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BAIRD, CALLAHAN CO., TEX., FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1894.

NO. 13

H. MEYER,
—LEADER IN—
STOVES, HARDWARE AND QUEENSWARE.



What is the excitement at Harry Meyer's? I see such a crowd about his door?

Why, he has just received a carload of those excellent "Our Leader" cook stoves, and, by the way, he is also selling the "Charter Oak" and "Buck's Brilliant."

Yes, but I know they are too high for these hard times.

No, sir; it would surprise you. He is actually selling those fine stoves as cheap as I paid for a common worthless stove a short while back. You see he sells everything in the Hardware and Queensware line at the lowest prices.

H. MEYER,
THE LEADER IN HARDWARE AND LOW PRICES.

A. COOKE,
Is still in the ring with a full line of
Staple and Fancy DRY GOODS.



The Celebrated Ziegler Shoes are the best on the market and will be sold as cheap as any high grade shoes can be sold. Don't fail to examine them before buying.



I have a large stock of these shoes in all styles, for ladies, gents and children. When you need shoes be sure and give me a call.

LUMBER.

We have on hand

-A-

LARGE STOCK

—OF—

LUMBER
DOORS,
LIME
ETC.



SHINGLES.
BLINDS,
CEMENT,
ETC.

All of which will be sold at the very lowest living rates.

Get our prices before you buy and we will guarantee satisfaction.

Moon & Crowder

At Wm. CAMERON & CO'S old stand, Baird, Texas.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS NOTES

Belle Plaine Budget.

BELLE PLAINE, Feb. 27.—Col. Larkie Hearn returned from the panhandle and Fort Worth and reports no revival in the dulness of the cattle market.

The protracted cold spells are not very encouraging and although the actual losses so far are exceedingly light, stock begins to look very thin.

Last Thursday was Washington's birthday—a legal holiday for the iron-oath-bound, red-tap-worried and highly salaried fourth class post master. Your correspondent intended to visit the dear city of Baird, which he had not seen for three weeks, not so much for his own special and individual benefit as in honor of the father and founder of this great and glorious commonwealth. But with the sinking thermometer sank my patriotic feelings also and I celebrated the national holiday in the drudgery of every day routine work.

Notwithstanding the roughness of the weather our mail service worked to perfection. The present sub-contractor, Mrs. Lena Turner and her assistants, Nat Floyd and Capt. Thos. Floyd, fulfil their duty with promptness and without grumbling. Not one single trip was missed in the last six months.

Prof. J. I. Rawson closed his school in the Holloway settlement last Friday. We learn from all sides that he gave general satisfaction to the patrons and that the school community which was split last fall will reunite next season with Mr. R. as teacher. Good! I heartily endorse such moves. With the present appropriation small communities are not able to secure an adequate term of schooling, and although in some cases the distance from and to the school house will be a little inconvenient, no new community should be organized unless the number of children of scholastic age entitles them to a term of at least six months.

Thursday night thieves entered E. C. Hill's old residence where he had stored some oats and corn, the latter belonging to S. Black. The night depredators got away with about ten bushels of shelled corn and about five bushels of oats. More sacks of oats were piled up before the window but it seems something scared the robbers before they finished their vile job. No clew to the perpetrators, but well founded suspicion points to certain parties and a strict surveillance will be kept up.

Rev. W. H. Harris, of Baird, conducted religious services at this place Saturday evening and Sunday morning.

Yesterday morning Miss Ella Waid was summoned to the bedside of her sister, Pearl, who is reported dangerously sick.

The successful business man advertises, and to be a successful business man a fellow must advertise. The importance of this truth has dawned finally upon our storekeeper, Mr. Henry L. Buchen, and I am really glad to call the attention of the readers to the little ad of this enterprising and deserving gentleman. Of course there is something between advertising and advertising. To do it in the proper and successful way, first advertise in the paper that reaches and is read by the community you want to reach; and second, advertise judiciously—that is to attract the attention of the reader and prospective customer. And who will contradict it that THE STAR is the legitimate and dominating advertising medium of this county?

There was some disappointment among the young and old people who are so deeply interested in our coming entertainment, as the programs failed to come out on Saturday, but since they arrived everybody is highly pleased and satisfied with the style and neatness that bears the mark, "Baird Star Steam Print." The price was very reasonable and the printer will get a front seat if he favors us with his attendance. Wonder if the job department of THE STAR turns out the same good and cheap work in let-

ter heads, bill heads, etc.? Guess I'll have to try it. H. B.

LATER.—March 1.—Last night's entertainment was a grand success. Good attendance, especially from Baird. Nearly all the pieces were gems and the actors and actresses were daisies. The highest praise is due Prof. Hall for his untiring zeal and undoubted ability. Particulars later. H. B.

Cottonwood Correspondence.

Ye Loke, in company with Col. Hal H. Ramsey, christened Mr. Ramsey's new buggy Monday. We spent the day with Mr. F. C. Abbott, who is a brother to Congressman Joe Abbott. Mr. Abbott has been tussling with la grippe for six weeks and is quite feeble in body, but his mind is vigorous and healthy. He was in Texas during re-construction days and it is interesting to hear him speak of old times at his old home in Corsicana. While there we were shown a bedstead over 300 years old. This is doubtless the oldest bedstead in Texas. Mr. Abbott was reclining in his chair with a quantity of newspapers around him from which he keeps well posted, and yet he takes little or no part in current politics.

