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BAIRD, TEXAS

EX-DRUGGIST R. PHILLIPS DEAD

R. Phillips, who was in the drug business in Baird for many years, but later moved to Rotan, died at Rotan last Saturday night, at the home of his son, Oris Phillips. The body was shipped to Rotan for interment.

Mrs. Phillips died only a few weeks ago and was buried at Rotan. They are survived by three children, two sons and one daughter, O. L. Phillips, Ranger; Harold Phillips, Rotan, and Mrs. Sam Braswell, of Clarendon.

It is with sadness we have to record the death of these estimable people. Gradually the old timers are passing and a new generation will take our places.

ANOTHER GOOD RAIN IN CALLAHAN

A good rain fell at Baird at about 4:30 o'clock last Sunday morning, and reports south as far as Larry Blakeley's place, on the Bayou, say a good rain, but as in former rains, it was better in some places than in others, and from a few points only light showers are reported.

Again, Monday, it looked as though we would get a general rain, but only a few light sprinkles at Baird. Just how much the rain will help the grain crop is a problem, yet to be solved. More favorable reports from wheat are reported in the past few days, but it seems that wheat generally will be a small yield and on some farms none.

OIL BUBBLING UP AND LOOKING UP IN NEW DEEP CREEK FIELD

There is a rumor afloat that there will soon be a turning up of "first dirt" out on the Deep Creek Shallow Field that may mark the birth of an oil metropolis rivaling Desdemona or Rising Star.

The bits of three new shallow tests are boring their way toward the mother lode of the liquid gold deposit that lies hidden there, and Monday will mark the spudding in of a fourth by the Baird Development Oil Company, about 150 yards west of their No. 1 well, which is seeping from 25 to 30 barrels of high grade oil a week, although the bit barely scratched the oil sand.

President Ryk van der Valk, of the B. D. O. Co., returned from Chicago last week, whither he had been to confer with stockholders of the company in the Windy City. He informed The Star that as soon as a pumping outfit, including a new pumping engine, arrives from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, drilling in No. 1, which is at a depth of 406 feet, will be resumed. Wednesday the oil shot over the standpipe to a height of about six feet and flowed for several hours.

Mr. van der Valk believes, that from indications there will be a good flow of oil, and he will prepare for it by the erection of suitable storage tanks.

"The latter part of this month," said he, "the company will be reorganized, with a capital of \$250,000 and we will put down quite a number of shallow tests and in all, probably a deep well. The present

company has a lease on 100 acres, but I control about 1100 more acres and these will be turned over to the new company for development."

One mile south of the Baird Development Oil Company's No. 1 well, Montgomery Brothers, oil drillers, have a hole down three hundred feet.

McGowen Brothers, H. C. and J. H., are hard at work in a well one and a quarter miles west of south of the B. D. O. Co's No. 1. Their driller is J. C. Cox.

About a thousand yards northeast of the "Dutchman's Well," as the flower is generally called, Ford L. Driskill has a rig up and the drill sinking, under the expert direction of Messrs. Simons & Ungren, of Sipe Springs.

Secretly speaking oil seems to be looking up in the Deep Creek field.

MOTHER'S DAY AT M. E. CHURCH

"Mother's Day" will be observed at the M. E. Church next Sunday at eleven o'clock. This service was postponed from the regular date because of the District Conference at Abilene.

Rev. W. M. Lane will preach at both the morning and evening hours. An effort will be made to provide a Mother's Day flower—a white carnation—for every mother present. Let others wear a red flower, if mother is living, a white one if she is dead.

IN STOLEN SHOES THIEF ESCAPED

In the north window of Mayfield & Hall's Toggery Shop there was on display a unique and, to the uninitiated, a rather puzzling display, this week, attracting much attention. The centre piece was a very presentable sack coat, neatly draped on a display rack. Flanking it on the floor of the window were a battered pair of laced tan bootees, one on each side. Beside them were a white-handled razor, a shaving brush a handleless pick and a paper tray containing 35 cigarette butts, a pair of soiled hose supporters and a T. & P. timetable.

This flotsam and jetsom was scattered about over the floor of the toggery shop at 3:45 o'clock Sunday morning when Night Watchman Joe Tisdale, making his rounds, peeped in at the shop window and thought he spied a man crouched down beside the counter under the cash register.

"Come out o' there!" he yelled, "or I'll shoot!"

The crouching figure was a man—a burglar—and at the watchman's threat, he ran crouching toward the rear door, which he had jimmied open with the handleless pick. The watchman sprinted around the corner and down Eugene Bell avenue, pistol in hand. When he reached the alley corner the thief darted swiftly across that thoroughfare. Joe took two shots at him in rapid succession. The first bullet crashed through one of the windows in Ray's Garage, but at the second shot the fleeing robber pitched forward on

his face.

Joe thought he had winged his man, and darted toward the fallen man, but his foot also struck a snag and he kissed the earth. When he scrambled to his feet the fugitive was speeding across Bowluses lumber yard. Watchman Tisdale took another shot at him, but the fleeing man gained the avenue and sped eastward, passing Louis Crutfield, who was returning from work, at a two-forty-gait.

When Ex-Lieutenant Cale Hall made an investigation he found that the burglar was still running (probably) with a pair of Mayfield & Hall's shoes upon his feet. A pair of socks and a pair of sock supporters were also missing. Piled up on the floor, ready for removal, were eleven suits of clothes and five pairs of fine shoes. Mayfield & Hall offer a reward of \$25 for the arrest of the thief and evidence enough to convict him.

M. E. QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

The Second Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will meet at the Methodist church Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Rev. W. M. Lane, presiding elder, will be present.

The quota for the Baird church on the Educational Fund is \$4,440. Contributors can designate what fund they wish their subscription applied to. Rev. W. M. Lane will preach at 11 a. m. Sunday. L. R. Thompson will preach at night at 8 o'clock.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. The public conference will convene all the Sunday school.

WAGE COMPROMISE IS SOUGHT BY RAIL BOARD

WITHHOLDS DECISION ON PAY CUT PENDING PARLEYS ON BOTH SIDES

EXPECT REPORT BY JULY 1

Agreement Between Workers and Chiefs Expected to Prevent Arbitrary Rulings

Chicago, Ill.—An early announcement by the railroad labor board of its decision on the application of the 95 railroads for wage reductions will depend upon the success of a move to effect a general compromise of the wage and working rules questions, it is learned.

The wage issue is now in the hands of the board and the only obstacle in the road of early settlement is the fact that roads and the employes will not be effected until July. Each railroad and representatives of each classification of labor are now holding conferences on working rules and each will report to the board by July 1. Shortly after this time general working agreements will be announced.

It is now contended by labor, and the contention is upheld by the three labor members of the board, that new wage schedules could not be announced before the rules question is settled because the men would not know what they could expect in the way of overtime, bonuses, hours of labor and other important issues. The board has asked to delay its wage decision until this matter is adjusted.

Other members of the board favor a wage decision by June 1. If this was done without some kind of agreement on rules, the three members of the board representing labor will vote against any wage reduction, it is learned. The hope of influential board members is a compromise which will insure a unanimous vote on both the wage and rules decisions. If the 16 fundamental points on working rules contained in the decision of the board abrogating national agreements are included in the rules decision in July, as interpreted by the rail union leaders, then a unanimous decision granting the roads a reduction in the wages of common labor from 10 to 20 per cent can be reached, it was stated by one competent authority.

