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#### SHOE SHOP.

I have opened a new shoe shop in the front of the Texas Hardware & Furniture Co., store and will have an experienced man. Boots and shoes made to order, repair work of all kinds. Work guaranteed Give us a trial. Russell Hart. 25-tf.

#### COTTONWOOD LOCALS.

June 2nd.—We would consider a proposition for a good shower just at this time. We are going to put up our oats, wheat and Johnson grass in a short time and we will not want any rain on that, and the other crops can not wait until after that time.

Quite a lot of our people attended the all day singing at Burnt Branch Sunday. We presume the result of the admonition of "Sunshine" of Turkey Creek to "wake up."

Pink Norrell, who is engaged in the mail service between Ft. Worth and Galveston, has been visiting his father, T. J. Norrell. He returned to Fort Worth Monday.

Miss Fredda Griffin, who has been attending the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, has returned to her home at Cottonwood.

Several prospective teachers will take the examination at Baird Friday and Saturday next. Cottonwood can always be depended on for her pro rata of teachers.

Mr. Ollie Eudaley living one mile east of Cottonwood happened to the misfortune of having his house burned with its contents, except one trunk and a sewing machine. There was no insurance right at this time and the family were left in a destitute condition.

W. P. Ramsey of Cross Plains, accepted a position with W. F. Griffin for a short time, but owing to delicate health he resigned his place and returned to Cross Plains.

Mr. Emory Daniels had a very small infant buried at the Cottonwood Cemetery, Monday. It was one of twins only a day or two old; the surviving one is not expected to live.

Mrs. H. H. Ramsey, of Baird,

with her oldest son and little Miss Commette, were visiting Uncle Seth Ramsey of Cottonwood Saturday and Sunday.

Eld Bob Williams of Abilene, filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Lurline, daughter of W. P. Ramsey of Cross Plains, enroute home from school at Abilene, spent from Friday noon to Saturday noon, in Cottonwood.

Married—Mr. George Purvis and Mrs. Rosie Coats were married at the residence of J. M. Ferguson at Cottonwood, Sunday afternoon, June 1st, 1913. Both the contracting parties were making their second venture in the matrimonial world. Mr. Purvis is a farmer in our community and a good, moral and industrious man and Mrs. Coats is in every way worthy of him. We bespeak for them a long and useful life and wish them all the happiness possible, and hope their fondest hopes may be realized.

J. T. Respass visited the Capital City Tuesday.

Misses Missouri Straham and Etta Ferguson have gone to San Marcos where they will enter the Summer Normal. They both are fine teachers and do not miss an opportunity to prepare themselves to keep abreast of the times.

Miss Charlsie Sartor has been elected to take charge of the Turkey Creek school for next term. The Trustees of that school are fortunate in securing Miss Charlsie.

"Uncle Jimmie"

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Gilliland and Mrs. J. E. Gilliland and little son, Billy, spent a day or two with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Simpson at their home near Albany this week.

#### CO-OPERATIVE MEETING TO BEGIN JUNE 8, 1913.

The Baptist, Presbyterian and Methodist Churches have united their efforts for the purpose of having a protracted meeting and we extend an earnest and urgent request to the members of all churches, and of no church, to co-operate with us in this one united, determined effort to benefit the town and community religiously.

All christians pulling together, knitting their efforts and prayers for the salvation of the unsaved, will go a long way toward solving many of our problems. After much prayer and serious consideration we have taken this step, believing it to be the best possible way to command the attention of those without, and unify and strengthen the faith and zeal of those within the different churches, therefore we do most earnestly beseech all believers in Christ to join heart and hand with us in the undertaking.

The Lord's command is "Go Forward," will you obey? You are cordially invited to be present.  
Pastors.

Little Pauline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Terrell, was operated on for appendicitis a few days ago at Abilene and is getting along nicely. Several relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Terrell visited the family during little Pauline's illness, among them Dr. C. O. Terrell, of Ranger, who went with them to Abilene Saturday, Mrs. Andrew Gleason, of Jacksonville, Fla., sister of Mrs. Terrell, Judge Hammond and wife, of Eastland, parents of Mrs. Terrell. We hope the little girl will soon be able to return home.

T. E. Powell spent Wednesday in Cross Plains.

#### FUNERAL OF J. W. PERCY.

The funeral of J. W. Percy, mentioned in last week's issue, was held at the residence Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Services were conducted by Rev. A. W. Waddill, pastor of the Methodist Church. The funeral was conducted by Baird Lodge No. 522, A. F. & A. M. and also attended by members of W. O. W. Camp No. 508 in a body. The funeral was largely attended, the floral offerings were profuse and beautiful.

Mr. Percy had been in failing health for several years and while his death was not unexpected, it was a great shock to his family and friends. Mr. Percy was 52 years old. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Clarence Percy, of Texarkana, and Harry Percy, of Baird. We join the many friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

#### CHANGE ON T. & P. RY.

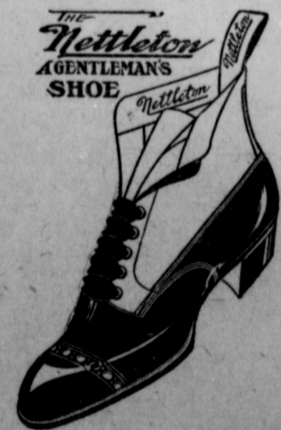
A. G. Whittington, Superintendent of the Rio Grande Division has resigned and W. M. Lynch, of the Louisiana Division, has been appointed to the position. The many friends of Mr. Whittington in Baird regret to see him leave, and wish him well. He goes to the I. & G. N. road. Mr. Lynch is a popular railroad man and his friends are all confident he will make good.

#### DECORATION SERVICES.

The Woodmen and Woodmen Circle of Baird, held their annual decoration services at the cemetery Sunday afternoon. There was a large crowd present. Hon. H. P. Brealsford, State Senator, of Eastland, Revs. Loftin, Peebles and Waddill delivered addresses.

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### WAR NOT WHOLLY 'HELL.

Carried away with enthusiasm of his subject, one of the speakers at the peace congress deprecated the glory of war. He contended that the heroism of the day's work was greater than that of the battlefield. "The inspiration of the man with the musket," he said, "is always inferior to the inspiration of the man with a principle." The gentleman is mistaken. War for the most part is a sudden, brutal thing, but it has its moments of supreme courage that appeal to the imagination as the fortitude and sacrifices of peaceful vocations never can. The army of toil has its weary marches, its bitter defeats, its shining victories. But Thermopylae is Thermopylae. At the Alamo Davy Crockett died and all the rest of them. Pickett and his men charged Mead's guns at Gettysburg, and men will thrill at their mention so long as men are men. Let us work for it as a fairer, more just policy, but let not the pride of purpose assail truth. Cruel and pitiless as war has been and must be, it has a glory in human appraisal that can not be denied. The peace propagandist will make little progress by distorting the fact of nature.—St. Louis Republic.

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FORMER PRESIDENT WINS LIBEL SUIT, WHICH WAS TRIED IN MICHIGAN.

## EDITOR MAKES RETRACTION

Forced to Conclusion He Was Mistaken in Belief Plaintiff Drank to Excess.

Marquette, Mich.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt Saturday won his libel suit against George A. Newitt, who charged the Colonel with drunkenness and, having waived damages, after the defendant had uttered a retraction, the jury awarded the nominal damage six cents, provided in such cases by the laws of Michigan.

Each party to the suit will have to pay his own expenses.

Judge Flannigan instructed the jury to bring in a verdict for the plaintiff, which they did without leaving their seats.

When the afternoon session began, the air was electrical with expectancy. Rumors were flying that the suit would be terminated. Attorney Van Benschoten, for the plaintiff, however, resumed the reading of depositions. It was noted, however, that he ignored the testimony of some witnesses. The next move was sudden.

"The plaintiff rests," remarked Attorney James H. Pound, in a matter of fact manner. William P. Belden of Ishpeming, who, with Horace Andrews of Cleveland, was Mr. Newitt's attorneys, said:

"The defense will call Mr. Newitt." A ruddy-cheeked man, whose color did not disguise the fact that he was suffering from a serious illness, took the chair. In his hand he carried a manuscript. When the defendant began reading, Col. Roosevelt moved to the edge of his chair, and betrayed an excitement which his rigid jaws could not hide. Mr. Newitt was well along in his reading before the Colonel, whose position seemed like that of a man about to leap forward, lost the tense look on his face.

