

The Baird Star.

Our Motto: "TIS NEITHER BIRTH, NOR WEALTH, NOR STATE; BUT THE GIT-UP-AND-GIT THAT MAKES MEN GREAT."

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CALLAHAN FAIR ANNUAL EVENT

Is The Proposition Now Being Seriously Considered By The Fair Association

The new Secretary of the Baird Chamber of Commerce, H. O. Tatum, who is also ex officio Secretary of the Callahan County Fair Association is working day and night—and that's no lie—shaping up things for the coming Fair, and he'll keep up this pace until the opening day.

It will be this County's Third Annual Fair, and will open Thursday morning, September 10, 1925, at 10 o'clock, at the Fair Grounds, located half a block west of the Court House, in Baird.

Every exhibit must be in place and properly installed by 9 a. m., September 10th, and remain in place until 6 p. m., December 12th, unless removed by special permission of the Committee. A violation of this rule will forfeit any premium that may have been awarded.

No entrance fee will be charged on any article or animal entered for exhibition.

No claim for injury to any person or property shall ever be asserted against the management of this Fair, its officers or agents, by any person, firm or corporation, or their agents, representatives, servants or employes having exhibits or space on the Fair Grounds, or at the Base Ball Grounds or at the Auto and Horse Races.

Each exhibitor assumes all responsibility for loss or injury to property exhibited, and the management of this Exhibition will not be held responsible in any way.

The decision of the judges shall be final and no appeal will be considered. All premiums will be awarded on their decision. Only one entry in any one class may be made by any one person.

Articles may not be entered in more than one class; for instance: If a jar of peaches is part of a general exhibit of canned fruit, it will not be judged for individual prizes.

All animals and articles must be entered in the name of the bona fide owners, otherwise they shall not be entitled to a premium, though awarded one.

Articles made or produced by professionals and ordinarily on sale to the public can not be entered. Also articles borrowed, purchased or received as gifts cannot be entered.

Persons entering articles that might be classified in more than one way, must designate the class in which they are to be entered. For example: The owner should classify "household linens" that have embroidery of different types, in addition to crocheted, knitted or tatted edge.

The Fair Premium List, which is a very lengthy one, will appear in The Star next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fiedler were called to Nugent the first of the week by the serious illness of their brother-in-law, T. J. Cooper, who died Tuesday afternoon and was buried Wednesday. Mr. Cooper was 53 years old. He is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters. Mrs. Cooper was formerly Miss Mary Bowland.

THE TOURING WEBBS AT NATION'S CAPITAL

Washington, D. C., 8-9 '25.

I wrote you some days ago as to the first lap of our big auto trip through eleven States and Canada, to Chautauqua, New York. After a two week's rest there and nearly freezing, we again visited those wonderful illuminated Niagara Falls. Then rambled east 250 miles to Albany on-the-Hudson. Went through the Capitol and visited the statue of Bobbie Burns.

Leaving Albany we had a lovely drive down the Hudson River to Tarrytown, made famous by Washington Irving. Then to the big City of New York. Saluted the Statue of Liberty; walked on Brooklyn Bridge; inspected the Woolworth Building, 58 stories high, the tallest in the world; had a drive on Riverside Drive, the busiest in the

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BAIRD'S SPLENDID BAND WILL FURNISH FAIR MUSIC

Practically all of the committees have been selected for the Callahan County Fair and each committee is striving to have their particular department the most interesting part of the Fair. There is a great deal of interest being taken in the coming Fair all over the County. It seems as if everybody is talking Baird and, if this interest will continue, as we are sure it will, Callahan County will have the best Fair of any County in Texas.

A Band Leader will be secured to get our boys in condition so that they can play the three days.

A contract has been closed with the Alamo Exposition Shows to show in Baird during the Fair.

Raleigh Ray, Chairman of the Automobile Races, states that there will be at least eight cars competing.

Mike Sigal, who is Chairman of the Horse Races, promises to have at least a dozen hours at the starting post. Some of the best known horsemen of the County will compete.

BAIRD COYOTES SUFFER DOUBLE-BARRELED BEAT

The Baird Coyotes made a very disastrous trip to Big Spring, playing Saturday and Sunday, thereby reducing their season's average to 650, they having won thirteen games out of twenty played.

Saturday's game was a real ball game, even through the Coyotes were shutout by the Big Spring Team, five to nothing. The Coyotes put up a splendid exhibition of baseball and fought manfully to trim Mr. Slick Moore and the Big Spring aggregation, but the odds were against them, for they were worn and out of shape physically, after making the 127-mile journey in autos to play this game on Saturday. The fans of Big Spring were anxious to engage the Coyotes for three games during the early part of September.

Sunday's afterpiece was an entire-

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WANTS BETTER WATER SYSTEM

W. Grant Bowlus, Who Will Financially Back His Opinions Writes Open Letter

Baird, Texas, 8-17 '25.
To the City Council,
Baird, Texas.

Gentlemen:—As a taxpayer and citizen of Baird, I sure do want to see our water system improved. I will say that you deserve praise for trying to do something with the awful condition of our water system, as it was turned over to you; but, gentlemen, you all seem to me as if you are in the same condition that the Council was in when I went on it.

Each one of us had an idea and we could not get anywhere, so we had the Water Superintendent of Fort Worth to come here and straighten us out, and when he got through with us we sure were the wiser for it.

Under that administration we built a Standpipe and a City Hall, and both stand as a credit to our little City.

Now, gentlemen, it seems to me that you are doing something that is absolutely wrong. You have cut out our settling basin, and are sending down to us nasty, dirty water that is not fit for stock.

That was a fine idea to have a reservoir for a settling place—and now you have thrown it away! Also, you have thrown away all the water that the well supplies and let it run out in the tunnel and waste.

You never have cemented the tunnel up at the well, to force all the water in the pipe, but you have an open tunnel, about four feet square, for the water to run out of the well and on down to waste, instead of making it go through the pipe.

I have offered to pay a Water Superintendent's expenses from Fort Worth or Dallas, to go over your system with you and, if my idea is not practicable with him, I will pay the expenses.

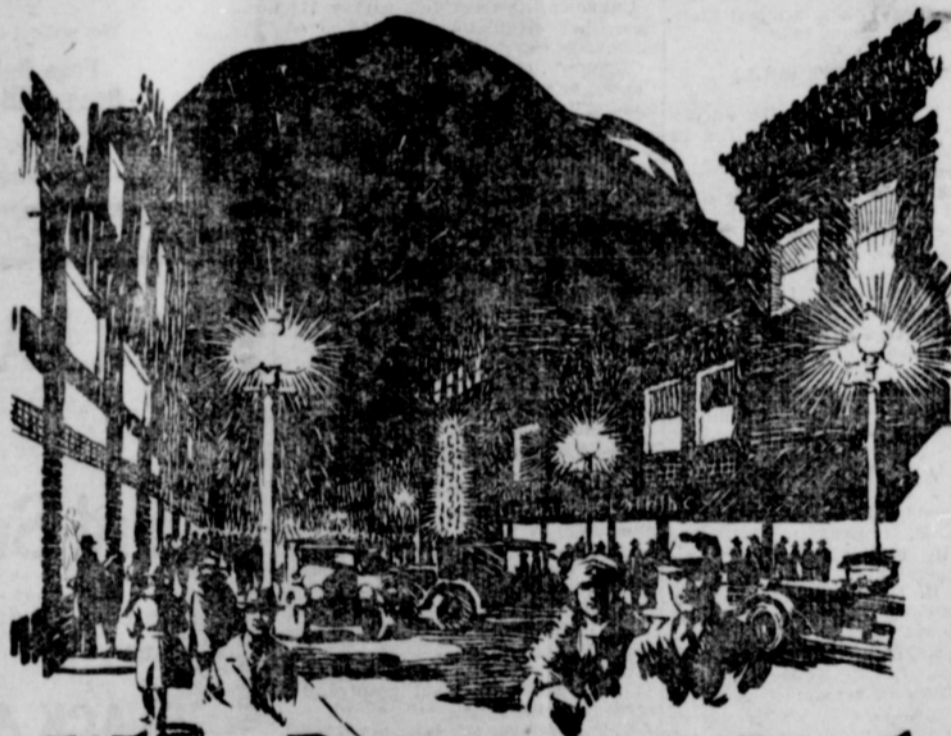
I have also offered to pay the expenses of shutting off the tunnel at the well with concrete, so the water can get out of the well only through the pipe. If it is a failure, gentlemen, I don't want you to think I am a know-it-all, but I have read a great deal about concrete dams and their workings, and I am willing to back my judgment with my money. If I am wrong it don't cost the City anything; if I am right, we will all be benefitted.