Dr. E. M. Rust, from Merkel, is rustivating in our midst this week.

It is to be hoped that our mail facilities will be better next year than this. We need and should have a stage line, but if we can not get this we will be satisfied with a good hack line. We have had enough of the kind we now have.

The courts ground since our last, and they did grind exceedingly fine.

The compound norther has come and gone and another is on its way. Everybody is gardening except Neighbor Emmerson who says he is waiting for a rain. Don't fret, brother, if it rains you have a promise for a division, for the scripture says the rain falls on the just and the unjust. Cheer up and buy your garden seed from us and be happy.

Now, that Juan has come to the front and H. B. is nearing the close of a neighborhood biography, (I take it back) Ye Loke will try to be more than a bi-monthly.

We chronicled the death of Mr. Rufus Clements' family last week and now we have to announce his death, also. This makes four of one family; husband, wife and two babes.

Tobe Scott, the famous all-round rustler, went to Baird yesterday. Keep an eye on him.

Elder Harlow baptized J. H. Whitman since our last. Mr. Whitman reads THE STAR—verily it is a moralizer.

W. S. Melton was not in town yesterday. We fear he is sick. Bill is not want to keep us in suspense; he is usually on time.

We venture the assertion that W. P. Cochran is the best bicyclist in Callahan county. LOKE.

Tomato Ketch-ups.

Some will probably think that Tomato is dead, gone or quit the job of writing, but such is not the case.

Last night a good crowd assembled at the school house to hear Mr. Tye give a lecture on music. His lecture was good; he seems to understand his profession.

The literary school has an exhibition Friday night. Judge Solomon is expected there Friday and to give a lecture Friday night.

The schools are out rather early this time; but that is not the worst side of the question. The teachers either have to wait for their money or discount their checks for a rate that is beyond all reason. But then those who have the money don't think it is too much.

Farmers are going on with their work as much as the dry time will permit. They have the greater part of their land broken.

Rain is badly needed in this country. Stock water is getting very low. Cattle will have to be carried to the water soon. T. D.

DON'T READ THIS.

If you owe me anything I want it and you must come and settle at once for I must have money. Nothing else will do. T. E. Powell. 40

A CAR
OF
CANE SEED,
Corn, Hay,
Seed Oats
AND
GROCERIES.
—AT—
PATTY BROS.

THE CONFEDERATE WAR JOURNAL.

AN ILLUSTRATED MAGAZINE.

Devoted Exclusively to the History of the Confederate Side of the Late Civil War.

THE FEBRUARY NUMBER CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING:

PORTRAITS—George W. Johnson, Provisional Governor of Kentucky, 1861-62 (large); Lieutenant General James Longstreet (large); and Major Generals Benjamin Huger, John B. Magruder and Mansfield Lovell.

MAPS (three)—Showing the positions of the troops at the Battle of Shiloh on the morning, at noon and at sunset of April 6th, 1862.

Large Battle Scene (size 9 1-2 13 1-2 inches) representing the Capture by the Confederates of the Headquarters of General Prentiss and several Batteries at the Battle of Shiloh, or Pittsburg Landing, April 6th, 1862.

DESCRIPTIVE MATTER.—Biographical Sketches of Geo. W. Johnson, Provisional Governor of Kentucky, and Lieutenant General James Longstreet.—The Battle of Shiloh, described by Generals Leonidas Poik and William J. Hardee.—List of Killed and Wounded at the Battle of Shiloh.—Field Return of the Confederate Forces that Marched from Corinth to the Tennessee River, April 3d, 1862.—Field Return of the Army of the Mississippi before and after the battle of Shiloh. The Appomattox Strength of the Various Regiments at Fort Donelson. Summary of Killed and Wounded in the Second Division, Central Army of Kentucky.—List of Flags Captured at Battle of Shiloh.—Roster of the Officers of the Confederate States Army and Navy and their Commands. Chronological History of the Civil War.—Confederate poems, Humors of the Camp Fire, etc.

The subscription price of The Confederate War Journal is only \$1.00 a year; single copies, 10 cents. Send for a sample copy. Address, The Confederate War Journal, Lexington, Ky. and 110 Fifth Avenue, New York.

FOR SALE.

One house and lot situated in the north part of Baird. Will be sold very cheap; one-half cash, balance in six months. Apply to W. G. Doolittle.

TRAVEL IN COMFORT
BY TAKING ADVANTAGE
OF THE
SUPERIOR TRAIN SERVICE
ELEGANT EQUIPMENT AND FAST TIME
—VIA THE—



THE SHORT LINE
To New Orleans, Memphis
and points in the
SOUTHEAST.

Take "The St. Louis Limited,"

12 hours saved between
Texas and St. Louis.

and the East.
The direct line
to all points in

Mexico, New Mexico, Arizona,
Oregon and Cal.

THE ONLY LINE OPERATING
Pullman Tourist Sleepers
FROM TEXAS TO CALIFORNIA.

Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars

—TO—
ST. LOUIS, LITTLE ROCK, SHREVEPORT,
NEW ORLEANS, DENVER, EL
PASO, LOS ANGELES AND
SAN FRANCISCO.

Lowest ticket rates, time tables and all desired information will be furnished by any of the ticket agents of the Texas & Pacific Ry. or
W. A. DASHIELL, GANTON MESLIER,
Trav. Pass. Agt. Gen. Pass. & Ticket Agt.
L. S. THORNTON, 3d Vice President and General Superintendent.
DALLAS, TEXAS.
F. S. GAGE, Agent.
1891

Cash & Cash
—ONLY—
AT POWELL'S,
If You Want
CHEAP GOODS.

