

# The Baird Star.

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

VOLUME NO. 29.

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUG. 11, 1916.

NO. 36

## New and Stylish Ladies Tailored Suits, Silk Dresses, Etc.

We have on sale this week new arrivals in Ladies Suits made by one of the best suit houses. Also pretty Silk Dresses made of the new silk materials in the fashionable models and colorings.

We are also showing the Famous Brand "The Lucille" Waist in hand embroidered Gorgetti Crepes in a variety of colors. Your will appreciate the style and values of these. Let us show you.

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#### NOTICE, SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas  
County of Callahan

By virtue of an order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Callahan County on the 15th day of May 1916, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of C. H. Fee, plaintiff, vs Geo. W. Carter et al, defendants. No. 1366 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales on the First Tuesday in September, 1916, it being the 5th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Callahan County, in the City of Baird, the following described property, to-wit:

Situated in Callahan County, Texas, and being 100 acres of land out of the S. W. Corner of the John Barton Survey in said county and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone set in the S. W. Corner of the John Barton survey, from which a P. O. bears N. 2 1/2 vrs., P. O. 10 in., bears S. 2, W. 2 1/4. 10 vrs. Thence E. 913 vrs. to stone set for S. E. Corner of this tract from which a B. J. 5 in, bears

N. 1 1/4; W. 23 1/2 vrs. B. J. 5 in brs N. 5 1/2; W. 23 4/10 vrs. Thence N. 618 2/10 vrs. a stone set for N. E. Corner of this tract from which a B. J. 6 in, bears N. 26; E. 1 8/10 vrs. Thence W. 913 vrs. a stone set for the N. W. Corner of this tract from which a P. O. 10 in, brs, S. 40, E. 4 vrs, a B. J. 10 in, brs, S. 89 W. 11 1/2 vrs. Thence S. 618 2/10 vrs to place of beginning Levied on as the property of George Anthony to satisfy a judgment amounting to Nine Hundred and Ninety-Seven and 30/100 Dollars with interest thereon from the 13th day of January 1915, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 8th day of August 1916.

J. A. Moore, Sheriff  
Callahan County, Texas  
By W. J. Cook, Deputy. 36.3t

Mrs. N. H. Pratt has gone to Big Springs where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. B. Nelson and will go from there to El Paso to spend a week or more with her daughter Mrs. Chas Powell.

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PHONES

No. 4

and

No. 28

#### BAIRD CONCERT A BIG SUCCESS

The members of the First Baptist church choir and their friends who went to Baird Thursday night to give a sacred concert report one of the most enjoyable trips of the summer. The party consisted of between sixty and seventy people and the trip was made in automobiles. Leaving Abilene at 6:00 p. m. all of the cars reached Baird before 8:00 o'clock and the program was begun at 8:25. The First Baptist church of Baird was filled to overflowing, many standing in the aisles and doors of the church through the entire program which was rendered in a most acceptable manner and reflected great credit upon the director and the Abilene singers. The pastor of the church at Baird pronounced the concert one of the best ever given in Baird and expressed due appreciation that the people of Baird were given an opportunity to hear the music. At the close of the program the members of the Baird church served the visitors with delicious ice cream, cake and punch and a social hour followed that was greatly enjoyed by all of the Abilene people.

To attempt to give a complete write-up of the entertainment would require too much space, but it is but justice to say that the singing of the choir, the solos by Miss Anna Morris, the orchestra numbers, the quartettes and the solo by Dr. Jenkins were well rendered, as was the playing of Mrs. Miller and Misses Culler and Hughes.

The following members of the choir were present:

Chas. O. Cook, Director.  
Mrs. Alex J. Miller, Pianist.  
Miss Hazel Culler, Asst. Pianist.  
Miss Mary Lois Hughes, Orchestra Pianist.  
Mr. Herman McDaniel, Orchestra Leader.  
Mr. Paul Odor, Trombone.  
Mr. Lyon Couch, Cornet.  
Mr. Otto Watts, Flute.  
Miss Mildred Paxton, Violinist.  
Miss Bernice Comper, Violinist.  
Mr. Clayton Holmes, Violinist.  
Mesdames McBride, Wall, Casgrave, Darr, Fason, Cook, Scott, Ellison, Misses Berryhill, Cunningham, Frazier, Holmes, Jones, Morris, Goodnight, Casgrave, Murphy, Murphy, Messrs. J. C. Watts, McMulkin, Cagle, Haney, Whitley, Scott, Kipp, Chambers, Huff, Hollingshead, Lawrence, Dr. Jenkins.

Visitors: George L. Paxton, George L. Paxton Jr., A. S. Payton, Miss Lucile Peek, Mr. Casgrave and son, Mesdames Miles Holmes and W. J. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Comper, Miss Ruby Comper, Mrs. J. C. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dodson, Lloyd McCarty, D. M. Oldham, Mack L. Wyatt, Robt. S. Walker, Alex J. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Anderson, Miss Mary Tisdell and others.—Abilene Reporter.

#### FROM CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

Murman McGowan, of Baird, was here Sunday, the guest of home folks and other friends.

Ed Horn, Manager of the Hall Ranch, was in town Tuesday. Mr. Horn was here figuring on building a concrete dipping vat. He says that they have one built of lumber, but that the next one more substantial. He is fighting the tick individually.

#### DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION JULY 22, 1916

	Maj.	or Plu.
For Submission	525	
Against "	716	191
For Robertson Law	496	
Against " "	515	19
U. S. Senate		
O. B. Colquitt	676	353
C. A. Culberson	173	
R. L. Henry	109	
John Davis	29	
T. M. Campbell	163	
S. P. Brooks	313	
Geo. W. Riddle	35	
For Governor		
J. E. Ferguson	975	376
C. H. Morris	599	
Attorney General		
J. W. Woods	870	373
C. F. Looney	497	
C. T. Rowland	162	
Court Criminal Appeals		
Harper	497	
Morrow	905	408
Com. Agriculture		
Halbert	984	518
Davis	466	
C. J. Supreme Court		
C. H. Jenkins	786	142
Nelson Phillips	644	
Congress		
Smith	603	
Grisham	68	
Blanton	923	320
Congressman-at-Large		
2 elected, 4 highest only given		
McLemore	733	
Fitzgerald	435	
Garrett	370	
Davis	207	
State Senate		
Brelaford	934	399
Buchanan	535	
Rep. 168th District		
Dr. R. G. Powell	977	383
D. J. Neill	594	
Rep. 110th District		
H. P. Taylor	1027	625
J. F. Cartwright	402	
District Judge		
F. S. Bell	483	
D. K. Scott	333	
Joe Burkett	597	114
W. P. Mahaffey	185	
District Attorney		
W. J. Cunningham	356	
N. N. Rosenquest	1224	868
County Judge		
W. R. Ely	794	298
J. R. Black	496	
M. C. Council	319	
County Attorney		
R. L. Surles	902	208
J. Rupert Jackson	694	
District Clerk		
A. R. Day	869	168
Q. J. Johnson	701	
County Clerk		
Chas. Nordyke	1592	
Tax Collector		
W. E. Melton	1596	
Sheriff		
J. A. Moore	1534	
Tax Assessor		
M. G. Farmer	1593	
County Treasurer		
W. P. Ramsey	1610	
County Surveyor		
T. H. Floyd	1593	
County Supt. of Schools		
S. E. Settle	1682	

EDITOR'S NOTE.—We intended to publish a tabulated list of the returns but found we could not on account of a shortage of figures.

#### Mules and Horses

I am in the market to buy and sell Mules and Horses. Phone 220.

H. LEACHE  
Baird, Texas

#### AUGUST WIECK'S DIED AT EL PASO

Texas loses one of its pioneers in the death of August Wiecks, seventy-three years old, who came to the state fifty-two years ago from Germany. Mr. Wiecks did at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning from paralysis, after being an invalid for about a year and a half. He was employed as a car inspector with the T. & P. railroad for twenty-five years at Baird, Texas. He moved to El Paso ten years ago and has been employed as car inspector with the Santa Fe since that time. He has been in Texas since he was twenty-one years old.