"It is fair to the plaintiff to state that I have been unable to find in any section of the country any individual witness who is willing to state that he has personally seen Mr. Roosevelt drink to excess."

At this the plaintiff smiled and relaxed. The Colonel broke into a grin again when Mr. Newitt said, with reference to the mass of testimony adduced by the plaintiff, "I am forced to the conclusion that I was mistaken."

Leaving the stand, Mr. Newitt looked in the direction of Col. Roosevelt, but the latter was whispering to his counsel. Attorney Pound then said:

"With the court's permission, the plaintiff would like to make a brief announcement."

The judge nodded and Col. Roosevelt arose. Bowing to the court, the Colonel said he would waive the matter of damages save for the nominal amount provided by law.

### Fines in Anti-Trust Suits.

Washington.—Fines imposed by the federal courts against "trusts" during the current fiscal year for alleged violations of the Sherman law aggregate to date \$151,957, or more than three-fourths of \$200,000 originally appropriated by congress for the year's prosecutions of combinations in restraint of trade. Most of this amount has been paid and the remainder is the subject of appeal in the courts.

### FIGHT IN MID-AIR WITH FLAMES

Two Men in Blazing Biplane Volplane Twelve Hundred Feet to Earth.

Salisbury, England.—Volplaning from a height of 1,200 feet in a blazing biplane, the British aviator, Colwyn Pizey, and a passenger, H. Fellows, reached the ground in safety and stepped from the machine just as an explosion of the gasoline tank wrecked it.

The aeroplane was in easy flight over the outskirts of the town when suddenly the carburetor took fire. Breaking the inlet valve the aviator shut off the gasoline and started a steep volplane. The rush of air fanned the flames, and, to those who witnessed the incident, it seemed as though the men had but a slender chance for life. Tongues of fire swept under the passenger seat and Fellows drew himself up and clung to the stays while the aeroplane made its swift descent.

Pizey held the wheel in firm grip, although the flames scorched his hands, and succeeded in making a splendid landing.

Just as the men sprang from the machine the gas tank blew up, but they practically escaped injury.

### Vote By August 1 On Tariff Expected.

Washington.—"Make the Republicans work," is the slogan adopted by the Democratic leaders of the senate in charge of the tariff legislation, who predict that the senate would vote on the bill by Aug. 1. Members of the finance committee declared that the bill would be out of subcommittees on June 9, that the full committee's report should be ready for the caucus by the following week and that the revised measure would be reported to the senate June 23.

## TWO TEXAS VETERANS KILLED

Robert Nolen and B. F. Moore are Victims of Falls at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Tenn.—Thursday afternoon, Robert Nolen, a veteran from Beaumont, Texas, fell down steps in the Auditorium hotel on East Ninth street and broke his neck, dying almost instantly.

B. F. Moore of Euqua, Texas, who was injured in a fall Wednesday, died at a local infirmary.

The twenty-third annual Confederate reunion ended Thursday. The climax was the parade of veterans in the morning, the thin gray line passing in review before the commander in chief and his staff.

The Texas division, headed by Major Gen. Felix Robertson and staff, led the parade. Col. K. M. Van Zandt and staff were in the lead of the Trans-Mississippi department. The Texans received much applause and many cheers from the crowd, estimated at 150,000 spectators, which lined the streets along the line of march.

The Dallas guards made a fine showings, as did the Fort Worth camp members. The maids and sponsors of the Texas division and of the Trans-Mississippi department rode in the division of the veterans from Texas and Arkansas.

Texas had 195 camps represented at the reunion, entitling them to 395 votes, all of which were cast for Jacksonville, Fla., as the next meeting place.

### LOBBY INVESTIGATION ORDERED.

Senator Cummins' Resolution With Kern Amendment is Adopted.

Washington.—After a sharp debate over terms, the senate adopted a resolution instructing the judiciary committee to investigate the charge that a lobby is being maintained in Washington or elsewhere to influence pending legislation, with particular emphasis upon its efforts for or against the Underwood tariff bill. The resolution was in direct response to the public statements made by President Wilson that an "insidious lobby" was operating against the tariff bill.

President Wilson in his talk with the newspaper correspondents declared he was in sympathy with the proposed investigation and would be glad to furnish the names of the lobbyists to whom he referred, if "public necessity required."

Under the resolution, which was adopted as introduced by Senator Cummins, with amendments by Senator Kern, the judiciary committee is directed to report its finding within ten days. No provision was made for open hearings.

### GUNBOAT FIRES ON AEROPLANE.

None of Shells Take Effect, Flying Machine Being Too High.

Nogales, Ariz.—Aviator Mason sailed his big biplane over the gunboat Guerrero in Guaymas Bay Friday.

The ship's gunners attempted to shell the aeroplane, which remained at a height of 5,000 feet. None of the shells took effect.

Mason did not attempt to drop any bombs. To show his defiance to the federal gunners, he made five flights over the bay.

In the meantime the state troops were driving the federalists back toward Guaymas, say official state reports. The fighting took place at Batametal, where there was a fight on the day before.

It is declared by the state officials that all is ready for a concentrated attack on Guaymas, with Mason assisting from overhead, while the insurgents attack from three sides.

### Mexican Governor Takes Long Trip.

Dallas, Texas.—In a trip to prove that the longest way round is the shortest way through, Gen. Antonio Rago, governor of the Mexican state of Chihuahua, passed through Dallas, en route to the City of Mexico. There is a line of railroad running straight from Chihuahua to the City of Mexico, but the general is not taking it because, presumably, there are too many rebels loose. On the other hand, the governor came from Chihuahua to El Paso, took the Texas and Pacific through Dallas to New Orleans, will sail from there to Havana, Cuba, on June 10, and from thence will go to Vera Cruz by boat. He expects to reach the capital by June 20.

### Texan Gets Colombian Post.

Washington.—Thad A. Thompson, a wealthy and prominent business man of Austin, Texas, had been selected for United States minister to Colombia, to succeed James T. Dubois. Mr. Thompson was a delegate to the Baltimore convention and has been an active worker in the Democratic ranks. He is a personal friend of Postmaster General Burleson. The controversy between the United States and Colombia over the partition of Panama from the latter country will be a problem Mr. Thompson will have to handle.

### British-American Treaty is Renewed.

Washington.—Secretary Bryan and Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, have signed a renewal for five years of the general arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain, which expired by limitation on June 4. The treaty provides for the arbitration by The Hague court of any differences of a legal nature not affecting "the vital interests, the independence or the honor of the two contracting states," and which do not concern interests of third parties.

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We hear a great deal more about the prosperity of the farmers and ranchmen from Washington than we do right here at home.

Well, a few of Callahan county citizens will get hit with the income tax, if they don't raise the amount above four thousand dollars, but none of the newspaper men will be disturbed.

Since the Japs got a gentle hint from John Bull that a row with Uncle Sam over the race question might bring about a coalition of the Caucasian against the Orientals, the Japs have not been near so cocky as they were. You see John Bull has a Jap question in Western Canada and in Australia and of course he could not help Japan against your Uncle Sam because of his Canadian and Australian subjects. The trouble with the Japs is they are suffering with too much "national honor" bumptiousness. While we don't want any war with Japan, if it should come it would be no small matter, yet without providential interference the Japs would be crushed in the end and would not, as Congressman Slayden says, recover in a hundred years. The successful war against Russia may yet prove the ruin of Japan.

What would a New England manufacturer think of a Callahan county farmer advising him how to run his factory and improve his out-put? Well, the average Callahan county farmer is just about as well qualified to give advice to the cotton or woolen manufacturer of New England as President Wilson is to give advice to a sugar planter of Louisiana about how to run their business. He tells them to use up-to-date methods in cultivating and making sugar, that the Louisiana planter has made no advance in cane growing and manufacturing sugar in thirty-five years, when as a matter of fact the sugar planters of Louisiana are regarded as the most up-to-date manufacturers of cane sugar in the world, and are so considered by cane growers everywhere. President Wilson seems to be about as well posted about sugar production in Louisiana as he was about political conditions in Texas when in 1912 he expressed the opinion that from what he knew of Texas (he had spent less than three days in the state) that state-wide prohibition was both desirable and practicable in this state. If President Wilson's other information upon which he is demanding free sugar, wool, cattle and about everything else produced on the farm is based on no better grounds than his statement about prohibition for Texas then he does not know much about it, if he is President of the greatest Republic on earth.