You absolutely do not know whether the pipe line up to the well through the tunnel is connected as it should be, and a waste of water that can be determined by closing the tunnel at the wells and forcing all the water to enter the pipe; if you then find the tunnel is leaking a large quantity of water you will know that the pipe line through the tunnel is not properly connected, and you may have to start at the beginning of the tunnel and go through it to the well and remedy the fault.

As to your tunnel from the well through the water shed, you all have just started: You should not

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Callahan County Fair, Baird, Sept. 10, 11, 12th--Come



When Business is Good

SATURDAY night is a mighty good time to ask yourself this question: "Is our community sending more money out of town than is coming in each week?" Of course the only safe answer is "NO!"

This means that we folks in this neighborhood must patronize local supply men and merchants if we expect our town to prosper and "stay on the map."

Frankly, it means that every citizen will find it most profitable to read the advertisements in this paper every issue, and to follow their good advice.

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List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1925 for the Taxes of 1924, in Callahan County, Texas, and unpaid on July 15, 1925.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONER'S COURT

The State of Texas
County of Callahan

In Commissioner's Court: We certify that we have examined the following eleven pages of Collector's Report of Lands and Town Lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Callahan County for the year 1924, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1924 and find the same correct, and that W. C. White, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

Given in open Court this the 11th day of May, A. D. 1925.

Victor B. Gilbert, County Judge
Virgil F. Jones
J. H. Carpenter
W. A. Everett
County Commissioners

Attest: S. E. Settle, County Clerk.

This List does not include Costs and Interest, which must be added to the amount shown.

All Delinquent Taxes will be placed in the hands of the County Attorney for collection ten days after final publication.

W. C. White, Tax Collector

Adams & Brigner, part lots 21 to 24, block 41, Central Addition, Cross Plains; Amount \$13.20.

Armstrong, A. B., lot 12, block 50, Central Addition to Cross Plains; Amt. \$43.45.

Baker, Miss Fay, Abst. 267, Survey 17, James Lehev, original grantee, 33 acres; amount \$7.98.

Beard, E. J., Estate, Abst. 263, Sur. 550, James Lavine, original grantee, 49 acres; amount \$8.80.

Bond, L. M., lot 11, block 14, Central Addition, Cross Plains; amount \$28.05.

Brigner, C. W., lots 4, 5, 6, Block 33, Central Addition, Cross Plains; Amt. \$26.29.

Brown, Mrs. W. R., lot 3, block 93, Baird, Amount \$26.18.

Cowen, M. W., lots 7, 8, Block 17, C. H. Addition, Putnam; total tax \$19.80.

Cutbirth, W. L., Abstract 126, Survey 219, J. Dyson, original grantee, 320 acres; abstract 175, survey 220, R. Green, original grantee, 117 acres; abstract 282, survey 221, J. H. Pickens, original grantee, 132 acres; abstract 309, survey 219, W. A. Smith original grantee, 320 acres; amount \$164.26.

Dallas, J. D., lot 5, block 25, 90 feet S. P. block 73, Baird; \$62.37.

Deaton, H. E., abstract 1634, survey 150, E. M. Wristen original grantee, 2 acres; amount \$7.03.

Gillmore, Todd, Dean, abstract 114, survey 1, A. Clements original grantee, 35 acres; amount \$10.57.

Graham, Mrs. W. A., abstract 122, survey 37, M. Cherry, original grantee, 3 1/2 acres; amount \$15.40.

Hart, J. M., lots 1 and 2, block 32, Clyde, amount \$23.97.

Hays, G. A., abstract 114, survey 1, A. Clements, original grantee, 87 acres; amount \$28.05.

Hudson Estate, abstract 111, survey 3, T. C. Cantonett original grantee, 50 acres; abstract 112, survey 2, T. C. Cantonett, original grantee, 300 acres; amount \$75.62.

Hazel, J. C., abstract 515, survey 337 Victoria county, original grantee, 160 acres; amount \$31.28.

Hutchison, W. C., abstract 975, survey 24, B. O. H. original grantee, 160 acres; amount \$36.53.

Jenkins, G. B., lots 1, 2 and 3, block 5, Newton addition, Baird; amount \$23.59.

Jones, E. D., abstract 126, survey 751, J. Dyson original grantee, 52 acres; amount 15.95.

Jones G. W. D., abstract 329, survey 27, S. P. Ry Co. original grantee, 168 acres; amount \$13.07.

Jones E. L., Abstract 9, survey 768, C. H. Bennett original grantee, 207 acres; amount \$67.37.

Kennedy, M., abstract 961, Survey 11, B. O. H. original grantee, 80 acres; abstract 961, survey 11, B. O. H. original grantee, 280 acres; abstract 966, survey 8, B. O. H. original grantee, 60 acres; amount \$141.88.

Kimbrough, E. C., lot 5, block 84, Central Addition, Cross Plains; amount \$9.36.

Kenedy, J. L., lot 3, block 12, Putnam; amount \$19.14.

King, G. M., lots 3 and 4, block 68, Baird, amount \$31.57.

Miller & Rollins hrs, abstract 107, survey 57, Comal Co. original grantee, 80 acres; amount \$17.60.

Murphy, Ollie V., lots 7 and 8, block 3, K. G. addition, Baird, amount \$17.54.

McMurray, J. E., lots 3, 4, and 5, block 36, Putnam; amount \$25.52.

Pratt, Mrs. N. H., lot 1, block 50, Baird, amount \$20.79.

Pinkston, W. P., abstract 126, survey 751, J. Dyson, original grantee, 54 1/4 acres; amount \$16.61.

Phillips, Mrs. N. E., abstract 108, survey 771, George Click, original grantee, 55 acres; amount \$15.12.

Peavy, W. D., one half of Block 2, M1 addition, Cross Plains; amt. \$6.32.

Ray, J. R., abstract 86, survey 65, B B B & C Ry, original grantee, 20 acres; amount \$22.52.

Richardson, R. L., lots 10, 11, 12, block 50, Putnam; amount \$9.57.

Seaman, W. H., abstract 2, survey 777, W. G. Anderson, original grantee, 302 acres; abstract 224, survey 2, L. Herbert, original grantee; 111 acres, S. 1-2 of lot 2 and all 3, block 19, Cross Plains; amount \$118.25.

Smarrt, J. H., lots 7, 8 and 9, block 30, Baird; amount \$46.05.

Wade, Mrs. F. F., lot 6, block 9 and lots 4, 5 and 6, block 10, Newlon addition, Baird; amount \$10.40.

Wade, W. R., lot 3, block 58, Baird, amount \$6.93.

Wilson & Gregory, lot 7, block 14, Central Addition to Cross Plains; amount \$1.09.

Winn, Mrs. P., lot 9, block 20, Baird, amount \$10.40.

Yarbrough, G. T., abstract 2, survey 777, W. G. Anderson original grantee; 54 1-2 acres; amount \$8.80.

Young, William, abstract 1385, survey 34, Stephen Young, original grantee, 163 acres; amount \$43.30.

(NON-RESIDENT ROLL)

Adams, W. M., abstract 274, survey 846, D. Williams original grantee, 30 acres; amount \$11.00.

Anderson, J. E., abstract 1930, survey 12528, J. E. Anderson original grantee, 6 acres; abstract 1931, survey 12527, J. E. Anderson, original grantee, 80 acres, amount \$12.01.

Blair, C. M., abstract 136, survey 352, G. W. Denton, original grantee, 82 1-2 acres; amount \$15.98.

Bryant, G. T., abstract 1275, survey 14, J. N. Webb original grantee, 160 acres; abstract 1630, survey 32, I. G. Hanna original grantee, 20 acres; abstract 1816, survey 34, E. O. Weinett, original grantee, 13 acres, amount \$72.07.

Burke, J. H., abstract 86, survey 65, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 15 acres; amount \$17.75.

Burkett, O. H., abstract 955, survey 1, B. O. H. original grantee 3 3-4 acres; amount \$3.19.

Cartier, R. D., abstract 263, survey 850, W. Hickman original grantee, 46 acres, amount \$6.33.

Cavanaugh, Mrs. D. V., abstract 1634 survey 150, E. W. Wristen original grantee, 2 acres; amount 42 cents.

Compton, C. E., abstract 138, survey 359, G. W. Denton original grantee, 5 acres; amount 72 cents.

Cahey, Guy, abstract 156, survey 757 A. L. Eaves original grantee, 10 acres; amount \$12.10.