Entered at the postoffice at Baird, Texas, as second class matter.

Subscription Rates.

One year \$1.00
Six months .75
No subscriptions received for less than 6 months.

Payable in advance.

Parties living out of the county who desire their address changed from any cause must remit 10 cents in cash or postage stamps with such request.

W. E. GILLILAND, Editor and Proprietor

BAIRD, FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1894.

All the candidates for state office want harmony of course.

Congressman Joe Bailey and the Cleveland administration seem to be at logger-heads.

Chairman Waller Baker has called a meeting of the Democratic executive committee, to meet in Dallas on March 19.

The democrats in the House of Representatives are determined, it seems, to elect a republican House this fall. Shame on the nutton-heads.

Who are the most famous writers and artists of both continents? The Cosmopolitan Magazine is endeavoring to answer this inquiry by printing a list from month to month—in its contents pages.

The mystery that surrounds those who are said to be backing the proposed suit to prevent the city council from putting in the waterworks reminds us of the story in the life of Davy Crockett, in what the two Georgians while on their way to Texas in order to raise some much needed funds, got up a show.

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN.

Capt. Andrew Jackson Berry, one of the surviving San Jacinto veterans, lives three miles southwest of this place. "Uncle Jack," as he familiarly known, was born on the Wabash river in Indiana near Beardstown May 16, 1818.

Soon after the battle of San Jacinto Capt. A. J. Berry was honorable discharged at Richmond, Tex, and returned to his father's home in Bastrop, La. In 1839, about the time he had attained his majority, he took up his residence in Burleson county.

Capt. Berry has eleven children by his first wife. About twenty years ago he married the second time. His second wife was Miss Mary Sloan and by her he had seven children.

"Uncle Jack" Berry is strong and vigorous. He looks as young as many men at 50 years. He can do a full day's work on the farm and he is held in the highest esteem by his neighbors.

In talking of the battle of San Jacinto Capt. Berry becomes enthused. His countenance is that of a warrior and he fights over again the battle which gave Texas her freedom.

and San Jacinto were past. While living on Chocolate bayou, near where the city of Houston is, we had fine sport shooting buffalo, I saw the first teat stretched which was the beginning for the city of Houston.

In his rounds Round About met on the street Major John Henry Brown, who remarked: "I was much pleased to see in last Sunday's News the interview with the old San Jacinto veteran Andrew Jackson Berry, of Callahan county—pleased because I knew Mr. Berry to be a veteran, and because unlike some we read of, he does not magnify his services."

The "reform press" over the country is doing everything in their power to injure other papers by asking the populists to refrain from subscribing for them.

The inhabitants of the Andaman Islands are the smallest race of people in the world taken as a whole.

After all, the comfort of a railroad journey is made up of little things. The track is smooth and the Pullman Sleepers and Free Reclining Chair cars are first class and "up to date."

CHICAGO ROCK ISLAND AND TEXAS RAILROAD.

"Great Rock Island Route." Is pleased with Texas and Texas people and hope the feeling is reciprocal. Business with the new line since its opening has been satisfactory.

We are also anxious to please at headquarters. If you are in need of information and cannot procure it readily of your nearest local agent, drop a line to the undersigned and we will do our best to answer it promptly.

J. C. McCARR, G. T. P. & P. A.
CRAIG B. SLOAN, A. G. T. & P.
64 Fort Worth

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. PHYSICIANS.

R. G. POWELL. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office fourth door south of the Bank. Baird, Texas.

D. J. WILSON. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Local Surgeon for T. and P. Also City and County Physician. All professional calls promptly answered.

E. R. SARTOR. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Calls promptly attended day or night, in city or country. Office, East side Market Street, Opposite T. E. Powell's store.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

ARTHUR YONGE Attorney-at-Law, AND REAL ESTATE AGENT. COLLECTIONS SOLICITED. Baird, Texas.

BOOT AND SHOEMAKING.

MARTIN BARNHILL. Boot and Shoemaker. Repairing Promptly and Neatly Executed. Prices to Suit the Times. Market Street, Baird, Texas.

S. H. WHITE. Boot and Shoe Maker. 137 First door North of James & Johnson's Restaurant, Market Street, Baird, Texas. I guarantee my work 42

PAINTERS.

J. H. HOFMANN. PAINTING AND HOUSE PAINTING, ETC. DENTISTS. PAINLESS DENTISTRY.

If you are in need of some cheap dentistry, I am prepared to do your work as cheap as you can get it done anywhere and at the same time I am prepared to do you any class of work.

THE REGULAR DEMOCRACY OF TEXAS

THE regular democracy of Texas will stand by the state and national democratic platforms. When W. L. Baker, chairman man of the state democratic executive committee, issues his call for the state convention, the chairman of county and precinct conventions will recognize no such distinctions as Hogg democrats or Clark democrats, but every voter who will abide by the action of the convention and support its nominees, will have the full privilege of participating in the primaries, without any question as to how or for whom he may have voted at any previous election.

Notice is hereby given, that an adjourned annual meeting of the Stockholders and Directors of The Texas and Pacific Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company in Dallas, Texas, on Saturday, March 31st, 1894, at 12 o'clock M.

