

## COMMENT ON WORLD PEACE PLAN BOTH FAVORABLE AND NOT

### Not To Be Ridiculed; Time Alone Will Tell —Says Dallas News

In the way of reaction to the proposal to have the United States associate itself with the League of Nations in the manner suggested in the plan which won the Bok prize, we have so far the comments of numerous newspapers and of a few public men, of whom Senator Reed of Missouri, Senator McCormick of Illinois, Mr. Bryan and former Associate Justice Clarke, who is now head of the League of Nations Nonpartisan Association, are perhaps the most prominent. Of the newspapers, it may be said that virtually all of those which have so far come to The News have pronounced in favor of the plan. Papers as diverse in their party predilections as the St. Louis Globe Democrat and the New York World show themselves to be alike in the belief that this plan suggests a practicable means of joining the United States with the other Nations of the world in the work of trying to prevent the outbreak of war. The opinions expressed by the men named have been pretty much what every one must have expected. Certainly no one can be surprised, nor disappointed, that Senators Reed and McCormick should have denounced the proposal as unholy, and the more so for being an insidious substitute for a proposal which it pleases them to think the people of the country have once overwhelmingly rejected. To Mr. Clarke the adoption of it would be a short step in the right direction, and so is to be commended more for what he imagines would be the ultimate consequences of its adoption than for immediate effects thereof. Mr. Clarke makes it rather evident that, in his opinion, the League of Nations must have more coercive power than this plan would accord to it if it is to be an effective agency for the preservation of peace. Mr. Bryan's reaction must have fulfilled the expectation of all who had not forgotten his attitude when the question of ratifying the peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant was under consideration in the Senate.

It will be some time yet before we can know what the popular sentiment is with respect to this proposal. The only thing apparent just now is that Mr. Bok's enterprise has excited an interest deep and wide enough to render useless the ridicule which had been prepared by the bucketful for dousing on it. The New York Times, itself not much disposed to regard with favor a canvass of public sentiment for the purpose of goading or directing those in authority, comments in this aspect of the matter pithily and sensibly. "Let it be said at once," the Times remarks, "that Mr. Edward Bok's prize for a peace plan has ceased to be open to ridicule. Any man from now on who seeks merely to make fun of it will make himself ridiculous. A scheme which has gained weight and dignity by the names and counsel of Elihu Root, John W. Davis, Judge Learned Hand, General Harbord, Governor Miller, Colonel House and honorable women not a few is no longer fair game for flippant humorists. Whatever else may be said of the Bok prize and its award, announced today, no one can deny that it has already been of great use in freshening discussion of an old subject. Merely as a device to stir and inform public opinion, the whole affair is already an achieved and creditable success." The referendum may show an adverse majority, although the prediction of the contrary outcome would be highly safe; but at least it seems assured that it will bring forth a big vote.

It has pleased Republicans to think that Mr. Harding's 7,000,000 majority was the Nation's imperious and irrevocable mandate to avoid all contact and association with the League of Nations. Many Democrats have been hospitable to that view, being persuaded, in all likelihood, by the belief that they would make more trouble than votes for themselves and their party by putting the League of Nations issue to the forefront. It is entirely possible, not to say somewhat probable, that the result of the Bok referendum will disturb that cherished illusion. The organizers of the referendum hope to poll 30,000,000 votes. If they should poll only half that

#### I. ENTER THE PERMANENT COURT

That the United States adhere to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the reasons and under the conditions stated by Secretary Hughes and President Harding in February, 1923.

#### II. COOPERATE WITH THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS, WITHOUT FULL MEMBERSHIP AT PRESENT

That without becoming a member of the League of Nations as at present constituted, the United States Government should extend its present cooperation with the League and propose participation in the work of its Assembly and Council under the following conditions and reservations:

##### Safeguarding of Monroe Doctrine

1. The United States accepts the League of Nations as an instrument of mutual counsel, but it will assume no obligation to interfere with political questions of policy or internal administration of any foreign state.

In uniting its efforts with those of other States for the preservation of peace and the promotion of the common welfare, the United States insists upon the safeguarding of the Monroe Doctrine and does not abandon its traditional attitude concerning American independence of the Old World and does not consent to submit its long established policy concerning questions regarded by it as purely American to the recommendation or decision of other Powers.

##### No Military or Economic Force

2. That the only kind of compulsion which nations can freely engage to apply to each other in the name of Peace is that which arises from conference, from moral judgment, from full publicity, and from the power of public opinion.

The United States would assume no obligations under Article X in its present form, or under Article XVI in its present form in the Covenant, or in its amended form as now proposed, unless in any particular case Congress has authorized such action.

The United States proposes that Articles X and XVI be either dropped altogether or so amended and changed as to eliminate any suggestion of a general agreement to use coercion for obtaining conformity to the pledges of the Covenant.

##### No Obligations Under Versailles Treaty

3. That the United States will accept no responsibilities under the Treaty of Versailles unless in any particular case Congress has authorized such action.

##### League Open to All Nations

4. The United States Government proposes that Article I of the Covenant be construed and applied, or, if necessary, redrafted, so that admission to the League shall be assured to any self-governing State that wishes to join and that receives the favorable vote of two-thirds of the Assembly.

##### Development of International Law

5. As a condition of its participation in the work and counsels of the League, the United States asks that the Assembly and Council consent—or obtain authority—to begin collaboration for the revision and development of international law, employing for this purpose the aid of a commission of jurists. This Commission would be directed to formulate new existing rules of the law of nations, to reconcile divergent opinions, to consider points hitherto inadequately provided for but vital to the maintenance of international justice, and in general to define the social rights and duties of States. The recommendations of the Commission would be presented from time to time, in proper form for consideration, to the Assembly as to a recommending if not a law-making body.

