

The Baird Star

Our Motto—"Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Git-Up-and-Get That Makes Men Great."

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DR. JENKINS OPENS BAPTIST MEETING HERE



MILLARD A. JENKINS
Evangelist of wide Experience

The Pastor, Officers and members of the First Baptist Church of Baird, cordially invite their friends and fellow-citizens to attend and enjoy the meeting now in progress, being conducted by Millard A. Jenkins, of Abilene. Dr. Jenkins is one of the South's greatest preachers, an earnest and scholarly student of the Scriptures, and successful winner of souls. He has traveled widely, covering forty-two states, twenty nations and has crossed the Atlantic ten times.

He has held such pastorates as Tattall Square, the Church on the Campus of Mercer University, Macon, Ga.; First Church, Hopkinsville, Ky., where his church led the state in missionary offerings; First Baptist Church, Athens, Ga., seat of State University; 22nd and Walnut Street, great people's Church of Louisville, Ky. For thirteen years he has been at Abilene where he has built up the largest Church of any denomination between Fort Worth and Los Angeles, with between 3000 and 4000 members. His Church is now constructing a Sunday School building with a capacity for a school of 3000. His Sunday School ranks fourth in the South, and his Sunday School Workers Meeting which meets every Wednesday evening is the largest in the world.

His evangelistic work has taken him to many states and cities, including New York City where he has conducted nine evangelistic campaigns at the Historic Tent Evangel, five of which when the father of Gov. Charles Evan Hughes was President of Tent Evangel Association. He is one of the four men of his city to belist ed in "Who's Who in America," but he is just an old-fashioned gospel preacher. Dr. Jenkins has been at Abilene nearly fourteen years. He declined a call a year ago to one of the great rich Churches of America at a salary of \$10,000,000. When asked why he did it, he remarked, with a merry twinkle in his eye: "I wanted to lick the fellow who says preachers are preaching for money."

Of interest are the great gospel subjects being discussed by Dr. Jenkins in these services, some of which are as follows: "The Seven Wonders of God's Love"; "The Devil, who He is, where He is, and what He is Doing"; "To What Are You Anchoring Your Soul?"; "At The Foot of The Soul's Rainbow"; "The Soul After Death, Where It Is, and what It is Doing"; "Paying The Fare On The Devil's Tournpipe"; "Running A Race With The Four Horses of Revelation"; "The Rock of Ages, and The Age of Rocks."

Friday night is Young People's night Students of the Baird Schools will be special guests and will be given special recognition. Dr. Jenkins is known as a young people's pastor, hundreds of young people attending his services in his own Church every Sunday. When he announced at the High School that he would preach live baseball sermons Friday night, the large majority of the students indicated that they would be present.

The meeting is announced to continue through next week.

Miss Annie V. Foy left Tuesday morning for Fort Worth to visit her sister, Mrs. Frank Austin, Jr., who is ill with the flu.

A Close Race

By Albert T Reid



DATE SET FOR C. OF C. BANQUET

The Annual Banquet of the Chamber of Commerce will be held January 31st, at 7:45 at the Chamber of Commerce building. According to Bob Nerrell, Chairman of the committee, a splendid luncheon will be served and a very interesting program has been arranged. Plans are being worked out to invite representatives from every business house in town and a number of out of town guests will be present. Owing to the lack of space in the building where the meeting will be held it was necessary to call off the usual ladies night feature of the banquet. The speakers for the occasion will be out of town guests and perhaps only one local man will talk at this meeting. The committee is making arrangements to feed one hundred and twenty-five people and is making every effort to make this the best annual meeting ever held.

Four T & P Trains Change Time Here

Changes of schedule, affecting departure of Texas and Pacific trains from Baird from last Sunday on, have been announced by W. O. Fraser, local ticket agent.

Sunshine Special train, No. 1, now leaves Baird at 6:10 p. m., and arrives in El Paso at 9 a. m.

No. 3 to Big Spring leaves Baird at 3:20 p. m., arriving at Big Spring at 7:45 p. m.

No. 4 leaves Baird at 1:35 p. m. and reaches Fort Worth at 6:35 p. m.

"The Texan," No. 16, departs at 9:25 a. m. and arrives in Fort Worth at 1:20 p. m., Dallas at 2:25 p. m., and St. Louis at 8:20 a. m. the following day.

J. B. HESLEP DIES AT PUTNAM

J. B. Heslep, age about 30 years died suddenly at his home in Putnam Saturday night. Burial was made in the Putnam cemetery Sunday afternoon. Deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heslep, of Fort Worth and a grand-son of Mrs. Rudder of Baird. He is also survived by his wife and several small children.

Mrs. Rudder and daughters, Mrs. Chas. Conway and Mrs. Etta Styles attended the funeral.

Mrs. A. F. Wright, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Johnson for the past several weeks, left Monday for her home in Denver, Colo. She will visit in Kansas City, a few days enroute home.

CHICK HATCHERY OPENS MONDAY

The Baird Chick Hatchery will start operation for Spring hatching Monday and have notified poultry raisers to reserve trays in advance, owing to the demands during the early season. This is a 12,000 egg hatchery and operates at full capacity during the entire season. The Hatchery was organized into a company a few years ago and has paid the stockholders big dividends every year that it has been in operation. The poultry industry in this territory has increased very rapidly the past few years and many private incubators have been put in. This county is especially adapted to poultry raising and thousands of dollars were received from turkeys this season, which were shipped to northern markets through local dealers.

"Old Rip" Is Dead After Years Liberty

EASTLAND, Jan. 19.—Poor "Rip" is dead. The horned toad who is reputed to have spent 31 years in the cornerstone of the Eastland court house without food or water or air and survived could not survive a year of freedom and his dead body was found today.

Rip has spent the past year in a glass bowl partly filled with earth. He was apparently lured from his protective covering by the bright sunshine and failing to return to his warm earth when it turned colder he was killed.

The frog was deliberately placed in the cornerstone of the court house when it was built 32 years ago, according to statements here. When the building was razed last year preparatory to building another one old Rip was found alive, having spent the long period of time apparently without food, water or air.—Cisco News.

REV. JOE BOYD TO PREACH AT PUTNAM JAN. 30.

Rev. Joe Boyd, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Albany, will preach at the Methodist church at Putnam, Wednesday night, Jan. 30th. Every body invited to come.

J. B. Baker, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Re. Willis P. Gerhart, of Abilene, will hold services at the Episcopal Church next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend the service.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Howell, January 21, 1929, a girl.

A-P GROCERY COMING TO BAIRD

Mr. B. L. Boydston has leased his building formerly used for a grocery store to the A-P people and we learn they will open up their place of business about February 1st. A new floor and other repairs has been made in the building.

CALLAHAN CO. WOLF CLUB SUCCESSFUL

The Callahan County Wolf Club has been very successful in its operation during the past year and according to A. M. Cooper, County Agent and Secretary of the Club, 343 wolves and 24 wildcats have been exterminated since the Club was organized last April. By the volunteer contributions of one cent per acre from the land owners and those controlling land in this county, funds are provided for the payment of bounties.

One of the rules of the club is that members only shall be entitled to collect the bounties and a small membership fee is charged to those who do not own land but desire to become a member of the organization. A bounty of \$7.50 for female wolves; \$5.00 for males and \$2.50 for cubs are paid. It has cost the club on an average of \$4.25 per wolf to date, which is considered a very cheap price for the eradication of these animals. The work accomplished has saved the stockmen and poultrymen of this county many thousands of dollars.

At present it is necessary to raise more funds as the contributions do not come in until April and the Club has a few scalps on hand to be paid for. It is the duty of every land owner or renter who is interested in raising cattle, sheep or poultry to cheerfully support the organization, as the wolves are caught much cheaper than where government trappers are employed and enables those who are interested to get the benefit of the money paid for bounties.

COOKED FOOD SALE

The A. D. Sunday School Class will give a cooked food sale at the B. L. Boydston Dry Goods Store on Saturday, January 26th—all day—pies, cakes and candies.

Claude Flores visited his sister, Mrs. Claude Benham, at Cisco yesterday.

TOTAL DEPOSITS OF ALL BANKS IN CALLAHAN COUNTY DEC. 31, 1928—\$2,978,086.10—\$1,552,033.40 OF THIS AMOUNT IN BAIRD BANKS

First National Bank of Baird Leads All Banks of County—First State Bank of Baird Has Gained \$100,000.00 In Last Six Months

December 31, 1928:	
Farmers State Bank, Putnam, Texas, Deposits	\$ 218,995.89
First State Bank, Cross Plains, Texas, Deposits	\$ 435,632.37
Farmers National Bank, Cross Plains, Texas, Deposits	\$ 382,349.17
Clyde National Bank, Clyde, Texas, Deposits	\$ 192,487.70
First State Bank, Clyde, Texas, Deposits	\$ 196,587.57
First National Bank, Baird, Texas, Deposits	\$1,133,190.35
First State Bank, Baird, Texas, Deposits	\$ 418,843.05
Total Deposits of all banks in Callahan County	
December 31, 1928	\$2,978,086.10
December 31, 1927:	
Farmers State Bank, Putnam, Texas, Deposits	\$254,406.64
First State Bank, Cross Plains, Texas, Deposits	\$456,586.15
Farmers National Bank, Cross Plains, Texas, Deposits	\$440,304.13
Clyde National Bank, Clyde, Texas, Deposits	\$239,780.00
First State Bank, Clyde, Texas, Deposits	\$214,736.78
First National Bank, Baird, Texas, Deposits	\$985,989.24
First State Bank, Baird, Texas, Deposits	\$425,158.83
Total Deposits of all banks in Callahan County	
December 31, 1927	\$3,016,961.77

WORK STARTED ON NEW COURT HOUSE FRIDAY

The assembling of material and equipment to be used in the construction of Callahan County's new courthouse started the first of last week and the ground was broken Friday. The actual excavation started, in preparation to the construction of the building. This building will be three stories and a basement and will be located in the center of the court yard which will be immediately north of the present building. It is to be built of light face brick and reinforced concrete, terra cotta trim and steam heated. The size of the building will be 62 by 115 feet. Voelcker & Dixon, of Wichita Falls, Texas are the architects. Suggs & Dunlap of Abilene, contractors.

Judge Ely Named For Six Year Term on Highway Body

Governor Dan Moody has appointed Judge W. R. Ely of Abilene to a new term of six years as a member of the state highway commission. Judge Ely has just finished serving a two-year term.

Appointment of Judge Walter E. Shapman, Abilene, of the 104th judicial district, to be presiding officer of the seventh administrative district in charge of transfers of judges to expedite court business, has also been sent to the senate for confirmation. Judge Chapman will succeed Judge W. O. Woodward of Coleman, who retired Jan. 1 as presiding judge of the seventh administrative district.

K. K. K. ENTERTAINED AT THE HOME OF MISS ANNESE REYNOLDS

Misses Avanelle Pratt and Annesse Reynolds were hostess at a social and business meeting of the K. K. K. Club held at the Reynolds home on Friday evening, January 11th. Following the business session a delicious plate of refreshments was served to the guests. Miss Dorothy Nummy will entertain the club at the next meeting.

Fred Heyser and his mother, Mrs. John Heyser, of Atwell, were the guests of Mrs. Heyser's sister, Mrs. J. E. Gilliland, Tuesday.

