebbles grow round in the brook. They learn more from themselves than from us. They take shape, form, outline. Let them."

"Mr. Kinrossing! Another spinster—undeterrable by what had happened to Miss Beam—leaned far forward, her face shining and ardent. "Mr. Kinrossing, there's a question I do wish to ask you."

"My dear Miss Cossitt," Mr. Kinrossing responded, again waving his hand and watching it, "I am entirely at your disposal."

"Was Joan of Arc," she asked fervently, "inspired by spirits?"

He smiled indulgently. "Yes—and no," he said. "One must give both answers. One must give the answer, yes; one must give the answer, no."

"Oh, thank you!" said Miss Cossitt, blushing. "She's one of my great enthusiasms, you know."

"And I have a question, too," urged Mrs. Lora Rebush after a moment's hasty concentration. "I've never been able to settle it for myself, but now—"

"Yes?" said Mr. Kinrossing encouragingly.

"Is—ah—is—oh, yes—is Sanskrit a more difficult language than Spanish, Mr. Kinrossing?"

"It depends upon the student," replied the oracle, smiling. "One must not look for linguists everywhere. In my own especial case—if one may cite oneself as an example—I found no great, no insurmountable difficulty in mastering, in conquering either."

"And may I ask one?" ventured Mrs. Bassett. "Do you think it is right to wear egretts?"

"There are marks of quality, of caste

of social distinction," Mr. Kinrossing began, "which must be permitted, allowed, though perhaps regulated. Social distinction, one observes, almost invariably implies spiritual distinction as well. Distinction of circumstances is accompanied by mental distinction. Distinction is hereditary. It descends from father to son, and if there is one thing more true than 'like father, like son,' it is—'he bowed gallantly to Mrs. Bassett—'it is 'like mother, like son.' What these good ladies have said this afternoon of you?"

This was the fatal instant. There smote upon all ears the voice of George, painfully shrill and penetrating, fraught with protest and protracted strain. His plain words consisted of the newly sanctioned and disinfected curse with a big H.

With an ejaculation of horror Mrs. Bassett sprang to the window and threw open the blinds.

George's back was disclosed to the view of the ten party. He was endeavoring to ascend a maple tree about twelve feet from the window. Embracing the trunk with arms and legs, he had managed to squirm to a point just above the heads of Penrod and Herman, who stood close by, watching him earnestly, Penrod being obviously in charge of the performance. Across the yard were Sam Williams and Maurice Levy, acting as a jury on the question of voice power, and it was to a complaint of theirs that George had just replied.

"That's right, George," said Penrod encouragingly. "They can't hear you. Let her go!"

"Going to heaven!" shrieked George, squirming up another inch. "Going to heaven, heaven, heaven!"

His mother's frenzied attempts to attract his attention failed utterly. George was using the full power of his lungs, deafening his own ears to all other sounds. Mrs. Bassett called in vain, while the tea party stood petrified in a cluster about the window.

"Going to heaven!" George bellowed. "Going to heaven! Going to heaven, my Lord! Going to heaven, heaven, heaven!"

He tried to climb higher, but began to slip downward, his exertions causing damage to his apparel. A button flew into the air, and his knickerbockers and his waistband severed relations.

"Devil's got my coattails, sinner! Old devil's got my coattails!" he announced appropriately. Then he began to slide. He relaxed his clasp of the tree and slid to the ground.

"Going to —!" shrieked George, reaching a high pitch of enthusiasm in this great climax.

With a loud scream Mrs. Bassett threw herself out of the window, alighting by some miracle upon her feet with ankles unsprained.

Mr. Kinrossing, feeling that his presence as spiritual adviser was demanded in the yard, followed with greater dignity through the front door. At the corner of the house a small departing figure collided with him violently. It was Penrod, tactfully withdrawing from what promised to be a family scene of unusual painfulness.

Mr. Kinrossing seized him by the shoulders and, giving way to emotion, shook him violently.