AIRPLANE FALLS AND TWO ARE KILLED

Abilene, Texas.—A mechanic named Carson and Miss Margaret Pearson were killed and Lieutenant E. A. Locking was seriously injured Sunday when an airplane piloted by Carson fell at a local aviation field.

Lieutenant Locking is said to be in a serious condition. He served during the world war in the British Royal Air service and has 2,000 hours of air service to his credit. The aviator had made his home in Temple and Abilene since coming to America from Yorkshire, England.

The cause of the accident has not been definitely determined, but witnesses believe the plane went into a tail spin.

E. T. Akin, local aviator, who examined the wrecked airplane, said he believed the control lever jammed and that Carson lost control of the machine. Carson is said to have been a student aviator.

NOTED WOMAN EVANGELIST TO HOLD MEETING MAY 22

Dallas, Texas.—Mrs. Alma Semple McPherson, the greatest living woman evangelist, will launch an evangelistic campaign at the coliseum, Dallas, Texas, May 22. Mrs. McPherson has conducted wonderful meetings in Philadelphia, Pa., Aton, Ill., Dayton, Ohio, Montreal, Canada, San Diego, Cal., and many other large cities. Mrs. McPherson is now in a meeting in Moolah Temple, St. Louis, Mo. One meeting in San Diego was held in Balboa Park and was attended by over 10,000 people, the meeting lasting from 10 o'clock in the morning until sundown. She is a forceful speaker with a strong personality, and works along interdenominational lines.

Jockeys Given \$3,000 Each

Louisville, Ky.—Jockey C. Thompson, who rode E. R. Bradley's Behave yourself to victory at Churchill Downs in the Kentucky Derby, which carried \$50,000 added money, Saturday afternoon, received \$3,000 from his employer for his winning effort. Lawrence Lyke, who had the mount on Black Servant, a stable companion of the winner and second companion in Saturday's race beaten by a head, was rewarded with a like sum.

FRENCH WITHDRAW IN UPPER SILESIA

ALLIED TROOPS ARE MUCH OUT-NUMBERED; ADOPT NEUTRAL ATTITUDE.

Berlin.—Outnumbered by the Polish "irregulars" swarming into Upper Silesia, the French troops have withdrawn from Kreuzberg, Rosenberg and Lubinitz.

Telephone dispatches from the allied headquarters at Oppeln Friday declared that the withdrawal had been carried out without casualties.

The situation is somewhat more serious than on Thursday, when the strength of the "invaders" had not become wholly apparent.

The Polish forces outnumber the allied troops by perhaps 70,000 men, and all reports to the foreign office agree that the allies are absolutely unable to cope with the situation.

Reports from non-German sources say that the French are not fighting, but have adopted an attitude of neutrality.

It is apparent that, with Friday's advance, the Poles are seeking to seize the entire territory, and then, secure in their positions, dare the allies to deliver Upper Silesia to Germany under the terms of the plebescite.

The invaders' lines now reach toward Oppeln and Rosenberg.

A new list of Italian casualties issued Friday shows sixteen dead and a number wounded. The French losses have been slight.

Serious industrial losses are incurred through the general stoppage of labor in the affected district, particularly in vital industries, such as the blast furnaces of Lenhoff, now completely idle.

Entente leaders report having found a number of Polish regular troops participating in the movement.

ALLIED INVITATION IS ACCEPTED BY HARDING

Two Ambassadors Will Sit Also With Supreme And Envoys' Councils.

Washington.—President Harding has decided to re-establish the American government in the allied councils created to effect settlements under the treaty of Versailles.

Henceforth, George Harvey, U. S. ambassador to the court of St. James, will sit in the allied supreme council as the personal representative of the president. Henry Wallace, U. S. ambassador to France until relieved by the newly appointed ambassador, Myron T. Herrick, will resume his seat as an unofficial observer on the council of ambassadors; Roland W. Boyens, Boston lawyer, will resume his work in an unofficial capacity as the American representative on the reparations committee.

Official word to this effect has been communicated in a formal note from Secretary Hughes to Premier Lloyd George, president of the allied supreme council. Acceptance of the urgent request of the council that the United States once more participate in the deliberations carries the American position back to where it was under the Wilson administration, until Wilson, to relieve Harding of any possible embarrassment, ordered all unofficial representation on the allied councils discontinued.

The action of President Harding, as forecast in these dispatches, was taken on the advice of leaders in his cabinet.

TEXAS GINNERS NAME PLANO MAN PRESIDENT

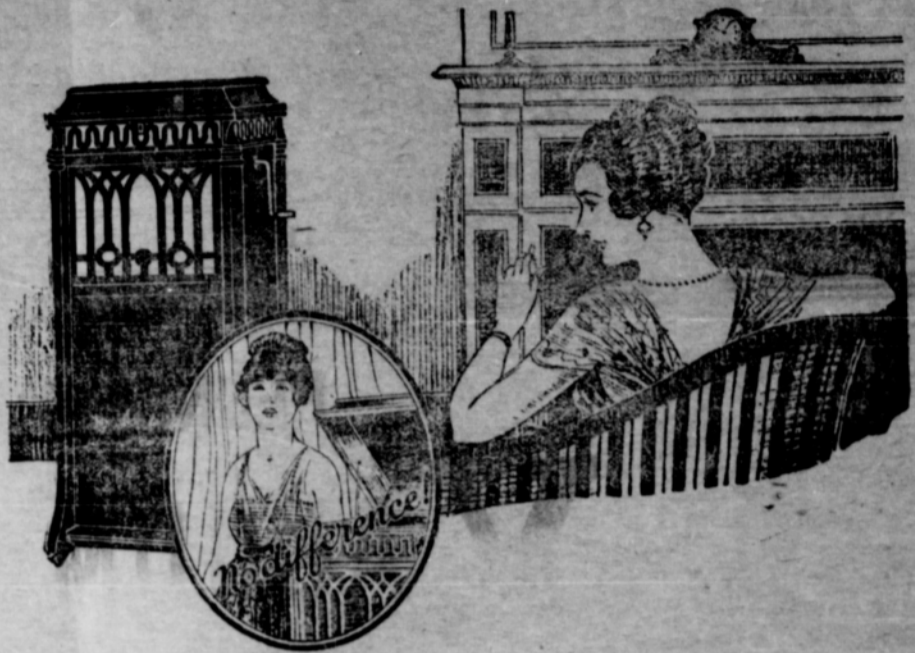
Dallas.—The Texas Cotton Ginner's association closed its twelfth annual convention Friday with the election of officers and the adoption of the reports of committees.

An unusual departure was made in the adoption of the report of the legislative committee, which recommended that the legislature amend the warehouse and marketing law to provide that "a lien for the benefit of the ginner follow every bale of cotton; that the purchaser of said bale become liable to the ginner for the charges for ginning and wrapping, unless the ginner's ticket descriptive of said bale, including charges for ginning and wrapping, show that the charges already have been paid and receipted for."

Oiney Davis of Plano was elected president, Louis Troutwein of Shiner vice president and S. S. Frazer (re-elected) secretary.

The new executive committee consists of J. W. Wooldridge of Paris, W. J. Bowers of Robstown, B. F. Wilkinson of Ferris, Mrs. Ed Hillman of Runge and John Donigan of Abilene.

The convention will meet next year at Dallas as the meeting place is fixed.



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Grand Saline Has Fire.