Dunnaway, L. M., abstract 493, survey 3168, T. E. & L. Co. original grantee, 160 acres, amount \$33.44.

Dunlap, David, abstract 107, survey 151, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 16 acres; amount \$2.51.

Ellis, J. T. Jr., abstract 57, survey 75, B. B. B. & C. 1-2 acre, amount 48 cents.

Erwin, W. A., abstract 274, survey 846, D. William, original grantee; 66 acres; amount \$22.00.

Farmer, J. W., abstract 1634, survey 150, E. M. Wristen original grantee, 2 acres; amount 42 cents.

Grier, R. E., abstract 1915, survey 14, W. L. Osborne original grantee, 160 acres; amount \$34.65.

Haley, L. M., lots 11, 12, block 9, Haley addition, Cross Plains, \$1.11.

Harlow, Ollie, lots 1, 2, block 11, Steele Addition, amount \$9.89

Jones, Edgar, abstract 300, survey 61, Sears original grantee, 183 1-2 acres; amount \$27.83.

Knott, J. A., abstract 340, survey 5, S. P. Ry. Co. original grantee, 81 acres, amount \$11.82.

Kellar, R. L., abstract 157, survey 778, R. Edwards original grantee; 96 acres; amount \$17.60.

King, M. W., abstract 84, survey 51, B B B & C. original grantee, 49 acres; amount \$9.46.

Lacey, E. C., abstract 535, survey 753, D. Yeiser, original grantee, 78 1-4 acres, amount \$11.78.

Maugham, C. A., S. W. 1-4 Block 31, Steele addition, Cross Plains; amount \$2.20.

Miller, E. T., lots 5, 6, block 1, Putnam, amount \$3.19.

Monday, Mrs. J. P., abstract 141, sur-

vey 2293, T. E. & L. Co., 1 acre, amt. 70 cents.

Monroe, J. M. W., lots 14, 15, block 44, Baird; amount \$17.32.

Murdock, J. C., all block 37, Cottonwood, amount \$9.58.

Musick, Mrs. J. H., abstract 351, survey 15, S. P. Ry Co. original grantee, 80 acres; amount \$15.84.

McDaniel, H. M., abstract 123, survey 214, P. H. Cummings, original grantee, 120 acres, amount \$36.30.

McWilliams, J. F., lots 9, 10, block 13, Putnam; amount \$2.55.

Pendergrass, Mrs. M. C., lot 1, block 23, Clyde; amount \$2.37.

Rose, W. M., abstract 1634, survey 150, E. M. Wristen original grantee, 2 acres; 42 cents.

Snow, Mrs. J. C. Estate, lot 16, block 14, Baird; amount \$3.47.

Sawyer, J. A. J., abstract 523, survey 798, G. M. Vigil original grantee; 100 acres; amount \$19.50.

Texas American Syndicate, abstract 2, survey 777, W. G. Anderson, original grantee, 69 acres; abstract 256, survey 770, R. R. Puckett original grantee, 110 acres; amount \$37.40.

White, J. C., abstract 1921, survey 80, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 38 acres; amount \$9.58.

Wilson, T. G., lot 6, block 17, Central addition, Cross Plains; amount \$8.80.

Woods, C. D., lots 1 to 5, block 3, Central addition, Cross Plains, amt. \$11.00.

UNKNOWN OWNERS

Unknown, abstract 2, survey 777, W. G. Anderson, original grantee, 52 1-2 acres, amount \$13.20.

Unknown, abstract 12, survey 9, A. Bates original grantee, 39 acres; amount \$9.46.

Unknown, abstract 60, survey 55, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 33 acres, amount \$4.73.

Unknown, abstract 77, survey 29, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 120 acres; amount \$28.38.

Unknown, abstract 84, survey 51, B. B. B. & C. 28 acres, original grantee; amount \$7.10.

Unknown, abstract 85, survey 63, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 10 acres; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, abstract 93, survey 127, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 40 acres; amount \$8.36.

Unknown, abstract 94, survey 129, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 93 acres; amount \$12.95.

Unknown, abstract 105, survey 151, B. B. B. & C. original grantee, 16 1-2 acres, amount \$3.94.

Unknown, abstract 108, survey 771, Geo. Click original grantee, 26 acres, amount \$6.05.

Unknown, abstract 110, survey 4, M. Cherry original grantee, 180 acres; amount \$42.57.

Unknown, abstract 138, survey 359, G. W. Denton, original grantee; 60 acres; amount \$9.93.

Unknown, abstract 139, survey 360, G. W. Denton, original grantee, 30 acres, amount \$7.10.

Unknown, abstract 221, survey 6, W. Hickman original grantee, 71 acres; amount \$18.15.

Unknown, abstract 229, survey 197, T. Harlow original grantee, 68 acres; amount \$18.15.

Unknown, abstract 263, survey 850, Jos. Lavine, original grantee, 246 amount \$67.65.

Unknown, abstract 274, survey 846, D. Millican original grantee, 24 acres; amount \$11.55.

Unknown, abstract 317, survey 1, S. P. Ry. Co. original grantee, 43 acres; amount \$7.10.

Unknown, abstract 388, survey 3, T. & N. O. Ry. original grantee, 25 acres; amount \$2.55.

Unknown, abstract 392, survey 91, T. & P. Ry. Co. original grantee, 130 acres, amount \$16.55.

Unknown, abstract 412, survey 3009 T. E. & L. Co. original grantee, 160 acres; amount \$30.75.

Unknown, abstract 444, survey 2293, T. E. & L. Co. original grantee, 8 acres, amount \$6.38.

Unknown, abstract 450, survey 2299, T. E. & L. Co. original grantee, 16 acres, \$3.78.

Unknown, abstract 485, survey 3160, T. E. & L. Co. original grantee, 90 acres; amount \$16.55.

Unknown, abstract 588, survey 130, E. F. Huffman, original grantee, 15 acres; amount \$2.10.

Unknown, abstract 598, Pre. T. E. Johnson, original grantee, 7 acres; amount \$2.42.

Unknown, abstract 602, Don, A. J. McGowen original grantee, 130 acres, amount \$19.25.

Unknown, abstract 611, Scr. Z. T. Tullmore, original grantee, 104; Amt. \$19.14.

Unknown, abstract 629, survey 33, T. & P. Ry Co., original grantee, 204, Amt. \$54.23.

Unknown, 669, survey 2, J. W. Jones original grantee, 10 acres; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, abstract 675, survey 120, W. C. Powell, original grantee, 203 1-2 acres; amount \$86.62.

Unknown, abstract 721, survey 42, R. J. Harris, original grantee, 2 1-2 acres; amount \$10.45.

Unknown, abstract 758, survey 10, S. P. Ry Co. original grantee, 8 3-4 acres; amount \$2.11.

Unknown, abstract 774, survey 32, S. Russom original grantee, 10 acres; amount \$2.64.

Unknown, abstract 778, survey 33, Lunatic Asylum original grantee, 41 acres; amount \$10.56.

Unknown, abstract 823, survey 3, G. C. and S. F. Ry. original grantee, 69 acres; amount \$22.32.

Unknown, abstract 938, Pre. A. Wyatt, original grantee, 10 acres; amt. \$2.64.

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Unknown, abstract 956, survey 2, B. O. H. original grantee, 55 1-2 acres; amount \$15.95.

Unknown, abstract 963, survey 5, B. O. H. original grantee, 232 acres; amount \$57.42.

Unknown, abstract 966, survey 8, B. O. H. original grantee, 6 acres; amount \$1.92.

Unknown, abstract 978, survey 18, B. O. H. original grantee, 10 acres; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, abstract 982, survey 69, B. O. H. original grantee, 39 acres; amount \$5.17.

Unknown, abstract 988, survey 68, B. O. H. original grantee, 31 acres; amount \$5.17.

Unknown, abstract 1014, survey 4, J. W. Day, original grantee, 18 acres; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, abstract 1062, survey 12, J. W. Jones, original grantee, 220 acres; amount \$70.18.

Unknown, abstract 1170 Don. J. W. Day original grantee, 416 acres, \$70.95.

Unknown, abstract 1233, survey 10, S. M. McCoy original grantee, 17 acres; amount \$1.82.

Unknown, abstract 1234, Pre. E. Platt original grantee, 5 acres; amt. \$1.12.

Unknown, abstract 1247, Pre. R. Y. Scott, original grantee, 32 acres; amt. \$7.10.

Unknown, abstract 1270, survey 2, A. G. Webb original grantee, 198 1-2 acres; amount \$26.02.