CALLAHAN CO. OIL NEWS

BY CLAUDE FLORES

BAIRD SHALLOW FIELD, Jan. 23, 1929. Moutray Ool Company, Ace Hickman No. 35, drilling around 745 feet—500 acre lease, sec. 146, BBB & C.

L. A. Warren, Rod Kelton No. 1, drilling at 440 feet, in 40 acre lease in South-west corner of the old John D. Merchant survey, just out side of the Belle Plaine town site, north-east corner.

L. A. Warren, South Hearn Estate, No. 5, setting up pump, location south west 50 acre lease, section 129.

MILLIONAIRES IN U. S. GROWING
Millionaires have increased from 7,000 in 1914 to between 30,000 and 40,000 in 1918, according to Carl Snyder of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York and the American Statistical Association.

STREET ACCIDENTS
The cost of street and highway accidents in the United States represents an economic loss of about \$2,000,000,000 daily, according to statistics reported to the Chicago Motor Club, the first of the new year.

DINNER PARTY

Claude Flores was host Sunday, January 20th to a large number of friends for dinner and supper at the old Flores home in Belle Plaine. All was served at one setting at four tables decorated with red carations and ferns in crystal vases. A seven course turkey dinner was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benham; Mr. and Mrs. John Moyer; Mrs. Albert Willig, of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cuthrell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Renaud and son, Charles Benham Renaud and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Renaud and Ester Louise Renaud, Mrs. Jessie Stern, Mr. Leo Horton, Mr. Tige Thompson, of Abilene. Mr. Newt Benham, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Howton Benham, Crystal Fall; Misses Billie and Curlie Seale, Mrs. Willie Fores Barnhill, Miss Dorothy Barnhill, L. G. Barnhill, Rob Barnhill and Mr. Roy Hamby, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flores and sons, Jack, Jr., and Pierce Flores of Baird.

Brooks Dry Goods Moved to Cooke Bldg.

Brooks Dry Goods Company have moved their stock of dry goods to the E. Cooke Building, occupying the south side of the building.

SCHEDULE CHANGE

Effective Sunday, January 20th



- No 1. will leave Baird 6:15 p. m. instead 6:45 arriving El Paso 9:00 a. m.
- No. 3 will leave Baird 3:25 p. m. instead of 3:10 p.m.
- No. 4. will leave Baird 1:35 p. m. instead of 2:00 p. m.
- No. 16. will leave Baird 9:35 a. m. instead of 9:15 a. m.

For Particulars Consult
W. O. FRASER
Ticket Agent

NEW SPRING SHOES

HAVE JUST RECEIVED a large shipment of shoes in the new spring styles. We have pumps, straps and ties in French Bege, Champagne, Satin and Patent. We have a nice line of Ladies Shoes in Patent Pumps, Ties and Straps with new trims for \$3.25 to \$4.50. The price sounds cheap, but these shoes are the famous Peters, all leather shoes and carry the usual warranty of quality. If you will try our shoes—you will be convinced that there is something in the name back of the shoe.

We also received a line of Men's and Boys Oxfords and the price on the Men's shoes range from \$3.25 to \$4.75. Also Men's Work Shoes from \$1.98 up, and every pair is guaranteed to be made of solid leather—that is leather counters and leather innersoles.

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BAIRD, TEXAS

CITATION BY PUBLICATION ON APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

No. 911
The State of Texas*
To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Callahan County, Texas Greeting,—
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published, once a week for Ten days, exclusive of the first day of publication, before the return day hereof, in some Newspaper of general circulation published in said County, which has been continuously and regularly published in said County, for a period of not less than one year, the following notice:

The State of Texas,
To all Persons Interested in the Welfare of W. B. Shirley, a Person of Unsound Mind:

You are hereby notified that Mrs. Lee Shirley has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the person and estate of said W. B. Shirley, a Person of Unsound Mind, which will be heard at the next regular term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in February, A. D. 1929, the same being the 4th day of February, A. D. 1929, at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of the said W. B. Shirley, a Person of Unsound Mind, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness S. E. Settle, Clerk of the County Court of Callahan County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at Office in Baird, Texas, this the 17th day of January, A. D. 1929.

S. E. Settle Clerk County Court, of Callahan County, Texas, 7-3t.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas
County of Callahan,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain order of sale and execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Callahan County, on the 9th day of January 1929, by Mrs. Callie Marshall Clerk of said District Court for sum of Two Hundred Fifty and no-100 (\$250.00) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Mrs. Nina P. Orrell placed in my hands for service, I, Everett Hughes as Sheriff of Callahan County, Texas, did, on the 9th day of January 1929, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Callahan County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: on his undivided half interest in and to 90 1/2 acres of land situated in Callahan County, Texas, out of Comal County School Land Survey, and being the North Half of Block No. 97, fully described in deed from J. L. Baum and wife to A. W. Orrell, Dec. 17th, 1917, and recorded in deed records of said County in Vol. 59, page 208, here referred to and made a part hereof, and levied upon as the property of A. W. Orrell and that on the first Tuesday in February 1929, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Callahan County, in the City of Baird, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale and execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said A. W. Orrell.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Baird Star, a newspaper published in Callahan County.

Witness my hand, this 14th day of

January 1929

Everett Hughes,
6-3t. Sheriff, Callahan Co., Texas.

PLAN RADIO BEACONS FOR 5 ARMY FIELDS

Aerial Guides Lessen Bad Weather Dangers.

Washington.—The Army Air Corps within the next few months is to install radio-beacon stations at Mitchell Field, L. I., and at its fields in San Francisco, San Antonio, Uniontown, Pa., Dayton, Ohio, and here. At present it has beacons only at Panama and Hawaii.

This was announced by F. Trabee Davison, assistant secretary of war for air, following his return from an inspection trip of Army Air Corps activities at Dayton and other points in the West. He also told of progress being made with other devices for the safety of flying.

"The six beacons," he said, "will provide several combinations of airways that will be undisturbed by clouds and proof against fog. The beam of the radio beacon can, like a searchlight, be thrown in any direction and can be made in lengths that vary from less than 100 to nearly 2,000 miles.

Flier Is Guided by Letters.
"The radio beacon sends three signals which run parallel to each other, like fingers extended from a hand. When the pilot is on his exact course he hears the letter 'T.' If he swings to the right or left it changes to 'N' or 'A.' In other words, if the weather is such that he cannot see, the pilot flies by ear.

"Any plane equipped with a radio set can hear the signals. The pilot need not even be an expert, because the code, once heard, is easily remembered. On my visit to Dayton, I flew on the radio beacon and the steady 'T' buzz-z-z was easily recognized from the other signals.

"Army Air Corps engineers are doing all they can to lessen the handicaps of pilots who fly in bad weather. Two important experiments in that connection are the new landing altimeter and a system of leader cables. The new altimeter differs from the old-time instrument in that it gives the exact distance between a plane and ground objects.

"The value of this new height recording device becomes apparent when one considers the fix in which pilots have found themselves when flying, or in trying to land in fog or at night. It must be remembered that the old-time altimeter works by atmospheric pressure. Its zero is at sea-level, but a pilot who flies 1,000 feet above that level actually may have only fifty-foot clearance between himself and tree tops in high and rolling country.

"The value of the capacity altimeter is that it tells the pilot exactly how far he is above ground objects. Lift one of these new instruments above a desk and it records exactly the height at which it is held suspended. This instrument is still highly experimental, but I believe that it points in the right direction toward defeating fog—the arch enemy of aviation.

Reduces Landing Perils.

"Experiments also are being conducted with the 'leader' cable, a device designed to reduce dangers in bad weather landings. It has been used in Europe and it is now being tested by Army Air Corps engineers. The leader cable is a series of wires that radiate from the center of the airport like spokes from a wheel. Each cable or spoke sends, at various intervals, signals informing the pilot who is about to make a landing how to govern his descent and even tells him when to put his wheels on the ground."

Mr. Davison expressed satisfaction with the results of his inspection trip, which covered several mid- and northwestern states, and included visits to a number of regular Army Air Corps stations, as well as fields used by National Guard and Army Air Corps reserve aviators.

"Another feature that impressed me deeply is the progress made toward improving housing conditions for Army Air Corps pilots and enlisted personnel. Old quarters that were hardly fit to be occupied by human beings are giving way to modern and comfortable buildings, although there is still a long way to go."

As a result of his trip, which was made by air and which covered more than 4,000 miles, Mr. Davison plans to have all army pilots participate in a nation-wide drive to urge localities to mark the roofs of buildings so that they may be identified from the air.

Of Course
In a plea for more careful use of English, Professor Jordan said:

"A great many American expressions are directly contrary to what we really mean, and the real reason why the English are sometimes so perplexed when an American tries to say something. The story of how we say 'lookout' when we mean 'look in,' is a sample.

"The other day, on the beach, I heard a young girl ask: 'If I were drowning, would you help me?'"

"No," said the young man, evidently an Englishman, 'I'd endeavor to prevent you.'"

FRENCH DEED PLOT FOR YANK'S GRAVE

Village Where Hero Died Ends Controversy.

Washington.—Through the gift of the French village of Moyennoutier of the ground occupied by the grave of Lieut. Thomas R. Plummer of New Bedford, Mass., a controversy of ten years comes to an end.

Unlike most American families whose sons fell in France, the Plummers strongly desired that Lieutenant Plummer's body be left in the little French cemetery where it was buried two days before the armistice was signed and a few days before the Croix de Guerre awarded him by the French government was received.

This caused the unwinding of much red tape. Lieutenant Plummer, although fifty years of age when the war broke out, enlisted in the American Red Cross and was assigned to the French village of Moyennoutier, just behind the French lines. There he did such valiant work that he was beloved by the entire population of the village. They buried him with highest honors in their own village cemetery. His death was the result of unselfish devotion to sick and wounded French soldiers.

When the work of removing American soldiers' bodies to government cemeteries in this country and France began Lieutenant Plummer's grave was one of the few isolated ones marked "Do not disturb."

The government could not leave soldier's bodies without definite title to the land or without assurance that graves would be properly cared for, however.

After much interchange of correspondence between the town council of Moyennoutier, the cemetery division of the quartermaster corps of the United States army and the family of Lieutenant Plummer, the problem was solved with receipt of the title to the ground occupied by the grave.

65-Mile View Unfolds to Plane Passengers

Washington.—Airplane passengers who get "a bird's-eye view" of the country as they fly from city to city really get more than a real bird's-eye view.

Passengers in the air liner flying at a height of 2,500 feet, an average altitude for safe flying of big planes, see the horizon 65 miles distant on a clear day and have an area of 7,000 square miles within their vision.

Within an angle of 45 degrees straight down, air passengers with fair vision can survey an area of about 10,000,000 square feet.

Traveling at the usual mail-passenger plane speed of 100 miles an hour, the aerial traveler has less than a minute to decipher signs which have an area of 500 to 2,000 square feet.

The billboard promoters of the future will have to provide giant letters on the roofs of buildings if they expect to "hide America behind the nation's billboards." A six-foot letter is legible at 5,000 feet and a 15-foot letter at 13,000 feet.

"Old Timer" Found Who Was Not With Custer

Arrowhead Springs, Calif.—Although there may be no appreciable diminishing in the number of picturesque old claimants to being the "sole white survivor of the Custer massacre," there is at least one prominent figure of frontier days whose bid for fame includes the boast he was not with Custer.