Never divide yourself from any man upon a difference of opinion, or be angry with his judgement for not agreeing with you; within a few days you may dissent yourself—Siv

Carpets.

Have just received a new line of Carpets, Oil Matting, Straw Matting and Window Shades. This is the prettiest line of goods ever shown in Baird.

New Goods

Of all kinds are being received and the low prices, good quality and new designs make them go.

In Shoes

We have all the latest shapes and colors, and handle only the best brands. Try us and be convinced.

New Clothing,

New everything. Make my place your first stop and you will not have to go any further.

B. L. BOYDSTUN.

Groceries

DID YOU SAY?

WELL, we have them. Any and everything you want in that line, and as cheap as can be bought for cash anywhere in West Texas.

FURNITURE!

Yes, we have a line of that too, and furthermore, it is for sale. If you don't think so get our bottom figures before you buy.

Wagons and Farming Implements.

We carry everything in that line. When you want anything in our line give us a call.

FREE DELIVERY.

VAUGHN & CO.

GREETING FOR THE SEASON.

- 1 Of the greatest blessings to men is a good dinner.
2 After he has that there is other things to wish for.
3 Men out of ten will tell you that their home is a happy one if their food is pure and wholesome.
4 Women out of ten will tell you that they keep their husbands in a good humor by giving them good meals of fresh, wholesome food.
5 Things you should remember are, that I carry only the purest and freshest Groceries, that my prices are very low, that my stock is always replete and that my clerks are always polite and attentive.

Yours for Trade,

D. W. WRISTEN.

Do You Carry Insurance?

J. H. PETERS, General Insurance Agent and Notary Public.

Over \$125,000,000 Capital Represented.
The Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association of New York, Capital, \$18,000,000 00
Live Stock and London and Globe, 45,000,000 00
Hartford, of Hartford, 7,000,000 00
Northwestern National, 1,700,000 00
Mechanic and Traders, 700,000 00
Home, of New Orleans, 420,000 00
Alamo, of Texas, 250,000 00
Concordia, 400,000 00
New York Plate Glass, Standard Accident,
Atna Livestock, of Glen's Falls, New York.
Office with Vaughn & Co., BAIRD, TEXAS.

TRY READING

THE STAR

THIS YEAR

T. & P. R'y SCHEDULE.

TEXAS AND PACIFIC. Passenger, East bound... 12 m. West bound... 3:10 p. m.

MAILS. BELLE PLAIN. Arrives Daily... 11:30 a. m. Leaves... 3:30 p. m.

TECUMSEH AND EAGLE COVE. Daily, except Sunday. Arrives... 12 m. Leaves... 1 p. m.

NOTICE—Local reading matter 10c a line first insertion, 5c thereafter.

Local run until ordered out. Transient advertising must be paid for in advance.

All job work spot cash on delivery of goods.

No advertiser is entitled to, nor will they receive THE STAR, unless paid for at regular rate.

All contracts for advertising and job work are made on a strictly cash basis, and settlement must be made accordingly.

I do not promise or agree to take goods or anything but money for advertising and job work.

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any employe of this office, or anyone else except members of my own family, and all parties are hereby notified not to charge anything to my account except on written orders, otherwise than above mentioned.

W. E. GILLILAND, ED. STAR.

LOCAL NEWS.

BAIRD, FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1894.

See change in Louis Boydstuns ad. W. S. Melton of Cottonwood was up after supplies Tuesday.

L. D. Harwell and W. J. Leverett of Putnam were in the city Tuesday.

Sheriff J. W. Jones visited Cross Plains this week on official business.

Put a \$2 display ad in THE STAR and get half rates on paid locals. 131f Mrs. W. L. Harris left Wednesday for McGregor, to visit her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry James, of Abilene, are visiting the family of Gen. F. W. James.

Hair-cutting 25 cents. N. F. Rudmose's barber shop next door to Barnhill's shoe shop. 12 2t

T. E. Powell will leave for St. Louis to-morrow to buy his Spring stock. Look out for a big ad bye and bye.

We forgot to call attention to the change in Patty Bros., ad last week. See ad.

Mrs. Smith and Miss. Ida Crutchfield were shopping in the city yesterday.

Charley Wilson, editor of the Cottonwood Prodigal is in town to-day on business.

W. C. Struobe returned yesterday from a two weeks visit to relatives in New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La.

Chas. Nebege and Eppy Bond of Cross Plains came in with four bales of cotton yesterday.

Without fear of contradiction goods are sold lower than any other place in town at Leo Stern's, successor to H. Schwartz. 52

R. C. Dawkins brought eleven bales of cotton Thursday and late in the evening the same day we noticed several more bales coming in.

When one stops at G. W. Ratliff Wagon Yard in Coleman City they always return. Reason, they are always treated square and fair. 34

Miss Kate Irvin, of Abilene, and Miss Lula Moody, of Albany, are guests of Mrs. Stanley Jones and Mrs. Maggie Gladden.

I. M. Kimzey was out from Fort Worth this week. Kim is just recovering from a six weeks attack of la-grippe and pneumonia.

Several persons from Baird attended the school exercises Wednesday, at Belle Plaine. They report a nice time.

W. C. Covert and family, from Big Springs, en route to Sprigdale, Ark., spent a few days in our city this week visiting Mrs. Ed. Hunter.

Mrs. Ellen Mitchell of Tecumseh, who has been staying in town for some time left Wednesday for Mount Vernon, Tex., on a visit.

Note the change in Miller Bros., ad. Their time is limited to March 20. Call and get your photo before it is too late.