Unknown, abstract 1371, survey 31, K. K. Leggett, original grantee, 8 acres; amount \$2.64.

Unknown, abstract 1432, survey 42, C. P. Timbs original grantee, 89 acres; amount \$25.52.

Unknown, abstract 1623, Pre. S. W. Black original grantee, 55 1-2 acres; amount \$11.83.

Unknown, abstract 1634, survey 150, E. M. Wristen original grantee, 30 acres; amount \$6.47.

Unknown, abstract 1654, Pre. T. S. Motley, original grantee, 12 acres; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, abstract 1674, survey 47, J. H. Brown original grantee, 19 acres. Amount \$4.19.

Unknown, abstract 1677, survey 8, J. M. Caddenhead original grantee, 5 1-2 acres; amount \$1.42.

Unknown, abstract 1682, survey 32, J. M. Chandler, original grantee, 110 acres; amount \$35.09.

Unknown, abstract 1686, survey 36, Geo. Clifford original grantee, 10 acres; amount \$2.92.

Unknown, abstract 1714, survey 60, C. S. Hadley original grantee, 29 acres amount \$14.19.

Unknown, abstract 1716, survey 80, Levi Hancock original grantee, 27 acres; amount \$9.57.

Unknown, abstract 1787, survey 24, J. H. Crow, original grantee, 26 acres; amount \$3.02.

Unknown, abstract 1807, survey 50, A. J. Matthews original grantee, 80 acres; amount \$18.92.

Unknown, abstract 1808, survey 74, J. J. Humphries original grantee 27-1-2 acres; amount \$11.83.

Unknown, abstract 1834, survey 14, J. J. Settle original grantee, 120 acres; amount \$18.92.

Unknown, abstract 1839, Pra. G. O. Cresswell original grantee, 20 acres; amount \$4.84.

Unknown, abstract 1868, survey 13, C. H. Jackson, original grantee, 246 acres, amount \$44.66.

Unknown, abstract 1890, survey 74, L. C. Cauthern original grantee, 40 acres, amount \$11.83.

Unknown, abstract 1910, survey 74, John M. Taylor, original grantee, 40 acres; amount \$9.46.

Unknown, Baird, lot 12, block 10, amount \$3.47.

Unknown, Baird, S 1-2 lot 2, block 67; amount \$3.47.

Unknown, Baird, lot 1, block 2, K-G Addition, amount \$1.39.

Unknown, Baird, lot 3, block 2, K-G Addition; amount \$1.39.

Unknown, Baird, lot 4, block 2, K-G Addition; amount \$1.39.

Unknown, Baird, lot 9, block 2, K-G Addition; amount \$1.39.

Unknown, Baird, lot 10, block 3, K-G Addition; amount \$1.39.

Unknown, Baird, lot 11, block 3, K-G Addition; amount \$1.39.

Unknown, Baird, lot 12, block 3, K-G Addition; amount \$1.39.

Unknown, Baird, lot 5, block 4, K-G addition; amount \$1.05.

Unknown, Baird, lot 8, block 4, K-G addition; amount \$1.05.

Unknown, Baird, lot 9, block 4, K-G addition; amount \$1.05.

Unknown, Baird, lot 10, block 4, K-G addition; amount \$1.05.

Unknown, Baird, E 1/2 Block 5, K-G addition; amount \$6.42.

Unknown, Clyde, lot 9, block 6; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, Clyde, lot 9, block 16; amount \$7.10.

Unknown, Clyde, lot 16, block 16, amount \$18.92.

Unknown, Clyde, S 1-24 lot 4, block 18, amount 48 cents.

Unknown, Clyde, N 1/2 Block 18, amount 48 cents.

Unknown, Clyde, lot 9, block 34; amount \$4.73.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 7, Block 34; amount \$4.73.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 4, Block 37; amount \$7.10.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 3, Block 37; amount \$7.10.

Unknown, Clyde, Lots 8-10, Block 42; amount \$2.84.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 7, Block 43; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 8, Block 43; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 10, Block 43; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 11, Block 43; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 12, Block 43; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 1, Block 49; amount \$9.46.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 2, Block 49; amount \$9.46.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 3, Block 49; amount \$9.46.

Unknown, Clyde, All Block 55; amount 72 cents.

Unknown, Clyde, All Block 59; amount \$2.37.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 1, Block 1; K. 1st, amount \$1.42.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 11, Block 1; K. 1st, amount, \$1.42.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 12, Block 1; K. 1st, amount \$1.42.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 2, Block 1; K. 2nd amount, 49 cents.

Unknown, Clyde, Lot 2, Block 1; S. amount \$14.19.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 5, Block 11; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 6, Block 11; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood Lot 7, Block 11; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 8, Block 11; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 9, Block 11; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 9, Block 11; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 10, Block 11; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 1, Block 12; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 5, Block 12; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 6, Block 14; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 7, Block 14; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 8, Block 14; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 9, Block 14; amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, Lot 10, Block 14 amount 61 cents.

Unknown, Cottonwood, All Block 30, amount \$9.08.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 7-8 of S. 1-2 Block 1, Fairview Addition, amount \$3.08.

Unknown, Cross Plains, N. 1-2 of Block 1, Fairview Addition amount \$7.94.

Unknown, Cross Plains, N. 1-2 Block 2, Fairview Addition, amount \$3.52.

Unknown, Cross Plains, 7-8 S. 1-2 Block 2, Fairview Addition, amount \$2.08.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 1, Block 3, Fairview Addition, amount 44 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 9, Block 1, Central Addition, amount \$1.33.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 10, Block 1, Central Addition, amount \$1.33.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 3, Block 5, Central Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 3, Block 11; Central Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 4, Block 11; Central Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 5, Block 17; Central Addition, amount \$8.80.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 11, Block 30; Central Addition, amount \$22.00.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 15, Block 45; Central Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 4, Block 52; Central Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 21, Block 52; Central Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 7, Block 71; Central Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 1, Block 72; Central Addition amount \$1.32.

Unknown, Cross Plains, E. 1-2 Lot 2, Block 72; Central Addition, amount 65 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, E. 1-2 Lot 3, Block 72; Central Addition, amount 65 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, E. 1-2 Lot 4, Block 2; Central Addition, amount 65 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, E. 1-2 Lot 5, Block 72; Central Addition, amount 65 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, E. 1-2 Lot 6, Block 72; Central Addition, amount 65 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 8, Block 84; Central Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 10, Block 2; Haley Addition, amount \$1.32.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 10, Block 5; Haley Addition, amount \$1.32.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 1, Block 8; Haley Addition, amount, 88 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 2, Block 8; Haley Addition, amount, 88 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 11, Block 8; Haley Addition, amount 88 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 12, Block 8; Haley Addition, amount, 88 cents.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 6, Block 5; Matthews 2nd Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, All Block 3, Matthews 1st Addition, amount \$11.00.

Unknown, Cross Plains, All Block 8, Matthews 1st Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, All Block 12, Old Town Addition, amount \$5.60.

Unknown, Cross Plains, All Block 14, Old Town Addition, amount \$4.40.

Unknown, Cross Plains, All Block 1, Steele Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, 1-2 Block 2, Steele Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, 126x218 feet S. Part Block 4, Steele Addition, amount \$6.60.

Unknown, Cross Plains, S. E. Part Block 6 Steele Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 4, Block 6, Steele Addition, amount, \$21.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, S. 1-2 Block 13, Steele Addition, amount \$2.20.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 1, Block 23, Steele Addition, \$4.40.

Unknown, Cross Plains, Lot 2, Block 23; Steele Addition, amount \$4.40.

Unknown, Cross Plains, N. 3-4 Lot 4, Block 23; Steele Addition amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Alpine, Lot 4, Block 5; amount 97 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 4, Block 1; Martin Addition, amount 98 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 3, Block 1; Martin Addition, amount 98 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 5, Block 1; Martin Addition, amount 98 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 6, Block 1; Martin Addition, amount 98 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 7, Block 1; Martin Addition, amount 98 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 8, Block 1; Martin Addition, amount 98 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 9, Block 1; Martin Addition, amount 98 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 10, Block 1; Martin Addition, amount 98 cents.