Grand Saline, Texas.—Fire loss estimated at \$100,000 was caused here Wednesday night when three brick buildings were destroyed.

Ginners of Texas Meet.

Dallas.—The Texas Cotton Ginner's association opened its annual convention at the coliseum Thursday morning with President E. E. Wood of Childress presiding and about 1,000 delegates from all parts of the state in attendance.

Disorder on Joan of Arc Day

Paris.—There was considerable disorder Sunday in Paris and in other places during the celebration of the anniversary of the lifting of the siege of Orleans by Joan of Arc in 1429. Fourteen policemen and 23 communists were wounded and many arrests were made when communists tried to enter the gates of Paris to protest against the celebration. There was hand-to-hand fighting between the demonstrators and mounted guards who barred the way to communists.

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ULTIMATUM OF ALLIES IS GIVEN TO GERMANY

NATION ALLOWED A WEEK TO
SAY IF OBLIGATIONS WILL
BE MET.

London.—The conference of allied premiers, described in commons. by Lloyd George as "the most momentous meeting since the drafting of the Versailles treaty," has come to an official end with the dispatch to Berlin of a final reparations demand.

German now has until May 12th in which to resolve whether to accept the prescribed formula or reject it and invite occupation of her vital industrial centers.

British officials, relaxing after their arduous labors, will not predict the outcome. They are hoping and the hope is shared by the Italian delegates, that Berlin will accept, or at least find a government willing to accept. France, on the other hand, urging framing of terms so strong that they would meet immediate rejection, is hoping and praying that Berlin's answer will be "No."

The three important points in the document are:

1. The annuities will be variable, equivalent to 25 per cent of Germany's total exports, "or alternatively an equivalent amount reached by any other index of German prosperity."

2. It is officially stated that the total of the first five annuities can, and probably will, be less instead of greater than under the Paris terms.

3. The real rock upon which the London conference of February broke down disappears with the elimination of the large fixed annuities of the Paris and Boulogne conferences for the later years of payment.

It is pointed out that the Germans themselves accepted the Paris proposals, but that Von Simons vetoed the acceptance and thus burned his bridges behind him.

WOODMEN OF WORLD FIELD FORCES ARE REORGANIZED

Dallas.—Complete reorganization of the field force in Texas of the Woodmen of the World by dividing the state into eleven districts, with a manager for each, was effected here Tuesday in a conference called by Robert H. McDill, state manager of the organization, and attended by the men who will be the new district managers.

The district managerships under the new plan were tendered to and accepted by the following, whose headquarters for the district designated will be in the town given after the name of each: District No. 1. E. Z. Crowder, Dallas; No. 2. W. S. Lemly, Temple; No. 3. Eugene Worden, Farmersville; No. 4. S. A. Taylor, Palestine; No. 5. O. D. Baker, Gause; No. 6. C. C. Chaffe Sr., San Antonio; No. 7. L. Esponosa Jr., Laredo; No. 8. J. H. Boggs, San Angelo; No. 9. J. M. Denton, Lubbock; No. 10. T. W. Barnes, Amarillo; No. 11. A. G. Lovelady, El Paso.

ITALY STANDS WITH U. S. ON YAP ISSUE

Paris.—Count Sforza, the Italian foreign minister talking during the journey from the supreme council meeting in London of the American government's note concerning the Yap mandate, said it had not been discussed formally in the supreme council meetings, but that he had occasion to talk of it with Earl Curzon, the British foreign minister.

"I said to him," continued Count Sforza, "that without the United States the war would not have been won. She asked for nothing and is entitled to have her way about Yap. She ought to have it and the Italian government desires her to have it."

Asked if he had any objection to the publication of his views, Count Sforza replied:

"None whatever. I shall be glad for Americans to know how the Italian government feels in this matter."

New Porto Rico Governor.
Washington.—E. Mont Rely, a Kansas City business man, was nominated Friday by President Harding to be governor of Porto Rico. Mr. Rely has been prominent in Missouri politics during several campaigns. In 1912 he was a supporter of the Roosevelt progressive party, but during the pre-convention fight last year he was an active worker for the nomination of Mr. Harding.

Steel Corporation Reduces Wages.
New York.—Continuing the general deflation in the steel industry that has been in progress for some time the United States Steel corporation will reduce wages in its plants 20 per cent, effective on May 16. Announcement of this step by the corporation was made by Judge Elbert H. Gary after the close of the stock market Tuesday.

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No man's reputation is safe until he is dead, and not always safe, even then.

Wheat is looking up some since the rain, but its heads are mighty close to the ground, yet.

President Harding sees things somewhat differently from the way they appeared when he was in the senate. Things always look differently from the inside to what they appear from the outside.

Judge Joe Burkett, Representative from this district is a candidate for the State Senate, Governor Neff having called an election for June 4th, to elect a successor to Senator Russell, who has resigned.

Germany has decided to come across with the indemnity fixed by the Versailles Treaty. The mobilization of the French army possibly had much to do with Germany's sudden change of front. Fritz started the fireworks; now let him pay for his "fun."

We notice in a number of papers east of the Brazos river and a few west of that stream, that West Texas is seething politically. We see no evidence of any "seething" in these parts. The people are sick and tired of politics and politicians in Callahan county, at least. Give us a rest.

"Trade increases the wealth and glory of a country, but its real strength and stamina are to be looked for among the cultivators of the land."—Lord Chatham. This was written more than 125 years ago, but is just as true now as then. The real backbone of this country, in peace and in war, is to be found on the farms of the Republic.

It took Governor Neff a long time to decide what to do with the resignation of Senator Russell, sent him February last. The governor only accepted the resignation last week and ordered an election for June 4th. The woods are full of would-be senators, but so far we prefer Joe Burkett to any of the proposed candidates. The Star believes Joe Burkett is the best man we can select.

For eight years no man ever held the attention of the world as Woodrow Wilson held it during his two terms as president. He was the object of more praise and more censure than any head of a great nation for an equal length of time; but when the curtain rang down on his official career March 4th last, he disappeared from public view and his name is rarely mentioned in the news of the day. Such is fame: brief, transitory, and—the night of oblivion! Will it be so with Wilson? His friends say nay! His enemies say he is done for all time.

"SHALL WE DIVIDE THE STATE?"

To the Editor of the Fort Worth Record:

With the present discussion in the Legislature as to whether we shall have one state or three, recalls to my mind a poem, written by a Texas woman in 1876, entitled "Shall We Divide the State?" and I thought perhaps you might care to give it to The Record readers at this time.

It will be found in "Dixon's Poets and Poetry of Texas," but since you would have to make a special trip to obtain it, I will gladly give it to you. I might add that the author is Mrs. Lizzie Hamlett.

Of this poem, Sam H. Dixon, in his book above mentioned, said: "It is, perhaps, her most popular one. It is a gem, and richly deserves the notoriety it has gained." The question of division may yet rise like a specter. Then will this poem again receive those plaudits once before so beautifully bestowed upon it. As time rolls on in its ceaseless train, this poem will grow in popular favor. Then there will be "No North, no South, no East, no West."

Very truly,
NELL ANDREW.

Fort Worth, Texas.

SHALL WE DIVIDE THE STATE

Mrs. Lizzie Hamlett

Divide the State? Who dare suggest
Such act of sacrilege?
Who from us thus would basely wrest
Our holiest heritage?
Bought with a price, it is our own!
And shall we rend it twain
What was cemented into one
By blood of heroes slain?