Do you approve the winning plan  
in substance? (Put an X in the proper box) Yes  No

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## NEW RULING ON POLL TAX EXEMPTIONS

Persons Reaching 21 After Feb. 1 Last and Prior to Feb. 1, This Year Exempt From Fee.

Austin, Jan. 10.—Persons reaching the age of 21 after Feb. 1, last, and before Feb. 1, this year, will be entitled to vote without securing a certificate of exemption except those living in cities of 5,000 population, according to a ruling today by Lon Smith, State Comptroller.

The ruling construes the act passed at the second called session of the thirty-eighth Legislature.

number, and if of that number a considerable majority should be in favor of the plan, the position which the imaginations of those Senators have made so comfortable for themselves is apt to be less safe than they had supposed it to be. It might be fantastic to think it possible that this proposal submitted to a referendum will enlist a popular support that would compel its adoption by Congress. But that it may have a result which would work a definite change in our policy with respect to Europe is an altogether sober notion. Mr. Bok has put those Republican Senators who have kept Mr. Hughes hobbled and hand-cuffed, on a griddle. It is for the people of the country to determine how hot the griddle shall be.—Dallas News.

## Dr. Wm. R. Davidson Passed Away Friday at Madison, Ind., Aged 84

A message received last Saturday morning by Wm. R. Davidson brought the sad news of the death of his father, Dr. Wm. R. Davidson, which occurred Friday night at his home in Madison, Indiana, at the advanced age of 84 years. The news, while not unexpected, was nevertheless a shock to everyone, and the sympathy of all is extended Mr. Davidson in his bereavement.

Dr. Davidson was a native of Madison, and had resided there practically all his life, being not only one of the most widely-known and popular physicians, but having a wonderful reputation throughout that section. After practicing medicine there for a number of years, he went to Europe where he took special courses, before returning to Madison to make his home again. In his early youth, he served as physician during the Civil War.

For a number of years, Dr. Davidson had retired. He had visited in Brady upon a number of occasions, and his genteel and courtly manner had won for him a large circle of warm friends and admirers.

Surviving are his widow and two sons, Wm. R. Davidson of Brady, and Chas. Davidson of Madison, Ind. The former left here Saturday night for Madison to attend the funeral.

CANTWELL'S fitwell seat covers are better. E. R. CANTWELL.

Rubber Stamps made to order. The Brady Standard.

## World Peace Dream: The Hand of Esau, But Voice of Jacob

A few years ago a well-meaning individual spent a few thousand dollars on an expedition of peace against warring nations. A bunch of idealists went along. Our own people hooted at him and his idealism.

He was right. He was acting at the right time. He was suggesting the right practices of individuals for nations. It was the time when peace should have been talked.

When my neighbor and I are living in peace and harmony, it is poor time to offer peaceful amenities: nothing is needed then.

The time that oil should be poured on the waters is when they are troubled. This idealist attempted it, and was snubbed by the warring nations, and the neutrals (?) hooted. What they wanted was ammunition. What the "neutrals" wanted was to sell ammunition!

We, as nations, talk peace and sell munitions of war. At the present time Uncle Sam is playing the noble role of handing a bludgeon to the weaker of two fighting individuals—we have no right to sell either faction in Mexico ammunition. If we have a work at all in this case, it would be to see that neither faction receive munitions of war!

This is the setting of the "referendum" Mr. Bok's peace enjoys. We are enjoying (?) the spectacle of a government abetting internecine strife, in a sister republic, while its people are "voting" on a world peace plan.

It is very much like the mother and sons indulging in plans to keep peace between neighbors while the father is busy handing bludgeons to one of the bellicose citizens.

We are told that Mr. Bok's committee has selected from many proposed peace plans No. 1469, and that they have awarded him or her half of the \$100,000 prize offered, with the promise that he or she shall get the other \$50,000 if the people of the United States ratify his or her proposal.

No. 1469 is the hand of Esau, but the voice of Jacob.

Briefly, it proposes that we meddle in international court affairs, especially in the matter of the League of Nations, but that we refuse to become an obligated member. In other words, we should butt in at will, and bow out at will, always reserving the right to do or not to do, just as our own whims dictate.

It seeks to straddle a century and hold on to the over-praised Monroe Doctrine (I believe, they are now discovering that Monroe didn't write it; this may kill it), a piece of "national policy" evolved during the age of international disintegration, and at the same time it is seeking to seize the virtues of a world court, a piece of national policy evolved during the age of world or international integration.

There can be no union with reservations; the thirteen colonies tried that, under the Articles of Confederacy.

The plan is punk, and the votes of the American people shall be insignificant for their vote on this will be as little representative of the American mind and spirit as was the demand (?) of the American people that we enter the world war "to make the world safe for Democracy."

The same fifty minds that covered America with unfair propaganda (like the waters cover the sea), which plunged us headlong into the European war, is back of the Bok peace plan!

That point is made conclusive in the plan's declaration that we "accept no responsibility under the treaty of Versailles, unless in any particular case congress has authorized such action."

This shows clearly the mind of Jacob and recalls the ambitions of father Isaac to stay out of the foreign entanglements, the mess of pottage, the sale of the birthright, the hand of Jacob clothed in goat's skin, and the suspicious remark that preceded: "This is the hand of Esau, but the voice of Jacob!"

We believe that the world is not yet ready for consociation under an

## MASON ROAD CONTRACT IS LET AT \$41,100

The contract for the improvement of Highway No. 9 in McCulloch county from the river to the Mason county line was this morning awarded to the McCall Engineering Co. of Waco on their bid, the approximate total of which was \$41,100. The stretch of road to be improved totals 4.7 miles, and its improvement will connect the 1 1/2 mile stretch of highway built on the Brady-Mason road last year, with the highway built to the county line by Mason county. State and Federal aid will be available in the work of building this highway.