Jeff Dean has quit the barber business and gone to blacksmithing at W. L. Henry's shop. Jack Jones has moved into Jeff's old stand on Lower Market Street.

James J. Welch, for City Marshal, will be found in this issue. He has been a resident of Baird for ten years or more. We believe he will make a good officer if elected.

Judge J. E. Ross, of Mexico, Mo., has been down a couple of weeks looking after his ranch interests near Baird. Judge Ross says it has been very cold in Missouri this winter.

Clair Merchant, of Abilene, spent a few hours in town Tuesday circulating among his old friends. Time deals gently with Clair as he does not appear out little older than he did twenty years ago.

J. W. Jones announces this week for reelection. As sheriff of Callahan county for twelve years his record is known to every one in the county, consequently it would be useless for THE STAR to say anything further.

We overhauled and rearranged our Baird mailing list this week—and by the way, we find that we need just two more names to complete the number, 200, at this office. We ought to get them this week.

W. T. Ensor, of Cross Plains, was in town Monday and Tuesday on business. He left Tuesday evening for Sweetwater where he has been working at the saddlers' trade for a number of years.

It is hard to sell anything for money now. If you do not believe it, start out to sell something. It is a long lane that never turns so we expect better times soon, especially if it rains.

W. E. Mays, of Baird, announces this week for sheriff. Mr. Mays is one of our best citizens and will make a good officer should he be elected. Mr. Mays was for a number of years one of the leading merchants of Cottonwood where he is well and favorably known.

Mrs. W. W. Dunson has been dangerously ill during the past week and for two or three days her life was despaired of, but we are glad to learn that at this writing, Friday, she is reported much better and strong hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Bud Windham and family arrived yesterday from east Texas and will go out to Tecumseh to-day to visit Dr. Windham. Bud Windham is a nephew of Dr. Windham, and they have not met for twenty-five years. Mr. Windham is hunting a location and may locate in this county.

It is likely that an interesting event will occur at the Methodist prayer meeting next Wednesday night—something not usually on the program. There may be more than one surprise too on that occasion, but THE STAR is not permitted to give the secret, or secrets away, and we don't intend to do so.

We call especial attention to the large ad of Louis Stelman on last page. Louis Stelman is one of Baird's most enterprising young men and we predict that he will push his way to the top round of success in a few years. He handles farm implements, machinery, pumps, wind mills, etc. Give him a call when you want anything in his line.

The wheat outlook, from what we can learn, is generally pretty good though it was frozen out to some extent during the late cold spell, but from all that we can learn we believe the prospect for a fair crop of wheat is good. Oats were generally killed during the late cold snap. The late cold weather was a good thing for the fruit as it set the buds back. Had the weather continued warm as it was peach and plum trees would have all been in bloom by this time and would certainly have been killed before spring.

John Laird, deputy sheriff, arrested a little boy tramp here last week. After being questioned he said his name was Earl Skinner and that his mother lived in Fresno, California. His mother was notified by telegraph and she wrote the officer and sent him a photograph of the missing boy. The officer notified his mother that the identification was complete, and the little fellow was held to await his mother's orders. The boy is about nine years old and says he was taken away from Fresno by a tramp about eleven weeks ago. The tramp got sent to jail for 90 days in some town west of here as a vag and the little fellow kept on east with some other tramps until he was overhauled here as stated.

THE STAR is two days late this week; caused by sickness of two of the printers and an unusual run of job work the first of the week.

Mr. T. B. Holland of Eagle Cove, announces this week for county treasurer. Mr. Holland has resided in this county for a number of years. He is worthy, and besides is well qualified to discharge the duties of this important office.

Hon. Wm. L. Thompson of San Antonio is a candidate for State Land Commissioner. Mr. Thompson is an old Confederate soldier and said to be eminently well qualified for the position of commissioner. Mr. Thompson, it will be remembered, made a speech at the reunion here last year and contributes generously to the Camp Albert Sydney Johnson fund.

ENTERTAINMENT AT CLYDE. The ladies of the various churches at Clyde will give a supper and musical entertainment for the benefit of the Baptist church at Clyde on Monday evening, March 14. Admission 25 cents. Everybody invited.

Religious Notice. Appointments for the Baird circuit for ensuing year are as follows: At Baird 1st 2nd 4th Sundays in each month at 11 o'clock and night. Putnam 3rd Sunday at 11 o'clock, Cedar Grove at 3 p. m. W. L. HARRIS Pastor. M. E. Church, South.

NOTICE. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the mayor, Baird, Texas, until 6 o'clock p. m. March 14, 1894, for building a system of water works for said city. Plans and specifications can be seen at the American National Bank, Dallas, Texas, from Feb 26th to March 3d, 1894, inclusive; after which they will be at the mayor's office, Baird, Texas. A certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of each bid must be inclosed with the same. The city of Baird reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. E. W. LANE, Mayor of Baird. Feb. 21, 1894.

ONLY 20 Days MORE! THEN WE LEAVE. —Your Last Chance For The— CELEBRATED WATER PROOF ARISTO PHOTO DONT MISUNDERSTAND US, WE LEAVE MARCH 20TH. MILLER BROS., :-: Baird, Texas.

