

# HISTORY OF *The Laundry*

Known as the Brenham Laundry Building, 209 S. Market has had a long and storied history.



## 1883

### BUILDING IS BUILT

Building opens as a flour, grain and cotton warehouse. A laundry is located on the north portion of the building.

## 1890'S

### BREHAM PULP FACTORY

Building is listed as the "Brenham Pulp Factory" in 1891 and by 1896 is listed as a steam laundry.



## 1900'S

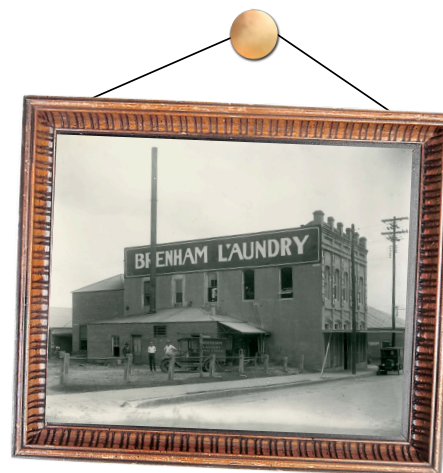
### GROCERY & WAREHOUSE

in 1901 the building is used as a furniture warehouse and later in the decade it is used as a grocery.

## 1930-2000'S

### BREHAM LAUNDRY

Building is operated as a laundry under various names. It served as the laundry for the St. Anthony Hotel as well as a blacksmith shop. It was a laundry and dry cleaner under various names until 2009.



## 2016

### 4 STAR CONCERT HALL

Before the building was scheduled for demolition, John Elford purchased 209 S. Market and transforms it into the 4 Star Concert Hall. The hall hosted many concerts until John's death in 2021.

## 2024

### THE LAUNDRY EVENT HALL

In 2023 the building was purchased and transformed into the Laundry Event Hall