The body is at Peak's undertaking chapel, and funeral arrangements will be made as soon as relatives arrive. Mr. Wiecks is survived by a widow, four daughters and two sons. The daughters are Mrs. Claude Yonge, 2400 Bassett street; Mrs. J. H. Wyler, of San Bernardino, Cal.; Mrs. H. L. Cordwell, Mrs. W. F. Gardner, Clyde, Texas. The two sons are Arthur Wiecks, of El Paso, and Edward Wiecks, of San Antonio—El Paso Times.

August Wiecks was a pioneer resident of Baird and has many friends here who regret to learn of his death and tender sincere sympathy to the bereaved family. Mr. Wiecks was a member of the Baird A. O. U. W. Lodge.

#### IMPROVEMENTS FOR T. & P.

Fort Worth, Aug. 4.—Plans for improvements to the Texas & Pacific to extend over a period of three years, which when completed will place the road equal if not superior to any road in the west or southwest, have been practically adopted.

These plans call for the converting of all engines into oil burners, the purchase of eight additional freight engines, following the delivery of the eight already bought and to be delivered during the month of December.

All bridges are to be strengthened to carry the heavy power and possibly some new steel bridges to replace those now in use built according to the plans.

It is also planned to lay 100 miles of eighty-five-pound steel a year. The first of which is to connect up with the heavy steel now laid between Texarkana and Lake Fork.

It is expected that the laying of the heavy steel will be into Fort Worth at the close of the present year and will then be extended on to El Paso.

Another improvement will be on the Louisiana division, where heavy rails will be laid, enabling the operations of a fast train similar to the Sunshine Special, between Fort Worth and New Orleans.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Sunday, Aug. 6th, 1916.	
Methodist Sunday School.	
Number present	92
Collection	\$4.42
Baptist Sunday School.	
Number present	141
Collection	\$2.28
Church of Christ Sunday School.	
Number present	90
Collection	\$4.20
Number of Chapters read	704
Total Attendance	323
Total Collection	\$10.90
No report from Presbyterian Sunday School.	
T. A. Irvin of Oplin, spent a day or two town, this week.	



# ONE STAR NEWS IN FEW WORDS

HAPPENINGS OF MAJOR AND MINOR IMPORTANCE NOTED.

## PARAGRAPHS HERE PRESENTED

That Relate to Matters of Present and Likewise the Future Placed in Type and Embracing Various Portions of the Commonwealth.

First cotton bales are coming in. Dallas race segregation ordinance has been passed.

About 150 conversions resulted from the revival at Mason.

J. E. Moore was found dead in bed at Dallas. Heart trouble.

Trains are to enter the new union station at Dallas Sept. 15.

Brownwood will have gas, a company being granted a franchise.

Peter Nielson, twenty-six years Galveston merchant tailor, is dead.

Waterworks and an electric lighting system are to be Miami improvements.

There were eighty-four deaths during July at Fort Worth and also ninety-two births.

A number of the watermelons being shipped from Weatherford weigh 15 pounds.

General showers, too late for corn but beneficial for cotton, fell over the state Saturday.

First Christian church of Kaufman was damaged several hundred dollars worth by lightning.

Greeks of Waco organized Dikefalous, which means double-headed eagle. It starts with fifty members.

During the Baptist revival at Wilson schoolhouse, Kaufman county, the conversions numbered forty.

Cotton Belt railway depot at Murchison, Henderson county, was broken into and the safe robbed of \$30.

Fire inspection of Austin will be rigid. Oil stations and moving picture shows will be taken up first.

As the result of a sunstroke at Fort Worth, E. W. Lewis, forty-eight years old, expired. Burial was at Weatherford.

Owing to the anticipated shortage gas furnished to Dallas and Fort Worth factories will be discontinued Sept. 1.

Rev. Neal Anderson of Winston-Salem, N. C., becomes president of the Presbyterian Theological seminary at Austin Sept. 1.

In July there were 219 marriages in Dallas county, fifty-three births and thirty deaths. The birth and death rate was normal.

At Whitesboro, Grayson county, the body of R. A. Hart, forty-one years old, was found near the Texas and Pacific railway depot.

A team ran away with Ovie Ussletor ten miles west of Gainesville. A wagon loaded passed over his body, causing his death shortly afterward.

Miss Ella Eggleston of near Aubrey, Denton county, was found dead with a pistol wound in her left breast. The coroner's verdict was suicide.

El Paso high school ranks first in teaching of Spanish in the state, according to the University of Texas. Houston is second and Austin third.

Joe Phillips, a carpenter employed by Santa Fe railway, was killed at Cleburne when a railroad sand house collapsed. Two other men were hurt slightly.

P. J. Allen, connected with the engineering department of the Santa Fe railway, was drowned in the surf at Galveston. His wife of five months saw him disappear.

E. B. Fleager, arrested at El Paso and tried at Rusk on a charge growing out of the failure of the C. N. Fleager & Co. bank of Jacksonville in 1903, was acquitted.

Mrs. Ethel Robinson of Dallas, who told physicians she had taken fifty grains of poison, after lingering one week died. She leaves two small children and her parents.

Over 300 millinery buyers and trimmers, more than 200 from various cities of the state, were entertained by Dallas wholesale millinery jobbers at the Automobile Country club.

M. A. Edwards, who operated a dray line at Blackwell, Nolan county, was thrown from one of his vehicles when his team ran away and instantly killed. His head was crushed.

Mrs. A. Little of Waco Saturday received a letter from Milam, her son, in the navy at Cavite, Philippines. In

few hours a cablegram arrived saying he had just died from a fall.

Gus French of Sherman caught in Red river a fish weighing two and a half pounds, sixteen inches long and jaws half way its body, with saw teeth. He thinks it a baby man-eating shark.

Sheriff W. L. Ellis of Baylor county was shot by Stephen Brown, a negro prisoner, two miles south of Seymour, Sunday, and soon died. The negro was slain by a posse. Ellis was just nominated for third term.

T. J. Fry, a prominent farmer of Nolan county, was found dead near his home, heart failure. He was on his way to a protracted meeting and expired at a gate he had just started to open.

Large barn of J. B. Looney in North Brownwood burned. Included in the loss are 1,500 bales of hay, 10,000 pounds of Johnson grass seed and nineteen hogs. Only \$1,000 insurance was carried.

Claude Powell, garage proprietor of Canyon, Randall county, was shot and instantly killed at Amarillo. O. Smith, defeated candidate for sheriff in the recent primary, surrendered, but made no statement.

As soon as the Fort Worth tax roll is completed, the city officials will ask a bond issue of over \$800,000, of which \$363,000 will be for sewage disposal plant and \$300,000 for street improvements.

Eleven head of Hill county registered Shorthorns were purchased a Hillsboro by W. R. Smith, representing bankers of Monticello, Ark., who are introducing improved beef cattle in that section.

Six persons narrowly escaped serious injury when an automobile in which they were passengers turned over between Fort Worth and Dallas. All reside at Fort Worth and received slight cuts and bruises.

Fire at Sonora did \$15,000 damage. Without the assistance of an organized fire-fighting force, the citizens with the assistance of a 120-foot fall of water, prevented the destruction of the entire business part of the town.

While attempting to light her stove at Texarkana an explosion resulted and Mrs. C. O. Craighead was badly burned about the breast, face and other portions of her body. Her throat and tongue were also injured.

Mrs. A. D. Lafferty and three children of Menlow, Hill county, were bit ten by their own dog. The animal was killed and its head forwarded to the Pasteur Institute at Austin. Same day Mr. Lafferty had both hands hurt in a runaway.

During a thunder storm six miles from Texarkana Eddie Fricks, a boy was hit by lightning and badly burned down the back from the neck to heels. A man in the house was knocked down and rendered unconscious for several minutes.

Mrs. Eula Cook, a member of an automobile party whose car was demolished at Fort Worth and who had her skull fractured, after lingering four days expired. Pink Dupree of Commerce, seriously injured, is in a sanitarium.