Divide the state? How then appease
The best names of those
Who watch with ceaseless jealousies
Their ashes long repose?
Say for which portion Crockett fought?
For which did Travis die?
For which hath Houston's pleadings
bought
A nation's sympathy?

Say which shall claim Jacinto's plains
Which own the Alamo?
To which belongs the gory stains
That wrapp'd our flag in woe?
The Rio Grande is our own?
Exultant, broad and free,
It sweeps in grandeur and alone
Right onward to the sea.

The San Antonio waters wide
Its green and fertile hills;
San Gabrielle its silvery tide
From crystal streamlets fills;
The beautiful San Marcos glides
'Neath azure skies serene;
And sweet Cibola laughing hides
Its willow banks between.

The giant Colorado sleeps
Beside with flowery meads;
Salado smiles, Aquilla weeps.
Lampasas proudly pleads;
The Gaudalupe bends its haughty
course
Beside the loved Leon;
And Brazos blends its breathing
hoarse
With ocean's constant moan.

The Trinity her valley crowns
With meads of waving green,
And Angelina darkly frowns
Beside the lone Sabine.
Say, shall their names be sundered?
Their names to Texas dear!
They were bequeathed us by the dead
Shall we that gift forswear?

Divide the state for which they bled!
A goddess grand and good,
And rear upon its base instead
A puny sisterhood?
No! 'Tis her broad square miles that
make
Her destiny so great;
And glory will her soil forsake
Should we divide the state.

No North, no South, no East, no
West!

Let this our motto be:
Our state is one, so let it rest,
United, great and free.
Let one grand center call her sons
To legislative halls;
Let one grand voice, in thunder tones,
Guard well her "outer walls."

MUCH RESPONSIBILITY RESTS
ON THE LABOR ORGANIZATIONS

If farmers and other classes of independent labor worked only eight hours a day for five and a half days a week, many would not eat. That is a patent fact and the fact of it

has much bearing upon the present problems of reconstruction. The Agricultural Review says on this subject:

"Resumption of normal business conditions depends more upon a reasonable attitude by labor generally than on all other factors combined. Wage reductions and the abrogation of restrictive practices are both necessary to the lowering of protection costs to a point where industry and agriculture can proceed as they should.

"In the matter of railroad wages alone, a fair labor scale in place of the present war-imposed one, together with the reinstatement of sensible working agreements, would effect a saving of nearly two billion dollars annually, and work injustice on no one. Agriculture is at present staggering along under a very large portion of this load, and is threatened with destruction, in a large measure, by reason of it.

"In a few instances local labor unions have accepted wage reductions recently, and there is considerable sentiment among workers toward gradual readjustment. But in contrast to this, and hanging like an ominous cloud on the industrial and social horizon, is the determination of influential national labor leaders to fight uncompromisingly for the complete control of industry by the unions, and against any concessions at this or any other time. One of these men declared a few days ago that the Waterloo in this contest 'between capital and labor' is rapidly approaching.

"Characterizing the contest as one between capital and labor will fool nobody. If it comes, it will be between that section of labor that thinks its control should be absolute, and society in general. The great combinations of capital do not begin to suffer as much from labor domination as do the smaller employers and industries too weak to protect themselves.

"Labor costs are paid mostly by farmers, who cannot pass the charge along, and by consumers generally. But to assume that among these there is any general disposition to treat labor unfairly is ridiculous. Even those who have reached the conclusion that the closed shop must go, have been forced to it by the unions themselves. All the public asks of the labor unions is a fair, square and honest deal. The constantly growing restrictions, which reduce output, lessen skill and avoid responsibility, are worse, if anything, than the unreasonable wages so frequently demanded.

"It is to be hoped that the fair and patriotic element in the labor unions will yet prevail; that proper concessions will be made, and that the public will never be forced to exercise its final power in the way that frequently seems inevitable."

FORMER BAIRD GIRL WEDDED

The following from the Shreveport, Louisiana Times of May 1st, will be of interest to many Baird people, who pleasantly remember the bride she being a sister of F. E. and D. W. Stanley, Mrs. A. D. Williams and Mrs. May Coffey, recently of Shreveport, but now of Baird:

STINSON-STANLEY

The marriage of Miss Ingra Stanley, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stanley, to Mr. John Cleburne Stinson, was solemnized last Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, in the presence of near relatives and a few close friends, the Rev. M. E. Dodd, of the First Baptist church, officiating.

Lovely roses and lilies adorned the living room.

The bride was very handsome in a modish coat suit of dark blue cloth and her hat was a late spring model

in leghorn and flowers; her corsage bouquet was of pink and white sweet peas and ferns. Mr. and Mrs. Stinson left the same day for El Dorado, Arkansas, where they will make their home for the present.

The young bride is lovely in person and of charming personality and has a large circle of friends; the groom is a promising young business man and has a host of friends, and the wedding is of great social interest to their many friends.

Those present of the bride's family on the happy occasion were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stanley; her brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stanley, of Baird, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lawrence and their children, of Hosston, Louisiana; Mr. Jesse Stanley, of Shreveport. The groom's relatives were his sisters, Mrs. Ford, Mrs. N. S. Stinson, Miss Annie Belle Stinson; Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Lawrence, of Anson, Texas; Mr. Waters, Miss Josie Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Will Elliott, Mrs. Marshall.

Bankrupt Oil Well

Drilling Outfit For Sale

Under order from Hon. D. M. Oldham, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy, in the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, at Abilene:

I will sell the assets of Apex Drilling Company at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at Bankrupt Court, Abilene, Texas, May 17th, 1921, at two o'clock, p. m.

Said assets consist of one Model D Well Machine, one Rumley Gas Pull Tractor Engine, Bolts, Bits, Stems, Ballers and other Drilling Tools, 375 feet of 4-inch and 6-inch casing, invoice value twenty-two hundred dollars; one Royal Typewriter No. 107, invoice value forty dollars; two Army Tents, one Gas Stove, one Gasoline Stove, Bedding and Cooking Utensils, invoice value fifty-five dollars.

All of said property now located two miles east of Moran, and to be sold in Abilene, Texas.

E. L. HARWELL,

23-1t Receiver, Abilene, Texas.

Good Groceries

That spells it—the sort you buy from us. Always fresh, of the best grades, sanitarily handled, toothsome and palatable. A great variety of all the best brands of canned Food Products. Special consignments daily fresh from the Farm, Garden and Orchard of Cereals, Vegetables and Fruits.

WRISTEN & WILLIAMS

Phones 4 and 26

Prompt Delivery



A little exhibition of efficient and promising "grit" will put some solid ground beneath your feet.

With a bank account you begin the building of your temporal fortune. You lay a solid step from which you can begin to climb. It represents an actual gain and it makes an important addition also to your reputation.

Begin revealing this determination to save by starting a bank account now.

The First National Bank

BAIRD, TEXAS

J. F. Dyer, President
Henry James, V. P.
Tom Windham

W. S. Hinds, Cashier
Bob Norroll, Asst. C.
W. A. Hinds

MEMBER OF REGIONAL BANK FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

We carry a full line of Dry Goods
Men's, and Boy's Furnishings
Ladies' and Misses
Ready-to-Wear

MAYFIELD & HALL

CREDIT TERMS 30 DAYS ONLY

Successors to H. Schwartz



THE LITTLE BROTHERS OF THE NATION

There is no phase of the achievements of our government more creditable to us than that dealing with the acquirement and handling of our outlying possessions.