H. S. McCall of Waco, representing the successful bidders, is in Brady, and expressed gratification at having received the contract. He announces that his company will get the road improvement work under way within two weeks. Right-of-way has already been secured by the county, and the improvement work is expected to go ahead without interruption. The contract calls for completion of the work in 300 working days.

attempt through articles of confederation that can propose everything and compel nothing, is fratricidal and unwise.

We believe that our course at this time should be amicable relations with all nations, based upon a course of justice, honesty and integrity, reserving our overt acts of assistance or interference free to take whatever coloring or course the exigencies of the case may dictate at the time it is made.

Let our past course of rectitude be our assurance to the nations of the world that in the future as in the past they shall not feel the tyrant's heel pressed by the American strength; that they may expect American justice, honor and integrity unimpaired.

We vote NO on the plan suggested by No. 1469.

—Texas Commercial News.

## BAND CONCERT FRIDAY NIGHT AT TABERNACLE INTERESTING PROGRAM

The Brady Municipal band gave an appreciated concert at the Methodist tabernacle Friday night, and the audience made up in volume what it lacked in numbers, in voicing their approval of the numbers rendered. The cool weather, undoubtedly, served to deter many from attending.

Practically all the numbers presented were new, including several of the latest and most popular hits of the day. Special numbers included a clarinet duet by Bob Rose and Hardin Jones, with accompaniment by the band, and a cornet duet by Director Lester Calloway and Cecil Striegler, and also a cornet solo by Mr. Calloway, piano accompaniments to these numbers being played by Miss Hilma Jordan.

While the band programs are always appreciated, this mid-winter concert was one of the most exceptional ever rendered, and met the approbation of every citizen who had the pleasure of hearing it.

## FORMER PROPRIETOR OF WOMEN'S STORE MUST FACE CHARGE IN COURT

George Kouvelis, former owner of the Vogue, women's store in Brownwood, was arrested on a complaint charging perjury Friday and placed under a bond of one thousand dollars, to appear in examining trial in justice court to be held in Brownwood the latter part of next week. The charge, it is said, grew out of a two-day's hearing, conducted at the court house here by Carter Dalton, referee in bankruptcy, when creditors sought to ascertain the assets of the bankrupt at the time of the bankruptcy and previous to the time of taking the bankrupt oath as is required by law.—Brownwood Bulletin.

## SEIBERLING TIRES.

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## BALLOT ON BOK PEACE PLAN IS 8 TO 1 IN FAVOR

New York, Jan. 13.—First tabulated returns in the Nation-wide "referendum" on the Bok prize peace plan, as announced by the American Peace Award Committee, favor the violently discussed plan by nearly 8 to 1.

The vote to date, as announced by the committee, is:  
For 38,529.  
Against 5,128.

Most of these ballots, according to the official announcement Sunday night, have been cast through newspapers which consented to act as intermediaries in the "referendum" plan. The great bulk of the voting is still to come.

Sponsors of the peace plan are elated by the fact that thousands of the voters have also taken the trouble to write letters of comment, a great many of them spirited and bristling. The number of those who have displayed this much interest is about equally divided, for and against.

The committee draws attention to the fact that the outstanding feature of the letters from these correspondents is "an insistence that the question of our foreign policy be sharply removed from the field of purely partisan political discussion."

It adds that a majority of the votes thus far received have come from smaller communities, that they come from lawyers, State senators, ministers, engineers, flour mill operators, oil men, bankers, doctors, dentists and all kinds of artisans.

Every ex-service man who has accompanied his vote with written opinion favors the peace plan, according to the announcement, while army officers are about evenly divided.

## RURAL AID FUND WARRANTS GET NO PREFERENCE

Austin, Jan. 11.—Preference over other registered warrants can not be given by the State Treasurer in the payment of \$2,000,000 out of the appropriation made by the legislature to supplement the available school fund and for rural aid to schools in the State, held the Attorney General's Department in a ruling written by First Assistant Attorney General Jno. C. Wall to State Treasurer C. V. Terrell, late Friday.

Assistant Attorney General Wall also held that the \$2,000,000 requested by State Superintendent Marrs to supplement the available school fund and for rural aid may be divided into four installments of \$500,000 each, payable monthly as recommended by Marrs, and the deficiency warrants for these various installments monthly. These warrants, however, will have to be registered the same as any other warrants and take their regular turn in the order in which they are registered.

None of the money, however, can be transferred now, as there are no funds to transfer, but as soon as the money becomes available in the Treasury to the credit of the general revenue, it may be transferred and paid when the warrant is reached in regular order.

It may be several weeks before the first warrant for \$500,000 is reached and paid.

## ORIGINAL VICTOR RECORD ORCHESTRA TO PLAY AT HOTEL BRADY ON JANUARY 22ND.

An orchestra with a national reputation is the appealing feature to be offered to Brady devotees of terpsichore on January 22 when the Hotel Brady gives their monthly dance. Whitey Kaufman and his original "Pennsylvania Serenaders," the original Victor Record orchestra, on tour through Texas, enroute to the coast, are scheduled to stop off here, having been engaged by the local manager for the occasion.

P. Q. Fly, manager, explains that with the assistance of the local Victor agent, this privilege is to be granted to Brady dancers.

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H. F. Schwenker, Editor

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BRADY, TEXAS, Jan. 15, 1924.

HONEST INJUN.

This is the month when most folks in the Lone Star State think Texas spells Taxes.

**YOUR POLL TAX.**

This is the month in which to pay your poll tax, if you would qualify as a sovereign voter—and the payment thereof should be made as quickly as possible and by no means delayed until after the 31st of January, if you wish to exercise your right of franchise at the polls.

This is political year in Texas, as well as leap year, and the crop of candidates promises to be unusually large. The county candidates so far, appear to be a little shy, but after the ice is broken, the more timid ones may be expected to fall in. All of which brings us back to the original subject, viz: pay your poll tax; pay it now, and qualify as a voter in the coming elections.