The Tarrant County Oil and Gas company is sinking its first well upon its lease, nearly two miles southwest of Handley. The second will be sunk northwest of that place. The company has leases on 12,000 acres in that section of Tarrant county.

J. D. Hagler, Jr., eight years old, drowned in four feet of water in Lake Worth, near Fort Worth, in the presence of his mother, three sisters and a younger brother, who heard his call for help, but failed to reach him in time. The boy's father is a cattleman.

The Security company of Houston purchased from Dr. A. C. Scott of Temple the Helen Temple farm, five miles from Plainview. Included in the deal are all implements, farm machinery and livestock, latter including 500 registered Duroc-Jersey hogs. Deal amounts to about \$100,000.

Due to financing crops, deposits in state banks and trust companies, according to a statement issued by Commissioner of Insurance and Banking Patterson as to the condition of said institutions at the close of business June 30 showed decrease of \$4,454,632. Total deposits were \$97,160,875.

The Denton city commission passed an ordinance authorizing the consolidation of the Southwestern and the People's Home Telephone companies. Business rate for telephones will be \$3.50 per month and residence rates raised from \$1.50 to \$2. Managers say consolidation is probable Jan. 1 next.

Texas school of mines at El Paso is to be made co-educational. This was announced when Dean S. H. Worrell opened the registration for

girls to take one preparatory course, and may take the full course. The school in the past only for boys.

Governor Ferguson says he will not make an appointment of a successor to the late Captain W. E. Craddock as his personal representative. He said he had Captain Craddock to assist him in securing facts and figures of some departments and state institutions. The captain made complete reports and these are now on file.

Texas fever has appeared in malignant form in the Georgetown section of Williamson county and a number of cattle have died. J. F. Gearwood, president of the Hereford Cattle association, has lost several head of thoroughbred cattle ranging in value from \$500 to \$1,500. The cattle have fever at 107 degrees and die in a few hours. Energetic efforts are being made to stamp it out.

## COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS AT STATE FAIR OF INTEREST



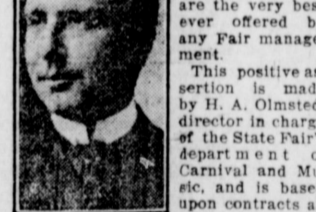
Louis Lipsitz, director in charge of the State Fair of Texas' Department of Commercial Exhibits states that the space allotted to his division is being rapidly taken up, and that all indications point to the largest and most interesting and most valuable displays in this section that have ever been shown at the State Fair.

The commercial interests of the State, awake to the tremendous advantage of exhibiting before the hundreds of thousands of Fair visitors, are sending in their requests for space this year unusually early, and Mr. Lipsitz states that the displays made this year will be of the most ambitious nature.

Many of the large retail stores of Texas will conduct individual fashion displays at the Fair, and some of the most artistic creations of the year are expected to be shown. In the commercial exhibits division there will likewise be shown big and interesting displays of modern furniture, stoves, pianos, and all the other conveniences, comforts and luxuries of our present day civilization.

Those desiring to exhibit in this division are requested to announce their entries at an early date, as the available space is limited, and the Fair management desires to know, in advance, just what arrangements will be necessary to provide suitably for all exhibitors. Inquiries should be addressed to Mr. W. H. Stratton, Secretary, State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Texas.

## STATE FAIR ATTRACTIONS OF NEW HIGH STANDARD



H. A. Olmsted, director in charge of the State Fair's department of Carnival and Music, and is based upon contracts already signed with some of the best carnival and musical organizations in the country.

The F. A. Wortham Shows, considered by many to be the best carnival on the road today, will be at Fair Park throughout the period of the Fair, October 14 to 29. With this carnival are some of the best and highest priced attractions in the carnival world, and these shows are sure to be of great interest to every Fair visitor.

The various musical programs, of which there will be many, will be headed by Flavius' Band. This is the organization headed by A. F. Flavius, which won premier musical honors at the Panama-Pacific exposition, playing both the opening and closing engagements. Mr. Flavius will bring the same organization to Dallas that scored so heavily at San Francisco, and a real treat is promised music lovers of the Southwest.

The various other attractions and amusements are the very best of their kind and there is no doubt that the entertainment features of the 1916 State Fair will excel all former offerings.

As the result of a wound sustained when Mexican bandits attacked border patrol at San Ygnacio, forty miles south of Laredo, June 15, Private W. Oberlies of Troop M, Fourteenth cavalry, died at the latter city.

Forty-eight hours after the death at Texarkana of her husband, Dr. A. G. Clifton, a woman of the Mexican and civil wars, has since passed away. In her last moments, where the bodies were lying by side.

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For District Attorney: N. N. Rosenquest of Breckenridge

For Representative 108 District, Calahan and Eastland Counties: D. J. Neill of Eastland County

For Representative 110 District, Calahan and Brown Counties: H. P. Taylor of Brown County

### County Offices

For County Judge: W. R. Ely

For County Clerk: Chas. Nordyke

For Tax Collector: Gene Melton

For District Clerk: A. R. (Lonnie) Day

For Tax Assessor: M. G. (Melvin) Farmer

For Superintendent Public Schools: S. Ernest Settle

For Sheriff: J. A. Moore

For County Attorney: R. L. (Roscoe) Surles

For County Treasurer: W. P. Ramsey

## A WOMAN'S HELPFUL ADVICE

Mrs. G. H. Eveland, Duncan Mills, Ill., writes: "I was stricken with lumbago, unable to turn myself in bed. A neighbor brought me Foley Kidney Pills. Said she had been similarly afflicted and they cured her. I tried them and was completely cured by three bottles." Mrs. Eveland heartily recommends Foley Kidney Pills for kidney trouble. When the kidneys are not functioning properly, impurities left in the blood cause rheumatism, lame back, aches and pains.

35-4t Holmes Drug Co.

## PASTURE POSTED

All hunting and fishing in my pasture north of Baird, known as the Chase pasture, is positively forbidden. I will prosecute anyone caught in there.

34-4tp. C. B. Snyder.

El Mate, 1916

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Baird, Texas

## E. C. Fulton's

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Hair Cut 25c. Shampoo 25c.  
Massage 25c. Singeing 25c.  
Shave 15c. Bath 25c.  
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I have received my new models for Spring and Summer Now is the time to place your order for Summer Corsets.

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I have the agency for a splendid line of monuments and accessories Let me figure with you.

35-3t W. Y. Switzer.



# HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

**After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.**

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing all my work."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of continuous success, and should surely help you, too. Your druggist has sold Cardui for years. He knows what it will do. Ask him. He will recommend it. Begin taking Cardui today.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper. Home

## Last Chance Offers

On account of the increase in the cost of paper most all magazines will raise their price of all clubbing offers about Oct. 1st, so why not take advantage of one of the following clubs which will give you some of the very best magazines.

Pictorial Review	Woman's Home Companion
Today's Magazine	Modern Priscilla
Housewife	Mother's Magazine
Regular Price \$2.50	Value \$4.00
Last Chance Price \$1.75	Last Chance Price \$3.15
Pictorial Review	Pictorial Review
Modern Priscilla	Metropolitan
Regular Price \$2.50	Regular Price \$3.00
Last Chance Price \$1.90	Last Chance Price \$2.00

If you do not find the magazines you want given here, phone me, I have hundreds of different clubs.

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W. S. WHITES, Proprietor.

## SCHOOL.

Lesson, Third Quarter, For August 3, 1916.

### THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, II Cor. ix—Memory Verses, 10, 11—Golden Text, Acts 20-35—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The topic of this lesson is "The Grace of Giving" and covers chapter viii, as well as our lesson chapter, but we cannot refrain from a glance at the whole epistle even though we shall have another study in it in a few weeks. Second epistles are apt to have special reference to things future, and this one is no exception. Notice the resurrection, and the glory, and the things unseen and eternal of chapter iv. 14-18. The heart of the lesson is to me the last verse of our chapter, "Thanks be unto God for His unspeakable gift" (ix. 15), or as Weymouth has it, "His unspeakably precious gift." The word "unspeakable" is used only three times—here and chapter xii, 4; and I Pet. i. 8. In each place it is a different Greek word, and used only this once. If such a gift from such a God does not constrain us to be all that He would like us to be and do all that He would like us to do it is only another evidence of our blindness and hardness of heart. This letter is from Paul and Timothy and has a good deal in it concerning suffering and deliverance and comfort, but specially concerning comfort, as in i. 3, 4; ii. 7; vii. 4, 6, 7, 13; xiii. 11.