A foreigner speaking of the United States colonization work says: "There never was a colonizing power which set out so fast to teach and educate the native races with which it came in contact. One great fact in development which citizens of the United States understand is that money spent on essentials is found to pay itself back."

An interesting account of our insular and other outlying possessions is given in the latest booklet of the series on Our Government being issued monthly by this Institution. Are you receiving them?

The Home National Bank
BAIRD TEXAS

STAR DUST

SIFTED INTO JINGLES BY THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Whirling

My little friend, Roberta, is a very daring girl; The stunts she pulls—this tiny maid—sets my poor brain a-whirl.

Surely

To 'tend the movies, watch the kids, eat peanuts and popcorn, Makes me, an old man, young again, as sure as you are born.

Desert

The young folks love to gad about, and if the roads are bad, Will tire of home, seek pastures new, desert old foggy dad.

Mead

Bad roads were most expensive things, o'en in the "good old days"; Good roads spell Progress, assets are, let's up! and build highways.

Lucky

The man who tills a garden and raises lots of truck, Is happy, healthy, also wise, and play- ing in great luck.

Atavism

What makes a dog turn 'round and 'round, before he goes to bed? It is an atavistic trick, at least, so I have read.

The Man About Town.

The venerable T. H. Floyd, Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1 having resigned, the Commissioners' Court appointed G. E. Printz to fill out his unexpired term.

PERSONALS

John Blakley, of Belle Plaine, is town to-day.

Henry Estes, who has been visiting his parents for several weeks, left last night for Independence, Kan.

Mrs. J. C. Gray and daughter, Miss Gladys, of San Diego, Calif. are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. C. Pierson attended a meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter at Clyde, Thursday night.

M. and Mrs. Lee Estes, H. Schwartz and others, whose names we did not learn, attended the meeting of the K. of P. Grand Lodge at Fort Worth, this week.

Mrs. M. E. Moon of Fort Worth is visiting friends here to-day. She came here from Breckenridge where she attended the funeral of Stokley Moon, who died at El Paso and the remains taken back to his old home in Stephens county for burial.

We call attention to the half page ad in this issue of Abe Berash, "Abe's Place," Clyde. He is slashing prices on dry goods, shoes and clothing. It will pay you to get the prices at Abe's Place, Clyde.

Commissioners' Court, after being in session four days, adjourned yesterday. All the commissioners, Kelton, Yeager, Windham and Clifton were present. The latter, George Clifton, was appointed in place of J. W. McDaniel, resigned.

Attorney J. Rupert Jackson, last Tuesday, negotiated the sale of the R. Cordwent 4087-acre ranch, on the Bayou, to B. Miller, of Abilene, owner of the Miller Hotel at Breckenridge. The consideration was \$70,000, and it took \$70 worth of revenue stamps to legalize the deed.

The reputation of Baird's own eminent matrimonializer, Rev. G. E. Printz, has extended as far east as Dallas, a couple from that city, Mr. Paul F. Johnson and Miss Mary E. Harris having been legally and canonically made one by him Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Mesdames J. Rupert Jackson, L. L. Blackburn, R. L. Alexander, Ernest Cooke, V. E. Hill, J. H. James, Hugh Ross, Misses Alice Gilliland and Marguerite Seale, members of the Wednesday Club, attended the meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs, at Abilene, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farmer returned Monday morning from Stamford, where they were called last week by the illness the little son of Mrs. Roy Smith, sister of Mrs. Farmer. The little boy died Saturday night and the remains interred at Stamford Sunday afternoon.

Those most estimable people, the T. H. Floyds, who are among the oldest of Baird's citizenry, are moving to Abilene, much to the regret of their many friends. Miss Willie has opened "Ye Little Shop," in our sister city, near the postoffice, and her advertisement will be found on the last page of today's Star.

Major W. R. Davis, the old Mexican and Civil War veteran, of Admiral, was a pleasant caller at The Star office Saturday. Major Davis was 93 years old March 9th last and does not get out much. This was his first visit to Baird in three years. Think of it! His life covers the greatest part of the life of the Republic, from John Quincy Adams, 6th President, in 1828, his natal year, to Harding in 1921.

The ink on his commission as Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, was hardly dry, before Rev. G. E. Printz, copper bound and steel riveted to make the tie that binds more "binding," so to speak, was called upon this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, to perform a marriage ceremony, the contracting parties being Hugh Pritchard, of Baird and Miss Rosa Williams, of Cisco. The knot was tied in the office of County Clerk Grady G. Respass.

FIFTY-FIVE YEARS OF WEDDED LIFE

For Mr. W. R. McClellan this has been a week of happy reminiscences, as it has held for him two unusual anniversaries. On last Monday Mr. and Mrs. McClellan celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary. A family dinner, at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. C. Woodward was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. O'Hair, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Woodward and Mrs. Lella M. Johnston.

Thursday, May 5, was Mr. McClellan's seventy-fifth birthday, and the many friends who have known him during his twenty-eight years' residence in Coleman, extend their hearty congratulations. Mr. McClellan is a native Texan, born in Washington county. —Coleman Democrat Voice.

BEN ALLEN'S SLAUGHTER SALES

Ben Allen, manager of the Johnson-Allen General Merchandise Company, of Oplin, is one enterprising, go-to-it and get-there business man, and he sizes up in his trade getting methods with the "very best that is." In the first place he is a firm believer in truthful advertising, persistently employed as a selling auxiliary.

For several weeks past The Star Job Print has been turning out for him regularly a series of "Price Letters," which he as regularly mails to each of his many customers. Tomorrow at the Johnson-Allen store will be "Shoe Special Day," and the bargains offered in standard footwear are as obvious as the nose on your face. The prices for each article offered are a literal slaughtering of Old Mister High Price, and this persistent weekly advertising of these sure enough reduction sales is steadily widening the Johnson-Allen Company's trade area.

All of which they deserve, for Ben Allen, the mainspring of the company is not only one splendid fellow, but a ruthless butcher when it comes to price cutting.

PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR LIKES US

We are glad to be in Baird. We were glad to welcome so many people at both services Sunday.

We will have services Sunday morning and evening. Some of our Christian Endeavorers from Albany will be over Sunday afternoon and will hold a service at about 3 o'clock, with an orchestra.

You are cordially invited to be present at all of these services, Gerald Fitzgerald, Pastor.

BAIRD PLAYING CRACKAJACK BALL

Manager J. A. Alphin's stable of pigskin swatters, under command of Harry Jones, are bringing in the base ball "bacon" these days, and bid fair to keep up this gait till snow flies.

Last Friday, at Albany, they met the home team and frailed the stuffing out of them. The score was 11 to 4 in favor of Baird. Ray and Ray were the batteries.

Saturday and Sunday the victors were at home and pitted against Fort Worth both days. Saturday the score was 11 to 10 in favor of Baird, the batteries being Parvis and Ray. In Sunday's game Ray and Ray were the batteries, and again the visitors went down in defeat, with one run to the bad, the score standing 5 to 4 in favor of the home boys.

Baird's "Dollar Day" reception to her rural friends last Saturday was a success, artistically, hospitably and financially, and everybody was as pleased as Punch. An account of this unique trade getter, crowded out of this issue because of the pressure of legal advertising, will appear in next week's Star.