"Old Bill" Bachtell, veteran of the Confederate army at Antietam and Gettysburg, explains further that his longevity is due, not to the years he has spent in the open air, but to the fact that he deserted the Custer command.

"I came West for excitement," Bachtell relates, "and joined Custer, but everything was so quiet that one night I packed my horse and left. Just a week later Sitting Bull and his warriors wiped out the entire command." Born in Virginia, "Old Bill" after the Civil war prospected for oil with Grand Duke Alexis, uncle of the late czar; rode with "Buffalo Bill" Cody, and hunted gold with Collis P. Huntington.

Sense of Humor Intact

Orange, N. J.—Sidney M. Colgate, soap magnate, is in a hospital with a leg fracture and his sense of humor. He sent his friends cards bearing a picture of a rocking horse and rider and the words: "A horse is a vain thing for safety." Mr. Colgate was thrown from his mount two months ago.

"Creeping" Driver Free for Lack of Law

New York.—For the first time in the history of the New York Traffic court, a motorist was brought before the magistrate on a charge of driving his car too slowly. The automobilist is Morimer N. Perkerin, who, Patrolman Quinn of traffic court, was driving so slowly that his car was an obstruction to traffic.

Although Magistrate Roman invokes the law against speeding every day, he searched in vain for a statute covering a "creeping" case, and finally ordered Perkerin:

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Thursday, January 31
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NEW YORK'S BIGGEST MUSICAL COMEDY SUCCESS!!
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The International Musical Comedy Success

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Lions Dining Room
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Baird Texas

GREAT CLEMENCEAU LEADS LONELY LIFE

Visitors Are Ghosts of Dead Whom He Loved.

Paris.—Georges Clemenceau, who has wrecked many cabinets but won the country's gratitude in the war, is bitterly conscious of a great loneliness in the evening of his life.

When his sister died recently, friends gathered at his Paris home and one of them asked:

"How many 'official' visits do you receive? How many ministers, how many marshals call on you?"

The Tiger began, in what all thought an evasive way:

"I sleep little; old men sleep little. Often at two or three o'clock in the morning I awake. I would be bored in bed, awake, so I get up. I come out here, with difficulty, for sometimes my legs go back on me, and here, in the silence, I talk with the dead—"

"It is during those night hours," went on the aged man who so often governed France, "alone with ghosts, dear ghosts, that I have written my memories of Claude Monet. Ah! There come many of the dead, at night, into this room."

"That is my destiny. I see them go, one after another, those I love, all of them."

Then, facing the one who was so anxious to know who remembered him, the Tiger snapped out:

"I am alone, monsieur, alone."

Russians Clamp Lid on Old-Time Music

Washington, D. C.—The thoroughness with which Soviet Russia is attempting to supplant utterly every part of the old order which existed before the revolution is unlimited according to the reports brought back by travelers who have been investigating the Bolshevik experiment. It is the fixed intent of the Soviet leaders to remake Russia so completely as to leave not a memory of the old days of the czar and the nobility, or, at least, not a pleasant memory. Knowing that intangible as well as tangible things have a direct bearing upon the thoughts and aspirations of a people, the Russian officials have gone so far as to censor music and to encourage a whole new school of music.

Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun, a Scotch philosopher, is the author of the famous observation: "Let me write the songs of a nation and I care not who makes the laws." The Soviet leaders apparently have every confidence in that statement and have effected a complete revolution in music in the last decade, just as they have changed the social order, remade the government, altered all practice concerning property ownership and generally set up a new Russia.

With as much care as was devoted to the dissemination of propaganda of a political and economic nature, the Soviet government created a special department charged with the revolutionizing of music.

Suitor Chains Girl to Bed Post for 3 Weeks

New York.—For three weeks, forty-year-old William E. Miles, senior, held his fifteen-year-old bride-to-be in captivity, chaining her nude body to a bedpost so no more youthful suitor could carry her off and marry her before her elderly admirer could save up for honeymoon expenses, it was revealed.

Mrs. Sophia Sader, landlady of a rooming house, heard groans emanating from the room and told her husband, who called the police to liberate the girl. She, however, told them to mind their own business and get out, asserting her sweetie could make her a prisoner if he wanted to and in any fashion he chose.

Next day the girl left her trunk with the Saders as security for two weeks' back room rent and with the money Miles might have had to pay out for that item they tripped to the city hall where a marriage ceremony was performed.

Gets \$12,500 a Barrel for Bottled Crude Oil

Oklahoma City, Okla.—The market price for the grade of oil produced by Oklahoma City's discovery gusher is around \$1.06 a barrel, but one promoter is selling a barrel of it for \$12,500.

He gets 25 cents for a dram bottle of the oil attached to a postcard. There are 51,200 drams to a barrel, assuring him a net profit of \$12,500, at least, if he disposes of every dram.

The bottles are bought for souvenirs and for gifts to be sent to other parts of the country.

High Cost of Wives Is Worrying Chinese Men

Shanghai.—Chinese business men whose importance is rated according to the number of wives are protesting against the increased price of helpmates. Since Nanking was made the capital and Nationalist officials spent so much time in Shanghai, the price of a good wife had risen alarmingly. Lower class Chinese still can obtain young girls for as low as \$100, Shanghai currency.

SEEKS QUIET AFTER TEMPESTUOUS LIFE

"Black Hawk" Settles Down in Gas Station.

Alpena, Mich.—Familiarly known as "Black Hawk," "The Poet Ranger" and "Doc," George H. Connor, sixty-one years old, wanderer and adventurer, has found security from the dangers of a tempestuous career at a little gas station, called by him "Ranger's Rest," which he operates on U. S. Highway 23, a few miles north of Alpena. He got the title of Black Hawk through having been adopted by a roving Indian tribe in Mexico in 1881.

"Doc" has been a ranger, practicing physician, chiropractor, lumberjack, bricklayer, railroader, tool and die maker, contractor and entertainer. He is a prolific writer of poetry which he signs with the sobriquet, "Black Hawk."

Life of Adventurer.
Connor has led a life of action and adventure. He lived in Texas, Arizona and Mexico in the early '80s when those sections were spots which attracted the adventurer and the outlaw. He has been shot three times and stabbed twice and has had 21 bones broken. He is a musician of considerable ability, playing the guitar to the accompaniment of verse which he writes himself.

Connor is a picturesque character. Scores of tourists passing his Ranger's Rest stopped daily during the height of the tourist season, attracted by his appearance and held as interested auditors by his ability as a conversationalist. He wears always the western sombrero and other clothing affected by the plains ranger. His mustache and goatee add to his personality.

Connor was born in West Bay City, son of J. B. Connor, lumberman. He ran away from home when nine years of age and obtained employment in the lumber camps of Michigan, peeling spuds and doing chores. Later he drove a tote team and then was graduated into the realm of a full-fledged lumberjack.

Doc went to Texas in 1881 and remained in that state, Arizona and Mexico for four years. While there he had many thrilling experiences and adventures. He returned to Michigan and re-embarked in the occupation of river driver. He worked in the vicinity of the Au Sable river for years, but also did lumbering on the Rife and Ocqueoc.

Almost Killed.

Connor said that while he carried on flirtations with peril in the Southwest, one of the closest calls with death was while employed in Au-Sable, April 13, 1885, repairing a giant Gram mill burner. This burner was 80 feet high with a 20-foot neck at the top, giving it a bottle shape. The burner suddenly collapsed while Connor was working on the fourth scaffold. Seventy thousand bricks rained down upon him and the five other workmen on the job. Four were instantly killed. One died from the effects of being buried under 137 tons of debris. Connor was the only one who survived and was released only after having been imprisoned under tons of bricks for five and one-half hours. "The agony which I suffered—buried alive—cannot be described," "Doc" says in telling of his experience.

Subsequently he worked in Detroit where he went to night school at Detroit college. He qualified as a doctor of medicine and practiced six years in Detroit. He also followed the profession of chiropractor for one year in Canada. The prosaic character of his profession and the demands it made upon him were too severe and he quit practicing.

North China to Punish Bribery With Beheading

Peking.—"Off with their heads" is the order issued by the Chinese provincial government for officials who are caught taking bribes of more than \$500 gold. The order has been sent out to all magistrates.

Capital punishment for corrupt officials is a new regulation in China, where officials have regarded "squeeze" as a part of their jobs for centuries. Some of the most notable officials in the past have been most notorious for stealing public funds.

But the Nationalists declare they intend to discourage this practice and will make an example of the first officials in north China who are caught. It has been rumored that Nationalist officials have stolen large portions of the public funds, following age-old precedent.

Stone Age People Made Toys to Amuse Children

Stockholm.—Whether or not there was a Santa Claus in the Stone Age primitive people provided toys for the amusement of their little ones. Ivar Schnell, archeologist of the state historical museum, has found miniature stone objects, clearly meant as playthings for children. One of these was a tiny but well-made stone ax 2.5 centimeters in length, evidently fashioned by some fond Stone Age daddy for his little boy to play with.

Fair Exchange.

Pittsburgh.—J. S. Treese, who has made money in oil, is giving a peach orchard to the school for boys at Warrendale. In return he is getting an elm, weighing forty tons, which will cost him \$5,000 to move to his estate.

WIFE AND EX-WIFE SHARE HAPPY HOME

Both Mother Child in Strange Kansas Family.

Wichita, Kan.—George Dooley of Wichita is the head of a peaceful household consisting of his wife, his former wife, and his five-year-old daughter, Katherine.

When Mrs. Daisy Dooley received her divorce from Dooley the court ruled Katherine should be in the custody of her mother three days out of each five, and with the father the remainder of the time. Dooley remarried, and now all live in the same house.

The two Mrs. Dooleys declare they are not in the least jealous of each other. Katherine receives the loving attentions of both her mother and her stepmother, who co-operated in giving her a merry Christmas day.

When asked which of her mothers she loved most, Katherine replied: "I love both of them. I love my mamma and I love Neva, and I love my daddy lots and lots."

Dooley, who is United States quarantine inspector for this district, said he was very happy over the success of his unusual arrangement.

"You know some people have funny ideas about marriage," he said. "They can't see how a scheme like this will work."

"For five months I was on the Chicago police force and both my present and ex-wife were with me. All of the boys used to wonder how I could manage it. Some declared 'I can't even get along with one woman, how can you live with two?' But I really am happy and so are they."

The present Mrs. Dooley (Neva) explained the situation this way:

"Last October I lost my only child, a little boy. Kitty is taking his place in my life and at the same time filling her mother's heart with joy."

Town Refuses to Move "Column With a Curse"

Augusta, Ga.—Sentiment which for 46 years has allowed "the column with a curse" to stand in the middle of a sidewalk, won out recently when a paving program made practicable the removal of the queer relic of a tornado's fury.

The column, once the pillar of the city market house, has stood at Broad and Center streets ever since a tornado hit Augusta in 1878. Old citizens say that an itinerant minister, claiming the gift of prophecy, predicted that the old market house would be destroyed the day after his sermon. He declared that but one of the big pillars supporting the market house would be left standing and declared that any attempt to move the pillar would be fatal; that the person who tried it would be struck by lightning.

As it happened, a tornado hit this town the next day and only one pillar of the market house was left standing. Some years ago city officials said the pillar would have to be destroyed to permit certain street repairs. A large number of workmen carried the pillar about 50 feet. There was an explosion and they dropped it. And today the pillar stands where the workmen dropped it when some practical joker exploded a firecracker.