Many of the Texas papers are full some in their praise of Cato Sells, who has been appointed Indian Commissioner. Mr. Sells is no doubt an estimable gentleman, we never heard anything to the contrary at least, but to give him credit for carrying Texas for Wilson, consequently securing Wilson's nomination, and then his election is spreading it on

pretty thick. Cato Sells has only lived in Texas six or seven years and until last year was hardly ever heard of outside of bankers associations. What has he done for the Democratic party in Texas that he should be so signally honored? Nothing, absolutely nothing as compared with other Wilson men in this state, who have fought the battles of the democratic party (while fighting their own battles) for years before Cato Sells was ever heard of in Texas. We have an idea that much of the praise for Cato Sells by some of the press is prompted more by a desire to dig some competitor than to praise Cato Sells, personally. Bryan nominated Wilson, and would have done so regardless of how Texas had gone in the primary. If Texas had not gone for Wilson it would have probably have gone for Harmon, which as events later proved would not have benefitted him in the least. Had Texas gone for Clark the result would have been the same had Bryan pulled off his stunt just as he did, and doubtless as he had laid his plans before he went to Baltimore. The only flaw in Bryan's plan was that he nominated Wilson in place of himself, at least lots of Democrats believe so and Bryan's course at Baltimore justifies this belief. While we do not believe Cato Sells made Wilson president he deserves recognition for the dust he raised and no doubt he will make a good commissioner.

Well, we can all endorse Bryan's peace plans, if we do not agree with him about grape juice as a beverage, and many other fads he has adopted. Bryan's plan is to arrange treaties so that nations must not go to war without first making public their reasons giving a sufficient time to let reason rule. If that could be done there would be few wars. If this rule could be applied to individuals there would be few fights. If Bryan can get his plan in operation he will deserve the greatest honors the world can bestow upon any man. There are too many people who are always stirring up strife and of course with such Bryan's plan for universal peace will not please them. Bryan's plan may be "the baseless fabric of a dream," but if all men and all nations want to do right why should his plan prove impracticable? To be hailed as the greatest general of the world, has been the ambition of all military men of every age and clime, but the man who can devise a practical plan for universal peace would be greater than Lee, Grant or Meade; greater than Marlborough, Wellington or Napoleon; greater than Hannibal or Caesar, because he would accomplish more good for the world than all the military heroes of the world. These men fought for their country, and some for glory, and their names are written with burning letters on the scroll of fame. Bryan may not succeed but the time is coming when this dream will come true, and he will deserve credit for making a start in the right direction. Wars are not as popular as they were in the past. War means waste and should be abolished.

Why should the advocates of the light of publicity shie at public hearings on the tariff?

If they considered their own interests all the newspaper men ought to favor the Underwood bill because print paper and paper pulp are placed on the free list. We are by that just like other raw materials. If paper and pulp are revenue producers why should they be placed on the free list? We do not expect to buy paper any cheaper because it is free listed. The manufacturers and dealers will absorb all the profits, just as the sugar refiners and dealers will be the only ones benefitted by free sugar. Personally we have no kick at the price of print paper or sugar and ask no favors of the government. We belong exclusively to the consuming class, Wilson's "forgotten man." We raise neither sugar, cotton, wheat, corn, cattle or sheep and none of the raw materials the Underwood bill places on the free list, but we realize the fact that if the farmers and stockmen are injured by a tariff law or some other calamity, we all suffer alike. The

farmer gets more praise and less real benefits of government than any other class. The government becomes greatly concerned about the hours of labor for the laboring man, but who ever heard of a law maker that had gall enough to propose to regulate the hours that a farmer must and must not work. He rises at 4 o'clock in the morning and works until 8 to 9 p. m., 16 to 17 hours a day. The politician pats the farmer on the back and tells him he is the mud sill of the whole governmental fabric, but when a tariff law is passed the manufacturer, that lives in opulence, is remembered and the mud siller is forgotten. You see the mudsill is so low he cannot be seen, but they see the smoke stacks of the factory. The farmers protested against the free list in the tariff bill but every day the news was given out from Washington that President Wilson and the Democrats were standing firm. The mudsiller had no influence but when the manufacturers of the great west began to howl about free wool and sugar, about free flour and taxed wheat, why the tune changed in a jiffy, and news came swiftly that the senate committee, with the full knowledge of the President, was making concessions. They saw the smoke stacks and heard the roar of the manufacturer, but no evidence has ever been produced that the mudsiller, the farmer was ever considered, unless perhaps his voice was mixed up in the yells from the West, where the states are doubtful, because the voters look out for number one.

EULA LOCALS.

As Patsie is so busy just now I will try to help him report from this section of the country. Cotton chopping is the order of the day now and with the help of grasshoppers and prairie dogs don't think it will last long. Oats are short and will have to be mowed. Cotton and feed look good, but a good rain would be appreciated by all.

No sickness to report that we know of, everybody smiling.

There was a birthday celebration on May 27th, at the home of J. C. Gist in honor of the 18th birthday of his only daughter, Miss Myrtle, and was greatly enjoyed by all present. A substantial dinner was served at 12 o'clock, and ice cream and cake in the afternoon. A small number of relatives and friends were present, among them were: Misses Alice and Vera Pool and Miss Rosa Taylor of this neighborhood, Clint Blakely of Belle Plaine, and Mrs. Tom Pool and little son of Baird. Kodaking was the principal amusement in the afternoon and many interesting groups and positions were "snapped." Piano music and singing was also enjoyed. We congratulate Mr. Gist on such a daughter and may she have many happy returns of the day.

Mr. Hampton of Maryneal is here visiting relatives and friends and also lending a hand to those in need in the warfare of the people vs Gen. Green.

Miss Ida Taylor of Baird is visiting here and at Potosi this week.

Otha Gist captured a monster bull snake Sunday that weighed nine pounds. We dont know which was scared the most—Otha or the snake.

There seems to considerable proing and con-ing at Washington just now. Wilson is worrying over the new tariff and mourning because it is not. On our national plum tree are many plums if there had not been I would have told you.—Wilson, I go to prepare a place for you that where I am there you may be also.—Wilson to Bryan. What-soever you both do, behold I am with you.—Marshall. And now abideth these three—Wilson, Marshall and Bryan, but the greatest of these is Bryan.—Bryan.

When the Japanese scare dies down wonder what next will be hatched up to attract the "deer people's" attention from the things that they think they ought to have.

The childrens services Sunday night was well attended.

Now that Jimmie Stephenson has his auto in good shape, also a new buggy, I had rather be his best girl than anyone I know of.

I am certainly sorry to hear of

"Juan" getting hurt and trust that he will soon be right side up with care. All you old timers that have written to The Star come back again as I like to hear from them, also to read "Juan's" stories of the long ago. In fact I am no new comer myself, having preambulated to Callahan Co., in 1877. And that reminds me that last week were assembled in a Tennessee city seven thousand of the blue and the gray and soon the last of these old veterans and heroes of the great civil war will have passed out to that great unknown from which as yet no traveler has returned and when we note their gathering together we are made more forcible to note their falling out of line which again reminds us that such a great number of our own "old timers" of Callahan County have passed away in the last twelve months. Peace to their ashes.

Now that is all for this time.

"Jinks."

DR. J. A. WARD PASSES AWAY.

Pioneer Minister of Texas Dies at His Home Near Avoca. Was Buried at Anson Friday.

Rev. J. A. Ward, who has been in the active ministry as long and perhaps longer than any man in Texas, passed away at his home in Avoca, eight miles from this city last night. The remains were accompanied to Anson this morning where they will be laid to rest this afternoon. Rev. J. S. Hodges pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church of this city officiating.

Rev. Ward began his ministry in Louisiana fifty-five years ago. After leaving Louisiana he came to Texas and was pastor of the Central Cumberland Presbyterian Church in the city of Dallas more than a quarter of a century ago. Leaving Dallas he has held the important pastorates in Marshall, Corsicana, Gainsville, Abilene, Anson and Stamford. He was the first graduate of the old Chappel Hill College and the degree of D. D. was conferred on him at the old Trinity University at Tehau-cana twenty years ago. His most successful pastorate was perhaps at Corsicana, where he built a very large church and manse which still stands, though he has never held a pastorate in Texas that he has not done great work. At one time he was Moderator of the Texas Synod and his name is a household word in every Presbyterian home in Texas and no man in the West is better known and loved. He was one of the first advocates of the Union of the Presbyterian Churches of this state and was a very important factor in bringing about this result.