**PAY YOUR AUTO TAX.**

If you intend to operate your jitney, bus or limousine during this good year of 1924, then pay your auto tax. No use to dodge the issue—the tax must be paid, and the red seal must be displayed on your car, if you wish to escape penalty for doing otherwise. The law requires this auto tax to be paid by January 1st, but on account of the late arrival of some 15,000 of the 60,000 or 70,000 seals ordered by the State Highway Department, the month of January has been made a period of grace, during which owners may secure the license tags for their car or cars. But on February 1st, look out! The officers of the law promise to have the lid on and clamp it down hard and fast. The red seal has to be displayed on your car, or the car left standing in its shed, or at least not operated over the highways and public roads.

Texas lawyers, doctors, firemen, road-overseers and other special classes are not exempt from having their names placed in the jury wheel for jury service, according to a ruling of the Court of Criminal Appeals, which reversed a case from Eastland county. The officers of the court, in placing names in the jury wheel, testified they omitted those of doctors, lawyers and certain others which they believed exempt from service. The high court held this a violation of the statutes. "If the officers entrusted with filling the wheel might exercise discretion in excluding certain classes of jurors there would be no limit and the statutory method might be entirely abrogated," said the appeal court.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

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The Standard is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:  
For State Senate, 26th District: WALTER C. WOODWARD.  
For County Tax Assessor: H. R. HODGES (Re-Election)

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PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.  
CREAM OF NATION'S HUMOR  
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Quack doctors are smart ducks who should become jail-birds.—Washington News.  
Germany should realize that it can't flat its way out of reparations.—Washington Post.  
No wonder California's mountains are slipping around the landscape; think of the oil beneath them.—Boston Herald.

Experience, as a fellow remarks, is what you get when you buy oil stock.—Quincy Whig Journal.  
The Los Angeles pastor accused of flirting with shop girls is probably not a fundamentalist.—Omaha World Herald.

A slowpoke is anyone whose car he can pass; a speed maniac is anyone who succeeds in passing us.—Quincy Whig Journal.

Notice Notice Notice  
Notice is hereby given that the trustees of the Fairview School District No. 3 will offer for sale the building known as the Dutton School Building, under the following conditions:  
Sealed bids to be accompanied with a check amounting to one-fourth of bid. Bids to be filed with the County Superintendent not later than 10:00 o'clock a. m. January 19th, 1924. Checks of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned. Trustees reserve the right to reject any bid.

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For the next 18 days I will sell all tires and tubes at a big reduction. Now is the time to buy your tires and inner tubes. They must be sold.  
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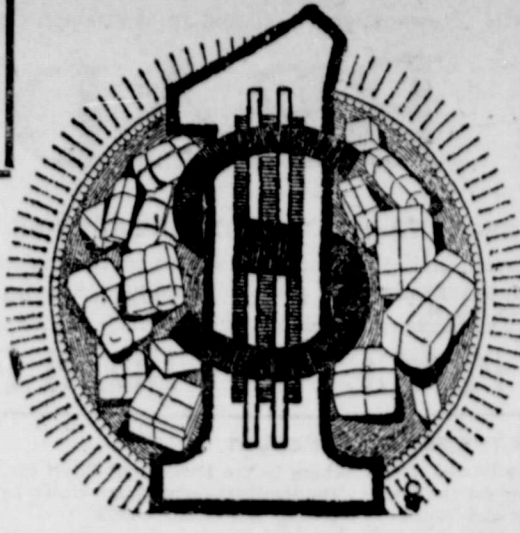
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LOCAL BRIEFS.  
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Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Abernathy were in Brady last week from Richland Springs, where they had secured two of the best turkey gobblers from the flock of Mrs. T. A. Garrett, famed throughout this section as one of the best poultry women in the state, and who has just recently captured several prizes at the Premier Poultry Show in Dallas. Mr. Abernathy was offered his choice of these prize-winners, but the two he selected, he believes, topped the entire flock.

B. R. Bolding was in last week from the Doole community, and reports farmers beginning to get their spring work under way. Mr. Bolding states that quite a bit of new land is being put in on the G. V. Gansel ranch, and several new houses have been built. Quite a number of new citizens have moved into the community, and as a result not only is new land being put in, but much land that has laid out will be in cultivation the coming year. While the hoppers made serious inroads on the crop the past year, nevertheless the returns were very satisfactory, says Mr. Bolding.

**WOMEN'S KID GLOVES**  
One lot of two-clasp Kid Gloves. All sizes. Black and Brown \$1.75 value, Saturday \$1.00



**CADET HOSE**  
To close out—1 lot Children's Cadet Hose—sizes only 8 1-2 and 10 1-2. Special for Saturday 4 pairs for \$1.00

**DOLLAR DAY SATURDAY, JANUARY 19TH**

1 lot Book-fold Red Seal Gingham, good patterns regular 25c seller. Saturday special, 5 yards for \$1.00  
Large size Baby Blankets, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. Saturday special \$1.00  
Regular size Huck Towels, 50c value. Special for Saturday only, 3 pairs for \$1.00  
Women's Fiber Silk Hose, White and Black, All Sizes. Regular \$1.00 value. Saturday Special 3 pair for only \$1.00  
40 inch Good Grade White Flaxon. Regular value 65c. Saturday 3 yards for \$1.00  
One lot Torchon Lace, White and Ecu. Fine for art work, Saturday 10 yards for \$1.00  
Men's and Boy's Caps, all regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 Caps will go at Saturday Special \$1.00  
Children's regular 35 cent ribbed hose—all blacks—broken sizes—Saturday 5 pairs for \$1.00  
Just in time for your Spring Sewing we offer an assortment of colors in Underwear Crepe—regular 35c value. Special 4 yards for \$1.00  
Silkine Crochet Thread—all colors and sizes—Special for Saturday only 12 spools for \$1.00  
Remant Rolls. Extra value Saturday only \$1.00