Art Is Used by Pastor to Stress His Sermons

Springdale, Pa.—Rev. Charles W. Baker, Jr., pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran church here, illustrates his sermons with charts and sketches he has made himself. In Sunday school and church assemblies he gives chalk talks.

At the altar is a huge mural of Christ in the garden of Gethsemane, a copy of the Michelangelo mural in the Vatican, which the minister has painted. In his church and parsonage Mr. Baker has hung numerous other of his paintings and sketches.

While attending college and the Lutheran seminary at Gettysburg, Pa., Mr. Baker had an advertising sign shop which provided him with funds for his education.

Man Both Grandfather, Great-Grandfather in Day

Danville, N. Y.—Becoming a grandfather and great-grandfather in a day was the good fortune of C. E. Green of this village.

The grandson is Jacob Albert Green, son of George H. Green of New York city, while the great-granddaughter is Miss Barbara Jane McNeil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. McNeil of San Diego, Calif.

Child Pasteur Saved Became His Watchman

Paris.—The first child Pasteur succeeded in curing of hydrophobia in 1885 now is principal gatekeeper at the Pasteur Institute laboratories. He is Joseph Meister, an Alsatian.

Meister has grown older and stouter, but he is still known as Little Meister. "Le petit Meister," to every one at the institute. He keeps watch at the gate just opposite the building which houses the vault and last resting place of the great scientist who saved his life, the first of so many others.

BLISTERS IN EARTH TO ALTER ITS SHAPE

That Is What Noted Scientist Sees for Future.

New York.—The earth's crust probably is not "dead" and finished in shape, the American Association for the Advancement of Science was told by Dr. Bailey Willis of Stanford university.

Instead, even the stable bottom of the Atlantic ocean now may be heating up preparatory to causing land shifts. The theory is that scores of miles down in the rocks that form the skin of mother earth, great blisters form, as big as whole states, and that as they melt the rocks, the resulting uplifts make the earth's surface what it is, and whatever it may change to.

But there was nothing of possible human catastrophe in Doctor Willis' picture, for he spoke in the new time concept of science, his changes requiring millions of years. He named well known places where on the slow time scale such shifts actually now seem under way.

Great Plateaus of Granite.

Doctor Willis' address inaugurated the annual convention of the association. His subject was "The Origin and Development of Continents." He said all continents are great plateaus of granite, standing high above the sea bottoms, which are of basalt, a heavier rock.

"We know the kind of rock that underlies the sea," he said, "from seismographs. With aid of earthquakes we can sink our plummets more than half way to the center of the earth. We know the velocity at which shocks travel, the depths at which they pass through or around the earth, and the kind of rock they pass through."

"We know that the earth is enveloped about 2,000 miles thick with elastic rock, below which is a core about 2,000 miles in radius, apparently inelastic, very hard, probably iron, which may be melted."

The heat that causes blisters, he said, probably does not emanate from the earth's inner core.

"Compression by gravity," he added, "is capable of producing all the heat of which we have evidence. As rocks heat, the melting tends to extend laterally faster than upward, thus forming blisters—asthenoliths, we call them."

"Conditions favorable to formation of asthenoliths appear likely to develop in those layers thirty to six hundred miles below the earth's surface, and probably only those within less than one hundred miles of the surface directly affect it."

"A blister may grow several hundred miles across, and be ten to twenty miles deep, containing one or more million cubic miles. The cover eventually breaks around the margins, where eruptions follow, and finally the cover falls into the emptied center. Conditions thus theoretically sketched are features of the smaller depressions that are the deeps of the oceans. The Windward and Hawaiian Islands are examples of volcanic ridges surrounding such deeps."

Takes Years to Grow.

"A blister requires perhaps several million years to grow. A very large number of eruptions, a great many blisters and an enormous lapse of time must have been required to form Africa, Eurasia and the Americas in this way. The complex structure of each continent corresponds with the multiplicity of actions required by the theory."

Adobe Houses in Old Mine Town Yield Gold

Monterey, Mexico.—T. L. Crawford, a British mining engineer who has arrived here from Mazapil, an old mining town buried in the heart of the mountains, has found that slag from the smelters operated by Spaniards more than 200 years ago, and long abandoned, carries high values in gold.

Even the old adobe houses are rich in the precious metal, according to assays which he made recently. Some of these adobe blocks run as high as \$500 to the ton of gold, silver and copper. Mr. Crawford has interested a syndicate of mining men in the possibilities of smelting the slag and the adobe-built houses by modern methods.

School Runs Laboratory to Strengthen Pupils

Lebanon, Tenn.—A human laboratory for experiments designed to develop a stronger boy of preparatory school age is being conducted at the Castle Heights Military academy, located here in the Cumberland foothills.

Every student is required to take part in some branch of athletics. Only black bread is served the cadets. The school prepares its own flour, dairy dishes and vegetables and dietary measures are part of the school training.

City of 11,500 Guarded at Night by One Cop

Derby, Conn.—Because of an error in police department bookkeeping, this city of 11,500 inhabitants is being guarded at night by only one patrolman. Three men were dropped from the force by Chief Thomas Van Ethen when he discovered that through an unexpected shortage there would be only money enough to pay one night policeman for the rest of the fiscal year.

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ONE of the first things you will notice when you drive the new Ford is the quick, effective, silent action of its six-brake system.

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The four-wheel brakes are adjusted by turning a screw conveniently located on the outside of each brake plate. This screw is so notched that all four brakes can be set alike simply by listening to the "clicks."

The emergency or parking brakes on the new Ford require little attention. However, should they need adjustment at any time, consult your Ford dealer for prompt, courteous, and economical service. He works under close factory supervision and he has been specially trained and equipped to help you get the greatest possible use from your car over the longest period of time at a minimum of trouble and expense.



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In Memoriam

BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE PAID THE MEMORY OF W. E. GILLILAND, LATE EDITOR OF THE BAIRD STAR

We publish the following telegrams, and letters received by the family of Mr. W. E. Gilliland, late editor and founder of The Baird Star—also newspaper articles, because we believe the readers of The Star, as well as the many relatives and friends of the deceased will appreciate the beautiful tributes paid his memory.

TEXAS LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS IN MEMORY OF W. E. GILLILAND

The 40th Legislature now in session at Austin, paid a beautiful tribute to the memory of W. E. Gilliland Monday of last week in passing the following resolution and adjourning in memory of him that day:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, at an early hour on Monday Morning, January 14, 1929, the busy, efficient and eventful life of W. E. Gilliland came to its eventful close as peacefully as the golden dawn dispels the darkness; and,

WHEREAS, he served with honor and distinction in the House or Representatives of the Twenty-fourth Legislature, representing the 107 Legislative District of Texas, comprising the Counties of Callahan, Taylor, Jones and Shackelford, and for over forty years has wielded his facile pen and contributed unselfishly of his time and rare talents in the upbuilding and stabilization of our present political, social and moral structure; and,

WHEREAS, he was a gentleman by birth, breeding and education and had imbibed the splendid social and political traditions of his beloved Southland and has always reflected that loyalty and devotion from earliest manhood until the end; and,

WHEREAS, he gave freely his unreserved allegiance to the precepts and teachings of the Great Teacher, and early affiliated himself with the Methodist Episcopal Church South in which field he humbly bowed, worshipped and taught at the foot of that cross where he found peace with the lowliest as well as the loftiest of the Sons of man.

THEREFORE, we the signers of this resolution and others who are privileged to follow in his footsteps, request that this memorial be entered in the Journal of the House, and that the clerk forward a copy thereof to the widow and family of this splendid gentleman whose worthy memory it will serve to commemorate; and,

WHEREAS, the members of the Press of Texas who deemed it an honor and privilege to serve with Mr. Gilliland in their capacity in the field of Journalism, will miss him the same as the members of this House, and though unable to sign this resolution (for legal causes), they join in spirit, along with the members of the House in attesting the sterling character of Mr. Gilliland.

And be it further resolved that when the House adjourns today, it will be in memory of Mr. Gilliland.
W. S. BARRON
Speaker of the House
LOUISE SNOW PHENNEY
Chief Clerk of the House.

W. E. Gilliland, editor of the Baird Star for more than forty years and one of the best known newspaper men in Texas, died at his home in that city Monday morning, age 80 years. He was an old time printer and newspaper man, a forceful writer, who had opinions and never failed to express them. The fraternity, his town and county will miss him, and all sympathize with his bereaved ones.
—Grandbury News.

Uncle Billie Gilliland, the picturesque editor of the Baird Star died early Monday morning, after a long and eventful career. His type of character, his style of writing and his outspoken convictions are seldom seen in this age. He had decided opinions and never hesitated to express them, yet he yielded to the will of the majority.

Occasionally during the past twelve years it was our pleasure to visit Uncle Billie in his office. He was always friendly and courteous. A few times we were in need of favors which he gladly granted. He was neighborly and accommodating. We appreciate him for it.

May his memory be undimmed by the passing years.
Clyde Enterprise.

The News editor received a message Monday afternoon conveying the sad news of the death of an old friend, Col. W. E. Gilliland, at Baird. Col. Gilliland was editor of the Baird Star for over forty years, and was a typical westerner, big hearted and broad minded, though with unshakable convictions which he adhered to persistently. We had a long personal letter from him Christmas saying he was feeling much better following a serious illness of several years duration and expressing the belief that he was destined to live a good many years longer. He was over eighty years old, and had been an active man all his life, taking a lively interest in his community and state affairs, and wielding a wide influence for good. It is good to have known such a man, and brings sadness when he passes from life's activities.—Garland News.

"UNCLE BILLIE"

The Nestor of Western Texas journalism died at Baird the other day when W. E. (Uncle Billie) Gilliland went to his reward.

For forty-one years he was at the helm of the Baird Star. Not a week passed, so far as we know, that Uncle Billie failed to have from one to three columns of snappy editorials in the Star. He had decided opinions and was never backward in expressing them.

Forty-one years in West Texas journalism is a good long time, counting lean years with good. Uncle Billie is not the last of the pioneers, but he is pretty near the rear guard, of that gallant company who ran the Indians out and took possession of this fair and fertile empire.—Abilene Reporter.

NEWSPAPER MAN DEAD

J. R. Price and son Richard went to Baird on No. 6 Monday upon receipt of a message the night before announcing the sudden death of W. E. Gilliland, editor of the Baird Star. Mrs. J. R. Price, his daughter, here, could not go on account of being ill. Mr. Gilliland's death will be heard of with regret all over Texas. He has been a newspaper man for 41 years. He was a brilliant writer, a man of strong convictions and expressed himself clearly and forcefully. People knew where he stood on any issue and respected his opinions.

Mr. Gilliland is survived by his widow and nine daughters and one son, two brothers, one sister, 22 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.—Van Horn Advocate.