"You horrible boy!" exclaimed Mr. Kinrossing. "You ruffianly creature! Do you know what's going to happen to you when you grow up? Do you realize what you're going to be?"

With flashing eyes the indignant boy made known his unshaken purpose. He shouted the reply:

"A minister!"

(To be Continued.)

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Mrs. John Paschal Dead.

The death of Mrs. John Paschal occurred this morning at 4:00 o'clock, following a paralytic stroke which she suffered last Saturday. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, Father F. X. Gagnon officiating, and interment will be made in Brady cemetery.

Mrs. Paschal was 51 years of age. Her maiden name was Miss Emma Andrews, and she had spent nearly all of her life in this section, having been raised by her aunt, Mrs. McGrew, by whom she was regarded as a daughter. Twenty-one years ago last Christmas she was married to Mr. Paschal, and theirs was a very happy married life, Mrs. Paschal caring for and mothering the four children as though they had been her own.

She was a noble Christian woman, and had been a faithful and consistent member of the Brady Catholic church. Besides her husband, she is survived by her aunt, Mrs. McGrew, one brother, and a host of other relatives and friends all of whom sincerely mourn her loss.

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Camp Fire Girls.

Camp Minnewawa, Brady Camp Fire Girls, is performing a notable service for the Red Cross. There are eight girls in the camp, and last Saturday, in charge of Mrs. C. S. Broad, Guardian, the camp went to Lohn where they rendered able assistance in the Red Cross program given there Saturday night. Beginning today the camp will visit the ten Red Cross districts, mapped out by the Red Cross campaign committee, and will endeavor to induce each school child to contribute 10c towards the Red Cross fund. Each child contributing will be placed on the honor roll, and the list of names will be sent in to national headquarters at Washington, D. C.

The camp fire girls have, upon all occasions, indicated their willingness to render every possible assistance in any move for the public good, and this latest effort of theirs is to be highly commended.

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If your little one's tongue is coated, it is a sure sign the stomach, liver and bowels need a gentler thorough cleansing at once. When your child is cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, system full of cold, throat sore, or if feverish, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

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Letter from "Aunt Jane" Moore.

Dawson, Texas, June 19. Editor Brady Standard: Will let the people know what has become of us, if you will give us a little space in your valuable paper. We left home last Thursday the 14th, came to Blanket in Brown county. There we stayed all night with Earnest Jones and family, one of our nephews. Left Friday morning and came to Cleburne, about 140 miles day. Stopped with J. F. Quicksall and had a very pleasant time, then left there this morning and came to Dawson—found my daughter and husband well and doing fine.

Will stay here a few days; cannot tell when we will be back to Brady. We found lots of small grain, both wheat and oats, after we passed Brownwood. Corn in places looks well, though needing rain all the way; cotton is good but not suffering for rain like corn.

We are standing the trip fine and will come home when we get tired running around.

Best wishes for The Standard and the young "editress"
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DEDICATE DOOLE CHURCH.

Baptists Will Fittingly Observe Occasion Sunday, July 1st.

T. B. Cobb was in from the Doole community last week and reported that the handsome new church built at Doole by the Baptist denomination, had been completed and would be dedicated on the 1st Sunday in July, being July 1st.

Rev. R. H. Gibson of Rochelle will preach the dedicatory sermon. Everyone is invited to attend, and each one is asked to bring dinners and join in making the occasion a memorable one.

The new church is 36x40 ft., with commodious seating capacity, and was completed at a cost of \$1250.00. Rev. J. F. Nichols is pastor, and will hold services on the 1st Sunday in each month.

Joins Quartermaster's Dept.

Henry King returned the latter part of last week from Dallas, where he was successful in passing the examination for enlistment in the quartermaster's department. However, he was placed on the reserve list and is here awaiting call, which may come at any time—within a week, or possibly not for five or six weeks.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

N. B. Embry is gladdening the heart of his sister-in-law, Mrs. W. B. Harris, at Dallas, by ordering The Standard sent her for a year.