One lot of Good Values in Curtain Scrim. Regular 35 cent value. White and Cream. Special for Saturday only 4 yards for \$1.00  
Good Quality 28-inch Fancy Outing Saturday Special 6 yards for \$1.00  
One lot 1 1/2 and 2 inch underwear lace. The thing for your Spring Sewing. Saturday Special 10 yards for \$1.00  
Yard-Wide, Soft-finish Voile in Colors—65 and 75 cent values. Saturday 3 yards for \$1.00  
J-30. Men's Heavy-Weight Cadet Sox. Regular 50 cent value—4 pairs for \$1.00  
Men's Semi-Soft Ideflex Collars All sizes—4 for \$1.00  
Japio Silk, Yard-Wide; Assortment of colors Regular 75 cent value—3 yards for \$1.00  
Men's and Boy's Warm Winter Gloves. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values—Saturday only \$1.00  
Ladies' Pure Thread Silk Hose, Black and Brown, \$1.25 value, Saturday \$1.00  
Regular 50 cent 2-oz. Knitting Yarn Special Saturday 3 for \$1.00  
All \$1.25 and \$1.50 Beads and Necklaces Saturday Special \$1.00

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 19TH, 1924**

**\$ Dollar Day \$ C. H. Vincent \$ Dollar Day \$**  
DRY GOODS

J-15. Women's Cadet Regular 50 cent Ribbed-top Hose Saturday only 3 pair for \$1.00  
J-19. Women's out-size Cadets Saturday 3 pair for \$1.00

**South Side**

**CADET STOCKINGS**  
Children's Cadet Stockings. All 65 cent grades Saturday 3 pairs for \$1.00

**PERSONAL MENTION**

Ernest Noble, Jr., was here from San Angelo yesterday, greeting old-time friends.  
M. L. Webster and sons were here yesterday from Pontotoc, Mr. Webster being enroute to Dallas on a business trip.  
Messrs. Ira Mayhew and Wilson Jordan left Sunday night for Brownwood, Fort Worth and other points on a week's business trip.  
Dick Yoas of Tucson, Arizona, is here for a month's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Yoas, and his sister, Mrs. Lee King.  
W. W. Whitfield of Quincy, Illinois, and H. O. Bird, representing the Kansas City Produce Co., were in Brady yesterday with the Mayhew Produce Company.  
Miss Mary Anderson left Monday night for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she will spend several weeks as guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank T. Glascock, and family.

When roads are rough and rutted, it soon tells on your auto tires. SEIBERLING TIRES are specially constructed to give long wear and service under these conditions. You'll never know complete satisfaction until you have tried a Seiberling. O. H. TURNEY GARAGE.

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**PUBLIC FORUM**

Platform for 1924 Candidates.  
The political season will soon open, and the prospects are that there will be many candidates for the various offices in the county.  
Of course, the Platform will be the reduction of taxes, as that is the most popular slogan a candidate can choose, and it has been used to put candidates in office ever since the beginning of time; yet every year taxes get a little higher.  
The road situation in McCulloch county is bad, no one will deny that fact, yet it seems that we pay enough taxes to have pretty good roads, but we haven't, and as long as we work under the present system it is doubtful if we will have.  
I wish to offer a platform for the coming year that I would like to see some good candidate accept, and I believe it will give better results in the way of road building and a reduction in taxes also. As to commissioners, that a man from each precinct run to eliminate all salary and expenses except his per diem pay and in no case to permit his pay to exceed \$300 per year, to set the salary of the County Judge at \$600 per year, and to reduce the salary of the county treasurer so low that no one will run for the office, then appoint some one in the bank to hold that position at a very small salary from the county. To hire a road supervisor at a salary not exceeding \$2,400 and to require him to furnish his own car and pay his own expenses. As to the County Judge, the position does not require much time and some business man in Brady can fill that position and run his business at the same time and \$600 will be ample remuneration. Upon investigation there might be other positions in the county that could be reduced to some extent but it has been the custom in the past to raise the political salaries to the limit of the law; several positions draw commissions for the amount of money handled, and I have no doubt but that some of these could be reduced to some extent.  
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# To Friends and Patrons

In closing our books for the past year, we have had occasion to review with pleasure and satisfaction our long list of customers and the valued patronage they have given us. To each and everyone we extend our sincere thanks.

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### LOCAL BRIEFS

R. W. Haddow was up from Rochelle Saturday and ordered The Standard sent to his sons, Lawrence and Earl Haddow, who are located at Colmor, N. M. Mrs. Haddow is also at Colmor, having been called there some time back by the illness of Lawrence.

A. J. Garey, who has been spending the past month as a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Garey, at Whiteland, left Saturday for Casa Grande, Ariz., where he will be located for the present as relief operator for the Southern Pacific, with which system he has been employed in this capacity since leaving Brady a couple of years ago.

A team of mules hitched to a farm wagon caused a little excitement last week when they got off to a good start on the northwest corner of the square, and promised an interesting and perhaps disastrous runaway. When the team reached the south side of the square, a passer-by brought them effectively to a halt merely by tossing a bundle in the face of one of the mules, which promptly balked, thereby ending the flight.

Rev. M. C. Jackson left Sunday night for Dallas to attend the State Evangelistic conference of the Christian church, which is to be in session there Monday and Tuesday. The conference opens with a banquet at the Adolphus hotel. This will be the third State conference, and the previous two have resulted in great good in evangelistic work. Over 65,000 additions to the Christian church were had last year, and at that only about half of the churches made reports, according to Rev. Jackson.

J. C. Rodgers arrived Saturday from Temple, having accepted a position as head meat cutter with the Rohde Bros. market. Mr. Rodgers has spent practically his entire life following the profession in his home town and comes here with the highest recommendations. He is a most pleasant and affable gentleman, expresses himself as well-pleased with his first impression of Brady, and says he is permanently located here. Mrs. Rodgers arrived Sunday to join him in making Brady their home.