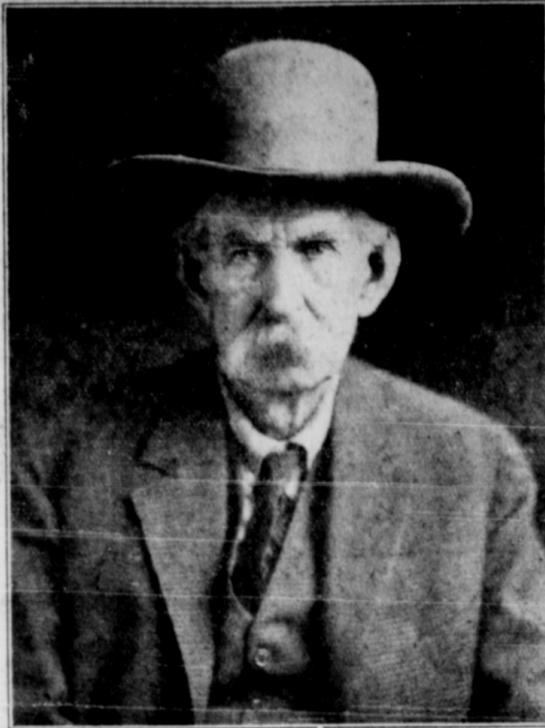
W. E. GILLILAND PASSES AWAY

Last Sunday night at midnight the spirit of W. E. Gilliland, editor of the Baird Star for forty-one years, winged its way back to the God who gave it, and his remains were laid to rest in the Ross Cemetery in Baird, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Services at grave were under the auspices of the Masonic order, of which he had been a member for 53 years.

Mr. Gilliland was a writer of great ability and has always taken a part in political affairs. He was a staunch Democrat, and supporter of Smith in the last election.

The first line of type I remember "sticking" as a kid with the little paper that was established in Cottonwood by Palmer & Randell, was copied from the Star—"Tis neither birth, nor wealth, nor state, but the get-up-and-get that makes men great," and this motto is carried at the mast head of the Star to-day. Mr. Gilliland was a member of the Methodist Church for 53 years. He was a thirty-second degree Mason, and had served his district as a member of the 24th Legislature.

The News extends sympathy to the bereaved family and friends.
—Madera Valley News.



W. E. GILLILAND

A TRIBUTE TO A DEPARTED FRIEND.

It is impossible for me to realize that my old, true and tried friend, William E. Gilliland, with whom I have been associated nearly fifty years, is dead. I knew him well. He was a man of absolute integrity of character; a religious man, free from cant or hypocrisy, and generous to a fault. He was a clean man in his public and private life. As editor of The Star he stood firmly for the principles in which he believed, and popular, or unpopular, hewed to the line. In his early youth having had some fine instruction from highly educated men, and being widely read, he was a writer of no mean ability, and his editorials in The Star were more generally quoted than those appearing in any other country paper in the State.

It has been truly said, that "An honest man is the noblest work of God", and William E. Gilliland was an honest man in the strictest sense. There was nothing mean, or low about him. He brought into the world a large family and left the impress of his honest character upon every one of them.

He will be greatly missed in this community by every body, and by none more than myself.
Otis Bowyer.

VETERAN EDITOR PASSES TO REWARD

It was with profound regret that we read in the daily papers Tuesday of the death of our good friend and fellow publisher, Editor W. E. Gilliland of the Baird Star, who died early Monday morning at the age of 80 years.

Editor Gilliland was a native Texan of which he felt much pride. He was born in Washington county, November 28, 1848. He moved to Brown County in 1861. His father died in the Confederate Hospital at Camp Nelson, Arkansas, during the war between the states. After the death of his mother, deceased, with other members of the family moved back to Washington county to make their home with his grandparents. He later came back to Brown county where he lived for several years, moving to Callahan county in 1882. He was appointed deputy sheriff of Callahan county which place he served with honor until the county site was moved from Belle Plain to Baird in 1886 of '87. Mr. Gilliland personally supervised the moving of the county records to the new home. He purchased the Old Callahan Clearndon in 1887 and established the Baird Star, which he has personally looked after for 41 years.

Editor Gilliland had been a member of the Masonic lodge and the Methodist church for 53 years. He was a member of the twenty-fourth legislature and had been a member of the Texas Press Association for 38 years.

The Santa Anna News joins in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.
—Santa Anna News.

W. E. GILLILAND DIES AT BAIRD

We received a telegram Monday morning from Miss Eliza Gilliland of Baird, conveying the sad news of the death of her father, W. E. Gilliland, editor and publisher of the Baird Star.—It's a mystery that can't be explained, and get this, we do not believe in signs or omens, but Sunday night in our home, while going over our exchanges, we tore the wrapper from the Baird Star as has been our custom for the past thirty years, and

just some hower another, something strange passed through our mind, and we stopped and thought well, old Scout you have been there a long time, and naturally, rummaged around in our thing tank as to his age, etc., knowing that he had gone down the trail quite a distance, little dreaming that ere the passing of many hours, Bill would answer the roll call, as he died Monday morning at one o'clock. Gill Gilliland as us press boys always called him, was in a class by himself, he was the last of the tribe who did not take his orders from men or gods, the typical country newspaper man, in the ten gallon hat class, yes, fashions come and went, but Bill stuck to his big hat and string tie—Down there not long ago, took a seat in his sanctum and directly in walked Bill with a brand new ten gallon hat on—No the fashion revue had meant nothing to Bill, the same old mode of dress—He was the same way about religion and politics, had convictions about fundamentals, they never changed—He lived to see his State go Republican, but Bill Gilliland died a Democrat—Salvation by Grace, temperance by moral suasion, minus statutory enactments—His democracy was as broad as the earth, high as heaven and deep as hell—By the people, of the people, for the people, not much for the State, but everything for the individual—Religion minus the tyranny or religion despots and democracy shorne of its modern day restraints—That was Bill Gilliland's philosophy of life—Theology and church creeds he did not need to point the way, for duty and convictions blazed the trail, reason was his lamp and courage was his staff, so he crossed over the border line and looked the mystic landscape over without a tremor—Fearing nothing—Why should he? Yes, the typical old time newspaper man, lived it to the last, and when even tide came he layed down his golden pen, hung up his office shears, pitched the exchanges into the waste basket and treaked down to his humble home, little dreaming that that was the farewell trip, laying down on his couch, and gentle slumber came to his tired body and mind—

And when he woke up, his spirit had vacated the old tabernacle of clay and gone on a long trek in that mystic land we all wonder about, just what it is, where it is? We've got it pictured in our mind another battle, but on a higher plane and a great victory—Up and Up He. founded the Baird Star some forty one years ago, the management had never changed, neither had its policy. The supply houses had a time selling Bill a Linotype and modern press, as he liked the old hand set stuff—He was a dreaded foe in a newspaper controversy, notwithstanding he was fair and impartial, pitched it on a high plane, and never did we hear him utter a word of disrespect for his adversaries—Met them with his visor down, asked no quarters, logic and reason were his weapons and the opposition felt the sting of his keen edged editorial rapier. He is survived by his wife, nine daughters and one son—Stocks and bonds, gold and silver, he had none, yet he died a millionaire A name untarnished a life's work that will grow and blossom and fruit, a contribution to the citizenship of the commonwealth of his state, of that sort, a commonality that will bless the nation—Bye, bye, old scout, gone but not forgotten—Yes, Baird and Callahan County has lost a noble citizen.
—Albany News.

NEWSPAPER PIONEER PASSES

Perhaps no higher tribute could

be paid a man than for his competitor to name his first-born son after him. W. E. Gilliland, 80-year old editor of the Baird Star, who died at his home at Baird Monday, January 14, is thus honored. Ralph Schuffler, editor and owner of the Olney Enterprise, a number of times winner of a prize as being the neatest and best printed weekly paper in the State, was once a competitor of Mr. Gilliland at Baird, at a time when it was more or less common for two papers to try to exist in small towns, and after the experiment was over Mr. Schuffler thought so much of Mr. Gilliland as a man that he named his son for him.

Mr. Gilliland was editor and owner of the Baird Star for forty-one years and was a newspaper man of the old school, a Democrat who never left his party, and a man who had strong convictions and let the world know them. He was, however, progressive and worked untiringly for the good of his community and county. The encroaching years never dampened his enthusiasm nor the ever-happening unpleasanties of the business world weakened his faith in his fellow man.

Mr. Gilliland was born in Washington County, Texas, in 1848, moved to Callahan County in 1882, settling at Belle Plains, moving to Baird in 1883 when it was made county seat after the T. & P. Ry. built through Baird. He had published a paper in Baird since December 8, 1887. He was a member of the 24th State Legislature, an active worker in the M. E. church, and in Masonic circles earlier in life.

The Enterprise editor knew Mr. Gilliland as a neighbor in the newspaper game in Callahan County for ten years, and he feels a genuine sorrow in the passing of this grand patriarch of the Fourth Estate.
—Anson Enterprise.

W. E. GILLILAND RITES HELD AT BAIRD TUESDAY

One of the largest gatherings that ever attended a funeral in this section yesterday paid respect to the remains of W. E. Gilliland, for 41 years publisher of the Baird Star, when services for the 80-year-old newspaperman were conducted at his home in Baird took place at 3:30 p. m. in the Ross cemetery in charge of the Baird lodge A. F. and A. M. No. 522. Services at the home were conducted by Rev. C. C. Wright, pastor of the Methodist church of Baird, of which Mr. Gilliland was a member. Pastors of other Baird churches assisted. A guard of honor of Knights Templar escorted the body to the grave.

Flowers in such profusion were massed about the casket during the services that a truck was required to haul the offering to the cemetery when the religious rites were concluded.

Masons and friends from Cisco and from many other cities in Central Texas were in attendance despite the cold weather. So large was the crowd that the house and the grounds were unable to accommodate all who came. Mr. Gilliland founded the Baird Star 41 years ago and published the paper continuously until his death. He was

a member of the 24th Texas legislature and during his lifetime was exceedingly active in civic, religious and fraternal work. He was one of the most widely known men in West Texas. He was widely acquainted in Cisco where he was held in the highest esteem.

Cisco people attending the funeral of W. E. Gilliland at Baird Tuesday included Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Lee, R. A. St. John, W. H. Kittrell, Sr., Judge D. K. Scott, R. F. Weddington and O. J. Russell.
—Cisco News.

W. E. GILLILAND EDITOR BAIRD STAR CLAIMED BY DEATH

W. E. Gilliland, editor and proprietor of the Baird Star, published at Baird, Texas, died at his home at 12 o'clock Sunday night.

Mr. Gilliland who was eighty years of age, had been editor and owner of the Baird Star for more than 40 years. He was one of the few remaining editors of the old school—and one of the best known and best beloved newspapermen of Texas.

He was a real Jeffersonian Democrat, was one of the staunchest advocates for state rights, and has taken a big part in every major political battle in Texas ever since he has been identified with the Star.

He was an able and interesting writer, a sound thinker and was one of the outstanding figures working for the development of West Texas. He was loyal to his home city, the state, the nation and his God, and many hearts are saddened because of the death of this good man.

We join many friends there, at Baird, and throughout West Texas in extending condolence to the bereaved family.

A daughter, Mrs. Don Carter, and a niece, Mrs. C. Kyle, reside in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Carter, upon receipt of the announcement of the death of her father left immediately for Baird.
—Big Spring Herald.

PASSING OF A NOBLE ROMAN

To the Houston Post-Dispatch: Waco, Texas, Jan. 17.—A noble Roman passed on, and Texas newspaper-dom lost an able representative in the demise of Editor W. E. Gilliland of the Baird Star during the week.

The press reports state he passed away about midnight, which a couple of hours later I was apprised, as well as deeply touched of the sad event by wire, showing the family recognized the close bond existing between the deceased and myself.