The great adversary is mentioned as Satan, the God of this world, the serpent (ii. 11; iv. 4; xi. 3). We are taken back to the first recorded words of God in the Bible, "Let there be light," and are taught to find there a foreshadowing of the light that shines into our souls when we are born again by receiving His word (iv. 6). Such love and grace as were seen in the Lord Jesus Christ becoming poor for us that we might share His riches constrained these people first to give their own selves to the Lord and then, in great affliction and deep poverty, prove the sincerity of their love by unusual liberality (chapters v, 14; viii. 1-9). They were so enriched spiritually in everything—in faith, in utterance, in knowledge, in diligence, in love—that they abounded in giving to others, so that Paul wrote them that it was superfluous for him to say anything to them concerning ministering to the saints (I Cor. i. 4, 5; II Cor. viii. 7; ix. 1, 11, 12). He encouraged them by saying that their zeal had provoked many to do likewise, and now he trusted that they would be on time with their gifts, so that his boasting might not seem in vain (ix. 2-5). There had been the readiness to do a full year ago, and now it only remained for them to perform the doing of it.

No one was to be burdened, and there was to be no anxious longing to do more than they were able, but all must remember that a willing mind was everything, and God only expected them to do that which He gave them the ability to do (chapter viii. 10-12). Many waste time and breath talking of what they would do if they could, or if they had the time and money which some one else has, but I am constantly thankful that we are only responsible for the use of what God gives us either of time, or money, or talents, or ability of any kind.

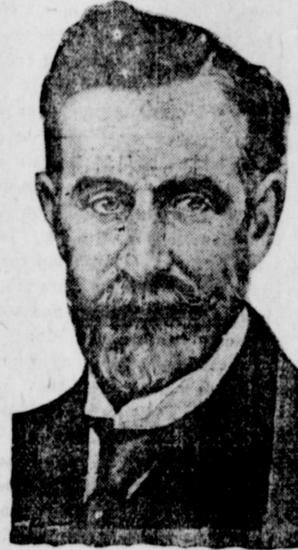
All our service must be from the heart, unto the Lord and cheerfully willing, for God loveth a cheerful or hilarious giver (verse 7). God gives so bountifully, first His beloved Son and then with Him freely all things (John iii. 16; Rom. viii. 32). But our giving is not always on those lines, and we need to remember verse 6, with Prov. xi. 24: "He who soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly, and he who soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully." "There is that scattereth and yet increaseth, and there is that withholdeth more than is meat, but it tendeth to poverty." When the tabernacle of Moses was built the people gave so willingly that they had to be restrained from bringing, and the same spirit was manifest on the part of David and his people in the matter of gifts for the temple (Ex. xxxv. 21, 29; xxxvi. 5-7; I Chron. xxix. 1-9, 17).

Ever since 1884 I have found pleasure and profit in giving to the Lord at least one-tenth of all that He sends me as an evidence that I recognize that all is His, and I have found much blessing in doing this and earnestly commend the plan to others. It is not Jewish, for it is at least as old as the time of Abraham. Neither is there any bondage in it, but the most perfect freedom. I have associated in my mind viii. 9, and ix. 8, of these two chapters (the figures are easily remembered) and rejoice in the grace of Him who became poor that we might be rich and who is able to make all grace abound toward us, that we, having such all sufficiency, may abound to every good work. I have seen such cheerful giving on the part of my own

congregation of less than 200 people, resulting in as much as \$10,000 a year for missions, that I desire the same blessing for others. See my tract "Secret of Missionary Interest." Box 216, Harrisburg, Pa. And note that all this giving of \$50,000 a year from my church and Bible classes is wholly on premillennial lines, according to I Cor. i. 7; iv. 5; xl. 26; xv. 50-52; xvi. 22; II Cor. iv. 14, 17; v. 10, the coming of Christ for His saints, and then with us to set up His kingdom being the inspiration to let Him use us to the utmost to give the gospel to all.

## SIR ROGER CASEMENT HANGS. PUT TO DEATH IN LONDON PRISON FOR HIGH TREASON.

Sir Roger Casement paid the penalty for treason with his life. He was hanged in Pentonville prison, London. Ten minutes later his body was cut down after life was pronounced to be extinct. The Irish leader's last words were spoken fearlessly while he was on the scaffold while he waited for the drop to fall and were: "I die for my country." Casement was attended by two priests. His relatives are Protestants, but he was a recent convert to the Roman Catholic church. While the execution was in progress thirty Irishmen knelt outside the prison and prayed for the repose of his soul. A large number of persons were before the prison, and when the bell tolled announcing the law's satisfaction there were a few cheers mixed with groans. Several Irish women standing at the rear of the prison, led by an Irish member of parliament, attempted a demonstration but were quickly hustled off the scene by guards.



LATE SIR ROGER CASEMENT

Found Dead Before Mirror. Seated before a mirror at her home in Paris, Tex., and the skull split between the eyes the corpse of Mrs. G. T. Saunders, wife of a wealthy retired business man, at the time in Colorado for his health, was found by a laundry driver who had called for the washing. Her head was leaning back and a pool of blood had formed upon the floor. Mrs. Saunders had been in bad health for a long time. Burial was at Waco.

### Cotton Value for 1915.

The total value of the country's commercial cotton crop, exclusive of the seed, for the year ending July 31, was \$765,700,560, compared with \$593,432,978 the previous year, according to the annual report of H. G. Hester, secretary of the New Orleans cotton exchange. Including the seed the total value of the year's crop was placed at \$958,200,000.

### Falls Heir to Fortune.

William McGraw of Texarkana has received advices that he has fallen heir to a share of an estate left by an aunt in Detroit. Estate is valued at from \$20,000,000 to \$40,000,000. There are three heirs and each gets a third. Mr. McGraw, who is sixty-five years old, went to Detroit. He says he expects to invest a large part of his inheritance in Texarkana property.

### Dead Man's Rank Raised.

By special act the senate gave rank of lieutenant colonel to M. C. Butler, killed at Alpine, Tex., by Harry J. Spannell in the double tragedy that also took Mrs. Spannell's life. The promotion from major was declared effective as of July 1. This means Butler's widow will get the larger pension that accompanies the higher rank.

### Get Much Booty.

Three automobile bandits held up pay clerks at Detroit entering plant of the Burroughs Adding Machine company and after shooting one clerk escaped with bags said to have contained \$33,000. Other employes gave chase

in an automobile and a running fight ensued. The bandits, armed with rifles, got away.

### Large Flour Order.

A Philadelphia firm has received an order from the entente allies for one million barrels of flour. A large part of the order will be milled in South Dakota and Minneapolis, it is said.

### Jealous of Baby Sister.

Raymond and Geneva Holland, aged eight and eleven years respectively, displeased at the arrival of a baby sister, ran away from the Chicago residence. Police went after them.

### "Moonshine" Whisky Seized.

Three men are held for the federal grand jury at Durant, Okla., and 1,500 gallons of "moonshine" whisky were seized in two raids by Special Officer T. E. Brents and three deputies on stills at Swink and Fort Towson.

## SOME FAMOUS CANVASSES AT STATE FAIR OF TEXAS



Alex Sanger

One of the most interesting features of the great State Fair of Texas, and from an educational viewpoint, one of the most valuable, is the Art Loan Collection annually exhibited in the Fine Arts Building. Alex Sanger, director in charge of the Fair's Fine Arts and Textile Department, states that the Art Loan Collection to be shown this year, will include a great number of very famous canvasses, representing the work of a majority of the best contemporary American artists.