The street sprinkler which has been in a state of innocuous desuetude the past month, was last week rescued from cobwebs and threatened rust, by being again placed in service, this time as a municipal enterprise. The dry spell since the heavy rains of last year has been sufficiently long to cause dust clouds to float about every time the wind attained a velocity of ten miles an hour or thereabouts, and the street sprinkler is now performing a valiant service in keeping the dusty streets about the business section, dustless.

The Commercial National bank has installed the very latest of Burroughs bookkeeping machines, which is an almost human bit of mechanical ingenuity. The machine is electrically operated, and after a customer's checks have been listed in the proper columns, and his deposits credited in the adjoining column, the daily balance is automatically stamped in the final column; then, following this, the carriage automatically returns to the starting point, enabling the operator to proceed with the next bunch of listings, or with the next customer's daily account.

Johi B. Westbrook, who is sojourning with Mrs. Westbrook in the balmy atmosphere and amidst the gorgeous scenery of Los Angeles, Calif., takes us to task for not getting his Standard delivered to his new address, and to make us feel real bad, he writes as follows: "Why could you not shoot us a few copies of the old reliable—we miss it. Send C. O. D. or any way; we want it. Beautiful sunshine. Oranges, 25c per bucket; lettuce, 5c per head; not a chance to starve." Sunshine, oranges and lettuce—fine for a vegetarian; but this editor thrives on blue northers, breast of turkey and T-Bone steak. Texas for us!

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ballou, who have been located at Rosedale, N. M., for quite a number of years past, will be interested to learn of their removal to Roswell, N. M., where Mr. Ballou has accepted a position as livestock inspector with the Federal Reserve Bank. Mrs. Ballou writes as follows: "Enclosed find money order for \$2.00. Please change our address to Roswell, N. M. Jesse is with the Federal Reserve Bank as Livestock Inspector and we are now located here. We like here very much. This is a beautiful town. We had four feet of snow at Roswell on the 10th of December and in places it drifted 14 feet. "Some snow" believe me. It was 8 below zero.

# The Brady Standard

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### Announcement H. R. Hodges.

In this issue, H. R. Hodges announces his candidacy for re-election to the office of County Tax Assessor. Mr. Hodges needs little introduction to McCulloch county citizens, being probably one of the best known of all county officials, and during the number of years he has served as Tax Assessor he has shown his appreciation of the honor conferred upon him and the confidence reposed in him by the voters, by making a most efficient and painstaking assessor. Mr. Hodges is a most affable gentleman, and his uniform courtesy and consideration, has made him popular with everyone. Combined with his wide acquaintance over the county, is his intimate knowledge of land and personal valuations, as a result of which McCulloch county's tax valuations

have shown steady increase. Mr. Hodges states that no one could be more appreciative than he of the support and good will of his friends and the voters in general, and he hopes to have merited its continuance during the coming campaign. He invites investigation of his record, and solicits the support of the voters, both ladies and gentlemen, in the coming election. Mr. Hodges makes his announcement subject to the Democratic primary.

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It is customary for a man to quit telling about the virtues of a horse after he has succeeded in trading it off, but Chas. Arnsperger refuses to abide by the general rules and regulations. C. H. recently traded his faithful family horse, old Maude, off to Fred Tetens for a second-hand Ford, and now continues to aver that Mr. Tetens has the best, most useful, most docile and most valuable piece of horseflesh in McCulloch county. Perhaps his reason for continuing his praise for old Maude is that the Ford does not always respond to his commands to "Get-Up" these cold mornings—but anyway, Chas. says there is only one Maude, and no other horse or motive power "just as good."

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## COURT HOUSE NEWS

Dan Cupid made a record during December, averaging almost a perfect score, there having been 29 marriage licenses issued during the 31-day period. The Stork also made a good record, eighteen new arrivals being registered, seven of whom were boys and eleven girls. The death record was unusually high, eight falling before the scythe of the Grim Reaper. Real estate was also active, as the following records show:

**Marriage Licenses Issued**  
Mr. Francisco Hernandez and Miss Maria Martinez, December 1.  
Mr. Arthur Deering and Miss Ellen Newton, December 1.  
Carey Turner and Hattie Filmore, (colored), December 1.  
Mr. T. E. Smith and Miss Ola Morris, December 1.  
Henry Roberts and Dovie Mayfield, (colored), December 3.  
Frederico Guevara and Anita Sanchez, December 6.  
Mr. William Miller and Miss A. D. Baker, December 8.  
Mr. Archie Bingham and Miss Zora Perry, December 8.  
Mr. Irvin Peel and Miss Beatrice Sockwell, December 12.  
Mr. O. C. Hughes and Miss Willie Benson, December 12.  
Mr. Roy Wilson and Miss Bina Boygent, December 14.  
Mr. Jno. R. Wright and Miss Velma Moran, December 15.  
Mr. Chas. L. Moore and Miss Estelle Jones, December 17.  
Mr. O. H. Harris and Miss Oma Capps, December 18.  
Mr. Wesley Brooks and Miss Viola Arrington, December 19.  
Mr. Manuel Morez and Miss Selia Marin, December 19.  
Mr. Nuff Bingham and Miss Odell Smith, December 20.  
Mr. Alvin McMullen and Miss Ollie Mae Arthur, December 20.  
Mr. B. J. Brown and Miss Bessie E. Riley, December 21.  
Mr. S. W. Buchanan and Miss Clyde Goens, December 22.  
Mr. H. H. Lehman and Miss Edith Burton, December 22.  
E. D. Harris and Ellen McChristie, (colored), December 24.  
E. Benabidez and Francisco Gomez, December 25.  
Sam Smith and Mattie Minor, (colored), December 26.  
Mr. J. S. Richardson and Miss Rose Clancy, December 28.  
Mr. Chas. Epps and Miss Lula Bates, December 29.  
Mr. Walter Irvine and Miss Vivian Pence, December 29.  
Mr. Virgil Brook and Miss Bernice Howard, December 29.  
Aubry King and Artelia Felder, (colored), December 31.