Unknown, Putnam, All Block 4, Martin Addition, amount \$11.48.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 2, Block 2; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 8, Block 2; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 12, Block 2; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 4, Block 3; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 5, Block 3; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 7, Block 4; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 8, Block 4; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 11, Block 6; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 6, Block 8; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 10, Block 10 amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 14, Block 19 amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, N. 1-2 Lot 17, Block 26; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 10, Block 20 amount \$6.38.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 10, Block 22; amount \$9.57.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 11, Block 23; amount \$3.19.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 13, Block 25; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 18, Block 25; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 6, Block 26; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 7, Block 26; amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 13, Block 26, amount \$1.28.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 9, Block 27, amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 17, Block 27; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 18, Block 27; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 4, Block 28; amount \$3.19.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 7, Block 30; amount \$3.19.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 18, Block 30; amount \$3.19.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 2, Block 31; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 3, Block 31; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 4, Block 31; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 5, Block 31; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 6, Block 31; amount \$1.91.

Unknown, Putnam, Lot 7, Block 31, amount \$1.91.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

OUTSIDE OF CALLAHAN COUNTY:

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Six Months..... 1.25
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One Year.....\$1.50
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(Payable in Advance)

This dry, hot weather reminds one of the Irishman's statement to a friend in a letter, from a certain place, that during six weeks in the hot month of August; and the whole cry was water! water!

Lest you forget, Sept. 10, 11, & 12th is the date set for the Callahan County Fair, and Baird is the place. If you have anything worth exhibiting see Secretary H. O. Tatum of the Baird Chamber of Commerce, at Judge Russell's office.

They call him cautious Cal because he, the President, refuses to heed the call for him to do something to prevent the threatened coal strike in the Anthracite mines. Just imagine Wilson, Roosevelt or Cleveland playing safe under such conditions. Yet the President maybe right after all.

The enemies of Gov. Ferguson cannot find anything else to criticize her for except her pardoning record and they are working that overtime. Some even contend that the crime wave sweeping over Texas is caused by Gov. Ferguson pardoning so many criminals. To show the absurdity of such a charge, the crime wave was rolling over Texas and every other state in the Union before Mrs. Ferguson was elected governor.

WILL YOU NEED COTTON PICKERS

The United States Farm Labor Division, of Fort Worth, working through the local Chamber of Commerce, is very anxious to know if the farmers of Callahan County will need any cotton pickers this year. Also, on what date the cotton will be sufficiently opened to permit an average picker to gather 150 to 200 pounds of cotton per day. How many pickers do you estimate your community will require?

The Baird Chamber of Commerce is anxious to cooperate with the farmers in this matter. Phone or write to "H. O. Tatum, Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Baird, Texas," and you will get immediate and efficient service.

TWO NEW WELLS IN NEAR PUTNAM

Oil well development and oil production goes on regularly in the Putnam District, without any blowing of trumpets or beating of tom-toms.

This week Ed Hayden brought in a 100 barrel producer at 640 feet and there was another, drilled by J. H. Johnson, five miles south of Putnam, which will pump ten barrels daily at 550 feet.

C. BOONE HOLMES SAYS:
"BE A BUILDER BOYS!"

\$5.00 in Gold will be given to the Boy who will build and deliver at the Fair Grounds at Baird, not later than 4 o'clock in the afternoon of September 9th, the best Drilling

Rig, either Standard or other designs.

Now boys, we are depending on you to bring them in—all shapes, sizes and colors.

Help us out Old Callahan on the Map in the Oil World and get yourself a nice writeup in the Oil News, as well as secure the \$5.00.

C. B. Holmes, Committee.

DEATHS

MRS. E. M. GLOVER

Mrs. E. M. Glover, aged 79 years died Saturday night at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ora Cutbirth, after a short illness following a stroke of paralysis.

Funeral services were held at the residence of Mrs. Cutbirth at 1 o'clock Sunday, conducted by Rev. Dick O'Brien and the remains taken to Albany for interment in the family burial lot with her husband, P. T. Glover, and two sons, John Thomas, and Jeff; who died many years ago. A large number of friend from Baird accompanied the remains to Albany.

Mrs. Glover is survived by two sons, Joe and Ed Glover, of Baird; and two daughters, Mrs. Mary Joel, of Electra, and Mrs. Ben Allen, of Abilene, all of whom were with their mother when she died.

Mrs. Glover had been a resident of this section since 1853. She was a loving and lovable character whose friends were numbered by the number of her acquaintances.

JOHN SURLS, SR.

John Surls, Sr. an old and highly esteemed pioneer citizen of Callahan county, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. L. Russell, Tuesday, August 18, 1925 and his body was taken to Putnam, the old home, for interment, Wednesday. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. P. D. O'Brien, Pastor of the Baird Baptist Church. John Surls, Sr. was born December 22, 1835, being near 90 years of age.

Mr. Surls is survived by his wife to whom he was married 67 years ago; two sons, J. H. Surls, Jr. of Cisco; M. R. Surls, of Dothan; two daughters, Mrs. B. L. Russell and Mrs. C. C. Andrews, of Baird. Mr. and Mrs. Surls were both members of the Baptist Church, ever since the year of their marriage, we believe.

John Surls was an honorable, high-minded Christian gentleman in every sense that the words imply. He served four years in the Confederate army. He lived in Lamar county at the beginning of the war, but at the solicitation of relatives who live in Arkansas, near the Texas line, he enlisted with them and served east of the Mississippi river. He was severely wounded in one of the last battles of the war.

The writer has known and esteemed John Surls for 43 years and never heard one speak ill of him, but all loved him for what he was, just a plain, unassuming, good man. For years he has been afflicted with that dread disease, cancer. While all who knew him, regret his passing, yet we feel that God has mercifully called him home to a land where disease, pain and sorrow never enter.

Mr. Surls moved to this county about 1880, bought land near Putnam in 1881 where he lived until a few years ago, when his affliction became so severe they came to Baird, to be near their two daughters.

W. A. BROCK

W. A. Brock, a former resident of this city, died in an Abilene sanitarium Monday, following an operation for appendicitis. The remains were taken to Sweetwater for interment, the funeral being held at the First Methodist Church Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. R. Henson.

Mr. Brock was born at Cherokee, Texas on April 5, 1863. He is survived by his wife and six children, four daughters and two son.

Mr. Brock and family moved away from Baird some years ago, first locating at Sweetwater, where they lived for ten years or more, later they they moved to the Tullos Ranch at San Angelo and a few months ago he purchased the Munger Ranch near Bradshaw, where he was living at the time of his death.

Miss Emmogene Orr, of Dallas, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes.

WEST TEXAS UTILITIES SOCIAL CLUB ENTERTAINS

The West Texas Utilities Social Club, of Baird, entertained a number of their friends with a chicken barbecue on last Friday evening. A delightful time is reported. The out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Campbell, of Cisco and, and Miss Hazel Becker, of Fort Worth.

On Wednesday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell, Miss Hilda Albin and her guest, Miss Hazel Becker, of Fort Worth, went to Cisco to attend a social meeting of the Ladies Public Relations Section of the W. T. U. C. A splendid program was rendered at the close of which Miss Hilda Albin, the ever efficient bookkeeper at the Baird station was presented with a five year service button by Manager G. W. Porter, in recognition of faithful and efficient service rendered the company for the past five years.

APPLICATION OF GUARDIAN TO MAKE LEASE

No. 760,

In re Guardianship of the Estate of Gracie Lou Helms, a Minor. In County Court of Callahan County Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, J. Q. Helms, Guardian of the estate of Gracie Lou Helms, a minor, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Callahan County, Texas, authorizing me, as the Guardian of the estate of said ward, to make a Mineral Lease upon such terms as the Court may order and direct, of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said Ward, to-wit:

Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block No. 34, Central Addition to the Town of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Callahan County, Texas, at the Courthouse in the City of Baird, Texas, on the 29th day of August, A. D. 1925.

Witness my hand this August 20, 1925.

J. Q. Helms,
Guardian of the Estate of Gracie Lou Helms, a Minor. 38-1t

APPLICATION OF GUARDIAN TO MAKE LEASE

No. 477.

In re Guardianship of the Estate of Stancel Greenwood, a Minor. In the County Court of Callahan County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, R. M. Black, Guardian of the Estate of Stancel Greenwood, a Minor, have this day filed an application in the above numbered and entitled cause for authority to execute a mineral, oil and gas lease, or leases, upon such terms as the Court may order and direct, upon and covering said Ward's undivided interest in and to

Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3 in Block No. 48, Central Addition to the Town of Cross Plains, in Callahan County, Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Callahan County, Texas, in the County Court Room, at the Court House, in the City of Baird, Texas, on the 30th day of August, 1925.

R. M. Black,
Guardian of the Estate of Stancel Greenwood, a Minor. 38-1t

ANNOUNCEMENT

Harold Wristen,
Teacher of Piano,
Will Open Studio September 14.
Pupil of Robert Yale Smith and Edgar Wilson, Bush Conservatory, Chicago. 38-4t

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KINDERGARTEN—I will begin my Kindergarten on the opening date of the Public School. I will appreciate your patronage. 37-4t Mrs. Brown Jones.