The celebrated Texas artist, Julian Onderdonk, who is acting as the Fair's Special Art Representative, has just returned from the East, where he visited many of the most famous studios and completed arrangements for the various specimens to be shown in the Art Loan Collection this fall. Mr. Onderdonk is very emphatic in the assertion that the collection secured this year is of the very highest class, and one that will be thoroughly appreciated by Southwestern lovers of art.

Mr. Sanger makes the further announcement that entries in the Textile Department, in which are shown all phases of woman's work, are coming in in unprecedented numbers, and that there is every reason to believe that the exhibits in this department this fall will be much larger than formerly.

## MANY EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS AT TEXAS STATE FAIR



W. I. Yopp

What is true of the Textiles, is equally true of all other departments and divisions of the Fair, and there seems to be no reason to doubt that the 1916 exposition will be much the largest ever held in Texas.

A feature of the State Fair of Texas which possesses great educational value, and one which, last year, was of intense interest to thousands of Fair visitors, is the Better Babies Contest designed for the purpose of creating a higher standard of health for Texas babies.

W. I. Yopp, director in charge of the State Fair's Department of Colleges and Schools, in which the management of the Better Babies Contest is vested, states that complete arrangements have been concluded during the past year to conduct this contest with better facilities than prevailed last year. A handsome and convenient auditorium has been constructed for the purpose in the State Fair's beautiful Hospital building, and this Auditorium will be provided with the best of modern equipment.

Mr. Yopp states that a great deal of interest has been aroused throughout the State by the preliminary announcements of this contest, and that present indications point to a very large number of entries. It is also announced that a majority of the State's larger educational institutions are preparing large exhibits. The University of Texas, State Agricultural and Mechanical College, Prairie View Normal, College of Industrial Arts, Southwestern University and others have already made application for space, and it is expected that several others will be in line by September 1. Mr. Yopp predicts an unusually big year in the educational division.

An outbreak of cholera that attacked a large herd of hogs just north of Temple was checked by Bell County Agricultural Demonstrator Thomas Youngblood, who administered vaccine to eighty-seven of them.



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Judge Hughes is dissatisfied with everything Wilson has done, even to the way he plays golf. Judge Hughes' opposition is natural, he wants Wilson's job.

Col. Roosevelt, the mighty hunter, has killed much big game, but when he killed four million bull moose at one shot he broke the world's record as a Big Game hunter.

Let the friends of Gov. Colquitt in this county use every effort to get out his full strength and we will let some of the High Browns in the big cities know that they cannot control the vote of the Texas democrats.

We have our ear to the ground to catch the first faint sound from Houston. We are wondering how well the steam roller is working.—Abilene Reporter.

Latest reports are that it is working fine, but from the uproar the pros are making the machine must be in the hands of the Philestines.

Col. Roosevelt sought the nomination for president at the hands of the Republican party. He lost! got mad and shot the Bull Moose. Hughes did not seek the Republican nomination but accepted it, suffrage plank and all, and within three weeks afterwards repudiated the suffrage plank, and Hughes says Wilson is inconsistent.

Most all the politicians, pro and anti leaders and all the state daily papers save the Fort Worth Record, are against Colquitt. That is nothing new. They all fought Jim Hogg and he won. They all fought Jim Ferguson and he won. A majority of the newspapers, big and little, have always opposed Colquitt yet he has won twice in spite of them and is likely to win again.

The Callahan County Convention did not express any preference in the senatorial contest, but the friends of Colquitt controlled the convention and could have endorsed him had they desired to do so, just as many other counties controlled by friends of Culberson endorsed him. The Democrats of Callahan county endorsed Colquitt in the first primary and the main thing regardless of any dictation from Washington they will endorse him in the second primary if his friends vote and we think they will.

If Culberson is elected it will be an indorsement of the Wilson administration. If Colquitt is elected it will be considered a repudiation of the Wilson administration. That is the argument of the Dallas News, considered the "organ" of the administration in Texas, and all the big and little "organs" have taken up the cry. The opponents of Gov. Colquitt thus seek to becloud the real issues in the campaign by dragging Wilson into the fight. If there is any repudiation of President Wilson in the senatorial race that has already occurred because Gov. Colquitt in a sweep stake race against two ex-governors, one congressman and one able citizen, led the bunch by thirty-one thousand votes. The effort to reelect Senator Culberson by setting him astride President Wilson's coattail will probably prove as big a boom-a-rang as the effort to elect Tom Ball that way in 1914.

SECOND SENATORIAL PRIMARY

Colquitt and Culberson will be in the second primary: a fight between two antis, so we see no use of the antis becoming excited, but judging from the speeches made at Dallas Monday by the adherents of the two men the campaign is liable to be warm. Colquitt beat Culberson by over thirty-one thousand vote in the general primary and is justly entitled to the nomination, but the Culberson men are moving heaven and earth, and Washington to prevent Colquitt's nomination.

No one disputes Culberson's ability and no one doubts his loyalty to Democratic principles, but many doubt his physical ability owing to his illness extending over a period of six or eight years, to longer give attention to the duties of the office. This was the reason Culberson only polled eighty-five thousand votes out of four hundred and fourteen thousand votes.

If Senator Culberson is as well as Barry Miller says he is he would have had no opponent, but if he did he would be in Texas in his own interest. Charley Culberson is not the man to dodge a fight. Texas is entitled to two senators but for much of the time for eight years they have had but one, owing to Senator Culberson's long illness. Why deny it? Reports have been coming from Washington for years that Senator Culberson's health was seriously impaired.

If our memory is not at fault the question of Senator Culberson's was raised when he was a candidate for reelection six years ago, but his friends got busy and satisfied the people of Texas; just as they are trying to do now, that his health was improving, and he had no opposition. He would have had none this time had the public believed Senator Culberson was well, as his friends claim.

The Dallas News, Barry Miller and others of Culberson's friends, ask you to rebuke Colquitt by reelecting Culberson, because Colquitt, while governor, had a difference with President Wilson about protecting the Texas-Mexican border. After repeated appeals by Gov. Colquitt for federal troops had failed, he called out the National Guard of Texas to do what was the duty of the Federal government to do. In the controversy that followed this incident, Gov. Colquitt being angered by what he believed an unjust assault upon him by certain politicians of Texas that always opposed him, did criticize President Wilson's administration because of what he believed its failure to discharge its plain duty in protecting the Texas border until Gov. Colquitt forced the issue by calling out state troops. Do you believe the Texas people are going to rebuke him for doing his sworn duty in protecting the people on the Mexican border? If you do you will have another think coming after the primary on the 26th, or we will confess that we do not know the temper of a majority of the Texas people, among whom we have lived all our life. Colquitt's friends are not seeking to discredit Wilson, it is Wilson's indiscreet friends in Texas that are trying to discredit the one governor of Texas who did more to protect the people along the Rio Grande, than all the governors Texas has had in a quarter of a century, including Senator Culberson, his opponent, and Tom Campbell, another ex-governor, who is fighting him for pure spite.

Callahan county voted for Colquitt in the primary by a large plurality and will give him a majority over Culberson in the second primary if his friends will only go to the polls.

Let us show the politicians of Texas that they do not run this state. We gave them a jolt when

we elected Ferguson six years ago and we will give them another on August 26th.

As proof that anti-Wilson friends are not made up of anti-Wilson men, the convention was controlled entirely by Colquitt's friends and adherents in the past. The vote to indorse the Ferguson and Wilson administration was unanimous and practically all the delegates to the State Convention now in session are Colquitt supporters.

Many of us were not original Wilson Democrats. Callahan county had very few of them four years ago, but he is the nominee of the Democratic party and he has the support of all loyal Democrats of this county and every other county in Texas, whether they are Colquitt, Culberson, Brooks or Campbell or Henry supporters.