A new son arrived Sunday morning to gladden the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Baker, and Grandpa Elliot is now learnedly discussing the best methods of proper raising for a grandson.

Marion Brown says it is no trouble to sell Oaklands, when once the merits of the car are understood. An Oakland roadster, received by C. K. Woods, local agent, Thursday was sold by Brown before night, Joe Hays of Waldrup being the purchaser.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hurd are entertaining a winsome young lady who arrived at their home last Friday to keep them company through the many years to come. Frank is very proud of this newest addition to his family, and has added dignity in his demeanor, the while wearing a smile that indicates he is mighty well pleased.

Word was received by his parents here from Orval Jackson is to the effect that he was rejected in the marine corps at Dallas on account of lacking of weight. Orval has been engaged in the insurance business in Dallas for several months, but has had the war fever for some time, and recently decided to enlist under Uncle Sam's banner. However, his parents, while proud of his patriotic endeavor, are still hoping against hope that it will not be necessary for him to enlist.

W. L. Stuck returned last Tuesday from a week's visit and business trip to Goldthwaite, Lometa and Lampasas. He says conditions in the Lampasas section as being very bad, corn being withered down to the stalk by the prolonged heat and drouth. In the Goldthwaite section conditions are somewhat better, a later rain having helped crops there. He reports conditions in the McCulloch country as looking the best of any place he had been. He was accompanied to Brady by his father-in-law, H. M. Murphy of Burnet, who had learned that several of his children were visiting in Brady, and who could not resist the temptation to come and join in the family reunion. Mr. Murphy made us a pleasant call last week, and said he enjoyed reading The Standard, and felt like he could not get along without it.

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We shall omit no measure within our power to defend the authority under which Bevo is manufactured and sold, to protect the public from imposition, and to safeguard the good name of this Association.

We therefore give fair warning that we shall refuse to sell our products to those who are found guilty of the above offense.

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Grandma McFarland Dead.

"Grandma" McFarland, mother of Mesdames John Ake of Lohn and Pink Ake of East Sweden, died Saturday in the Latham community, near Mason from a paralytic stroke, at the advanced age of 88 years. Mrs. McFarland was one of the most remarkable women of the time, and had for 40 years made her home in Mason county, being well known far and wide. Her long residence there carried her back to the early days, when the country was still infested with Indians, and many a thrilling experience was she able to relate. Despite her advanced age, her mind was clear and she was active up to almost the day of her death. She kept house for her son, Brag McFarland, doing all her work herself.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon and interment was made at Union Band, near Fredonia, the funeral being marked by one of the largest attendances on record, friends coming from all parts of the section to pay last tribute to this well-beloved old lady. Messrs. and Mesdames John, Pink and Walter Ake were among Brady relatives and friends who attended the funeral.

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North Side Bible Class No. 1.

The North Side Bible Class No. 1 met last Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock with Mrs. M. L. Carroll. A large crowd was present, there being twenty-one in attendance and one visitor, and quite a number of children. We had for our lesson the review of Proverbs. Next Friday we meet with Mrs. Kruse at same hour and study the first six chapters of Ecclesiastes. Mrs. E. W. Marshall will teach our Sunday School lesson which is found in sixth chapter of Isaiah and a large crowd is expected. Let the good work go on.

Water coolers. O. D. Mann & Sons.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Frank Atkinson of Sterling City is here as a guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. John B. Westbrook.

Mrs. O. W. H. Cook of Austin arrived here Saturday for a visit with her brother, Bailey Jones, and family.

Messrs. C. A. Anderson and George Nelson left last Wednesday for Round Rock to attend the Old Settler's reunion at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson are here from Knickerbocker, in Tom Green county, for a visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Westbrook.

Mrs. Sam McCollum, son, Yantis Walton, and sister, Miss Erin have returned from Nacogoches, where they have been guests of friends the past week or ten days.

The many friends of Mrs. A. G. Walker will be pleased to learn that she has returned to Brady and has decided to again make her home among us. Mrs. Walker was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Adkins, who will make her home with her here.