Dr. Ward came to Jones County in 1892, built the first Presbyterian Church in Anson, which was the first Presbyterian Church erected in the county. After a successful pastorate in Anson he moved to Stamford and through his efforts the first church that was built in this city was erected and he was pastor for several years. He afterwards moved to his farm near Avoca, but has continued to preach at different times until declining health came upon him some weeks ago. While he was in declining health his death was unlooked for and came very suddenly, having eaten breakfast with his family yesterday morning.

The deceased was a Knight Templar and took a very active interest in the Masonic order, as well as other organizations to which he belonged.

Dr. Ward was born in 1824 in Louisiana and did some service in the Confederate army, but on account of his ministry was not called upon for much active duty. No man in the West was more universally beloved and his hobby was "Men." No minister had greater affections in the men of his acquaintance than did Dr. Ward and no one has done more effective work in the uplift of man.

His death is universally mourned in this section and the funeral this afternoon at Anson was largely attended. Deceased had no children and is survived by his wife, whom he married some twenty years ago.—Stamford News-Tribune.

Dr. Ward was pastor of the Cum-

# GROCERIES

I have bought out Wristen & Johnsons grocery business and adding their large stock of goods to the immense stock already carried by us gives us the largest and finest stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries in Callahan County, and we solicit the patronage of the former patrons of the firm of Wristen & Johnson. As has always been our custom, will give you prompt service and courteous treatment and sell you good goods at reasonable prices. You will always find here Fresh Vegetables Fruits, etc in season, and kept in the best condition possible. TO THE CITY TRADE: We have a competent corpse of salesmen and deliverymen and can fill your orders promptly. TO THE COUNTRY TRADE: We are prepared to take care of your trade in this line. We always pay the highest market price for Butter, Eggs, Poultry and all Country Produce. Make our store your headquarters when in town. TO ALL: We solicit your Grocery trade; we have the largest stock of goods in the county and believe that we can take care of your business to the satisfaction of all concerned. We appreciate the patronage given us in the past and hope by prompt attention to businsss, fair dealing and courteous treatment of our customers to merit a continuation of the same.

Respectfully,

## B. L. BOYDSTUN

PHONE 227.

FARMING MACHINERY OF ALL KINDS

berland Presbyterian Church of this city some years ago and was loved by all who knew him and his death is regretted by all.

Card Of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends for their many kindness and messages of of condolence, rendered during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father especially the Orders of which he was a member, and the Railroad men, and hope that Gods richest blessings shall be on you.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following list of letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Baird, Texas, for the week ending May 31, 1913. When calling for same, please say "advertised,"

- Mr. Roy Colley.
- J. C. Forsyth.
- Mrs. Mollie Murray.
- Mr. Rop Pinson.

- Mrs. Nora Percy,
- Clarence Percy
- Harry Percy
- Mrs. Clarence Percy.

Fleet Howell went to Abilene Monday.

## THIS BANK

# Wants Your Business

We confess it. On the other hand, we know we are justified in thus asking your patronage. We not only offer our depositors every facility to be found in a modern institution, together with courteous consideration and the best of service, but we also assure you of Security for your money, Strength and Stability in management and methods. . . . We will appreciate your business.

## The First National Bank of Baird

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS.

J. F. Dyer, President.	Henry James, VicePresident.
W. S. Hinds, Cashier	J. W. Turner, Asst. Cashier.
W. A. Hinds	Tom Windham





# The GOOD THINGS ARE GOING EAST

## HOT WEATHER IS HERE TO STAY

The next three months will be very uncomfortable and if you ever needed Summer Clothing you need them now. We desire to call your attention to our very complete stock of Summer Dress Goods, Millinery Goods, Ready-Made Dresses, Underwear, Embroideries, Laces, Low Cut Shoes, Hose, etc., all of which are selling very rapidly.

We are well pleased with our sales in these departments and have lately received a new stock of Summer Goods which places us in a position to take care of your most exacting demands, but these new goods are selling very fast and we suggest that as far as practical it would be best for you to do your summer shopping within the next few days, before all the New Things are gone.

### Dress Goods

The arrival of a recent order from St. Louis wholesale house places us in a position to offer you many new things in Summer Dress Goods, such as a new stock of Ratines. We now have the striped Ratines in all colors. We have the weaves that washes the nicest at the low price of 25c per yard. We also have a full stock of Voiles, Marquisesettes and Pongees in all colors at 20c to 25c per yard. We carry a larger stock of Flaxons and Lawns than any other store in Baird, plain and figured patterns at 5c & 40c a yd.

### Embroideries

We offer the best bargains in Embroideries that you can find in town. We have embroidery flouncing from 18 to 50 inches wide, ranging in price from 15c to \$1.50 per yard. Also 2500 yards of edging and inserting, all widths at unreasonable low prices.

### Ready-Made Dresses

We have sold more Ready-Made Dresses this year than ever before, but still have a nice assortment of Ready-to-Wears in Linens, Lawns, Piques and Gingham, which we will sell at greatly slashed prices. They go at \$1.75 to \$4.00.

### Ladies Underwear

Our Ladies Underwear Department is still very complete. No economical lady will make her underwear after inspecting and pricing our magnificent stock. Be sure to see our Ladies' Union Suits, made of the new Porosknit weave. They are the coolest garment you ever wore. All sizes and grades. Price 35c to \$1.00. We have a big showing of Ladies vests at prices ranging from 10c to 25c each. Our recent shipment contained a nice lot of Crepe Gowns in all colors. This gives us the most complete stock we ever carried at prices from 50c to \$1.50 each. We also received five bolts of new cotton Crepe and furnish you any number of yards in all colors.

### Middy Blouses

If you need a new Middy Blouse for either indoor or outdoor wear we have them, trimmed in all colors, in both plain and Norfolk style at 65c to \$1.50 each.

### Ladies Hats

Misses Wheeler and Brock will have charge of my Millinery Department for the Summer. They will be glad to design, make or remodel your Mid-Summer hat. Their experience in the Millinery business merits your consideration and we appreciate your trade. All Ready-to-Wear hats hereafter will be sold at a Big Reduction.

## THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE.

# WILL D. BOYDSTUN

### Dry Goods

### Millinery

#### T. & P. TIME TABLE.

East Bound.	
No. 8. arrives	9:10 a. m.
" 4 "	12:20 p. m.
" 6 "	1:10 a. m.
West Bound.	
No. 7. arrives	2:40 p. m.
" 3. "	4:00 p. m.
" 5. "	4:15 a. m.

Trains No. 7. and 8. stop at Roscoe.  
Trains No. 3, 4, 5, and 6, are through trains to El Paso.  
J. H. Rowley, Agent.

#### PERSONAL MENTION

W. H. Perry was in town yesterday.  
Miss Esterbell Bowlin is visiting relatives in Merkel.  
Olbern Russell, of Oplin, is spending the week in Baird.  
Pink Norrell, of Ft. Worth, spent a few days in Baird this week.  
Miss Nell Ruer, of Ft. Worth, is visiting Mrs. W. J. Lewis.  
Mrs. M. M. Harris and Miss Mamie Mills, of Dalhart, are the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Vaughn.

Tom Windham and Henry Preston of Oplin, were here first of the week.  
Miss Kathryn Howell was in town Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lowery Blakeley were in from Crooked Creek Monday.  
Miss Stella Townsend of Hamlin was the guest of Mrs. Sarah Barclay the past week.  
Mrs. N. H. Pratt returned Sunday from Huntsville and Austin, after a stay of three weeks.  
Arthur Mitchell has returned from Putman where he spent a week visiting Will Pruitt.  
Mrs. Clarence Rice is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Rawson of San Marcial, New Mexico.  
Mrs. Teeple left yesterday for De Leon, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Lowe.  
J. T. Respass, "Uncle Jimmie" our Cottonwood correspondent, was in town Tuesday, and made THE STAR office a brief call. He reports crops in good shape around Cottonwood.