BANKS
OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE
FINANCIAL CONDITION

Of the FARMERS STATE BANK at Putnam State of Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of April, 1921, published in **The Baird Star**, a newspaper published at Baird, State of Texas, on the 13th day of May, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$149,435.14
Loans, real estate	
Overdrafts	
U. S. Liberty Bonds, and W. S. S.	14,119.83
Real Estate (banking house)	5,000.60
U. S. Treasury Certificates	
Furniture	2,700.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	63,498.15
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	2,102.25
Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund	1,043.32
Total	\$217,899.09

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	15,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	13,076.44
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	
Individual Deposits subject to check	184,823.25
Bills Payable and Rediscouunts	
Total	\$237,899.69

STATE OF TEXAS
County of Callahan } We, C. T. Hutchison, Vice President, and R. L. Clinton as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief
C. T. HUTCHISON, Vice-Pres.
R. L. CLINTON, Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this, 5th day of May, A. D. 1921.

Pierce Shackelford,
Notary Public, Callahan County, Texas
CORRECT ATTEND:
S. W. Jobe
Y. A. Orr
J. A. Clements
Directors

Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon W. M. Jolly, by making publication of this Citation once a week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 42nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial

District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 42nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, on the 1st Monday in June, A. D. 1921, the same being the 6th day of June, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th of January, A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court, 489, wherein L. M. Barnard and C. M. Bradley are Plaintiffs, and W. M. Jolly C. W. Rylee and E. D. Rylee are Defendants, and said petition alleges:

The State of Texas, Callahan County--In the County court of Callahan County, Texas.
To the Honorable J. R. Black, Judge of said Court, Presiding:

Now come L. D. Barnard and C. M. Bradley; hereinafter called Plaintiffs, complaining of W. M. Jolly, C. W. Rylee and E. D. Rylee, hereinafter called Defendants, and show to the Court:
That the Plaintiffs reside in Callahan County, Texas, and the Defendants live in Callahan County, Texas.

That heretofore, to-wit, on the 27th day of January, 1920, the defendants, W. M. Jolly and C. W. Rylee made, executed and delivered to E. D. Rylee, defendant, their promissory note in writing, bearing date on the day and year aforesaid, and thereby promised to pay to the defendant E. D. Rylee or his order, on the first day of November, 1920, the sum of Three Hundred Fifty-three and 61-100 Dollars, with ten per cent interest thereon from date until paid.

That thereafter, to-wit, on or about the day of March, 1920, the defendant, E. D. Rylee, for a valuable consideration before the maturity of said note, sold, transferred and assigned said note to the said C. W. Rylee and said C. W. Rylee thereafter, on or about the day of March, 1920, sold, transferred and assigned said note to the plaintiff herein for a valuable consideration and before the maturity of said note.

That on or about the 5th day of November, 1920, plaintiffs demanded payment of said defendants of the sum of money and on many occasions since said date have demanded payment of same, yet defendants have never paid said sum, or any part thereof, to the plaintiffs damage in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

That the defendant, E. D. Rylee, endorsed said note, and as such endorser became liable to pay and as such endorser, promised to pay to the plaintiffs said note.

That said note provides for ten per cent on the amount of said note as attorney's fee, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or collected by suit; that plaintiffs have employed B. L. Russell of Baird, Texas, an attorney to file suit on said note and have promised and agreed to pay him the said attorney's fees in said note specified, which is a reasonable fee.

That said note is past due and unpaid, and the defendants and each of them, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused to pay said note or any part thereof, and still fail and re-

fuse to pay the same or any part thereof.

Wherefore plaintiffs pray the court that the defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that they have judgment for their debt, Three Hundred Fifty Three and 61-100 Dollars, interest and attorney fees, and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and equity, that they may be justly entitled to, and in duty bound will ever pray.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Baird, this the 10th day of May, A. D. 1921.

(Seal) GRADY G. RESPESS, Clerk
County Court, Callahan County.
By Jorie Wilson, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County--Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Rush Hambric by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 42nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to the 42nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Callahan county, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, on the First Monday in June A. D. 1921, same being the 6th day of June A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of January A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 484, wherein D. B. Cowling is Plaintiff, and Rush Hambric is Defendant, and said petition alleging:

The State of Texas }
County of Callahan } In the County Court of Callahan County, Texas.

To the Hon. J. R. Black, Judge of said Court, presiding: Now comes D. B. Cowling, hereinafter styled plaintiff complaining of Rush Hambric, hereinafter styled defendant, and shows to

HOME LUMBER CO.

ALL HOME PEOPLE

We carry a full stock of Lumber, Shingles and Builder's Supplies See us before you buy anything in this line

W. M. COFFMAN, Manager

GOOD CREDIT

is worth more than a small cash capital. Pay your merchants promptly and have a good credit rating

Retail Merchants Association
OF BAIRD TEXAS

Spring Millinery

I have a nice line of Ladies, Misses and Childrens Hats for Spring and Summer wear. I will be glad to have you call and see my line.

MISS ADDIE DAY
AT THE COMADOT CO.

Some **FACTS** About
FORD

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Here are authentic figures from the Ford factory at Detroit. They show you just how many Ford cars and trucks have been built each month since January 1, 1921 and how many have been sold to retail customers, in the United States.

JANUARY	29,883	57,208
FEBRUARY	35,305	63,603
MARCH	61,886	87,921
Total Production	127,074	Total Retail Sales 208,032

showing that actual sales for the first three months of 1921 exceeded production by 80,948 Ford cars and trucks!

April requisitions already specify 107,719 additional cars and trucks and the estimated April output of the factory and assembly plants combined calls for only 90,000!

These facts clearly show that the demand for Ford products is growing much faster than manufacturing facilities to produce and were it not for the dealers' limited stocks, which are now being rapidly depleted, many more customers would have been compelled to wait for their cars. It will be only a matter of weeks, therefore, until a big surplus of orders will prevent anything like prompt deliveries.

If you would be sure of having your Ford car or truck when you want it, you should place your order now. Don't delay. Phone us or drop us a card.

HARRY BERRY

BAIRD

PHONE 281

TEXAS

the Court, that Plaintiff resides in Callahan county, Texas, and that Defendant resides in Shackelford county, Texas.

That heretofore, to-wit: On or about the 26th day of Sept. 1920, and on divers days before that time plaintiff, at the special instance and request of defendant, sold and delivered to him, at the several times specified in the account marked "Exhibit A," hereto annexed and made a part hereof, certain butter, shelled oats, eggs in said account mentioned. In consideration whereof the defendant then and there promised to pay plaintiff, on demand, so much money as the said butter, shelled oats, and eggs were reasonably worth at his residence in Callahan County, Texas.

That the said butter, shelled oats, eggs, were at the time of sale and delivery thereof reasonably worth the several sums of money charged therefor in said account specified, and was then and there agreed upon as delivered amounting to the sum of \$398.20.

Yet though often requested, defendant has not paid said sum of money, or any part thereof, except as shown herein, though long since due, but has refused and still refuses so to do, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$350.00

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition and that plaintiff have judgment for \$398.20 as aforesaid, together with interest thereon at the legal rate from the 1st day of September 1920, costs of suit, and such other and further relief as he may be entitled to, either at law or in equity.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Baird, Texas, this the 10th day of May, A. D. 1921.