WE DELIVER every day in the week and on Sundays until 9 a. m. 50-t Warren's Market Phone 130

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WANTED—Plain Sewing. Children's school clothes and ladies' house dresses a specialty. Mrs. J. Nixon, Next door north Wiley Tisdale residence. 37-tf

HOUSE FOR RENT—Electric lights, gas, water and garage. Ten Dollars per month. See T. B. Hadley. 38-tf

FOR RENT—One Upstairs Apartment. Mrs. R. L. Alexander Phone 126. 38-1t-p

PRIMARY SCHOOL—Mrs. R. L. Alexander's Primary School will open Monday, September 14. Your patronage earnestly solicited. 28-1t-p Mrs. R. L. Alexander.

GAS COOK STOVE—Gas Cook Stove for sale, in good condition—a bargain. 38-tf Mrs. Fred Hart.

BEDROOM AND BATH—For rent, pleasant Bedroom and Bath, in desirable residence section. 38-tf Phone 181.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS—Three newly furnished Apartments for rent. See Mrs. Clifton Brown, West Mac Bell Avenue, across from B. L. Boydston residence. 38-1t-p

FOR RENT—Three room house, with Sleeping Porch, good water. Furnished. Rent \$25 a month. Apply to Mrs. Mary Scoggin. 38-1tp

Callahan County Fair, Baird, September 10, 11, 12th

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Miss Ruby Hill, of Fort Worth,
is visiting her mother, Mrs. Cliff
Hill.

Woman styles may change, but
their designs remain always the
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Styles in toilet articles may change
—but we always have the latest.—
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W. P. Brightwell and family and
C. B. Snyder and family are on an
automobile trip to points in New
Mexico and Colorado.

Miss Bess Crawford, of Belling-
ham, Washington, is the guest of
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
Crawford.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Ora Cutbirth is visiting relatives in Abilene, this week.

T. B. Magee is visiting his grandfather, T. B. Holland, at Denton, this week.

Mrs. J. B. Whalen, of Graham, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mullican.

Miss Bess Holmes has accepted a position in the dry goods department of B. L. Boydston's store.

F. E. Patterson, former resident of Baird, who now live at Lamesa, visited friends and relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Frenchie Garrett and Miss Mamie Morrison are in Dallas this week selecting their new line of millinery.

Miss Lillian Brecheen, who has been visiting in Dallas and points in Oklahoma for the past six weeks, expected home yesterday.

Miss Novella Hancock has returned to Dallas, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hancock.

Mrs. S. M. Stinson, of Big Spring spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mullican. Mrs. Stinson was enroute to Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ford and children left the first of the week on an automobile trip through New Mexico and Arizona.

Miss Dona Carter returned to her home in Big Spring last Sunday, after a ten day's visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lidia and daughter, Miss Ima, have returned to their home in Stephenville, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Otho B. Lidia.

Oscar Eastham and family left this week for Conway, Arkansas, where they will spend about two weeks with relatives. They are making the trip in their new car.

Mrs. E. O. Green and son, Junior of Prescott, Ark., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wise, at the American Hotel, left Tuesday for her home via Fort Worth, where she will visit relatives.

Henry Lambert suffered a slight stroke of paralysis Wednesday. He cannot use his legs, but says that he suffers no pain. The Star hopes that he will be all right in a few days.

P. W. White of Water Valley, Ky. and W. M. White of Clinton, Ky. are two new subscribers this week. they are interested in some land near the Dudley oil field, and want to keep posted about the oil development in this county.

Special at Sigal Theatre Friday and Saturday, August 28 and 29th Tom Mix in "Riders of the Purple Sage" from Zane Gray's novel. Watch for it.

Announcing

The Opening of

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Mr. Boydston is now in the Eastern Markets. Watch this space for new arrivals in Fall Dresses

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Heads State Fair Swine Breeders



A. L. WARD

A. L. Ward, swine husbandman at A. & M. College, will be in charge of the swine division at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25. Mr. Ward declares that the keenest interest has been manifested by breeders all over the state, and that he expects the most creditable showing at the 1925 State Fair that Texas has ever known.

RACES AND RODEO TO BE FEATURES AT STATE FAIR

Horse Events First Seven Days—Rodeo to Follow Second Week Before the Race Track Grand Stand

A seven day running race meeting, followed by a real "old West" rodeo, to be features of the 1925 State

Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25 next, according to announcement.

The race meeting will start with the opening day of this year's Fair, on Saturday, Oct. 10. There will be a program of six events each day, except on Sunday, Oct. 11, up to and including the following Saturday, Oct. 17.

On Sunday, Oct. 18, the first offering of the rodeo will be given, and there will be similar offerings each afternoon thereafter throughout the second week of the Fair.

Dr. A. E. Flowers, who has been recognized in connection with State Fair racing for many years, will have charge of the speed department, and has announced that all indications are for a most successful meeting, with many of the best runners in the country expected to participate for the liberal purses offered.

The State Fair rodeo will offer to new-comers in Texas, an opportunity to witness the pastimes of older days in the border country, and assurances are given that some of the brightest stars of the rope and saddle will be seen in action, including not a few of those who went to England last year, and appeared before crowned heads in the great Wembley stadium.

ADDITIONAL PARKING SPACE FOR STATE FAIR PATRONS

Twenty acres of additional automobile parking space will be provided within the State Fair grounds for the 1925 State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25.

With the building of the new Fair Park auditorium, some part of the parking facility within the Gaston Park section of the Fair grounds was taken away, but automobiles will still be parked within that enclosure.

The new parking area has been provided by removing the outer fence about the race track at the east turn. The sixty-foot width of space thus afforded, will accommodate 5,000 cars, it is estimated, as it will extend all the way from the paddock to the main gate entering upon the track, on the east side near the racing barns.

STATE FAIR FIREWORKS TO SHOW ANCIENT ROME

"Rome Under Nero" is the title of the big, spectacular fireworks exhibition to be staged before the race track grand stand, each night of the 1925 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 10-25 next, according to announcement. A great special setting will depict the glories of the old Roman capital at the time the tyrant Nero, ruled, and the basis of the pyrotechnics, of course, will be the historic burning of the "city of the seven hills," while the despotic Caesar fiddled upon his gilded throne. The spectacle, it is declared, has been given the sanction of preachers and teachers in many sections of the country, because of its close attention to history with regard to actual happenings, costuming and all other details.

LIVE STOCK JUDGES FOR 1925 STATE FAIR

John A. Lee, Westerville, Ohio; W. H. Standish, Lyons, O., and W. T. Watson, Lincoln, Kans., have accepted appointment as live stock judges at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25. They will judge Jerseys, Holsteins and jacks and mules respectively.

Barkless Dog Evolves From Surgeon's Clinic

Portland, Ore.—Two goats lost their bleats and a dog his bark at the clinical demonstrations conducted by the American Veterinary Medical association here. Dr. Frederick R. Whipple, of Peoria, Ill., described a method by which the same operation may be performed on other animals as easily as tonsils are removed at present from a human being. Humane societies are studying the results, he said, with the idea of saving the lives of many dogs that have made nuisances of themselves by innocent barking.

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CANADIAN VETS SHY FROM ORGANIZATION

Haig's Visit Hoped to Re-new Interest in League.

Toronto, Ont.—What has become of Canada's army? Already less than seven years since the height of its power it is referred to as "The Vanished Legion."

In all countries, in all ages, from Caesar to Napoleon and Grant armies have lived long after wars ended, sometimes as a great national resource, sometimes as a menace political or social, whose disbandment was a problem. But the long continued influence and power of the Grand Army of the Republic, to take a modern case in point, finds no counterpart in the dominion.

Canada enlisted almost 900,000 men. Allowing for casualties and other wastage, perhaps 500,000 of these were demobilized and returned to civil life in Canada.

Probably no nation of 9,000,000 people ever faced the problem of reabsorbing such a large proportion of fighting men. The task was accomplished immediately and completely—too completely in the view of some.

Had the war veterans developed a common political or other ambition and a cohesion to knit themselves into a single organization they could have achieved supreme power in the land, merely by a gesture. But so far the outstanding characteristics of war veterans' associations, although they have accomplished much useful work, have been disunion and a sense of failure to grasp potential opportunity.

War veterans' associations appeared on the stage long before the close of the war. Perhaps that was the initial mistake. Early promoters rushed to get into the field first. And some of them were able to command a general following. Early rivalries have not yet disappeared. And most discouraging of all is the fact that a great proportion of the disbanding men have stood aloof from all of the competing organizations, though there is a feeling in many quarters that if there was a single association nearly every war veteran would join it.