AFTER THE BANQUET. Whereas, the 30th period of our existence as a fraternity was, on the 19th day of February celebrated with a banquet, and Whereas, it is due to all the ladies that the same was a success, therefore RESOLVED, by the members of Baird Lodge No. 47, K. of P., that we as a Lodge extend our thanks and hearty appreciation to each and every one of the ladies for their assistance, their work and many good things as found on the table. And be it further RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be printed in The Baird STAR so that it can be read by all concerned, thus proclaiming our thanks and appreciation.

RESOLVED further, that the thanks of this Lodge be tendered the members of the Baird String Band for the excellent music furnished by them at the banquet. RESOLVED, that these resolutions be published in The Baird STAR. Carried unanimously by a rising vote. H. SCHWARTZ, K. of R. and S.

REDUCTION IN AD RATES. We have decided to make a reduction in advertising rates for the benefit of our regular advertisers as follows: All advertisers who will run a display ad regularly in THE STAR to cost not less than \$2 per month, can run locals at 5 cents per line straight. Transient locals regular price, 5 and 10 cents per line. This is a reduction of 50 per cent on first insertion. Advertisers can change weekly. This rate will hold until further notice. 13

Lease Pasture Lands. We have some extra good grass lands for lease, with water. Also some farm lands for sale very cheap and on easy terms. Will trade for a wagon and team, or cattle. 8 1f WEBB & WEBB.

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION. By authority of law, and by order of the City Council of the city of Baird, passed at a regular meeting of said City Council on February 27th, 1894, notice is hereby given that an election for the following officers for said city of Baird, consisting of a mayor, a secretary, five councilmen and a marshal said election will be held on Tuesday, the 3rd day of April, 1894, in the city of Baird, at the court house therein, from 8 o'clock a. m. until 6 o'clock p. m. Ed Coppins is hereby appointed the presiding officer at the above election. J. E. W. LANE, Feb. 28th, 1894. Mayor of Baird, 13 5t

FRUIT TREES. Largest stock of Nursery goods in the state and for immediate sale in order to close out our present surplus stock, we will supply 5 trees of any one of the following kinds for \$1: Maples, Cottonwood, Elm, Lombard, Poplar, Mulberries, Sweet Gum, or Umbrella Chinas, 6 to 7 feet. For \$1 6 extra Apple trees 2 years old, or 6 choice Peach trees, or 4 Apricots, or 4 choice Plum trees. 12 everblooming. Tea roses 2 years old for \$3. 3 Golden Arborvitas, or 3 Magnolias 2 feet for \$1. To one address \$5 of the above we will pay express charges. Southern Gem Nurseries, Dallas, Texas, 303 McKinney Avenue

NORMAN HORSES FOR SALE. I will trade large half blood norman mares, or horses, for stock cattle or I will sell my horses on time. These are fine large horses, and it will pay farmers to buy them. Wm. McManis Baird Texas. 4t

PATENTS. CAN I OBTAIN A PATENT? For a full answer and an honest opinion, write to BURN & CO., who have had nearly fifty years experience in the patent business. Communications strictly confidential. A full book of information concerning Patents and how to obtain them sent free. Also a catalogue of successful and scientific books sold free. Patents taken through Burn & Co. receive special notice in the Scientific American, and this notice is widely before the public with-out cost to the inventor. This special notice, issued weekly, is highly illustrated, and by the use of Burn & Co.'s process, the inventor's work in the world, and a year, can be secured for less than \$100. Every inventor should be first placed in contact with Burn & Co. of New York, N. Y., and they will be glad to advise him as to the best way to obtain a patent, and they will be glad to advise him as to the best way to obtain a patent, and they will be glad to advise him as to the best way to obtain a patent.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following is the rates of announcements for 1894 in THE BAIRD STAR: For Congress... \$15.00 All other District notices... 10.00 COUNTY OFFICER: County Judge... 10.00 County and District Clerk... 10.00 Sheriff and Tax Collector... 10.00 Tax Assessor... 10.00 County Treasurer... 10.00 County Attorney... 6.00 County Surveyor... 6.00 Inspector... 6.00 Public Weigher... 6.00 Precinct Offices... 3.00

CITY OFFICER: City Marshal... 6.00 Mayor and Aldermen... 2.50 The above rate includes name on the Democratic ticket at general election; and in every instance CASH MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE. NO CREDIT GOES. In the event candidates do not announce in THE BAIRD STAR, one-half the regular announcement fee will be charged for their name on the Democratic ticket at general election. Should anyone withdraw after having announced no part of their fee will be refunded.

FOR DISTRICT AND COUNTY CLERK. THE STAR is authorized to announce W. W. DUNSON as a candidate for District and County Clerk at the ensuing election.

A. A. CALLAHAN is hereby announced as a candidate for District and County Clerk of Callahan county at the ensuing election.

E. D. FOY authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for the office of District and County Clerk, at the ensuing election.

FOR DISTRICT CLERK. J. E. W. LANE is hereby announced as a candidate for the office of District Clerk at the ensuing election.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR. J. E. (ELL) GILLILAND authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor. Subject to the Democratic primary.

FOR SHERIFF. J. W. JOESN is hereby announced as a candidate for re-election to the office of sheriff at the ensuing election.

W. E. MAYS hereby announces as a candidate for the office of sheriff at the ensuing election.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER. T. B. HOLLAND is hereby announced as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer at the ensuing election.

FOR CITY MARSHAL. JAS. J. WELCH is a candidate for the office of City Marshal of the city of Baird. Election April 3rd, 1894.

CHOICE GOODS, FAIR PRICES.