South Side Bible Class.

The South Side Bible class met last Friday with Mrs. Ed Broad, with a good attendance and much interest shown. The class will meet next Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock with Mrs. J. T. Mann. The lesson will include from the 30th to the 60th Psalms; also the next Sunday School lesson. As the class is interested in our boys that are away in training, and are in receipt of cards from several of them, a part of each meeting will be spent in devotional service. Let every one come and help us make this a profitable as well as an interesting meeting.

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Former Brady Boy May Go to France.

The following item from the Brownwood Bulletin, will be of interest to Brady people, Mason having lived here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Martin, prior to moving to Brownwood.

"Word has been received in Brownwood that Herbert Mason, who at one time was a student in Daniel Baker College, and later moved with his father, B. R. Mason, to Waco, has been accepted in the aviation corps and has successfully passed the very strenuous examination that admits to that department of army life.

"Young Mason volunteered his services when it appeared that trouble with Mexico was imminent, and has since been serving on the Mexican border as a non-commissioned officer. It is now understood that he will proceed at once to some aviation field for practical training and as soon as he has had sufficient experience in handling an air craft will be dispatched to the front, somewhere in France, for active service."

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Boy Scouts Entertained.

Eight Boy Scouts, of Brady, accompanied by Asst. Scout Master Snider, spent last week enjoying a camping trip in Kimble ozone along the limpid Llano and as visitors to the Junction Boy Scouts. The Camp Fire Girls in their well known charming manner gave the Scouts a delightful entertainment on last Friday night. Various games were enjoyed and the jolly gathering served to delicious refreshments, which according to Junction Scout Master Campbell "consisted of bread, barbecued meat, ice tea and bugs." However he quickly adds that the last mentioned item was not on the menu prepared by the Camp Fire Girls, but intruders which have a habit of inviting themselves to picnic parties.

The evening was a most pleasant one for everyone, and the boys were all very appreciative of the Camp Fire Girls hospitality. The Brady boys left for their home Saturday.—Junction Citizen-Light.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
 COUNTY OF McCULLOCH)

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of McCulloch County, Texas, on the 16th day of May A. D. 1917, by P. A. Campbell, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-eight and 40-100 (\$378.40.) together with interest thereon from February 20th, 1917, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and all costs, under a judgment, in favor of W. R. Davidson vs. G. W. Long and S. A. Long, in a certain cause in said Court No. 1602, and styled W. R. Davidson vs. G. W. Long et al, placed in my hands for service, I J. C. Wall, as sheriff of McCulloch County, Texas, did on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1917, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in McCulloch County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being a part of State School Section No. 236, purchased from the State by W. P. Beebe and patented to J. F. Crew and being Block No. Fifty-six (56) in the town of Rochelle, Texas, formerly known as the town of Crothers, the maps of said town now in general use as well as the map of Record in Volume 2, Page 330 Deed Records of McCulloch County, Texas, are here referred to and made part hereof for description and which said block of land contains about 1 1/4 acres of land and is known as the G. W. Long place and is situate about 14 miles N. E. from the center of the county of McCulloch, and levied upon as the property of G. W. Long and S. A. Long, and that on the first Tuesday in July 1917, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of McCulloch County, in the City of Brady, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at Public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said G. W. Long and S. A. Long.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Brady Standard, a newspaper published in McCulloch County, Texas. Witness my hand this the 11th day of June A. D. 1917.

J. C. WALL,
 Sheriff McCulloch County, Texas.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The cutting over from the old "magneto" system to the new "central energy" system was accomplished as per schedule Sunday night at 12:00 o'clock by the West Texas Telephone Co., and workmen are now engaged in replacing the old phone instruments with the handsome new black enameled iron instruments.

In sending in her renewal subscription, Mrs. E. L. Wade writes from Alpine as follows: "We always enjoy getting the paper. Would have sent you a check sooner, but my little boy, Charlie, got his left hand badly torn up by the explosion of a dynamite cap, and came near having blood poison. He is safe now, and his hand is healing nicely."