Miss Lora Franklin returned home Thursday of last week from a visit with friends in Cross Plains.  
Mrs. W. J. Ray spent several days in Oplin last week with her father Mr. Glenn, who has been right sick.  
Sam Cornett returned from Marshall Friday, where he went for an operation for appendicitis.  
Mrs. C. A. Ruhrop, and children, of Toyah, are visiting Mrs. Ruhrop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hinds.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Percy have returned to their home at Texarkana after attending the funeral of their father, J. W. Percy.  
Miss Helene Ruhrop, of Toyah, is visiting Miss Ethel Hinds. Miss Helene is enroute home from Milford where she has been attending school.  
Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Jones were in from Clear creek Monday. Misses Eliaska Gilliland and Nell Price returned home with them for a few weeks visit.  
The Kindergarten School closed Friday, May 23rd with a picnic. The children were made merry by exploring the arts of nature for a half-day.

Miss Wren Foy, who has been attending Polytechnic College, Fort Worth, returned home a few days ago.  
Mrs. W. E. Leverett and Miss Kate Vaughn, of Fort Worth, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Vaughn.  
**For Sale.** One young fresh Jersey cow with heifer calf. John Hirt. 26 2xp  
Miss Willie Jones from Polytechnic College visited her sister, Miss Margaret Jones here last week. They left Saturday for their home at Roscoe, Texas.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Phillips, of Roscoe, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Phillip's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cutbirth. And accompanied by them they spent a day or two on the Bayou fishing.  
Mrs. Sarah Barclay, Misses Jean Lambert and Stella Townsend visited relatives at Cottonwood the first of the week. Miss Georgia Ann Lambert who has been visiting in Cottonwood for several weeks returned home with them.

#### FROM CROSS PLAINS REVIEW.

Will Franklin, assistant cashier of Home National Bank of Baird, was in Cross Plains the first of the week.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Boyles on the 24th a girl. Mother and baby doing nicely.  
B. L. Boydston of Baird was here the first of the week in the interest of his business. He ordered the Review sent to him.  
Lothair Thomason of Dallas, accompanied by his wife from Putman where she has been visiting her parents, are in Cross Plains the guest of Mrs. Thomason's brothers and sister, Joe and Pierce and Miss Wilda Shackelford. Mr. Thomason is taking a course in a dental college in Dallas.  
We notice in the Baird Star that J. H. Walker, for years in charge of the job department of The Star, has moved to Balmorhea. Mr. Walker is a first class printer and one who should succeed in any place where a good workman and newspaper man is appreciated.

Mr. E. P. Carter, of Abilene, visited in Baird Sunday.

A wild pony hitched to a cart pulled off a stunt near THE STAR office Tuesday evening that beat Mollie Bailey's show while it lasted. Elmer Walker was riding in the cart and Jim O'Shields was holding a rope tied to the horse's neck to be used in case of an emergency. When the pony took a notion to shed the harness Jim planted himself in the street and held him like a vice and Mr. Dyer says Jim never missed a chew on his tobacco while the pony was doing his wildest plunging. After the harness had been replaced George Berry mounted the cart, spurs and all; while Larmer Henry took the rope which Jim O'Shields had held so gallantly, and the last we saw of them they were going towards Cisco, except when the pony would take a notion to fly straight up.

#### Kindergarten Notice.

I wish to thank my patrons for their hearty support during the past term. I expect to return next September, and aside from the kindergarten, will teach primary up to the fourth grade. Your patronage is earnestly solicited.  
25-1t Miss Margaret Jones.

**Brooch Lost**—Rose colored enamel brooch set with pearls. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Mrs. L. M. Hadley. 25tf.

**Dressmaking.**—Ladies dresses fitted on the automatic dress form. Prices 50c to \$2.50. Work guaranteed. See Mrs. J. W. Farmer. 2w.

#### A POSITION FOR EVERY GRADUATE

**COMMERCIAL COURSE** includes Bookkeeping, Banking and Corporations, Grammar, Arithmetic, Penmanship, Spelling, Commercial Law and General Office Work. Also Typewriting.  
**SHORTHAND COURSE** includes Shorthand, Court Reporting, Spelling, Penmanship, Typewriting and Business Letters.  
For further particulars call on or address: Roberts Business College, Weatherford, Texas. 26-2t.

#### \$10.00 REWARD.

Strayed or stolen, one dark chestnut sorrel mare about 14 1-2 or 15 hands high, 3 years old. Foretop cut out, and dot in forehead. Wire scratch on left front leg above knee. Finder please notify, J. E. King, Baird, Texas. 26-1t.

Master J. L. White was thrown from a horse Friday afternoon near the overhead bridge. The horse became unmanageable, and he was right severely hurt.

Misses Vera and Carrie Scarborough of Rising Star, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. J. W. Farmer and will spend the summer with her.

Mrs. W. J. Lewis entertained Tuesday afternoon in honor of Miss Nell Ruer, of Fort Worth. "500" was played at six tables. Punch was served between the games. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Powell, of Ovalo, after spending a few days in Baird with Mr. Powell's mother and other relatives, left the first of the week for Huntsville, where Mr. Powell will take a special course in teaching.

Uncle Bill Jackson left Tuesday for his old home in Ballard county Kentucky. "Uncle Bill" says he may return in the fall and he may never come back. The best wishes of THE STAR goes with Uncle Bill; we wish for him a safe return. He has drank branch water and breathed the pure ozone of old Callahan county too long to voluntarily remain away and we are betting on him coming back.

Misses Verna Miller, Maude Conner and Lillie Parks returned home a few days ago from Denton, where they each completed their course in the State Normal and were awarded permanent certificates. Miss Verna was also awarded a diploma for general efficiency. Miss Lucile Powell, of Ballinger, also received a permanent certificate. We congratulate the young ladies and wish them success as teachers.

"If Elijah were living today, there would be no revens to feed him. That brand of reven has gone to roost forever.

"The only bird that will feed you now is the eagle on the American dollar. Catch the eagles. Save the dollars. If you do, you and your family will never starve. You will have Elijah backed off the boards."---Popular Magazine.

#### YOUR ACCOUNT WILL BE APPRECIATED.

## The Home National Bank of Baird

S. L. Driskill, Pres. Harry Meyer, V. P. H. Ross, V. P.  
T. E. Powell Cashier  
F. L. Driskill, Asst. C. Will C. Franklin, Asst. C.



## Stubborn Case

"I was under the treatment of two doctors," writes Mrs. R. L. Phillips, of Indian Valley, Va., "and they pronounced my case a very stubborn one, of womanly weakness. I was not able to sit up, when I commenced to take Cardui.

I used it about one week, before I saw much change. Now, the severe pain, that had been in my side for years, has gone, and I don't suffer at all. I am feeling better than in a long time, and cannot speak too highly of Cardui."

## TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

if you are one of those ailing women who suffer from any of the troubles so common to women.

Cardui is a builder of womanly strength. Composed of purely vegetable ingredients, it acts quickly on the womanly system, building up womanly strength, toning up the womanly nerves, and regulating the womanly system. Cardui has been in successful use for more than 50 years. Thousands of ladies have written to tell of the benefit they received from it. Try it for your troubles. Begin today.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. J 52

### CITY BUILDING NOTES.

Debt is a hard taskmaster.

The community spirit pays big dividends.

A clean city is naturally a healthy city.

Skill without will is bound to stand still.

If you don't get the fly he will surely get you.

"No pains, no gains", applies to cities as well as individuals.

Ignorance and carelessness squander half what knowledge and energy create.

The knockers are the only ones that get along without cooperation.

Advertise your town. People like moths are attracted by the light of publicity.

Though the world may scoff at small beginnings, yet by such history records the story of greatness.

The grouch is out of tune with God and man. The music of prosperity drown his doleful strains.

Don't lie about your town. The truth is good enough for the booster, and the knocker is soon found out.

To build a State many forces are required and happy are the builders when co-operation and harmony prevail.

Ten thousand tongues singing the praises of a community won't help it a little bit unless willing hands undertake the practical work.

Increase the beauty of your town. It is truly a great thing to make a flower grow where an ash heap flourished before. Beauty is its own excuse.

### DON'T YOU OWE YOURSELF SOMETHING.

For beautifully-illustrated literature descriptive of the numerous splendid, home-like and not unreasonably expensive resorts throughout Wonderful Colorado and along the Pacific Coast, including the Great Colorado Chautauqua at "Boulder-the-Beautiful", address A. A. Glisson, General Passenger Agent, "The Denver Road"-Fort Worth, Texas.