**Deaths Recorded**  
Mrs. Burl Eva Lena Webb, Placid, December 9.  
James Willard Schooley, Voca, December 6.  
Jack Hays, Voca, December 22.  
Mrs. M. A. Harkrider, Brady, December 3.  
William Strickland, Brady, December 8.  
Mary Stanfield, (colored), Brady, December 8.  
C. C. Johanson, Brady, December 18.  
Treva Callen Scales, Brady, December 28.

**Births Recorded.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Johnson, Brady, boy, November 27.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Glenn, Brady, girl, November 29.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Williams, Brady,

boy, December 1.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander White, Mercury, girl, December 1.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Perry, Brady, girl, December 6.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Dennis, Mercury, girl, December 6.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Huie, Lohn, girl, December 13.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Dodl, Brady, girl, May 21.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Garms, Mercury, girl, December 19.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Deeds, Mercury, boy, December 21.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hays, Voca, boy, December 18.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Turman, Brady, boy, December 3.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Alvin Hall, Brady, boy, November 25.  
Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Briscoe, Brady, girl, December 4.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fowler McShan, Brady, boy, November 25.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bauer, Brady, girl, December 29.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. Gray, Brady, girl, December 22.  
Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Wall, Brady, girl, November 12.

**Real Estate Transfers.**  
N. C. Walker to Crump Hubbard, lot 6, block 6, Dutton addition, \$350.  
G. L. Derriex to A. J. Adams, 4.3 acres survey 264 and 872 3-4, \$600.  
L. O. McDonald to E. R. Peel, S 1-2 lot 1, block 6, town of Melvin, \$1,000.  
R. B. Hardin to Fred Wahrmond, lot 1, block 5, Malmstrom addition to Melvin, \$125.  
R. B. Hardin to Gus Wahrmond, W 1-2 lot 3, block 19, town of Melvin, \$125.  
Gus Wahrmond to J. A. Maxwell and W. G. Morrow, W 1-2 lot 3, block 19, town of Melvin, \$500.  
A. R. Clardy to E. J. Henderson, 160 acres survey 2, abstract 1456, 4.7 acres survey 2 1-2, abstract 2099, 1.1 acres survey 709 1-2, abstract 1975, \$6,600.  
J. A. Maxwell and W. G. Morrow to Gus Wahrmond W 1-2 lot 3, block 19, town of Melvin, \$500.  
W. T. Murley to J. T. Hill 112.6 acres, survey 785, abstract 252, certificate 756, \$6,720.  
L. B. McWilliams to A. J. Bassett and Basset Arthur, 75 5-7 acres, survey 1, abstract 1125, certificate 1-21, \$325 and other considerations.  
Stacy Odd Fellows Lodge No. 561 to J. H. Snodgrass, 150 acres survey 728, abstract 1601, \$1,500.  
J. M. Parker to E. H. McClusky, 173 acres survey 271, certificate 33-3341, \$6,487.50.  
C. C. Johanson to E. Coffee, 230.29 acres survey 226, abstract 1726, \$11,514.50.  
Commercial National Bank to L. G. and H. Rohde, 1563 acres surveys 222, 422, 427, 427 1-2 and 475, \$33,214.  
John J. Jones to E. M. Neyland, part survey 62, abstract 1583, certificate 33-3230, \$300.  
M. Graves to G. A. Lehman, 6 acres survey 656, abstract 860, \$1,251.25.  
J. M. Wade to Fred O. Gamblin, 120

acres survey 664 and 665, abstracts 1292 and 1291, \$2,940.  
E. U. Wade to G. W. Clark, 160 acres survey 198, abstract 1785, certificate 3-449, \$4,800.  
E. D. Hale to T. T. Turner, 103 acres survey 7, abstract 756, certificate 16-111, \$10,000.  
J. W. Jones to G. M. Vineyard, W 75 acres survey 1213, abstract 823, certificate 881, \$4,125.  
G. R. White to Juan Laing, 163.4 acres survey 2208, certificate 68, abstract 291, \$7,353.  
C. A. Woodford and T. P. Haddow to J. P. Williamson, W 1-2 block 58, town of Rochelle, \$1,800.  
Wm. F. Haywood to Eugene Fikes, 76 acres survey 851 and 854, \$2,150.  
Abner Hanson to Commercial National Bank, 140 acres survey 8, abstract 1560, certificate 792, \$17,025.  
W. W. Jordan and Tom Jordan to A. B. Reagan and T. P. Wood, lots 10 and 11 in block 11, \$1,306.60.  
E. R. McCartney to J. F. Schaege, part block 21, Crothers addition, \$5 and other considerations.  
City of Brady to J. C. Anderson 7.3 acres, survey 182, \$750.  
J. C. Anderson to City of Brady, 2 acres survey 182, abstract 2165, \$750.  
W. M. Capps to L. L. Loy, 2.2 acres survey 798, abstract 1468, \$10 and other considerations.  
C. E. Talliaferro to T. T. Turner, lot 1, block 19, Malmstrom addition to Melvin.  
W. H. Stuche to W. O. Westerman, 48.85 acres, survey 129, abstract 974, certificate 596, \$1,500.  
John Bergstrom to D. J. Malmstrom 158.2 acres survey 2635, abstract 277, certificate 63, \$5,257.43.  
John A. Broman to Anastacia Peres, lot 1, block 6, Malmstrom addition to Melvin, \$750.  
John A. Broman to T. P. Espinosa, lot 2, block 6, Malmstrom addition to Melvin, \$200.  
J. W. Kirkpatrick to J. J. Kirkpatrick 1-2 interest in 584 acres survey 1186, certificate 91, \$10 and other considerations.  
T. T. Turner to E. D. Hale block 7, Norton addition town of Melvin, \$1,500.