Grady G. Respass,
Clerk County Court, Callahan County.
By Jorie Wilson, Deputy.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

R. G. POWELL

Physician and Surgeon
Office Over Holmes Drug Store
Baird, Texas

R. L. GRIGGS

Physician and Surgeon
Local Surgeon Texas & Pacific Ry. Co.
Calls answered day or night. Office
Phone No. 279. Res. phone No. 181
Baird, Texas.

V. E. HILL

DENTIST
Office Up-stairs, Telephone Bldg
Baird, Texas

DR. GERTRUDE STEVENS

Osteopathic Physician
424 Guaranty Bank Building.
Ranger, Texas

G. C. Cutbirth's
BARBER SHOP

Hair-Cut, 50c. Shampoo, 50c.
Massage, 50c. Singeing, 50c.
Shave, 25c. Bath, 50c.
Tonics 25c and 50c

HOT AND COLD BATHS

Laundry Basket leaves Wednesday and returns Saturday. We solicit your trade. First-class work and cordial treatment to

BIG CLOSING OUT SALE

ONE WEEK ONLY BEGINNING SATURDAY, MAY 14th

My entire stock of merchandise will be offered at greatly reduced prices. Everything goes, nothing reserved. Note prices below:

Men's Shoes, former prices \$6.00 to 7.00 in Our Closing Out Sale.....	\$2.95	✕	One Lot Men's and Boys low quarters shoes former prices \$4.00 to \$7.50, sizes 4 to 6 in our big Closing Out Sale.....	\$2.35
Boys Overalls, sizes 7 to 15, Per Pair.....	.65		One Lot Children's Stockings per pair.....	.10
Big Lot of Men's Work Gloves, former prices \$1.50 to \$3.00, Closing, Out Sale.....	.95	✕	Men and Boys Belts, your choice.....	.20
One Lot Boys' Shirts, former prices \$1.50 to \$3.50, Closing out at.....	.95		Nice line of Neckties, your choice.....	.15
One Lot Of Hats, \$5.00 and \$6.00 values at only.....	\$2.45	✕	Boys Dress Pants, Special Closing out price.....	\$1.85

We have scores of genuine bargains not mentioned here. Now is the time to buy. We can save you big money. This sale will not last long. Come Saturday and get your share of the bargains.

CLYDE BARGAIN STORE ABE'S PLACE

Clyde,

Texas

No. 3286
Report of the Condition of

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT BAIRD,
In The State of Texas, at the Close of Business April 28, 1921.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts.....	\$357,056.56
Total Loans.....	357,056.56
Overdrafts, secured, None unsecured \$5,319.01.....	5,319.01
U. S. Government Securities owned:	
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value).....	\$25,000.00
All other United States Government Securities.....	2,250.00
Total.....	27,250.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.....	11,106.60
Value of Banking houses, 500.00; Furniture and Fixtures, 2,700.00.....	7,200.00
Real estate owned other than banking house.....	5,810.15
Cash in vault.....	13,182.55
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	25,728.50
Net amounts due from national banks.....	50,750.50
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank.....	961.82
Total of Items.....	\$51,122.32
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	598.05
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	1,250.00
Total.....	\$509,623.27
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	25,000.00
Undivided profits.....	16,113.91
Less current expenses interest and taxes paid.....	9,662.22
Circulating notes outstanding.....	23,000.00
Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank	
Net amounts due to State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States	
and foreign countries (other than included in (items 25 or 26).....	27,258.52
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding.....	1,140.54
Total of Items.....	\$ 28,399.36
Demands deposits subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
Individual deposits subject to check.....	347,372.50
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed).....	12,528.40
Dividends unpaid.....	235.00
Total demand deposits.....	\$360,135.90
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	14,355.15
Total of time deposits subject to reserve.....	16,855.15
Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers.....	1,617.17
Total.....	\$393,023.27

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CALLAHAN, SS: I, W. S. HINDS, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. S. HINDS, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May, 1921.

B. I. ROSS, Notary Public

CORRECT- Attest:

TOM WINDHAM
J. F. DYER
J. H. CUTRISH
Directors

Citation on Application Probate of Will

The State of Texas
Callahan County

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published for 20 days, exclusive of the day of first publication, before the return day hereof, in some newspaper which has been published in Callahan county, Texas, regularly each week, for the past twelve months, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas. To all persons interested in the Estate of J. S. Ray, Deceased:

W. J. Ray has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, an application for the Probate of the Last Will and Testament of said J. S. Ray, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary of the Estate of J. S. Ray, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1921, the same being the 6th day of June, A. D. 1921, at the Court House thereof, in Baird, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire 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.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office, in Baird, Texas, this 27th day of April, A. D. 1921.

(Seal) GRADY G. RESPESS,
Clerk County Court,
Callahan County, Texas.

Official Return

Came to hand on the 26th day of April, 1921, at 4 o'clock p. m. Executed on the 26th day of April, 1921, by causing a true copy of the above citation to be published in The Baird Star for ten days, exclusive of the first day of publication and before the return day hereof, the first publication being on the 29th day of April, 1921, the second publication being on the 6th day of May, 1921, and the third publication on the 13th day of May, 1921.

G. H. CORN, Sheriff
Callahan County, Texas.

By J. B. Miller, Deputy, 21-3t

BANKS

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION

of the First State Bank at Oplin, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of April, 1921, published in The Baird Star, a newspaper printed and published at Baird State of Texas, on the 13th day of May, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$41,893.82
Overdrafts.....	15.43
W. S. S. and Bonds.....	45.04
Furniture and Fixtures.....	800.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers and cash on hand.....	8,504.06
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	393.99
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	133.63
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange.....	654.97
Other Resources, col. items.....	
Total.....	\$52,440.94

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in.....	\$10,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	2,000.00
Undivided Profits, net.....	1,292.96
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....	27,168.98
Exchange.....	
Time Certificates of Deposit.....	1,979.00
Bills Payable and Rediscounts.....	10,000.00
Total.....	\$52,440.94

State of Texas
County of Callahan: We, Tom Windham as president, and Ben Allen, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Tom Windham, President
Ben Allen, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of May, A. D. 1921.

B. Windham
Notary Public, Callahan Co. Tex

Correct- Attest:

Chas. Allen,
J. C. Steakley,
W. R. Hierman,
Directors

Citation on Application for Probate of Will

The State of Texas,
County of Callahan.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published for three consecutive weeks, exclusive of the day of first publication, before the return day hereof, in some newspaper which has been published in Callahan county, Texas, regularly each week for the past twelve months, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas--To all Persons Interested in the Estate of J. M. Baker, Deceased:

F. E. Baker has filed in the County Court of Callahan County an application for the Probate of the Last Will and Testament of J. M. Baker, deceased filed with said application and for Letters Testamentary of the Estate of J. M. Baker, Deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1921, the same being the 6th day of June, A. D. 1921, at the Court House, thereof, in Baird, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire 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.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in Baird, Texas, this 10th day of May, A. D. 1921.

(Seal) GRADY G. RESPESS, Clerk
Clerk County Court, Callahan County, Texas.

By Jonie Wilson, Deputy.

I, G. H. Corn, Sheriff in and for Callahan County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the foregoing Writ, now in my hands.

Witness my hand officially, this 10th day of May, 1921.

G. H. CORN, Sheriff
Callahan County, Texas.

23-3t

Chinese Famine Conditions Worse.
Washington.—Drouth has added to the seriousness of famine conditions in China reports to the state department indicate. Spring crops, it is said, will be almost a total loss.

President Has Disarmament Plan.