One speaker at the Culberson rally at Dallas last week said that sixty-five thousand hyphenated Republican's voted for Colquitt. That was intended as an insult to the Germans in Texas who voted for Colquitt and was also intended to convey the idea that Colquitt's strength came mainly from the Germans in South Texas, which is not true. Senator Culberson carried Dallas, San Antonio, Houston and Galveston where the German vote is in the majority. The vote for Colquitt in dry counties completely refutes this slander. Colquitt received in Callahan county 675 votes to 822 votes for all the other five candidates. Out of the 2000 votes in this county we doubt if there are more than twenty-five Germans. Many of the Germans in South Texas did vote for Colquitt and will do so again, but Colquitt contends and the returns tend to substantiate it, that Culberson received the main support of the so-called element. Look at the vote in the large cities for Culberson and then note how Colquitt beat him in the dry counties and in the counties in South Texas. Much has been said about the Mexican vote for Colquitt when as a matter of fact Culberson got fully as much, if not more of this vote than Colquitt. Look at the vote of the border counties if you doubt it. So far as the German vote in Texas is concerned, no one need be ashamed of it, because the Germans are among the best and most law abiding and industrious citizens of Texas. The editor of THE STAR was raised among the Germans went to school with German boys and girls in old Washington county before and after the civil war and some of the best friends we ever had as a boy and as a man are Germans. They are a great people, peculiar in their way, to those who do not understand them. We think it a dirty shame for a man who ought to know better to in a public speech thus express his contempt for loyal Democrats because they did not vote for his man. This speaker is a pro but is now supporting Culberson, not because he loves him, but because he hates Colquitt. Some of these German-Americans were in Texas before the Texas Revolution and took part in it and were voting the Democratic ticket in Texas forty years before this man came to Texas, that thus insults them by calling them hyphenated Republicans. That speech ought to lose Culberson the vote of every German Democrat in Texas unless he repudiates the fool speech of his friend at Dallas.

Called Meeting of Eastern Star

There will be a called meeting of Callahan Chapter No. 242, Order of the Eastern Star on Tuesday night Aug. 15th, for the purpose of initiating candidates. All members are requested to be present. Refreshments will be served. Nora Percy, Secy.



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The convention meets Thursday, Friday and Saturday.—Abilene Reporter.

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Mrs. J. C. Barringer has recently returned from Rockwall and Dallas.

"Hell's Hinges" featuring Wm. S. Hart, at the Royal Theatre Thursday, August 24th.

Grandma Stacy left Saturday for Truscott, Knox County, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Eubanks and family.

Mrs. C. B. Holmes is visiting her mother Mrs. Gussie Surles at Menard.

Phil Schwartz, of Dallas, is here looking after the store during the absence of H. Schwartz.

Misses Esther Belle Bowlus, Eliza and Manch Gilliland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Asbury at Chautauqua.

Miss Freda Fulton is spending a few weeks at Cottonwood.

Chief J. J. Clinton, of Abilene, is visiting F. F. Rains for a few days.

Mrs. L. W. Green and little son, of Lamesa, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alvord.

Mrs. Mallisa Hart left Saturday for Sweetwater to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Wagley.

Miss Lucile Terrell, of Ranger, and Miss Lelia Terrell, of Dallas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Terrell this week.

Rev. L. O. Cox, of Baird, is holding a protracted meeting at the Baptist Church at Admiral. Quite a crowd from Baird attend the services at night, going down in automobiles.

"A Mother Penitent" a 101 Ranch special feature at The Royal Theatre, Monday night, August 14th. The \$10,000 saddle of J. C. Miller, owner of the 101 Ranch, will be exhibited in the theatre lobby on that night.

A fishing party from Baird passed through Coleman Saturday in automobiles en route to the Llanos for a two week's outing. The party were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McWhorter, Ada and Alex McWhorter, Ola Miller, Girlie Howell, William McCoy, Ernest Hill, Fred Cutbirth Mrs. Jasper McCoy.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

Mrs. J. R. Copeland returned Thursday, from an extended visit with relatives in Baird. Mrs. B. N. Leonard and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Shreveport, La., Miss Effie Barroa, of Tyler, Miss Norma Lee Lones of Baird, accompanied Mrs. Copeland to the city for a visit. The trip from Baird was made via auto—Big Spring Herald.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson, August 5, 1916, a boy.

Grover Windham of Tecumseh was in town Wednesday.

Miss Ora Terry is visiting friends at Admiral this week.

Miss Verna Miller has returned from a visit with friends in Tyler and Dallas.

Miss Lucile Powell of Ballenger and Miss Veda Powell of Dallas are visiting relatives in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hicks who have been visiting relatives here have returned to their home at Freeport, Ill.

Mrs. Earl Phillips left Thursday evening for Baird, where she will spend a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bell—Big Spring Herald.

Misses Eliska Gilliland and Nell Price have returned from Tecumseh where they have been visiting their uncle, H. Windham and family for the past three weeks.

Miss Edith Collier has returned from Sweetwater, where she has been visiting Miss Laura Brock for several days. Miss Laura returned home with her for a short visit.

Henry Lloyd, accompanied by his daughter and son, Edna and Walter, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. A. Scott, have returned to their home at Lampasas. They made the trip in an auto.

Misses Isabelle and Martha Henson who have been visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Boydston and other relatives here left Thursday for their home at Kansas City. Miss Myrtle Boydston accompanied them as far as Fort Worth.

Mrs. Wm. McGowen of Cross Plains is visiting relatives in Baird this week.

Mrs. H. C. McGowen left Thursday for a visit with relatives at Weatherford and Mineral Wells.

Jim Whimond family have returned from Mineral Wells where they spent a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie have returned to their home at No. 1 adding a few weeks here with.

Mrs. Earl Ferguson of Fort Worth is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Jones and will spend about three weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alba Chambers and children went over to Cisco Saturday in their new Ford and spent the day with relatives.

Mrs. M. M. Terry and Mrs. Frank Hinds have returned from Brinkman Okla., where they spent about two weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Morgan.

Mrs. J. B. Cutbirth and daughters Misses Naomi and Bonnie have returned from Big Spring where they spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Phillips.

Mrs. C. E. Bowles was bitten on the foot by a snake while fishing on the Mexia east of town, Tuesday morning. She was hurried to town and given medical attention and is reported resting very well.

Mr. Frank Hamrick, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, left a few days ago for El Paso to spend a few days. He will go from there to San Antonio and Galveston. From the latter place he will sail for his home at Tampico, Mexico. Mrs. Hamrick will remain with her daughter until conditions are more settled in Mexico.



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## BURNT BRANCH CULLINGS

Ab, Bro. Collier did I say "forget you." If I forget "may my right hand forget it cunning and my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth," but in the excitement of a heated campaign temporarily laid you aside. God bless you and yours my old friend. Well, we left Uncle Wash at the cabin raising the ratters with his cuss words. "What's the matha now, Nancy" and she proceeded to come over with tears and lamentations what Bro. Collier had said about the comet "Stop all dat foolishness, Bro. Collier is a nice gentleman, a good man, a fine preacher, and I will swear by him only on dat comet, but he don't know a dam thing about "ology" (theology) For old Master says there is not a dam thing in it, and I believes him. I know it is a thing got up to scare us niggers and de poh white thrash. So you just go to bed, say yoh prayers and sleep the sleep of the blessed spirits in de skies. You dam fool niggers dats strictly wat Washington says" and Aunt Nancy departed to dreamland with the chant: "Swing low, sweet Chariot, swing low, and take poh Nancy home" as she entered the land of dreams. And at the humble house a psalm was read and devout prayer offered, and all slept the sleep of the just, if such a thing could be, regardless of the comet.

Wheat is over a dollar and oats near 50 cents at the Terminal City and much is going that way. The general impression is these commodities will go skyward.

The election is over and some are happy; some are cussing; and some are just discontented while the Smart Alex howls, "I told you so," when in reality he didn't know a thing about the transaction and in all probability voted for the wrong man. The third term preceeded it didn't work in this primary. There's nothing in it anyway, only a fancy, but if you want a hot number try it.

Mrs. S. H. Barton of Holland, Bell county, accompanied by her son, W. H. and daughter, Miss Addie, were visiting their sister and aunt of these parts, Mrs. Jno. W. Aiken and other relatives. She informs me that Jim Ferguson lost Bell county strictly on the Anti and Pro, racket. Bell county as you know recently went to the dry column, the governor taking an active part on the Anti side of the question, which as a citizen he had a perfect right to do, the Anti-Saloon League of Ohio to the contrary not withstanding. We are at the forks of the road when a foreign corporation sends representatives to dictate to the grand citizenship of Texas how to cast the ballot.