Little vacations in those directions are always worth more than cost. May 23d to June 30th.

A successful farmer must at least possess three virtues-honesty, energy and economy.

Whatever change the tenant farmers makes, it is bound to be for the better-it couldn't be for the worse.

There are two kinds of farmers. One tries to take all the advice he hears and the other won't take any at all.

In every field of human activity the demand for more competent men and women is growing every day. Especially so in agriculture.

Education is a developing of the mind, not a stuffing of the memory. Digest what you read.

### JOB WORK.

J. H. Walker, who has had charge of the Job Department of THE STAR office for 18 years, has moved to Balmorhea, Reeves county. Miss Eliza Gilliland has exclusive charge of the Job Department. She will collect all bills and pay all accounts made by that department. Miss Eliza is an experienced printer and will guarantee satisfaction. She has frequently had charge of the Job Department of THE STAR office and ran the business for five months during Mr. Walker's absence in St. Louis in 1909. We will appreciate your orders. We have one of the most complete job offices of any town the size of Baird in Texas and there is no use or excuse for any one sending out of town for job work. All job work cash on delivery of work.

Lazy farmers are just as useless as dead ones and take up more room.

Over-production and crop mortgage force the farmers into ruinous competition with each other. The remedy lies in organization and in co-operation in marketing.



### RALPH.

My English Shire Drafthorse, Ralph, will make the season at my place in north Baird, Thursdays excepted. Will be at Clyde on Thursday of each week. I will not be responsible for accidents.

14-3mo. John G. Hancock

## SUMMER EXCURSION RATES

JUNE 1st AND AFTER TO THE NORTH, EAST AND WEST VIA



LOCAL EXCURSION RATES ONE FARE PLUS TEN CENTS EVERY SUNDAY

ROUND TRIP MINERAL WELLS EVERY DAY.

For full particulars see T. & P. Ry Agents, or write

A. D. BELL, GEO. D. HUNTER Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt. Gen. Pass. Agt. DALLAS, TEXAS

## MAINE MEMORIAL UNVEILED IN NEW YORK



The chief event of Memorial Day in New York was the unveiling of the Maine Memorial monument at the entrance to Central Park. The Atlantic squadron anchored in the Hudson boomed a salute before the exercises, which were attended by many notable persons.

## 384 PEOPLE RESCUED FROM WRECKED SHIP

AMERICAN LINE STEAMER HAVERFORD RUNS ON ROCKS NEAR QUEENSTOWN IN FOG

### WIRELESS BROUGHT HELP

Stranded Vessel, with Water Pouring Into Forward Compartment, Soon Surrounded by Boats.

Queenstown.—The American Line steamer Haverford, which sailed from Liverpool for Philadelphia with 134 cabin and 850 steerage passengers aboard, when on the rocks westward of Corkshead Thursday afternoon while feeling her way cautiously in a dense fog. A big hole was torn in her forward compartment.

The wireless again demonstrated its efficiency. Within a few minutes the ship was in communication with Queenstown. First aid in the form of tugs which ply between the port and passing liners were sent to the rescue. Before dusk all the passengers, with light luggage, had been safely brought ashore. When the last passenger was taken off there was fifteen feet of water in the forehold.

The steamship was pulled off the rocks by tugs at midnight and towed here.

The admiralty station received the first message of distress. This it transmitted immediately to the American line office and at the same time dispatched the big government tugs Tidespout and Stormcock to the liner's aid. The company's Queenstown agent soon afterward sent three of the Clyde Shipping Company's tugs which, with the tender and tugs carrying eighty Irish passengers who expected to board the Haverford, already on the way, soon arrived at the scene of the accident.

Thus the stranded vessel in a short time was surrounded by a small fleet. There was considerable anxiety aboard the Haverford, as as was shrouded in the densest fog, but nothing resembling a panic. The transfer of passengers was made in perfect order. The captain and crew remained on the ship.

### \$40,000,000 Insurance on Morgan Art.

New York.—Although the precise value of the Morgan art collection at the Metropolitan Museum has not been stated. It is learned that it has been insured by J. P. Morgan, an executor of his father's will, for \$20,000,000. This amount does not cover the total insurance on the collections left by Mr. Morgan. An additional \$10,000,000 of insurance has been obtained on the art collection in Mr. Morgan's private gallery on Thirty-sixth street. Another \$10,000,000 of insurance been obtained by Mr. Morgan, trustee, on the collection in his father's London house at Princess Gate. This would bring the total insurance so far obtained on the chief Morgan art collections up to \$40,000,000.

### Southern Veterans in Alabama Wreck.

Tusculum, Ala.—Four trainmen were badly hurt and several passengers were slightly injured when a west-bound passenger train of the Southern railroad collided with an eastbound Northern Alabama train near Sheffield, Ala. A number of Confederate Veterans were aboard the Southern train, returning to their homes in the West from the Chattanooga reunion, but beyond minor bruises none was hurt.

## FATAL STORM IN VIRGINIA

Scores of Small Vessels Overturned and Others Damaged on Coast.

Norfolk, Va.—Several persons are reported to have been killed, scores of small craft were overturned, others were carried to sea and considerable property damage resulted when a cyclonic wind, accompanied by rains and hail, swept this section of the Virginia coast Friday.

Twenty houses were wrecked at Berkeley and South Norfolk. Mrs. Geo. Harper was seriously injured and a number of other persons were hurt by flying timbers.

The big government wireless mast in the navy yard was completely wrecked and will be out of commission for at least a week. The roof and part of the "right" side of the house built on the receiving ship Franklin was blown away. The Tunis Lumber Company, Greenleaf-Johnson Lumber Company and Fisburgh Lumber Company, all located on the Berkeley side of the Elizabeth river, sustained heavy losses. Big storage sheds, dust blowers and other buildings were demolished by the wind.

Norfolk was in darkness for several hours and electric lights in public places went out while the storm was at its height. An audience gathered in the theater sang songs in the darkness while the orchestra played patriotic airs.

### GOUX WINS AUTOMOBILE RACE.

Frenchman in the Peugeot Finishes First in Big Event at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind.—The United States fell before France here when Jules Goux, a Frenchman, driving a French car, the Peugeot, won the third annual 500-mile automobile race in 6:31:33.45 at an average speed of 76.59 miles an hour.

When Goux stopped the winning car at the French pit, his manager leaped upon the track and before the driver moved from his seat embraced and kissed him. Goux stepped to the track waved the stars and stripes, then the French flag to the grandstands. Crossing the banners, he leaped on the pit's edge, then into the arms of his enthusiastic countrymen.

Goux changed tires eight times during the race.

No fatal accidents marred the running of the race, although two were seriously injured, when the Mason, driven by Jack Tower, upset on the back turn, due to a tire blowout. Tower's right leg was broken and Lee Dunning, his mechanic, was hurt internally and three ribs were broken.

### International Buys Equipment.

New Orleans, La.—Equipment to the value of almost \$1,250,000 has been purchased for the International and Great Northern lines of Texas by the president. The contracts for the expenditures include \$190,000 for ten locomotives and \$1,100,000 for 1,000 cars of various types. The equipment is intended for delivery in time to move this year's crops.

### Widows Killed After Cemetery Visit.

Chicago, Ill.—Coming from a cemetery, where they had visited their husbands' graves, and confided with each other that "It would not be long now," Mrs. Marie Blaurock, 68 years old, and Mrs. Johanna Shalk, 76, were killed by a street car. Harry Blaurock, 19, a grandson of Mrs. Blaurock, sustained painful injuries. An automobile in which the three were riding was struck by a car. The aged woman had gone to rearrange the flowers which had been placed on the graves Memorial Day.

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International	Quart	\$1.25	Gallon	\$4.75
Carlisle Rye	"	1.25	"	4.75
Martin's Best	"	1.50	"	5.50
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International	"	1.00	"	3.75
Parker Rye	"	1.25	"	5.00
Stone River Bourbon	"	1.00	"	3.50
Pure White Corn	"	.75	"	3.00
Arkansaw Apple Brandy	"	1.00	"	4.00
Maryland Peach Brandy	"	1.25	"	5.00
Black Berry Brandy	"	.75	"	3.00
Apricot Brandy	"	1.00	"	3.75
Grappa Brandy	"	1.00	"	4.00

### WINES.

Virginia Dare	Quart	1.00	Gallon	\$3.50
Port	"	.75	"	3.00
Sherry	"	.75	"	3.00
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**A CHANCE FOR MANEUVERS**

Secretary Garrison Declares Army Will Be Given Opportunity to Brush Up on Tactics.