HENRY L. BUCHEN, -DEALER IN- General Merchandise.

BELLE PLAINE, TEXAS.

ELKHART CARRIAGE and HARNESS MFG. CO.

Illustrations of various horse-drawn carriages and harnesses with prices. \$11.00 No. 37 Surrey Harness, \$37.50 No. 100 Top Buggy, \$43.00 No. 3 Farm Wagon. \$23.50 Our Harnesses are sold at Manufacturer's Prices.

Address W. B. PRATT, Sec'y, ELKHART, IND.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

—OF THE— Belle Plaine Public School

—ON— Wednesday, February 28, 1894,

At 7 P. M. Sharp.

The following is the program rendered:

- 1. Address. 2. Song, Class. 3. "I Live to Love," Ada Merchant. 4. "Faintly Flow," Annie and Nannie Tatum. 5. "The Cowboy," Jack Flores. 6. "Boy's Rights," Roe Scruggs. 7. "Guess What I've Got," Jack and May Flores. 8. "Rustic Courtship," Ned Merchant. 9. "Jack Frost," Six little girls. 10. "Comical Spelling Class," Eight boys. 11. "Guilty or Not Guilty," Jessie Rawton. 12. "Circumstances Alter Cases," (Dialogue) John Tatum, Ned Merchant, Bob Cutbirth. 13. "Tired of School," (Recitation) Pearl Merchant, Inez Dunlap, Maud Flores. 14. "Choice of Trade," Eight boys. 15. "Brother Watkins," L. F. Hall. 16. "The Proposal," (Song) Kate Flores and John Tatum. 17. Tableau, Ten Boys. 18. "There is no Roses Without Thorns," (Dialogue) Luke Hearn, Sue Floyd, L. F. Hall, Pearl Merchant. 19. "At the Railway Station," (Dialogue) L. F. Hall, Ned Merchant, Wilbar Burk, Kate Flores, Ella Waid, John Tatum. 20. Tableau, Six girls. 21. "The Happy Family," (Dialogue) John, Adelia and Charles Huglies and Nannie Tatum. 22. "Leaving Jonah," (Dialogue) L. F. Hall, Nat Floyd, Charles Tatum, Annie Craig. 23. Tableau, Eight girls. 24. The Valedictory, Beulah Cutbirth. 25. "Goodbye," Seven little girls. 26. Closing Song, Class. Entrance free of charge. KATIE FLORES, ANNIE CRAIG, ADELIA TATUM, J. E. TATUM, L. F. HALL, Committee.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Go to T. E. Powell's clothing. 11 Go to T. E. Powell's for footwear. Go to T. E. Powell's for dry goods. Go to T. E. Powell's for men and boys hats. 11 Glassware, tinware, crockery etc. Harry Meyer. 44 Go to T. E. Powell's for fine dress goods. 11 All kinds of cooking and heating stoves at H. Meyer's 44 Nice assortment of lamps of all kinds, at H. Meyer's. 1 t A nice line of glassware for the inspection of the public. H. Meyer 1 t Go to Harry Meyer's for tacks, in kegs, Japanese boxes, cruetts, etc. 1 t The people are invited to call and examine my stock. I will save you money on your purchases. Leo Stern. 52 A full line of Furniture, never cheaper than now. Come and see prices also a full stock of coffins. at Leo Stern. 23

Alert Advertisers advertise in THE STAR. T. E. Powell is receiving new goods all the time. 11 Go to T. E. Powell's for anything you want in the dry goods and clothing line. 11 A large assortment of bed room suits, side boards, wardrobes; in fact, everything in the furniture line can be seen at my store. Prices are made low to suit the times. LEO STERN, 2 t Successor to H. Schwartz. NOTICE. In view of the fact that the office of city Alderman does not pay one cent, and the further fact that the next election is the most important ever held in the city, THE STAR makes the following reduction in rates of announcement: For Alderman, including name on ticket at city election. \$ 1. City Marshal. 2 50 Now this is low enough, is it not? Feb. 23, 94.

NO CREDIT AT POWELL'S.

Happenings of General Interest Called from Various Sources.

The Populists of Kansas propose a novel way of campaigning. They will organize a theatrical company of young people of the requisite talents as an adjunct to the state campaign and send them over the state giving plays depicting the woes and ills which afflict the working classes.

Joseph Sanford Hardin, sent to the penitentiary at Chester, Ill., for twenty years on a charge of train robbery, has escaped. He made a friend of a trusty who drove a cart and who was hauling dirt from inside the walls and dumping it on the levee of the river.

At Pittsburgh, Pa., the Mansfield coal region rioters have been sentenced by Judge Ewing. Of the thirty-five foreigners convicted seven were sentenced to the penitentiary for terms ranging from fifteen months to two years and six months, and twenty-eight were sent to the work house for terms ranging from two months to one year.

At Mason, Mich., the investigation of the state salary scandal resulted in the returning of indictments against Attorney General Ellis, Secretary of State Joachim, State Treasurer Hamblitz, Land Commissioner Berry, Frank Potter, George Warren and George H. Bussey.

Representative McCreary of Kentucky has introduced a bill prepared at the state department for the regulation of Behring seal fisheries. It consists of a dozen typewritten pages and carries out to a great extent the recommendations of the late Paris arbitration commission.

At Chicago recently in a fierce fight with hatchets and bread knives John Kelley was fatally injured by a brother-in-law, Michael Welch. At the latter's home, Welch and Timothy Kelly were badly injured, but may recover. The cause was whisky.