Squire Drewery and wife make a regular daily and return trip to Brownwood. The Squire is under treatment of a specialist of that city and we are glad to say he is improving.

Met Baum and Spencer Terminal bound.

Mrs. Tom Young sold a load of wheat at Cross Plains yesterday for \$1.20 per bushel, and "Juan and Gilliland" a load for \$1.19 1-2. They may beat us Uncle Bill, but not much.

Mrs. S. H. Barton and children after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Jno. W. Aiken, have returned to their home in Bell county overland by auto. Will Barton and "Juan" agreeably put in the time going over old times. Mrs. Barton is of the Blakey family of early days of Texas days and times that tried men's souls. God bless the good

lady in her declining years and may she live to that grand old age to which she is justly entitled.

We got a nice little shower Thursday evening which settled the dust. "Plotting against the whites," we thus addressed two old friends. "You are in no danger "Juan" and their earnest conversation continued.

The Review says it is a girl at the home of "Shim Jim" who says "one is a plenty, two is a crowd" but we have got them at our house.

Hugh McDermott and family have gone to the vast plains of West Texas.

They are returning from not the land of the Montazumas, but New Mexico. As an Englishman would say, it's as dry as 'ell out there.

Jim Cross says wheat and oats all thrashed, now for the cane, maize and goobers.

Ed Odom sold his entire wheat crop to Boydston at the Terminal.

They say the picnic at Cottonwood was a grand success in every particular and the candidates shelled the woods for the last time. I have attended many celebrations at said garden spot, and never saw one but what was good, better, best. Cottonwood is an entertaining town and her citizenship are hospitable and of the best in the country. But it was too hot for me to attend, dear "Uncle Jimmie" which I will always regret.

Thunder all around, maybeso rain of which we stand greatly in need of for late crops, and grass is getting dry to a finish. The boys from below say grass is good, revived by late rains.

The reports say our old friend Dr. Powell is defeated. He should have been returned to that post he has so faithfully filled, without a desenting vote.

Old friend Taylor got there with both feet foremost, of which we are proud.

All in all "the government still survives and the will of the dear people rules."

We congratulate our friend Judge Blanton on his success. May he do something besides appoint Postmasters and distribute garden seeds to his constituents.

W. H. Barton of Holland was taken ill on his return trip home and is at the home of Jack Aiken, but is reported better this morning and on the move.

Meeting of the Ex-Confederates at the Baptist Church next Sunday evening at Cross Plains.

"Juan" and good wife visited Geo. Baum and family, Sunday. Geo. is somewhat under the weather but is slightly improved. Spencer and family and Mrs. Brightwell were also there and we spent a pleasant day. Yes, and ate a good dinner to boot which Miss Jennie knows how to prepare. George and Spencer are milking quite a string of cows, separating and selling the cream therefrom.

For fear you will feed this to the cow with "Juan" thrown in for good measure we will discontinue the whole push. This Monday the 30th

With love and good wishes for the whole force, we are as ever,

"Juan."

## COTTONWOOD LOCALS

August 7, 1916.—Again it becomes our duty to afflict the readers of The Star with another communication from our gifted faber, and we are prepared to say our community is all right side up with care.

We are needing some rain now, but everything is looking well.

The thresher season is about over and everybody is fairly well satisfied

with the results, and prices are good.

The election is over, the votes counted and everybody adjusting themselves to the existing conditions, perhaps it is a little hard for the defeated candidates to adjust themselves to the condition of affairs but time and resolution will heal the deepest wounds inflicted by defeat or disappointment, "better luck next time."

The Baptist meeting at Cottonwood closed last Tuesday night, with no visable results.

The Methodist meeting is now in progress with Rev. Cadwell, of Putnam, the pastor of the Methodist church at Cottonwood conducting the meeting and Rev. Geo. Smallwood is doing the preaching up to this writing. The presiding Elder is expected to-night, with his singer and we suppose business will pick up after their arrival.

Eld Greathouse, of New Mexico, preached at Deer Plains school house four miles east of Cottonwood Saturday and Sunday last. Eld Greathouse is a Primitive Baptist Minister of no mean ability and preached a good sermon both days.

Miss Ella Ferguson, who has been engaged as pupil and also instructor in a business school in Tyler has returned to her home in Cottonwood. Miss Ella has been engaged in teaching since early girlhood and has proven herself a success as an instructor.

Cottonwood has turned out more teachers and barbers than any town of alike proportions in Texas.

Married.—Mr. J. C. Joy and Miss Una Eudaley, both of the Cottonwood community, were married at the home of Eld J. M. Harlow, Sunday July 30, 1916. Eld Harlow officiating. This young couple is now just entering on the journey of life and we wish for them a bright, useful and happy life. This marriage should have reported last week.

Mrs. Ferguson, mother of J. M. Ferguson of our town and Prof. R. L. Bush a brother-in-law of Mr. Ferguson with his family, all of Fairland Burnett County, who has been visiting Mr. Ferguson at his home in Cottonwood have returned to their home in Burnett County.

Now Uncle Billie we have our "grip" packed and are ready to depart these coasts in the morning on our annual visit to some place, our visit sometimes does not come around for four or five years but they are annual all the same.

Now we are tired, and it is nearly night and we are going to church to night and we have to mail this article and we think it prudent without further consideration to "Keno." "Uncle Jimmie."

## ADMIRAL NEWS

Aug. 7, 1916.—We are having fine warm days and cool nights.

Every body is nearly up with their work.

Our meeting is in progress with Bro. L. O. Cox, of Baird, doing the preaching. Let every body come and bring some one with you.

Abe Martin, of Plainview, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin.

Miss Jennie Harris and cousin, Mrs. Maude Clark, of Mississippi, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris, of Handley Texas this week. Mrs. Clark will leave the latter part of this week for her home in Senatoben, Miss.

Miss Ida Mae Sprawls, of Scranton, was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Higgins a few days last week.

Mrs. Ona Berry, of Baird, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. E. Beasley, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rucker, and children, of Oplin, were the guests of

in their new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Cape Griffin and children were the guests of H. C. Martin Saturday and Sunday.

Grover Miller and Miss Annie Boen, of Rowden, attended church here Sunday night.

Olin Jones and wife, of Baird, were home visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman and children, of Belle Plaine, attended church here Sunday.

Miss Lillie Robinson who came home from Guion Texas last week with a severe case of diphtheria, is able to be up.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robinson who brought Miss Lillie Robinson home returned to their home at Guion Texas.

Mrs. Cora L. Finch made a flying trip to Abilene Friday in her new Overland car.

"Dottie Dimple."

## DEEP CREEK NOTES

The days are so hot and it's getting so dry

Makes cotton and grain go up very high

Hot weather makes the weevil hunt for a shade

Since it has been hot and dry lots of cotton has made

This kind of weather is unpleasant to sleep

Has made the market go high by bounds and by leaps

We need a good rain to make our late feed

A good rain is what the farmer and stockman all need

Boatwright & Son plows with their steel mule

While the driver sits back and rides in the cool

Mr. Finley's Mogul burns cheap kerosene

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Soon a farmer can sit and talk to his wife

Not have to work like a nigger all of his life

Too hot for horse power to plow very fast

So the engine's will be done and we will be last.

"Star Staff Poet."

## PIONEER EDUCATOR VISITS ABILENE

Dr. John Collier, one of the pioneer educators of Texas, was in Abilene a short while Monday and talked with his old-time friend, Chief J. J. Clinton.

At Sweetwater Saturday Dr. Collier preached the funeral sermon over the body of J. H. Fowler, one of the Western pioneers. He was on his way back to Baird and stopped here a while, continuing the journey Monday.