**REV. A. R. TOBY CALLED AS PASTOR EDEN BAPTIST CHURCH—ACCEPTS**  
Says the Eden Echo.  
We are glad to learn that Rev. Toby has accepted the call to the pastorate of the Eden Baptist church, and that he and his estimable wife will soon be located with us, at the Baptist parsonage. From our limited acquaintance with them we conclude that they are citizens of the highest order, and will be a valuable acquisition to our town in a social and business way, and to the Baptist church in particular, as both he and his young bride are aflame with zeal for the cause they have espoused, but at the same time recognize the rights of others who are of a different religious belief. He is well pleased with his field of activities and if given the unstinted co-operation of the members, we predict they will not regret having called Rev. Toby as pastor.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

If weather permits, I will thresh Maize and Cane for the public on the following dates—January 16th and 17th. GUS CARLSON, Brady.

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## SHOOTING AFFRAY AMONG COLORED POPULATION IS CAUSE WHOLESALERE ARRESTS

When Tom Kennison Saturday evening took a fancy shot at Chas. Holmes with a .41 Colts, he started a fracas that wound up in the wholesale arrest of local colored gents on a gaming charge. The affray took place in "The Flat" north of the square, the participants all being colored, and is alleged to have been the outcome of a gambling spree.

In Justice court yesterday, eight of the ten men arrested entered pleas of guilty to gaming charges and drew fines. Kennison waived preliminary examination and an aggravated assault charge was placed against him, pending the outcome of Holmes' injuries, and the case being transferred to the county court. The bullet from the .41 lodged in Holmes' shoulder, inflicting only a flesh wound, from which the victim is expected to make a speedy recovery.

## Local Banks Elect Officers Friday For The Ensuing Year

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Commercial National bank was held on Tuesday of last week, at which the customary semi-annual dividend was declared, and the board of directors was unanimously re-elected. Following this, the board of directors met on Friday of last week for the purpose of naming officers, at which the officers for 1923 were re-elected, as follows: G. R. White, president; Lewis Brook, vice-president; W. D. Crothers, vice-president and cashier; S. S. Graham, assistant-cashier; Wm. R. Davidson, assistant-cashier.

## Brady National Change.

The stockholders of the Brady National bank also met on Tuesday of last week, declared the usual semi-annual dividend and re-elected the board of directors. At the directors' meeting Friday F. M. Richards was re-elected president; J. E. Bell was elected vice-president; E. L. Ogden, active vice-president; Clarence Snider, cashier, W. L. Baze, assistant cashier. The promotion of E. L. Ogden from cashier to active vice-president was in deserved recognition of his faithful and efficient services, and for the same reason Messrs. Snider and Baze were promoted to the responsible positions which they now hold.

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Wednesday, January 16.	Thursday, January 17	Friday, January 18.	Saturday, January 19	Monday, January 21	Tuesday, January 22
GASTON GLASS —IN— "MOTHERS-IN-LAW" 7 REEL DRAMA	VERA GORDON —IN— "THE GOOD PROVIDER" 8 REEL DRAMA	MILDRED HARRIS —IN— "THE FOG" 7 REEL DRAMA	MILTON SILLS —IN— "LEGALLY DEAD" 5 REEL DRAMA	WILLIAM FARNUM —IN— "THE GUN FIGHTER" 5 REEL DRAMA	GLORIA SWANSON —IN— "HER GILDED CAGE" 7 REEL DRAMA
A story of a wife who forgot and of a mother who made her remember. A tale of country simplicity and city intrigues; of heart aches and love and laughter. One of the pictures you'll remember for years. All you who would laugh at the mother-in-law—all who scorn your wife's mother—all you who snub your husband's mother come and see one of the finest pictures of the year. As good as "Over The Hill" is what people have said about it.	"The Good Provider" is a beautiful story of the unselfish devotion of the head of a humble family to his wife and children, told in the straight from-the-heart of Humoresque. Made of the joys and tears of plain folks. It will fill your heart with a glowing gladness. If you want to weep a little, smile a lot and have your heart filled with happiness, see this picture. Also FOX NEWS, current events.	"The Fog" is one of the outstanding productions of the year—a picture that no discriminating theatre-goer can afford to miss. There is no human emotion which this thrilling photo-play does not bring into play. In it there is adventure, romance, and pathos. It pictures a young man's struggle through the fog of tyranny and adversity toward the magnificent goal of ideal love and there is a girl without a name struggling through the fog toward the same goal. Such is the basis of one of the most unusual love stories ever unfolded on the screen. Also "NO WEDDING BELLS," a 2 reel comedy.	"Legally Dead" tells the story of a man innocently hanged for murder and restored to life by adrenalin, the new scientific world. What happens then is intense human drama. The drama of honest and dishonest souls. There is a girl, of course—Minnie O'Reilly, "in" for her first offense and pardoned with the hero for good behavior. Milton Sills plays the star role with Claire Adams in the chief supporting part. Also "Leather Pushers."	The story was found by John Frederick among the traditions of Southern California. Its called "The Gun Fighter," and is true in every detail to the saga of the country from whose history it was adapted. This production comes with the praise of leading critics everywhere. The story is by John Frederick, more familiarly known as Max Brand, a contributor to various well-known magazines. Don't miss it. Also "The Two Johns," 2 Reel Comedy	It is the dramatic story of a beautiful girl's many sacrifices for a selfish crippled sister and of how they came dangerously near wrecking her life's happiness. The picture, which is founded on a play by Ame Nicholas, abounds in beautiful costumes and settings. A gorgeous romance that carries you through gilded Paris cabarets and New York society revels. Glittering Gloria in 50 new eye-filling gowns. Also FOX NEWS, current events.

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