Washington.—Friends of officers in the second division of the army mobilized at Galveston who inquired whether the troops are to be kept in Texas all summer were frankly assured by Secretary of War Garrison that the troops will remain under mobilization in Texas until stabler conditions prevail in Mexico.

There has been some expectation that the soldiers would be returned to their various stations, but Secretary Garrison has decided that with the improvement of the conditions in camp and the apparent necessity for troops on the frontier the division shall remain where it is.

The opportunity will be used for maneuvers during the summer and some temporary changes may be made in the stations which will relieve the monotony of camp life. A plan is under consideration for maneuvers during the summer for the cavalry brigade at Texas City and also for the troops on patrol duty along the Mexican border. The cavalry brigade that will have maneuvers in the Shenandoah valley of Virginia will be made up of regiments in the Eastern division. Secretary Garrison is planning to attend the maneuvers of this brigade.

A complete revision of the organized militia laws so as to include provisions which will make the state troops available for foreign service and to provide federal pay for them are proposed by Secretary Garrison. The plans of the secretary would virtually extend the Dick law, under which the militia is now organized, to cover these two important changes in the relations between the federal government and the state troops.

**MONUMENT DEDICATED TO MAINE**

Notable Assemblage Attends Unveiling Exercises in New York.

New York.—In memory of the 267 officers and men who were lost with the battleship Maine in Havana harbor 15 years ago, the National Maine monument was dedicated here Friday. From a dozen American warships, units of the Atlantic fleet at anchor in the Hudson river, a salute of 252 guns echoed from the palisades as the veil was swept aside that revealed the country's tribute, a pylon 40 feet high that stands in Central park, overlooking Columbus circle.

Noted citizens spoke words of praise for the dead heroes of the war with Spain and for those who live. Former President Taft, the secretary of the navy, the governors of Maine and New York, representatives of the Cuban republic and others took part in the exercises.

**MEXICAN FEDERALISTS ROUT REBS.**

Assume Offensive at Colombia But Retire When Reinforcements Appear.

Laredo, Texas.—In a battle Saturday between federalists and Carranzistas at Colombia, resulting in 28 dead, 30 wounded and many prisoners, the federal forces along this frontier for the first time in months assumed the offensive, with results favorable to the constituted government. Three different columns of federalists left Nuevo Laredo for Colombia, 25 miles up the Rio Grande. Upon arrival, a detour was made by the federalists, one column flanking the rebel force on the east, while another force flanked the rebels on the south and west, cutting off practically all retreat except across the Rio Grande. When the federalists had secured coveted positions a deadly fire was poured into the rebels ranks from two machine guns, completely routing the enemy.

Following up their vantage federalists took 106 prisoners and pursued the routed Carranzista force.

Later in the day reinforcements were secured by the rebels, 300 men. With arrival of fresh rebel forces, the federalists are reported to have abandoned their prisoners and returned to Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, leaving Colombia again in the hands of the rebel forces.

**Runnels County Votes Dry.**

Ballinger, Texas.—A prohibition election in this county (Runnels) resulted in a victory for the dries by a majority of 98. The county has been dry two years. The pros carried the county two years ago by 327.

**New Federal Court Proposed.**

Washington.—Representative Smith of Texas introduced a bill to create a fifth federal judicial district in Texas, to be known as the Panhandle district. The district is to be composed in part of the present Northern and Western district, including particularly and of the counties process from which is returnable to the Abilene, San Angelo and Pecos divisions, and all of the Panhandle country. The bill provides for the holding of court at Amarillo, Lubbock, Abilene, San Angelo and Pecos.

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**BRYAN'S PEACE PLANS ACCEPTED BY JAPAN**

AMBASSADOR CHINDA FORMALLY NOTIFIES HIM REGARDING GOVERNMENT'S ACTION.

**APPROVED IT IN PRINCIPLE**

Approval of Proposition Has No Bearing Whatever on California Alien Law Question.

Washington.—Viscount Chinda, the ambassador from Japan, Monday called upon Secretary Bryan with formal notification that Japan had accepted in principle the proposed plan advanced by the United States for universal peace.

Signatories of the treaty proposed in Mr. Bryan's plan would agree to refrain from hostilities for a period of at least nine months while any conflicting claims were under consideration by an international joint commission. In the case of Japan, as with the ten other nations that have received the proposal favorably, the response applies solely to the general principle involved, and none has committed itself to approval of any of the details of the project. Therefore, it may be many months before the tentative draft of the convention, which Mr. Bryan submitted to the various embassies and legations, can be reduced to a form which will receive their unqualified approval.

The statement by the Japanese ambassador that his government was prepared to give careful consideration to the peace proposal has no bearing whatever upon the negotiations now in progress between the two countries regarding the California land legislation. During his call upon Mr. Bryan the ambassador discussed this subject from various angles for half an hour, but without any definite result.

**QUESTIONED ABOUT LOBBY.**

Senators Required to Answer Eleven Queries Under Oath.

Washington.—The tariff lobby investigation which started as a result of the statement by President Wilson as to the presence of an unusually numerous and "insidious lobby" in Washington in connection with the pending tariff bill, began Monday under the direction of the Overman subcommittee of the senate judiciary committee.

The investigation opens with the appearance before the committee of the members of the United States senate, each of whom is required under oath to answer eleven questions. This is to be the foundation work for the investigation. It is intended to develop two things—first, the extent to which each senator is personally interested in industries that are affected by the tariff, and, second, the personal and character of the lobbyists who have sought interviews with sen-

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**Buyers Mexican Railway Notes.**

New York.—A syndicate of New York, London and Berlin bankers purchased from the National railways of Mexico an issue of \$26,730,000 6 per cent two-year secured notes. This was part of an authorized issue of \$29,160,000 and provided funds for the payment of \$10,000,000 of the company's notes that were due. The new issue also provides funds for the retirement of \$13,000,000 in notes due Nov. 15 next and for other requirements of the road.

**Secretary of State Changed.**

Austin, Texas.—The resignation of John L. Wortham as secretary of state became effective June 1 and he retired to private life. He is succeeded by Senator F. C. Wehnert of Guadalupe county.

**Spanish Premier Will Remain.**

Madrid.—Count Alvero de Romanones, who, on May 30, resigned as premier, together with all his ministry, has consented to resume office. He returns to the premiership at the request of King Alfonso.

**Two Trainmen Killed.**

Moorehead, Minn.—The fireman and engineer on a mail train of the Great Northern railroad were killed when the train left the rails at a crossing near here. The accident is attributed to misread orders.

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To the union there was born fifteen children, thirteen of whom grew to maturity and ten of whom are still living. They also have 68 grand children and 17 great-grand children which makes in all 95 living lineal descendants. They have, in addition two great grand sons-in-law and five great grand daughter-in-law. However they had no great grand children. Probably no such record could be found elsewhere in the county and very few in the state, especially when we consider that there is not a cripple nor invalid among them. Bro. Needham was a minister of the Primitive Baptist church for the last 25 years and lived a life consistent with his professions. He was also a life-long democrat, having voted the straight ticket as often as any man in Texas, never having scratched the ticket. Withal, he was a man of clean life and leaves a host of friends to mourn his loss.

The remains were laid to rest in the Glen Cove cemetery at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. J. A. Goodwin of Fisk, officiating.

The Democrat-Voice extends sympathy to the aged widow and family.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

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**COTTON PRODUCTION.**

G. S. News Service.  
Census bulletin shows Callahan County cotton production. The total number of bales of cotton ginned in Callahan County from crops of 1912 is 15593 according to a report which has just been issued by the Federal Census Department. This total excludes linters and the department counts round bales as half bales. The total production of Callahan county in 1911 was 10843 and 8862 bales in 1910. The total production of Texas in 1912 was 4,645,172 bales which is the largest production in history. The crops of 1911 and 1910 were 4,107,152 and 2,949,967 bales respectively. No values have been announced on the Texas Cotton Crop but the large yield in the State was, in measure, offset by the partial failure in other portions of the South which has had a tendency to keep up prices.