Mrs. S. P. Allen, who is spending several weeks visiting relatives in San Saba county, sends in a subscription for her son-in-law, T. F. Morrow, and writes that she does not feel like she could do without the paper. Mrs. Allen adds: "Here I am 'way down close to San Saba, and if the world is as big the other way is it is this, it sure is a whopper. I am sure having a time eating fish."

Word received by A. W. Tipton from his son, Burette, who is stationed at San Antonio, where he has just joined the cavalry, is to the effect that he has passed all examinations and has been promoted to 1st class private, with resultant increase in pay of from \$30.15 to \$33.80. Mr. Tipton states that in all the training camps they are schooling the boys in the thought that when they leave the United States the chances are that they will never again see their home or their native land—and before the war is over it is thought that 2,000,000 men, representing the flower of American manhood, will have sacrificed their lives. Cowardice is regarded as one of the greatest of crimes among the recruits, and whenever a streak of yellow appears in a soldier's makeup, his companions strip him, paint him with iodine, toss him in a blanket and then stand him out before the gaze of his comrades as an example. The war game is not child's play; it is man's work and nerves of steel are necessary for those who would follow the game.

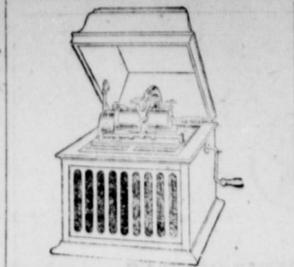
Word received from Andrew Germany by his uncle, I. G. Abney, is to the effect that he never realized how well he liked Texas and McCulloch county, than since he has left here. Andrew left the latter part of May for his old home at Union, Mass., with the thought in mind of registering there. Then, if he should be conscripted, he felt that he would be enabled to go to war alongside his boyhood friends and school mates, rather than among comparative strangers. In his 10 months' stay in Brady, during which time he worked in his uncle's store, probably no young man ever was held in higher esteem than was he. Quiet and studious in deportment, of model character and disposition, ever courteous and willing to accommodate or endeavor to please, he made firm friends of all with whom he came in contact, and his departure from Brady occasioned universal regret. His many friends here hope and trust that the war clouds, so ominously gathered, may soon be dispelled and that Andrew Germany may soon be enabled to return among us.

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Light Rain in Brady.

Sunday about noon saw the dustiest dust storm that has visited Brady in a month of Sundays. The downtown streets were swept from one end to the other as with a broom, and for a time the dust was so thick in the atmosphere as to obscure objects not a hundred yards distant. A patter of rain followed the storm, settling the dust temporarily, and cooling the atmosphere considerably. While heavy clouds hung to the north, northeast and northwest, but little rain was had. In the Mercury section a good rain fell, and at Brownwood a fairly good shower was had. The heaviest rain seems to have fallen out towards Pasche, one car coming in from that section looking as though it had been buried in mud. Three inches of rain was reported at Goldthwaite.

CLIP THIS AND PIN ON WIFE'S DRESSER.

Cincinnati Man Tells How to Shrive Up Corns or Calluses and Lift Off With Fingers.

Ouch ! ? ! ? ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezone when applied to a tender, aching corn or hardened callus stops soreness at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain. He says freezone dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels. If your druggist doesn't have freezone tell him to order a small bottle for you.

Erect New Gin at Fife.

E. B. Ramsay went to Fife last week, where he contracted with R. K. Finlay, Sr., for the removal of the old gin plant at that place, and also for the transporting to Fife of the new engine and equipment to be installed in the gin. The building will be moved from its present site to a location near the Finlay store, where it will be remodeled and equipped with new machinery practically throughout, making it one of the most modern gin plants in the county. The new crude oil engine will be 65 horse-power and new Murray gin stands will assure the highest class of work. The gin plant was not operated last year, but in its improved form, it will meet a much-felt want among the residents of that section of the county.

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