There have been and are in existence at least twenty and perhaps more distinct veterans' organizations in Canada. There is one strong one—strong in comparison with the others—one that was strong in the hectic days of 1921, and then a large number that trail away to mere regimental societies. Most of them have done exceedingly useful work, particularly in looking after dependent members.

Haig's Visit an Appeal.

One of the reasons for Earl Haig's present visit to Canada was to appeal to Canada's veterans to join in a single organization. Specifically he wanted them to become members of the British Legion. His appeal for unity aroused much enthusiasm. But concrete results are as yet problematical. So far the incident has served chiefly to emphasize the disunion of Canada's veterans.

The chief veterans' association is the Great War Veterans' association of Canada—G. W. V. A. For short. Its headquarters claim a membership of 99,000. But a recent audit of its books revealed that its greatest paid-up membership was about 50,000 in the year 1929 and that at present it has only about 11,000 members who have paid their current dues.

Another curious fact is that a majority of veterans who are active in most of the organizations are men who are old-country born. One official explained this by saying that the majority of Canadian troops were old-country born anyway, but this statement is not proved by official figures, which show the origin of Canadian enlistments as follows:

Born in England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales..... 211,185
Born in Canada..... 117,705
Born in the United States..... 18,500
Elsewhere, about..... 18,500

Perhaps the great Canadian veterans' association will yet come into existence. Whether Earl Haig's appeal will furnish the necessary impetus is problematical. Some think that a British Legion in Canada, following Haig's suggestion, would accomplish the required unity and strength. Others think that what is wanted is a Canadian Legion with Sir Arthur Currie at its head.

FINDS HEAT KILLS GERM MILK HOLDS

Food Expert Tells of Results of Experiments.

Chicago.—Science's recently discovered germ, the bacemolitic streptococcus, sometimes found in ordinary market milk and a cause of septic sore throat, is destroyed at momentary heating of 120 degrees Fahrenheit, recent tests have shown, according to Agnes M. Olson, food expert.

"Results of tests have established that heating milk to 142 degrees Fahrenheit for a period of 30 minutes, destroyed all disease germs," said Miss Olson, in an address before club women here.

"Disease germs used in the experiments were those sometimes found in cow's milk—tuberculosis, typhoid, paratyphoid, diphtheria, septic sore throat, and others. Altogether, more than 6,500 bacteriological tests were made. Diphtheria bacilli were destroyed at the same heat as the bacemolitic streptococci, the tests proved. Typhoid bacilli were destroyed by momentary heating to 141 degrees and by one type of apparatus at 132 degrees for 30 minutes. The amount of bacteria used was much greater than would be encountered in the milk under ordinary commercial conditions.

"Ordinary market milk that has not been subjected to heat may not be free from disease germs. Evaporated milk, which is merely fresh cow's milk with 90 per cent of the water removed, is sterile, having been treated to 240 degrees of heat in the processing of the product, which is one of the prime reasons why medical authorities advocate its use as a food, not only for the infant, but for the adult as well."

Gasoline Made of Gas That Was Once Wasted

Chicago.—Once shot into the air and lost, natural gas is now liquefied into gasoline, that turns the wheels of motor cars on a thousand highways, at the rate of nearly 2,500,000 gallons a

day, according to a report of the American Research Foundation.

"Before the process of converting natural gas into gasoline was discovered millions of dollars' worth of natural gas had been allowed to escape into the atmosphere," the report points out. "The industry originated in 1911 and that first year the output was 7,425,830 gallons of gasoline. Today there are in the United States 603 plants with a combined capacity of more than a billion gallons a year. Of the total number of plants 590 are in active operation. An instance of development in this industry is shown by a single company, which in 1916 had no facilities for producing this gasoline and in 1924 produced 19,000,000 gallons.

"This gasoline, literally grabbed from the air, has at times totaled 9 per cent of all the motor fuel manufactured in the United States. Oklahoma stands first with 119 plants and six more are being built.

"With passenger cars and motor trucks now numbering 17,500,000 in this country, continuance of cheap gasoline prices is a problem of increasing difficulties. Demand is greater than ever before and steadily increasing, and there is every prospect that the price will take at least a slight upward trend before the end of summer."

Grandma, Thrice Wed, Finds First Husband

Mulberry, Kan.—Grandma Boyd, sixty-five and blind, is rejoicing over the discovery that her former husband still lives. He is a resident of Weir City, a coal camp near here.

Forty-four years ago Joe Kennedy, a Civil-war veteran, and his nineteen-year-old blind wife lived in a cabin on the banks of the Marais des Cygnes. The river was flooded one winter's night. Joe went out to salvage his logs. When he failed to return within a few hours his wife stumbled blindly from the log cabin and took refuge in a pecan tree. Three days later she was rescued by neighbors. Joe never returned. His wife be-

lieved he was drowned, and moved to Mulberry and has twice married since then. When Joe returned and found his cabin swept away in the flood he decided his wife had drowned and went to Mulberry. Later he returned to Kansas and settled in Weir. Several days ago grandchildren of the pair, who have been acquainted for some time, compared notes and accidentally discovered the similarity of stories told by their respective grandparents. A meeting of the long-separated pair followed.

Oil From Water Well

Gravelle, Ark.—A 14-foot well which has furnished the best drinking water for 40 years at the home of Bob Caviness in Gravelle, suddenly has begun to provide a high grade of gasoline in large quantities. Several have filled their automobile tanks from it and found that it gave them good service, but they fear it will burn out their engines.

Hand-Painted Knees Latest Beauty Stunt

Chicago.—Painting pictures on such feminine knees as may be exposed by rolled stockings and perverse winds is advocated by beauty specialists.

"Painted knees are the latest thing," said Mrs. Ruth Maurer. "Hand-painted pictures on the knees are intriguing. Some designs are simple, some elaborate. Some girls prefer a flower or a group of blossoms. Others like a portrait or a little landscape."

Women of the United States spend approximately \$5,000,000 a day to make themselves synthetically beautiful, one report asserted.

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The Touring Webbs At Nation's Capital

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world; saw the bright lights of Broadway and other splendid things. We then crossed the Hudson River to Jersey City and came South through parts of Pennsylvania Delaware and Maryland to Washington, D. C. Of course we stopped at Philadelphia and saw the Liberty Bell, and stood on the spot and same floor in the hall where Washington made his farewell address 145 years ago. His life-size statue stands there just as he stood then—a very fine specimen of the sculptor's art. We also visited the home of Betsy Ross, designer and maker of Old Glory.

At Princeton, New Jersey, we visited the University, the homes of Grover Cleveland and Woodrow Wilson.

We found Washington crowded with 50,000 Ku Klux Klansmen, who made the biggest parade and show ever seen here, and who are initiating 3,000 new members here tonight. The young folks of our party are going to see the show and fiery crosses, but this scribe passed his seventieth mile post on the Road of Life, today—from the cradle to the grave; also hundreds of mile posts in an auto, and prefers to take a little rest.

I suppose we will be here four or five days, as there is so much to see: the Capital, the Congressional Library, the Treasury Building, Arlington, Mount Vernon, the Washington Monument, Annapolis and other attractions.

Then we begin our ramble back to Sunny Texas. We have certainly enjoyed the good roads and many beautiful stretches of country, all dressed up in green and red and white roses. A. G. Webb.



Don't Forget The Fair
September 10, 11 & 12th

Let's Make It A Big One
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Baird Coyotes Suffer Double Barrelled Beat

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ly different story; with the grand stand comfortably packed with approximately six hundred fans, the Coyotes got off to a flying start in their fielding practice, every member of the team missing an easy chance. This seemed to grow on them with great rapidity and, when the game started, it was a foregone conclusion that the game would be nothing short of a slaughter, and slaughter it was.

The Big Spring team registered sixteen times, and could have made that many more if they had tried, while the Coyotes made four scores. This number should have been increased, had the Coyotes used a little judgment in running bases.

Not a member of the team seemed to be accustomed to large turnouts and this, together with the tiring effect of climbing so many hills, up and down Main Street of Big Spring, so exhausted the Coyotes—who are accustomed to level ground—that they couldn't play the game.

Everything that we had tried his hand at pitching, but no improvement was forthcoming, until finally, Centerfielder Neeley assumed the mound and Thirdbaseman Dean wrapped his frame in the mask and the belly protector, when they put up a nice exhibition of pitching and catching, and finally retired the Big Spring team in the last two innings, without any serious damage.