It was in the early eighties I first met W. E. Gilliland, at the meeting of the Texas Press association in Houston, and by the way, of those joining the association at that time, I can only hastily recall Dr. J. B. Cranfill, Sam A. Fishburn and E. G. Senter, all of Dallas, and C. E. Gilbert of Houston, as still living.

The incident is recalled by my having gone to the telegraph office with Mr. Gilliland, as he had brought the combination of the office safe with
(Continued on seventh page)

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...About Your Friends...

Please Phone News Items To No. 8.

E. H. Kent with Magnolia Pet. Co., of Sweetwater, spent Tuesday in Baird on business.

Mds. N. L. Dickey, Roy Cutbirth, and Earl Hall, spent Monday afternoon in Abilene.

Mr. W. E. Mobley spent Wednesday and Thursday in Woodson with his father, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilery Windham of Tecumseh, were in Baird last Saturday.

Mrs. C. L. Dickey and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey and little daughter, spent Sunday in Moran visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell.

Mrs. J. J. Price returned a few days ago from a visit with relatives in Arkansas and Mississippi. She has been gone near two months and was glad to get home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Carter and children; Mrs. Jas. H. Walker and daughter, Billie Bess; J. R. Price, Richard and Archie Price; Mrs. Wade Harding and children, who were called here by the death of W. E. Gilliland, have returned to their respective homes.

Mrs. R. M. Warren was called to Weatherford a few days ago by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Jake Morris, who fell and broke her hip and has since been in a very serious condition. Mrs. J. D. Dallas and son, Jake, are also at her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moore and children of St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gee and children of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roe Keilty of Fort Worth, were week end guests of their father, B. L. Boydston and on Saturday evening the family enjoyed a Turkey dinner at the old home. Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Russell, Jr., and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Work and children, of Baird being present also.

Messrs Johnston & Johnston, who leased the Red Top the first of January, have turned it back to Mr. Dickey, the owner, and have returned to their home in Huntsville. N. L. Dickey, assisted by his sister, Miss Rubye, is in charge of the Station and will be glad to have all his old patrons as well as new ones to call and let them serve them.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Williams of Kress are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Brice Jones of Baird, also relatives at Clyde.

Be On The Safe Side

Special to The Star.
Our notice has been forcibly called lately, to the practice of many of our people using pennies behind their fuse plugs. All houses have switches that are fused to protect the wiring inside the house, when a penny is used there is no protection in the event of a short circuit in the house.

If you are out of fuse plugs or have blown fuse plug, call numbers—57, 301, 162 or 147 and we will gladly call as quickly as possible and find your trouble. This is for your protection against fires and bad service in your home.

The time of year has arrived when high winds, blow nearly every day, it is possible that lines carrying our electric service blow or break down. At anytime a wire is found low or down, the local manager will appreciate you calling any of the telephone numbers listed above and prompt attention will be given to your call. Any wire down on the ground should not be touched-call the Utilities Company and warn any one passing that danger is incurred by the line being down.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 6 p. m.; Ladies Auxillary, Monday at 3 p. m.

No preaching at night, Sunday, Jan 27th but a special service for young people at the 11 o'clock hour to which all young people are urged to be present. A full attendance of the Endeavorers are urged at 6 p. m. Special business to be presented.

All are earnestly invited to worship with us.

AN OLD FASHIONED SINGING

There will be an old fashioned singing at the Church of Christ here in Baird next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. The program will very likely continue for a couple of hours, and will consist of singing many of the old-time songs in the old time way, as well as new songs, specials, quartets, solos duets and etc. Quite a few of the best singers and song leaders of the country will be present. All leaders present will be placed on the program. We anticipate a great time. The public is cordially invited to be present. Come, and bring your friends with you, and lets make "the welkin ring, and the song wave roll".
Fraternally,
Albert S. Hall.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere appreciations to our many friends for their kindness and sympathy to us in the death of our dear mother, Mrs. S. E. Jones. Also for the many beautiful flowers.

Sincerely,
Her Children.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The First National Bank

BAIRD, TEXAS

at Baird in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1928.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$704,251.58
Overdrafts	3,366.82
United States Government securities owned	40,200.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	47,944.44
Banking house, \$3,500.00	
Furniture and fixtures, \$4,500.00	8,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	4,125.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	72,158.11
Cash and due from banks	365,864.93
Outside checks and other cash items	627.06
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00
TOTAL	\$1,247,827.20

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	\$ 25,000.00
Undivided profits—net	12,012.35
Reserves for dividends, contingencies, etc.	2,624.50
Circulating notes outstanding	25,000.00
Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	95,770.04
Demand deposits	1,005,383.41
Time deposits	26,117.16
United States deposits	5,919.74
TOTAL	\$1,247,827.20

State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss:
I, Bob Norrell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
BOB NORRELL, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
Tom Windham
A. R. Kelton
Ace Hickman, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1929.
(SEAL) J. Rupert Jackson, Notary Public.

MRS. S. E. JONES BURIED SUNDAY EVENING

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Jones, who died at Waco, last Friday, was buried at Eula Sunday afternoon, following funeral services at the Baptist church at 2 o'clock conducted by her pastor, Rev. Joe R. Mayes. The body was carried to the old home until the hour for the funeral. Pall bearers were: Jim W. Jones, A. R. Jones, R. V. Jones, D. C. Jones, H. C. Jones and H. H. Snoddy, five sons and one son-in-law of the deceased.

Mrs. Jones has been in ill health for some time and after a very serious sick spell in November, went home with her daughter, Mrs. Snoddy, to spend the winter. She underwent an operation on Wednesday of last week from which she never recovered.

Mrs. Jones was born in Comanche county, March 16, 1861—being in her 68th year at the time of her death. She is survived by six sons and four daughters, as follows: Jim W. Jones, of Lenepah, Okla.; A. R. and H. C. Jones, of Carizzo, New Mexico; R. V. and D. C. Jones, of Big Spring; Ollie Jones of Hamlin; Mrs. R. W. Phillips, Santa Anna; Mrs. Perry Luce, Fort Worth; Mrs. O. B. Williams, Kress and Mrs. H. A. Snoddy of Waco, all of whom with their families were here for the funeral. Also two brothers, W. T. Lester of Midland, and W. P. Lester of Comanche, who were here and one sister, Mrs. Aca Strickland, of Maugeun, Okla., who was unable to come. Other friends from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Amaker, Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Williams of Kress.

Mrs. Jones had made her home in Baird and Callahan county for more than thirty years. She was a devoted and loving mother, having the care and responsibility of rearing her children alone as her husband, Chas. Jones died near thirty years ago from injuries received by being thrown from his wagon as the team ran away coming down Mt. Airy. Mrs. Jones was a devoted Christian and her death brings sadness to many who extend to the family sincere sympathy in the death of their mother.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners Court of Callahan County, will receive sealed bids for the selection of a County Depository for the next two years, up to ten o'clock A. M. Monday, February 11, 1929. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for \$500.00 and must state the rate of interest to be paid for the funds of the county for the two years period.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

W. C. White
County Judge, Callahan
County, Texas. 8-3t.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

All persons are warned that they will be prosecuted for permitting stock to run in the Cemetery or for leaving open any gates to the same. Such acts are a violation of the law and will not be tolerated.

J. M. Cummings,
Cemetery Sexton.

BOX SUPPER

Mr. J. E. Johnston, of the Board of Trustees of Consolidated Union School Dist. No. 5, was in Baird Wednesday and requests The Star to announce that the school will give a box supper at their new school building Friday night, January 25th. The proceeds to be used in fitting up the stage in the Auditorium. He invites the public generally to attend and that if any one cared to, contribute a box, it would be highly appreciated.

POSTED

My ranch on Pecan Bayou in Callahan and Coleman Counties is Posted No hunting, fishing or trapping allowed.
8-4tpd. Ludie H. Owen.

WANT ADS THAT BRING RESULTS

FOR RENT OR LEASE: 800 acres of land, 100 acres in cultivation; good house and plenty of water. This is the J. W. Tatum estate, south-east of Belle Plaine. See me on the premises, or write Chas. K. Tatum, St. Rt. 2, Baird, Texas. 8-tf.

APARTMENT: Two room furnished apartment. See or phone, Mrs. Joe Mitchell. Phone 97. 8-2t.

FOR SALE: Lister Shares, Planter Sweeps—right prices. R. E. Bounds. 8-2t.

WANTED: to buy a bed, dresser and chifferette. Also want to sell one kitchen cabinet, one small gas cook stove and a refrigerator. Phone 261. Mrs. Harry Ebert. 8-1t.

FOR SALE: 20 Angora Goats; 5 ft. windmill (steel) and 15 ft. wooden tower, at \$25; 1 Electric Washing Machine in good condition, \$25 if sold at once. See Edmund Webb, Baird R. F. D. No. 8-1tpd.

FOR SALE: One 5 room house, newly furnished inside, garage. See Miss John Gilliland at Postoffice or phone 6 or 8. 8-tf.

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10—Kitchen Tables	75c to \$3.50
2—Dining Tables	\$4.00 to \$12.00
20—Beds, all kinds	\$2.00 to \$8.50
15—Springs	\$1.00 to \$7.00
4—Refrigerators	\$4.00 to \$15.00
6—Steel Couches	\$3.00 to \$7.50
20—Oil Cook Stoves	\$5.00 to \$10.00
2—Wood Ranges	\$15.00 to \$25.00
8—Gas Cook Stoves	\$7.50 to \$12.00
2—Buffets	\$10.00 to \$15.00
5—Gas Regulators Re built for	\$4.50
1—Crosley, 3 tube Radio	\$20.00
1—Upright Piano	\$75.00
1—500 Chick Brooder	\$7.50
1—Incubator	\$10.00
1—Electric Sweeper	\$15.00
8—Big Mirrors	\$5.00 to \$12.50
1—Used Aladin Lamp	\$4.00
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Company, its unknown successors and
assignes of James Guthrie, Thomas
Colman, and Willie Terry both indi-
vidually and as trustees of said Tex-
as Emigration and Land Company, of
the unknown heirs of the said James
Guthrie, Thomas Colman and Willie
Terry, and their legal representatives,
and the unknown owners and each
and all persons owning and claiming an
interest to land set out herein: by
making publication of this Citation
once in each week for four succesive
weeks previous to the return day here-
of, in some newspaper published in
your County, it there be a newspaper
published therein, but if not, then in
the nearest County where a newspaper
is published, to appear at the next
term of the District Court of Calla-
han County, to be holden at the Court
House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on
the First Monday in March A. D. 1928,
the same being the 4th day of March
A. D. 1928, then and there to answer
a petition filed in said Court on the
8th day of December A. D. 1928, in a
suit, numbered on the docket of said
Court as No. 7298, wherein John Bull,
Mary C. Price, joined pro forma by
her husband George T. Price, Henri-
etta Bull feme sole Mary Bull Brown
and her husband Stuart S. Brown,
Ella Bull Snively a feme sole joined
by her trustee, The Louisville Trust
Company, a corp, are Plaintiffs, and
The Texas Emigration and Land Com-
pany, its unknown successors and as-
signs of James Guthrie, Thomas Col-
man, and William Terry, both indi-
vidually and as the trustees of said
Texas Emigration Land Company, of
the unknown heirs of the said James
Guthrie, Thomas Colman, and Willie
Terry and their legal representatives,

and the unknown owners and each
and all persons owning and claiming an
interest in and to the hereinafter
described lands. Defendant, and said
petition alleging:

That on the first day of Novem-
ber A. D. 1928 as joint owners in the
proportions hereinafter named the
plaintiffs were lawfully seized and
possessed of the following tract of
parcel of land, situated in Callahan
County, Texas and partly in Eastland
County, Texas surveying for the Tex-
as Emigration and Land Company,
on November 17th 1858, being known
as survey No. 2055, containing 320
acres of land surveyed by virtue of
Certificate No. 2055, dated April 15,
A. D. 1852, and patented by the State
of Texas to the Texas Emigration and
Land Company on September 2nd,
1858, by patent No. 361, in Vol. 21,
Records of the General Land Office
of the State of Texas said land de-
scribed by field notes as follows: to-
wit: Beginning at a stake on the
East side of a hill, the N. W. corner
of survey No. 2052, from which a live
oak 5 in. dia. bears N. 42 E, 19 vrs.
a P. O. 10 in. dia. bears 42 E, 22 8-10,
vrs; Thence North crossing Hubbard's
Creek 344 vrs. to a stake from which
a P. O. 10 in. dia. bears S. 32 1/2 W.
11 8-10 vrs.; Thence East at 215 1/2
vrs. Hubbards Creek at 1344 vrs. a
stake from which a U. O. 10 in. dia.
bears N. 49 1/2 W. 3-10 vrs. a live oak
6 in. dia. brs. S. 27 E 7 9-10 vrs.;
Thence South crossing Austin and
Fort Belknap road 1344 vrs. to a stake
from which a P. O. 6 in. dia. brs. N.
89 E. 48 4-10 vrs. a live oak 8 in. dia.
brs. S. 60 1/2 E. 42 7-10 vrs.; Thence
West at 148 9-10 Austin and Fort
Belknap road, at 1240 vrs. Hubbard's
Creek, at 1344 varas the Place of Be-
ginning. Bearing are marked T. E.
L. C. That on the said November 1,
1928, the said defendants unlawfully
entered upon the said lands and pre-
mises and dispossessed Plaintiffs there-
of, and now unlawfully withhold from
Plaintiffs their rightful possession

thereof, and now unlawfully withhold
from Plaintiffs their rightful posses-
sion thereof; to their damage in the
sum of the value of said premises.
2. That the Plaintiff John Bull owns
an undivided five-eightheenths of said
land; that the Plaintiff Mary C. Price
owns an undivided two-eightheenths of
said land; that the Plaintiff Henri-
etta Bull owns an undivided two-eigh-
teenths of said land, that the defend-
ant Mary Bull Brown owns an undi-
vided hree-eightheenths of said land,
and that the Plaintiff Ella Bull Sniv-
ely owns an undivided six-eightheenths
of said land, but her said trustee,
The Louisville Trust Company of
Louisville, Kentucky, holds her title
to the same in trust for her.
3. That the original Patent No. 361
Volume 21 issued by he State of Tex-
as said land, has been lost by Plain-
tiffs and can not be found, and was
not recorded either in Callahan or
Eastland Counties, and from the re-
cords of the General Land office of
of the General Land Office has had
made a true and correct photostat
copy of said Patent, copy of said pat-
ent duly certified to him as true and
correct, and Plaintiffs pray that this
court may order said Photostat re-
corded in the said Counties.
Wherefore Premises considered
Plaintiffs pray that the said defend-
ants may be cited by publication to
appear and answer this suit, and that
upon final hearing hereof, said Plain-
tiffs may have judgment against said
defendant for the title and possession
of the said land and premises, in the
proportions in which they own same
as set out above, and that the cloud
upon their title be removed and that
they recover their costs and they pray
for relief both general and special
legal and equitable, to which in the
premises they may be entitled.
Herein Fail Not, and have you be-
fore said Court, at its aforesaid next
regular term, this writ with your re-
turn thereon, showing how you have

executed the same.
Given Under My Hand and the Seal
of said Court, at office in Baird, Tex-
as this the 11th day of December A.
D. 1928
Kate Hearn McCleary, Clerk,
3-4t. District Court, Callahan Co.

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Also a team of work horses. See Will
Appleton, Rt. 1, Baird. 6-4t.
FOR RENT, Two furnished light
house keeping rooms, with garage.
See me or Mrs. M. A. Cline at my
home in East Baird. Mrs. Ellen
Foster 6-tf.
FOR RENT, 40 acres of land, six
room house, 1-2 mile east of Clyde,
10 acres in orchard, well improved,
has lights, gas and water. See Ed-
mund Webb, Baird Rt. No. 1. 6-1tp.
FOR RENT, A sandy land farm 4 1-2
miles east of Hawley, Texas, 800 acres
in tract, 125 acres in cultivation, the
remainder in pasture land. Good im-
provements, water, etc. See or write
Dr. R. G. Powell, Baird, Texas. 6-tf
FOR SALE.—Frost proof Plums,
China Elms Fruit Trees. Shade Trees
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7-2t.

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South-west from Baird. Walter Boyd,
manager, Baird, Rt. No. 1. 7-4tp.
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IN MEMORIAM

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him and wanted to wire same back home.

A few years since, while visiting the Whipkeys, and attending the West Texas Press association at Colorado, Texas, I took a day off and visited my old friend at Baird, which he seemed to greatly appreciate. I crave indulgence for these personal references, and trust they will be considered justified. Life is made up largely of memories of pleasant friendships, after one passes the meridian.

W. E. Gilliland was an editor of the old school, who rapidly passing away. He was outspoken on every public question, often to his own disadvantage, and was ever loyal to his friends.

His editorship of the Baird Star for more than 40 years was a record to be proud of, and a monument that will last for all time, as his influence was ever for good and the right.

He is gone, but not forgotten and while he can not return to us, by right living we can go to him, and be reunited in the Great Beyond, to part no more for ever. So mote it be.

Fred B. Robinson.

(Letters)

Cisco, Tex. Jan. 14, 1929.

Dear Miss Eliza

Your telegram received. My heart goes out to your family. Bro. Gilliland was the most loyal friend I ever had—I loved him. I will be at the funeral tomorrow.

Sorrowfully yours,
R. A. St. John.

Santa Anna, Tex. Jan. 14, 1929.

Miss Eliza Gilliland and family.

Dear friends: I have just read in the Star-Telegram account of your father's death. Please accept our deepest sympathy. Suppose at this hour you are having the funeral. Wish we were with you all.

Your friends,
Mrs. Lua James & S. T.

May, Tex. Jan. 24, 1929.

Baird Star, Baird Texas.

I have learned that Bro. Gilliland died a short time ago and it made me very sad. He was the 10th of my old friends to pass away in the last 30 days, and it makes me feel very lonely. Please convey to the family my sincere sympathy in this hour of sorrow. Please send me a copy of The Star that gives an account of his death.

Very truly his friend,
H. P. Taylor.

Ft. Worth, Texas, Jan 21, 1929.

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

My dear Mrs. Gilliland:

I received a letter from Laura telling me of the death of Mr. Gilliland I was very sorry and sad indeed to hear of his death.

I have known him since 1871. (51 years) and since that time, I have appreciated him as a man and as a friend.

He is dead, but his wholesome influence will live on, and I feel, and know, that the world is better off by him having lived in it.

I shall remember him with the kindest feelings, and the highest esteem the remaining days of my life.

I shall be glad to be remembered to all.

Your sincere friend,
Oscar Jones.

Mission, Tex., Jan. 17, 1929.

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Gilliland and family:

I have just read in The Star-Telegram of the death of your husband and father, which was a great shock to me. Wife and I extend our deepest sympathy in your great loss, for I feel like I have lost one of the best friends I ever had and Baird and Callahan County one of the best citizens that ever lived in the county, but I feel that our loss is God's gain, for I believe with all my heart that he was a Christian in ever sense of the word. God bless you all in this sorrow.

With love to all. Your true friend,
W. K. Boatwright.

Colorado, Tex. Jan. 21, 1929.

Dear Miss Eliza:

I was very much saddened when I read in the Abilene Morning News last Tuesday of the death of Cousin Billie.

Had I known earlier of his death I should have come down to the funeral. When I saw the paper it was too late to catch the train.

We shall all miss him and I know I shall because I always tried to see him on every occasion that I came to Baird because I have felt for several years that each time might be the last that I would have the opportunity.

I loved to be around him and hear him talk and I think it was because he was a son of the old South and to be with him caused ones memory to hark back to the early days of old Callahan and because his friendship for Pa and his for Cousin Billie always made me cherish his company

and now, likewise his memory.

While we bow in humble submission to His inevitable edict, we know from the life he lived here that Cousin Billie has gone to his home eternal in the heavens and this knowledge assuages the grief and ameliorates the necessity of being without him for a short while.

With much love to all of you,
Sincerely,
J. Y. Fraser.

Nacodoches, Tex. Jan. 15, 1929.

Awfully sorry to hear of the death of my good friend W. E. Gilliland. Please give my sympathy to the family. If I can be of service write or wire me.

Yours truly,
Henry C. Fuller.

Snyder, Tex. Jan. 15, 1929.

Haynie Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

My Dear Haynie:

I have just read in The Star-Telegram of the passing of your splendid old father and am moved to write you a line to express my profound regret and to extend most sincere sympathy to all the family.

While my acquaintance with him was brief it was of more than passing interest because I recognized in him a type of southern gentleman of honor integrity and ability equal to the finest I have ever known and a character that stands out among men. He will live in the memory of those who knew him and the impress of his life shall never die.

Very truly yours,
J. D. Autry.

Stamford, Tex. Jan. 15, 1929.

Miss Eliska Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

Dear Miss Gilliland:

I have just read in the Abilene Reporter an account of the recent illness and passing of your father. This I very much regret to realize. For a long time members of my immediate family have appreciated the excellent work of your father as a newspaper man. My mother has taken his paper for many years. Since I have been away from home she has furnished me editorials from The Baird Star. I hear from her quite often. Nearly every time that I hear from her she encloses a clipping from the old home town paper or she makes some comment on an editorial. It is needless to state that during these years I have been influenced considerably by the writings of your father.

I just wanted to make this statement to you at this time.

Very truly yours,
N. S. Holland.

Wetumka, Okla., Jan. 16, 1929.

Miss Eliza Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

My dear Friend:

I have just read in the Press the notice of the death of your honored father, my very dear friend and Brother. To say that we are grieved by his going away but feebly expresses it. During all the years I have known him I have loved him as a father and have felt the return of that love from him. During my incumbency as his Pastor I found him a wise counsellor and a true brother. He and I did not always agree on matters but we could disagree without personal feeling and realize that at heart we were one.

He loved the Church, was true to His Lord and was ever faithful in the performance of his duty as he saw it. After a long life of usefulness he has been translated to an Upper and Better place where I shall know where to find him.

Mrs. Switzer joins me in sending our deepest sympathy and condolence to your dear mother and to your sisters and Haynie as well as to all your loved ones in your great loss. Our sincere prayer is that the Father of all Comfort may be very near you all and bless you. I pray that you may all so prepare as to meet him at the right hand of the Father for I know that he had no calculations but to be there.

His life was long and useful. He served well his day and generation and now rests from his labors.

Again expressing our sincere sympathy and prayers, I am,
Your friend and brother,
W. Y. Switzer.

Austin, Tex. Jan. 14, 1929.