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JACK SAUNDERSON

Mr. Jack Saunderson, formerly of the celebrated "Spooner Stock Co" and having played with various Motion picture companies thru-out the east and west, while enjoying his summer vacation with friends and relatives in Abilene, has been prevailed upon, by the Baird Fire Department to come to our city and promote and direct a home talent production for the benefit of the "Baird Fire Co." for the purpose of securing funds to finish paying for their automobile truck, which they are having made for their new chemical.

Mr. Saunderson, who has had many years of experience in directing, both professional and amateur plays, states that he is giving us one of the best comedy dramas in his repertoire of numerous royalty plays. All the talent that is being used in this play was selected from the citizens of Baird, with the exception of Mr. Saunderson. The play consists of 5 acts, entitled "The Octoroon" or "The Last of the Seminoles," dealing with the different situations of life in Louisiana before the war, during the time of slavery. Mr. Saunderson tells us that "The Octoroon" is not only a tear producer but a laugh producer as well, as it keeps the audience doing one or the other throughout the play, and sends them home well satisfied with the climax.

We consider ourselves fortunate in securing the services of so capable a director, and trust that we will have the support of every citizen of our little city in helping us raise the necessary amount for this beneficial cause. The company has appointed several parties to canvas the town and sell tickets previous to the night of the performance so when they present themselves at your place of business or residence have no hesitancy in buying one or two, for it must be remembered that the opportunity of seeing a good play does not confront us often, and in consideration of the worthy cause of which this play is being produced, we feel sure that every citizen, who realizes the necessity of having an up-to-date Fire Department, will gladly and willingly show their appreciation of the hard working volunteers by lending them a hand financially.

The Local Talent Co. have been rehearsing for the past week. Mr. Saunderson is more than pleased with the advancement they have made with their long strenuous parts.

He says: "They are some Actors and Actresses," and at the rate they are progressing it would be unjust to consider them amateurs.

The performance will be given in the early part of the week. Circulars will be distributed on the streets the day previous to the performance.

**BELLE PLAINE SAYINGS.**

Here comes XXXX again with a three cornered smile on their faces. There was something of a sensation last time. "Uncle Peter" came pretty near guessing us when he said the writer was some female. Now guess again.

Everything is lively at Belle Plaine. The farmers are busy as it is almost harvest time. The grain is pretty short, but some better than our last crop.

Bro. Crockett filled his regular appointment here Sunday. We had Quarterly Conference Saturday.

We have had a number of cases of measles in our neighborhood. Mr. W. J. Cutbirth has several cases of measles in his family, also several of Mr. Blakley's family have been right sick with the same disease.

Mrs. C. C. Seale has returned from El Paso where she has been for several months.

Miss Eulalia Hearne has returned from an extended visit with her aunt in Coleman County.

Everyone seems to be enjoying beautiful days of spring and longing for the good old summer time which is rapidly approaching.

Judge Wyatt, father of Mrs. J. R. McFarlane, was buried at the Belle Plaine cemetery Thursday afternoon. XXXX extends sincere sympathy to the bereaved daughter, relatives and friends. May they be comforted by Him who doeth all things well. Remember life here is only a pilgrimage and preparation for a better one hereafter.

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely. Our Secretary, Miss Cathryn West, has resigned. We are sorry to give her up for she proved to be a competent officer. Miss Eulalia Hearne has accepted the position

We are sure that everyone will be pleased with her work.

Myrtle Crockett of Denton spent Sunday with Freda and Earline West. Miss Judith Hall of Denton is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. Hearne.

W. P. West, Mike Hughes, M. Thomas, T. R. Lane and A. T. Young were Baird visitors the last of the week.

I heard that there is a dreadful custom in China of giving poor little infant girls to terrible monsters of the sea, but I think we have a more dreadful custom of giving our girls here in America to a far more terrible monster, the smooth tongued and smiling monster of the land. Perhaps we need a few more of our missionaries nearer home.

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**A Worker Appreciates This.**

Wm. Morris, a resident of Florence Oregon, says: "For the last fourteen years my kidney and bladder incapacitated me for all work. About eight months ago I began using Foley Kidney Pills, and they have done what other medicines failed to do, and now I am doing and feeling fine, I heartily recommend Foley Kidney Pills." Foley Kidney Pills do not contain habit forming drugs and are tonic in acting, quick in results. They will help any case of kidney trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. Holmes Drug Co.

**ATTENTION, DAIRYMEN-FARMERS.**

Produce cream and ship to us and have a check every week to pay your expenses with. Correct weights, tests and highest market price guaranteed. Peerless Creamery, Weatherford Texas. D. M. Melvane, Mgr. 25-4tp

Mrs. James White returned Sunday from Austin and other points East, where she has been visiting for the past 10 days. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. M. B. Zirriax, from the Sanitarium at Austin.

The Roberts Business College, Weatherford, Texas, is one of the few Business Colleges in Texas that has been under the same management for the last THIRTYFIVE YEARS. Doesn't that mean something? 26-2t.

Shriners Pin Found.—R. A. Williams left a Shriners pin at THE STAR office. Owner can get it by proving property and paying 25cts for this notice. 26-1t.

Mrs. J. M. Cunningham of Putnam, attended the funeral of J. W. Percy.

**No Substitute Could Do This.**

No inferior substitute, but only the genuine Foley Kidney Pills could have rid J. F. Wallich, Bartlett, Nebr., of his kidney trouble. He says: "I was bothered with back-ach, and the pain would run up the back of my head, and I had spells of dizziness. I took Foley Kidney Pills and they did the work and I am now entirely rid of kidney trouble. My Father-in-law, now past 93 years, has taken them and they have added years to his life. Holmes Drug Co.

It is rumored that Rev. Loftin, pastor of the Baptist Church, has tendered his resignation as pastor. We hope the church will not accept his resignation and that he will remain with us. Brother Loftin has many friends outside of the church, as well as among church members of the different denominations of Baird, that hope he will not leave Baird.

So far as we could learn, only three old Confederates of Callahan county attended the Confederate Reunion at Chattonooga. They were: Maj. W. K. Davis, W. B. Jones and Jasper McCoy. Will McCoy accompanied his father on the trip. W. B. Jones called at THE STAR office Monday, having just returned from Chattanooga. Mr. Jones says he had a very enjoyable trip; met his only living brother and many old comrades. Mr. Jones belonged to a North Carolina regiment and was in Gen. John B. Gordons' division at the surrender of Gen. Lee's army at Appomattox.

**For Sale.**—Fresh Whipcorwill seed peas. J. H. Terrell. 26-2p  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lambert on June 4th, a boy.

**Masonic Election.**

Blue Lodge Saturday night June 14th. Chapter Friday night June 20.

Dr. R. L. Griggs has bought a new auto and it is a beauty.

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S-A-M gives  
G-R-E-E-N-B-A-C-K-S  
for G-I-N-G-E-R-I-Z-E-D  
G-U-M-P-T-I-O-N and G-R-I-T  
W-E give YOU the G-I-N-G-E-R-  
I-Z-D G-U-M-P-T-I-O-N. Have  
YOU got the G-R-I-T? D-O Y-O-U  
W-A-N-T T-H-E G-R-E-E-N-  
B-A-C-K-S? Roberts Business  
College, Weatherford, Texas. 26-2t.

It is true that women more frequently suffer from kidney trouble than men. It is also true they suffer more intensely, owing to their more sensitive organism. Katherine L. Norton, New Bedford, Mass., says: I had a terrible pain across my back, with a burning and scalding feeling. I took Foley Kidney Pills as advised, with results certain and sure. The pain and burning left me, I felt toned up and invigorated, I am glad to recommend Foley Kidney Pills." They are tonic in action quick in result. Holmes Drug Co.

Pigs For Sale.—Fine Duroc Jersey pigs. J. H. Terrell. 26-2p

Milch Cow For Sale.—Holstein Jersey, extra fine. J. H. Terrell.

Miss Clara Stovall, of Corbon, is visiting Mrs. F. M. Hubbard.

Miss Merle Wharton of Putnam, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. Phillips.

Frank McGraw attended the Elks Lodge at Abilene Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. McIlroy and children of Fairbanks, Alaska, are visiting Mrs. McIlroy's sister, Mrs. E. M. Smith of Baird.

We call attention to the grocery ad of B. L. Boydston on 4th page. Mr. Boydston carries the largest stock of groceries and implements of any firm in the county, and is prepared to meet all requirements of his immense trade that is constantly growing.

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