The Coyotes not only reduced their season's average by going to Big Spring, but they also went in the financial hole on the trip and, with only a short time remaining in which to play, they will doubtless be in the hole financially when the season closes.

Next Sunday the Coyotes have another tough customer on their hands, when they will journey to Breckenridge to tackle the Dynamoes, and they are going to have to hustle to handle this fast aggregation, who

have been beating everything that goes to Breckenridge.

No other games are matched, since Putnam was disbanded. However, negotiations are underway, which we hope will materialize in bringing some team here for one more game for the benefit of the loyal Coyote fans, who subscribed to a fund to assist the boys to make the trip to Big Spring. However, he it said that it is hard to induce any team to come here, since our crowds are so small.

Next Sunday, at Breckenridge, against the Dynamoes—then what?

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WANTS BETTER WATER SYSTEM

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not get discouraged; but, my idea is to bust that dam out you have put in the tunnel and let our pipe line be fed from the well, so it can run in the well, settle and come down to us to use.

Now, gentlemen, if you will get a practical man to tell you what to do I will be one of four men to take city scrip, five thousand dollars to each—if it takes that much—for you to put our water system in shape, but for two thousand people.

Stop guessing and get started off right. Let's be broad minded enough to get an expert to consult in this critical matter for it is very serious.

Yours respectfully,
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If the number of inquiries from all over the County regarding the forthcoming Callahan County Fair continuing to come in to the office of the Association are an index of popular sentiment, this year's Fair will far surpass any similar exposition ever before held here.

It seems that the people in general of the County fully realize what the Fair will mean to them as individuals and also from a cooperative standpoint.

The Agricultural Exhibit premiums are to be on a larger scale than ever before. The exhibitors are devoting a great deal of time and thought to the Individual Farm Exhibits.

The first prize for the best Individual Farm Exhibit will be \$50, the second \$30 and the third prize \$20. They will be judged on the basis of fifty per cent for decorating and arrangement, twenty-five per cent for variety and twenty-five for quality.

No one will be allowed to borrow articles for exhibit from their neighbors, or others, but all exhibits must be the products of their individual farms.

In the Poultry Department all chickens entered must be those that are raised in the County. If a fowl is ordered especially for the Fair it will not be allowed to contest in this department.

Tom French, Chairman of the Poultry Department, states that he expects to have 75 coops to house the poultry. He has also secured a large tent, which will be set up on the south side of the Tabernacle; therefore, protection will be given to the fowls on exhibition.

Tom Edwards, Superintendent of the Livestock Department, has made a number of changes in his department. He has added goats and sheep to his department and will have a number of livestock entries. Mr. Edwards requests that those who contemplate entering livestock in his department will kindly communicate with him or the Secretary of the Fair Association and secure a corrected premium list.

Mrs. C. M. Mills and Louis Hall, co-Superintendents of the Culinary Department, have promised to have plenty of space for their department to take care of all articles brought in for exhibition. Mrs. Mills has appointed one lady in each town and community in the County to assist her in making this department one of the best of the Fair.

Mrs. H. D. Driskill, who has charge of the Antique Department, would like very much to have everyone in the County that has an antique of any kind to bring it to the Fair and put it on exhibition.

There is a great deal of interest manifested in the Textile Department. Mrs. Fred Hart states that those who have articles in her Department can rest assured that these articles will be closely guarded and they need not feel any uneasiness as to their safety.

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THE TOURING WEBBS ON HALLOWED GROUND

Columbus, Ohio, 8-17-'95.

After writing you from Washington, D. C., we visited the White House, the Capitol, the Congressional Library, the Museum, Arlington Cemetery, Mount Vernon, Washington Monument, and had a six mile drive up Sixteenth Street, where most of the Foreign Legations and many of the finest homes in the city are located.

At the Capitol we visited the Senate Chamber and located the desks of Senators Sheppard and Mayfield, also that occupied by former Senator Culberson, during most of his long service there; also the President's office, the Supreme Court Room, Statuary Hall, Representative Hall, and the magnificent Capitol Corridors, with their beautiful paintings and decorations.

At Arlington we saw the grave of the Unknown Soldier and also that of William Jennings Bryan, so well known as a Soldier of the Cross and champion of the rights and liberties of the peoples of America and the world.

Mount Vernon is very much as it was when I visited there twenty-one years ago, and as it was over a century and a half ago, when Father George and Mother Martha, presided over its destinies.

The tomb, with both caskets in full view, the mansion, with its Sev. eenth Century furnishings and stately columns and east porches, facing the Potomac River, giving the finest view, both up and down that stream I have ever seen anywhere; the family coach, the flower garden, the negro quarters, are all there, and the spacious grounds and well-kept lawns make up a picture and country scene never to be forgotten by a loyal American citizen.

Leaving Washington we visited Harper's Ferry, its historic battlefield, where Stonewall Jackson captured 12,500 Yanks with 6,000 Johnny Rebs, and where "John Brown's" body lies mouldering in the grave, as we go marching on!

From Harper's Ferry we next visited Sharpsburg and the battle-fields of Antietam and Gettysburg. At the latter we drove across the ground where Pickett made his famous charge and lost 12,000 out of 18,000 men; also the famous Round Top Hill, which the Johnnies tried so valiantly to capture and failed with heavy losses; also the "Devil's Den," where, sheltered behind huge boulders, the Confederate sharpshooters did their deadly work, and the spring where the soldiers from both armies met under flags of truce to slake their thirst, crack jokes, swap tobacco for coffee, &c., then return to the lines of battle and resume the task of murdering each other. Such is war!

From Gettysburg we came West across the ranges of the Appalachian Mountains and, believe me, they are some high hills, and made our faithful Dodge Special puff steam and blow hot water to almost a finish.

For one hundred miles we had these mountain ranges and smaller hills. We thought we had the best and safest and most experienced chauffeur in all Texas, and, maybe he is; but he made our hair stand up and turn whiter and whiter several times.

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THE FAIR OF PREPARATIONS

Prizes To Be Awarded

Manner And Conditions Agricultural Prizes

The following is a list of prizes to be awarded at coming Third Annual County Fair:

Livestock Department:
 Herefords
 Best Bull, any age \$7.50
 Jersey
 Best Cow or Heifer 5.00
 Holstein
 Best Cow or Heifer 5.00
 Polled Angus
 Best Bull, any age 7.50
 Poland-Chi
 Best Boar, any age 7.50
 Best Sow, any age 5.00
 Duroc-Jersey
 Best Boar, any age 7.50
 Best Sow, any age 5.00

Goats
 Best Buck one year old and over 4.50
 Best Doe, one year old and over 3.00
 Best Buck Kid, under one year 3.00
 Best Doe, under one year 3.00

Poultry Department:
 Best Grand Champion Cock, any breed 3.00
 Barred Plymouth
 Best Cock 1.50
 "Pen" 1.50
 "Bens" 1.50
 White Plymouth 1.50
 Same

Rhode Island Red
 Brown Leghorns, Same
 Brown Leghorns 1.50
 Same
 White Leghorns Same
 Buff Leghorns Same
 White Wyandott Same
 Silver Laced Wyand Same
 Cornish Game Same
 Roundhead Game Same

Buff Orpingtons, 1
 Black Minorcas, 1
 Mixed Anconas, 1
 Turkeys, any variety 1.50
 Best Hen 1.50
 Best pair 1.50
 Ducks, any variety 1.50
 Best pair 1.50
 Geese, any variety 1.50
 Best pair 1.50

Best Individual Farm First Prize, \$50.00; Second 20.00.

Agriculture, Class 1
 Prizes of \$1.00 for the first for the second and a Ribb third best peck of Wines oats, peck of barley, 10 best fir, 10 heads of maize, 10 b cobs, 30 ears of corn, 6 es on stalk, bundle of Sorgh of Sudan, bundle of Millet stalks of Cotton.

Class No. 1:
 Prizes of 1.00 for the first for the second and a Ribb third best peck of Yams, g ions, six Beets, 12 Carrots ions, 3 Egg Plants, 3 Keri ges Watermelon, best th joupes best 12 Sweet Pepp

Class No. 3:
 Best Individual Display Ten Dollars; One Dollar Fifty Cents for second and for Third for best plate of more, best plate of Fines of Peas, best plate of Pei plate Grapes 5 bunches.

Culinary Department
 Best display canned fruits, single jar canned fru
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 "ables.....
 "single jar canned vege
 "tables.....
 "display of preserves...
 "single jar of jellies...
 "display of jellies...
 "single glass of jelly..

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