Dr. Collier is eighty-three years old, and looks sixty. He was a college president for sixty-two years, coming to Texas in the time of Sam Houston. At the great Texan's home at Huntsville Dr. Collier stopped a while, being then on the way to Mexico for his health. The illustrious leader took him in charge, helped him fix up a camping outfit, and sent him on the way to Mexico. In due time Dr. Collier arrived at Mexico City with a letter from Sam Houston to an alcalde, one of the old grandees of the Southern Republic. He stayed 11 months in Mexico, later returning to Texas to spend the rest of his days here. In addition to being a college head, Dr. Collier fought in the Confederate army under Ross (who had been his pupil,) engaged in some famous Indian fights and helped build the new state. He is hale and hearty at the age of 83 and called Chief Clinton a "boy."—Abilene Reporter.

Cane Seed—For sale by John Hancock, Baird, Texas. 14tf

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I asked a shoe man the other day why it was that shoes were so much higher in price than they used to be.

"Shoe leather has gone up," he said. "Most people think that's the reason. But it's only one reason.

"People are buying better shoes than they used to. They want more comfortable shoes. Better fit. They want longer wear and more style. They want some individuality, too."

I thought to myself: Well here's a condition just like the one we are experiencing in the automobile business.

Nearly every 3400 r. p. m. we have sold this year has been to someone who has driven a lower priced car.

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I'm particularly strong for the 3400 r. p. m. Chalmers because she's got tremendous endurance.

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### IN THE BEGINNING

When I hear a lecture like that one last evening before the Child Welfare Conference, the more thoroughly am I convinced that we need Christian institutions for the training of our girls and boys. I do not believe in the Darwin theory, and never can. Perhaps I do not belong to the ultra-cultured. Anyway, to my taking this theory is so far out of harmony with common sense and all reason that I do not believe it. I can readily understand that primitive man was a much lower order of man than he is today—that is "some of him." But to say that originally he was just an atom, a molecule, a something without shape or form, without mind, without anything more than is possessed by the mollusk; and then that he gradually "evolved" to something resembling the monkey, with tail, by which he swung himself in the branches of the trees, and that gradually he "evolved" into some semblance of the man he is today, is pure "bunk." I believe man was created man, just as holy writ says, and that he was a superior being to the others of animal creation; that God gave him domination over the beasts of the field and birds of the air. Primitive man may not have had a language; to make himself understood he may have made signs—shook a bush or something like that—but he was created man. As far back as we have any sort of authentic history, some several thousands of years, man has been man, the

monkey has been monkey, the dog was a dog. The monkey is not "evolving" so far as history relates, and has not in all these thousands of years. He bears the same shape, uses his tail to swing himself from the branches of the trees, supports and sustains and departs himself in the same primitive way. If God created a man in form and shape lower than that of the monkey, then man was not created an immortal soul. So you have your Bible refuted. And if he was created without a soul he is still without a soul, because he could not raise himself with his own bootstraps, as it were, from this very low order of creation to one of higher order, and be possessed of a soul.

Either these "high brow" university professors are teaching false philosophy, or else the Bible is wrong. I prefer to believe the Bible, and I want my boys and girls to believe the Bible.—Palestine Herald.

### THE WANDERLUST

The following was written by Corporal C. C. Seale, Jr., of Company B Fourth Infantry, Texas National Guard, now stationed at Valentine on the Texas border. C. C. Seale is a Callahan county boy, son of C. C. Seale Sr., of Belle Plaine. He enlisted in the Texas National Guard at Fort Worth and has been on the border for sometime.

When you were a child in a beautiful home

And I was kid of the streets, When far apart at the very start.

We roamed our separate beats. Or wandered, through many a forbidden place

We knew was steeped in sin Our hearts were rife, with the joys of life

For we loved adventure then.

Next we were a pair at a grammar school,

Like many throughout our land, We mix with ease neath the shady trees,

Or played in the mud and the sand. The world was turned in the lathe of time,

And the war broke out again, We were off with the first with a vengeful thirst,

For those who sank the Maine.

Then light and swift up San Juan hill We tore through the bloody fight, When every shell in that hotred hell,

Was screaming might is right, Ye Gods! what wonderful days were those

When back of the cannon's roar, Cheek by jowl, with many a growl We talked the battle o'er.

The years came and the years went, Till the sleep that wrapped us fast Was driven away in a newer day,

And war was declared at last. Then out on a Texas border camp, When night fell o'er the hills,

When the moon hung red o'er the river bed We felt the same old thrills.

Croaking and blind in the dust-filled air, We watched with a sand seared eye, And never a thought, in our brains was wrought

Of asking the reason why. I've lived, and ate, and slept in dust 'Till it seems I no longer care,

While you, my friend down in the Bend, Have sand-burs in your hair.

For the call is as old as my unpaid bills, As new as the falling snow,

For when it comes, with the roll of drums, We know that we have to go.

God wrought this thing from the Tremedoc beds, And furnished it wings to fly,

As he sowed our spawn in the world's dim dawn, And I know that it shall not die.

It has led men o'er the Cimmeridge

clay, And the scrap of the Purbanga flings, When they've left their bones in the bagshot stones, The freight train roars o'er the ancient shore, Where crooked-boned men made war. The pacifist raves, o'er the buried caves, Where the mummied mammoths are. So while we are down on the border here, In the sweat and grime and dust, Let us pray to serve, with our brain and nerve, Our god, the Wanderlust.

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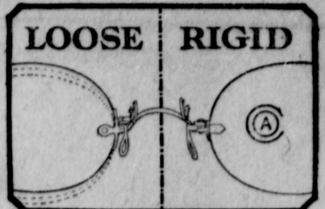
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All hunting and fishing is positively forbidden in my pasture known as the Hall pasture, south of Baird, and the Macdonald pasture, north of Baird. The grass is dry and there is much danger of fire. All must keep out. 34-4tp. L. M. Hadley.

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### TRUSTEES PLAN NEW SCHOOL HOUSES.

During this week and last County Supt. S. E. Settle has made trips and met with several local boards of school trustees to advise with them relative to remodeling and constructing school houses. Plans are now being considered in the following Common School Districts:

Rough Creek—Modern One-room State Plan, 29x32 ft., 5 ft. cloak rooms and porch 8x12ft included.

Denton—Remodelling present house to conform to State Plan, 32x64 ft., including 7ft. cloak rooms, 7x12 ft. vestibule and porch 8x14 ft. Two-

room frame. Eagle Cove—Similar to Denton house plans.

Dudley—Similar to Denton house plans. Built-New

Union—Similar to Denton house plans. Two-room boxed.

Hubbard school trustees have made application for State aid and, if granted, it will remodel house.

Considerable school house building interest is manifest over the county.

W. D. O'Shields and John Hodge of Oplin were Baird visitors yesterday

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### EPISCOPAL SERVICE

The Rev. A. B. Ellis will hold services at the Episcopal Church on Thursday night Aug. 17th at 8:15 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited to attend the service.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

On Monday afternoon, July 31st, Master Bonner Terry celebrated his 7th birthday. Quite a crowd of his little friends were present and the afternoon was spent in playing games. Cake and ice cream was served and the occasion was one of pleasure to all present.

El Mate will help your feelings. 19-tf Holmes.

### INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS

I. B. Roberson of Callahan county will be a contestant for the prize for the best acre of milo maize.

Miss Viola Marshall will contest for the prize for the best pig. The Star hopes they both win.

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Drink El Mate. 19-tf

Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. Larmer Henry and little son, Billie Jones, and Perry Gilliland have returned from Balmorhea where they spent a few days with Jas. H. Walker and family. They made the trip in Capt. Jones' new Dodge car.

A regiment of South Carolina troops, three trainloads, passed through Baird yesterday enroute to El Paso.

Harry Meyer left Tuesday for Hot Springs, Ark., where he goes for the benefit of his health. We believe the hot baths there will benefit him, and we hope to see him return home fully restored to health.

T. J. Ringer and family of Rising Star passed through Baird, Thursday enroute home from Anson where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Mary Brightwell, Miss Annie Spencer, Mrs. Geo. Baum are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. McWhorter.

Mrs. Mollie Eastham, daughter and son, Miss Maggie and Claud, of Lon Texas, and grand-daughter, Miss Bertha Gaultney, of Lamesa, have returned to their home after visiting relatives in this county for the past few weeks.

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