Washington.—The latest plan of President Harding is to have the disarmament question brought up at a meeting of the supreme council, in which the world's leading naval powers are represented.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County—Greeting:

You are hereby Comanded to summon Rush Hambric by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 42nd Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 42nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, on the First Monday in June, A. D. 1921, the same being the 6th day of June, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1921 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 282 wherein Phillip Yost is Plaintiff, and Rush Hambric is Defendant, and said petition alleging

The State of Texas In the County Court of Callahan County, Texas.

To the Hon. J. R. Black, Judge of said Court, presiding:

Now comes Phillip Yost, hereinafter styled plaintiff, complaining of Rush Hambric, hereinafter styled defendant and shows to the Court: That plaintiff resides in Callahan County, Texas, and that the defendant resides in Shackelford County Texas.

That heretofore, to-wit, on or about the 26th day of Sept. 1920, and on divers days before that time, plaintiff at the special instance and request of defendant, sold and delivered to him, at the several times specified in the account, marked "Exhibit A", hereto annexed and made a part hereof, certain hay, oat and johnson grass binds, shelled oats, eggs, pasturage and camping ground in said account mentioned in consideration whereof the defendant then and there promised to pay plaintiff, on demand, so much money as the said hay, oats and johnson grass binds shelled oats, eggs, pasturage and camping ground were reasonably worth, at his residence in Callahan

County, Texas.

That the said hay, oat and johnson grass binds, shelled oats, eggs, pasturage and camping ground, were at the time of the sale and delivery thereof, reasonably worth the several sums of money charged therefor in said account specified and was then and there agreed upon as delivered amounting to the sum of \$516.30, less a credit of \$250.00.

Yet though often requested, defendant has not paid said sum of money or any part thereof, except as shown herein, though long since due, but has refused and still refuses so to do, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$300.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition and that plaintiff have judgment for \$266.30 as aforesaid, together with interest thereon at the legal rate from the first day of September, A. D. 1920, cost of suit, and such other and further relief as he may be entitled to, either in law or in equity.

Herein fail not but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, this the 10th day of May, 1921.

Grady G. Respass
Clerk County Court, Callahan county
By Jonie Wilson, deputy 23-4t

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MAY JURORS, GRAND AND PETIT

The May Term of Callahan District Court, the Honorable W. R. Ely presiding judge, will convene Monday, May 30. The following grand and petit jurors have been drawn for service at this term:

GRAND JURORS

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| 1 | W. D. Boydston | Baird |
| 2 | W. S. Hinds | Baird |
| 3 | F. E. Alvord | Baird |
| 4 | F. S. Bouchette | Clyde |
| 5 | W. H. Miller | Clyde |
| 6 | Chas. Allen | Oplin |
| 7 | C. S. Boyles | Cross Plains |
| 8 | M. E. Wakefield | Cross Plains |
| 9 | W. P. Brightwell | Cross Plains |
| 10 | R. C. Jones | Cottonwood |
| 11 | R. W. Bennett | Cottonwood |
| 12 | J. M. Shelton | Admiral |
| 13 | T. E. Wylie | Moran, Route 2 |
| 14 | Frank L. Martin | Abilene, Rt. 1 |
| 15 | M. R. Surles | Cisco, Route 1 |
| 16 | W. M. Crosby | Putnam |
| 17 | H. E. Jones | Clyde, Route 1 |
| 18 | S. C. Barr | Cross Plains |

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PETIT JURORS

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| 1 | C. C. Yost | Clyde, Route 3 |
| 2 | Price McFarlane | Baird |
| 3 | K. E. Ellis | Cottonwood |
| 4 | W. A. Booth | Moran, Route 1 |
| 5 | W. L. Loper | Potosi, Route 1 |
| 6 | J. F. Brown | Baird |
| 7 | J. H. Owens | Moran, Route 1 |
| 8 | Bert Young | Baird |
| 9 | C. E. Strain | Baird |
| 10 | N. P. Sikes | Rowden |
| 11 | J. H. Grimes | Baird |
| 12 | R. L. Gattis | Atwell |
| 13 | R. E. Bockman | Clyde |
| 14 | W. L. Cook | Clyde |
| 15 | J. L. Farrell | Cross Plains |
| 16 | T. J. Edwards | Clyde |
| 17 | W. L. Park | Putnam |
| 18 | T. J. Bruce | Cross Plains |
| 19 | O. F. Henderson | Rowden |
| 20 | B. L. Boydston | Baird |
| 21 | O. E. Eastham | Baird |
| 22 | W. E. Varner | Cottonwood |
| 23 | Roy Kendrick | Clyde, Route 3 |
| 24 | G. T. Brasher | Atwell |
| 25 | Joel Griffin | Clyde |
| 26 | L. M. Howie | Clyde |
| 27 | W. J. Ray | Baird |
| 28 | F. P. Logsdon | Clyde, Route 1 |
| 29 | F. Jones | Baird |
| 30 | G. M. Sikes | Clyde |
| 31 | H. C. Ingram | |
| 32 | D. A. Yarbrough | |
| 33 | T. H. Eubanks | Admiral |
| 34 | E. C. Pretz | Rowden |
| 35 | N. C. Ramsey | Cisco, Route 1 |
| 36 | F. M. Davis | Clyde |
| 37 | C. M. Williams | Baird, Route 1 |

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BLUE PRINTS—Callahan County Blue Prints, price 25 cents. Jackson Abstract Co., 22-1f Baird, Texas.

40 CENTS A POUND—We will pay that for Fryers under two pounds in weight. Bring them in this week. 22-1t B. L. Boydston.

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DAINTY DISHES—Whenever possible the Elite Cafe prepares for its clientele dainty dishes—Young Squab broiled to a delicate brown; Frog's Legs, juicy and tender; Fresh Fish, when obtainable, and all the Fresh Vegetables to be found in the Baird Market. 23-1t F. E. Stanley, Prop.

CHANGES HANDS—I have sold out my interest in the Fulton Barber Shop to C. C. Brown, who has taken charge. I wish to thank the people of Baird for their patronage since I have had charge of this shop, and to ask a continuance of same to my successor. 23-1t G. C. Cutbirth.

BAIRD CITIZENS INVITED—We extend to the citizens of Baird and Callahan County an invitation to the 43rd Rodeo and old-time Cowboy's Reunion, in Brownwood, Texas, May 26-27-28, three big days and nights, held under the auspices of the American Legion. A. F. McAlister & H. A. Johnson, 23-1t Managers.

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MARES STRAYED—One a red sorrel, about 15 hands high, spot in forehead, no brand. Other a blue gray, about 17 hand high, no brand; both reached mane, neither shod; both gentle work. Any information leading to their recovery thankfully received by Phone "George Williams, Dudley Central," at my expense, or write Mrs. Windham, Ocala, Route 3, Callahan County, Texas. 21-2t

MR. JONES GREET YOU—I take this method of stating to the people of Baird and surrounding country that I have come here to live, and intend to share a liberal portion of my business and to become acquainted with you. Having many years' experience as Watchmaker, Jeweler, and Optician, I take pleasure in stating that I have held the position of Watch Inspector on five different occasions, and I make a specialty of repairing High Grade Watches, and a trial I am sure will convince you of the correctness of my statement. I test Eyes and fit Glasses with the most up-to-date, scientific instruments, as well as duplicate all broken lenses. John C. Jones, 23-1t With Baird Drug Co.

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