Mr. Haynie Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

Dear Haynie:

You will never know the sorrow and shock your telegram brought me this morning. Of course we have known the end could not be long delayed, and that he like all others must answer the last summons and take his place among those who have lived and served his people, his country and his God. But even with this knowledge we are reticent and sorrowful when we face the darkness of this hour. I feel this shock personally because he was my friend, and as I write these lines the past looms up before me; I can hear his timely words and advice when I first aspired to public

office, and through the campaign he was loyal, and did much, very much, towards my election, and since that time he has always been ready and willing to advise and counsel with me.

The loss our State and County will feel cannot be replaced, because men like him are not only the product of education and intellect, but they require the finishing touch of years that come in the form of experience. Thus equipped as he was with all the finer qualities of a true southern gentleman, aided with the strenuous experiences of many years frontier life, he was truly God's man, and one whom all the younger generation can safely follow, and model our lives in keeping with his.

I am very very sorry that I cannot come to you at this time. I have a deep-seated cold and am not at all well, and I fear the trip would be too much, but I want you to know that my love and sympathy are with you and your family through these dark hours.

I have prepared a resolution, which will be presented to the House, and when we adjourn today, it will be in memory of him.

Your true friend,
Victor B. Gilbert.

Ft. Worth, Tex. Jan. 14, 1929.

Miss Eliza Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

My dear Miss Gilliland:

I just have before me your telegram of last night, and I am deeply grieved to learn of your dear father's death. My heart felt sympathy goes out to you and to all of his loved ones. He was a good man and long served his time and people faithfully and well. No greater encomium can be given any man, and I feel sure his memory will be cherished and his loss greatly regretted by all who knew him.

I would be with you during his funeral, but the after effects of a case of flu leaves me feeling to unwell to make the journey.

Again assuring you of my deepest sympathy, I am
Most sincerely yours,
T. H. Conner.

Cottonwood, Tex. Jan. 15, 1929.

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Gilliland: I am not able to attend the funeral of your distinguished husband. Neither do I write to offer formal condolences to you and your children in your great bereavement, but to assure you of my abiding love for so distinguished a man and citizen as the editor of the far famed Baird Star. His like is not often seen and always sincerely and deeply mourned upon their passage from the active scenes of life.

He lived true to his convictions of the right; a public benefactor always meriting the love of his friends and commanding the respect of his enemies, if he had any.

He belonged to that fast dwindling tribe that redeemed this great State from the domination of the carpet bagger and set it going upon the foundation of true democracy. I sincerely trust that the spirit of his mentor ship will prevail in her councils.

Peace be unto him.
Sincerely,
S. F. Russell.

Cisco, Texas, Jan. 1, 1929.

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and family.

It was with deep regret that I read of the death of Mr. Gilliland whom I with a host of others esteemed as a friend.

Accept my deepest sympathy in your great bereavement, and may you find consolation in Him in whom Mr. Gilliland fervently believed, and whose servant he was. He was a stalwart and some thought a Bourbon which in a sense he was.

"A Bourbon never forgets and ever learns, is a definition given them, which fitted him, well.

He never forgot to be humble, bold and manly; nor ever learned to be a sycophant; to please or to ponder the popular ear. What he deemed to be right he bravely contended for, not forgetting to be generous where it was deserved.

As said "Solomon, the wise man." "The glory of children are their fathers," and the children of W. E. Gilliland have that in which they may glory.

May his rest be sweet 'til the time when "all that are in the grave will hear His voice and come forth, they who have done good to the resurrection of Life," and be among such as hear the welcome plaudet, "Well done good and faithful servant."

With sincere sympathy, His friend,
W. H. Kitrell, Sr.

Denison, Tex. Jan. 17, 1929.

Miss Eliza Gilliland,

Baird, Texas.

Dear Miss Gilliland:

It was indeed, with sincere sorrow I learned of your father's death. He was the last of the quartette who always got together, when ever possible to attend the Texas Press Conventions.

Although I have never had the hap-

piness of meeting any of the other members of your family, I knew your father well, and always found him genial and kind.

It will be five years, the sixth of next month, since my own loved father died so I can truly sympathize with you in the death of yours.

Death is always hard, but we both, you and I, know that those we mourn, lived long and useful lives, and did much for the betterment of their fellow men, and that helps some.

I always enjoyed your father's letters to Dad and appreciated his sending me The Star after his death. It's weekly visits always called to mind the companionship of kindred spirits, for such they were.

Please, Miss Eliza, express my sympathy to the other members of your family, and believe me, I will always hold your father, in memory, as a true friend of one we both loved and of mine.

Trusting all are well and once more extending my sympathy to you and yours, I am,
Sincerely yours,
Dulce Murray.

Abilene, Texas, Jan. 15, 1929.

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and family—and to the entire family connection. I am very sorry that I could not appear in person at your home today to share in your grief of the loss of your companion and father. Ora and I are just recovering from the flu and were afraid to take the risk. I have often said that if I outlived Bro. Gilliland, that I wanted to be at his funeral. He has meant much to me through the years past and gone. It was through his influence and by his help that I secured my first position as a teacher in the Public Schools when I first came to Callahan County. Ever since that time he has been a constant and helpful friend to me and mine. I have enjoyed many pleasant moments with him and any future thought of him (which will be many, many times,) will be among my fondest memories. I loved him, and, with you, I mourn his leaving, for which, I have just cause—he was a friend; and who would not mourn the loss of a friend?

I want to extend to each of you my heartfelt sympathy at this sad hour, for I know what it means to be bereft of a loved one, having passed that way several times myself.

But let us be not dismayed; and with the same unflinching trust that he possessed, let us find encouragement to press on to a higher, better, and purer life while we sojourn here. Then at the end of our earthly life we will be better prepared to enter our eternal home where there are no partings, no sadness, no grief, sorrow or disappointments, but where all is rest and peace, and joy and love. Living in hopes of such a home who would not sing,

"I would not live always
I ask not to stay
Where storm after storm
Rises dark o'er my way?"
May God bless and comfort each member of this grief-stricken family is the sincere prayer of their old time friend.
T. B. Holland.

(Telegrams)

Olney Tex Jan 14 1929

Miss Eliza Gilliland

Baird, Tex

Earnestly grieve with you in loss of your father. One of greatest characters ever my privilege to associate with and a friend whose memory will abide. My entire family joins in extending heartfelt sympathy.
Ralph Shuffler.

Austin Tex Jan 14 1929

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland

Baird Tex

Have just learned with deepest sorrow of the death of Colonel Gilliland. He was my life long friend; was an outstanding citizen and my deepest and abiding sympathy goes out to you and all members of the family in this great bereavement.
Clarence Gilmore.

Austin Tex Jan 14 1929

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland

Baird Tex

Judge Gilbert has told me of the bereavement which has come to your family and I join with your many friends in extending expressions of sincere sympathy.
Dan Moody.

Dallas Tex Jan 14 1929

Martin Barnhill

Baird Tex

The passing of our beloved Brother William E. Gilliland causes profound sorrow. Please convey to his family our sincere sympathy and provide flowers for Dallas Consistory.
J. L. Stephens, Secretary.

Ft Worth Tex Jan 15 1929

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland

Baird Tex

I deeply sympathize with you in the loss of your dear husband. For nearly forty years he was my intimate friend.
W. P. Sebastian.

Garland Tex Jan 15 1929

Miss Eliza Gilliland

Baird Tex

Accept my sincere sympathy in your bereavement. I feel a very personal loss in the death of your father. Was out of town when message came and am unable to attend funeral.
W. A. Holford.

Clarendon Tex Jan 15 1929

Miss Eliza Gilliland

Baird Tex

Accept my heartfelt sympathy on death of your father.
E. Goeth.

Ft. Worth Tex Jan 15 1929

Miss Eliza Gilliland

Baird Tex

The Newspaper Fraternity has lost one of its finest and best loved figures. Our deepest sympathy to you and yours.
Larry Leary
Southwestern Paper Co.

Big Spring Tex Jan 14 1929

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and family

Baird Tex

Deepest sympathy in your hour of bereavement. Wish it were possible for me to say something that would make the sorrow lighter, but only we who have been through with it, know how to sympathize. Yours with love.
Alice Cutbirth Phillips.

Austin Tex Jan 14 1929

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland

Baird Tex

News death my friend Colonel Gilliland just reaching me here. Please accept my most sincere condolence in your bereavement. Also sympathy from entire Press Association membership.
Sam P. Harben.

Mineral Wells Tex Jan 14 1929

Family of W. E. Gilliland

Baird Tex

In the passing of W. E. Gilliland the Press Association of Texas feels a distinct loss and ever member of it joins its president in extending to his bereaved ones heartfelt sympathy in the loss of so estimable a man and friend and philosopher as was W. E. Gilliland.
Sam E. Miller, President
Texas Press Association.

Waxahachie Tex Jan 14 1929

Baird Tex

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and family

Please accept my deepest sympathy in your bereavement. Love.
Emogene Orr.

Abilene Tex Jan 14 1929

Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and family

Baird Tex

Accept our condolence and deepest sympathy in the loss of your husband and father.
Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Webb.

Waco Tex Jan 14 1929

Miss Eliza Gilliland

Baird Tex

Deepest sympathy; wife and myself to you all. May our Heavenly Father Comfort you. A light attack of the flu prevents my attending funeral. No better man ever lived and I had no better friend than your father.
Fred B. Robinson.

Recalling Old Times and the Stereopticon

"What has become of the stereopticon lecturer," asked an old Washingtonian the other day.

"I remember when they used to be popular here in the city and crowds turned out to listen to them and to look at the slides.

"When he wanted a slide changed he would push a buzzer, clearly audible to the audience. Sometimes the operator of the machine would either be asleep or talking and failed to hear it.

"This necessitated a number of extra sharp buzzes on the button. We were patient with him, though, even if occasionally he was describing the Leaning Tower of Pisa while a picture of the ruins of the Coliseum was being shown on the screen.

"Then there was the era of illustrated songs, when a sour tenor sang maudlin songs about some girl who lived in a village by the sea. They were foolishly sentimental things, but we managed to get a kick out of it. Of course we didn't have the diversions in those days that occupy us now. Imagine our young generation attending a stereopticon performance. We can't.—Washington Star.

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A boy in a town not far away called at a store to say he had come to pay a bill owed by his father. "No hurry about it," said the merchant. "I will send him a statement."

The boy insisted he was there to settle the account, so it was figured up and the money paid.

"Now give me the 2 cents it would have cost you to mail the bill," suggested the lad, who would seem to have in him the making of a shrewd financier. He got the 2 cents and went away satisfied.—Brockton (Mass.) Enterprise.

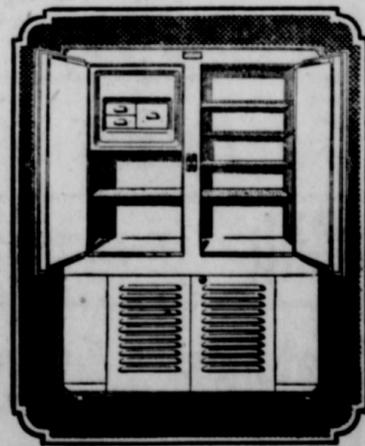


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Makeral	Eatwell No. 1 Tall, 2 cans	25^c
Pine Apple	Rosedale No. 2 crushed or sliced, per can	19^c
Gold Dust	Small, 8 packages	25^c
Bananas	Large, per dozen	25^c
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