There are forty-five miles of snow sheds on the line of the Central Pacific over the Sierra Nevadas, and it is said they cost about \$46,000 a mile, and three miles of snow galleries on the summit are said to have cost \$96,000 a mile.

Recently at Hudson, Mich., the home of William Smith, was destroyed by fire. While attempting to extinguish the flames, Mrs. Smith, crazed with excitement, rushed into the flames and was burned to death.

The inquest on the death of Lawyer Henry L. Carr, who was mysteriously shot in his own house in Denver, Col., some weeks ago has been concluded, the jury finding that Carr was killed by some person unknown.

Erastus Wyman of New York, has been arrested charged with forgeries to the amount of \$229,000. R. G. Dun made the complaint. In default of bail in the sum of \$25,000 he was locked up in the toms.

A bomb with a fuse attached was found a few days ago by the police in the postoffice at Tunis, Africa. The bomb, which did not explode, is supposed to have been placed there by foreign anarchists.

Guarded by a policeman Julia Lloyd, a colored girl, lies seriously ill at the Philadelphia, Pa., hospital. When she recovers sufficiently she will be arraigned on a charge of infanticide.

A lynx got into the chicken house of Albert Remy, near Left Hand, Col., a few nights ago and killed seventy-five chickens and six turkeys. It was killed with a revolver.

Queen Victoria has just returned to Windsor Castle from Osborne, Isle of Wight. She appeared to be more feeble than usual and was supported by an Indian attendant.

Jeff Hudson, a negro school teacher of Kilmichael, Miss., was recently jailed at Winona, Miss., by Marshal Knox for the murder of his wife. He shot her eleven times.

The tenth annual assembly of the Florida Chautauqua was held at DeFuniak Springs a few days since with a large attendance from every section of the country.

George W. Hunt, of Seattle, Wash., has brought suit against the receivers of the Northern Pacific Railroad company to recover \$5,000,000 damages.

For violating the election laws of New York boss John Y. McKane has been convicted at Brooklyn, and sentenced to six years in Sing Sing.

Advices received at Constantinople state that the steamer Pentarth, from Odessa, is totally lost. The crew is supposed to be saved.

His majesty of Portugal, in consideration of the small size of his kingdom, contents himself with \$634,440 a year.

Jacob Lintz has been convicted of the murder of his wife at New Orleans, and given a life sentence.

The king of Italy receives \$2,850,000 as a salary and \$180,000 for his family, he being a married man.

The emperor of Austria manages to make both ends meet with an annual allowance of \$3,875,000.

The union printers' strike of Horace Cronley was unveiled at New York on February 22.

AN EXCITING SCENE.

POPULIST PENCE GOES FOR THE REPUBLICANS

And Fithian, a Democrat, Scores His Brethren—The Subcommittee on Tariff Did Not Report as Was Expected and All is Confusion.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The proceedings in the house yesterday were full of exciting incidents. Mr. Bland, being unable to secure a quorum, concluded to allow the debate on the bill to proceed, at the same time declaring that he would return to the assault. Two sensational speeches followed, one by Mr. Pence of Colorado, Populist, who denounced the Republicans for submitting to the crack of ex-Speaker Reed's whip, and warned him if the election of president were thrown into the house in 1896 he would rue his filibustering course, and the other by Mr. Fithian of Illinois, Democrat, who condemned in the severest terms the action of his Democratic colleagues who were taking part in the filibuster.

Toward the close of the session Mr. Pence's reflections on Messrs. Pickler of South Dakota and Ellis of Oregon, drew fourth from them a statement which Mr. Pence characterized as "absolutely untrue." He was twice called to order and the house by a vote refused to allow him to proceed.

New Rule Proposed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—A rule is proposed that incorporates the principle that the affirmative votes on a call must be a majority of those officially recorded, both as voting and as present, and not voting in order that the vote shall be a legal one to decide the pending question. The proposed rule is as follows: "But should a quorum fail to vote and the point be made that no quorum had voted there shall be a call of the house and the yeas and nays of the pending question shall at the same time be ordered. The clerk shall call the roll and each member as he answers to his name or is brought before the house under the proceedings of the call of the house shall vote on the pending question. If the member fails to vote or refuses when present to answer to his name then any member can announce to the speaker that a member, giving his name, is present and failed to vote or answer to his name on such call, thereupon the speaker shall get the clerk to note the name of such member on the journal as present. If those voting on the question and those declining to vote or answer to their names shall together make a majority of the house then the speaker shall declare that a quorum is constituted and the pending question shall be decided, providing the affirmative vote is a majority of those voting and those present and not voting."

Did Not Report.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—There is the utmost confusion on all sides as to the action of the senate finance committee, the subcommittee of that committee and the senatorial Democratic caucus which met to discuss the tariff work of said subcommittee. In the first place it was given out by members of the finance committee that the subcommittee would report to that committee yesterday. Then it was said that the caucus had been abandoned or deferred till the finance committee received a report from the subcommittee. Now it occurs that the subcommittee made no report to the general committee, and moreover the caucus met, adjourned, met again and adjourned and are to meet again.

The Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The subcommittee of the finance committee of the senate, or to speak in accordance with the desires of the finance committee, the gentlemen who have been considering the Wilson bill, to-wit: Senators Jones of Arkansas, Vest of Missouri and Mills will report their work to the full committee on Monday. What has been done remains covered up, and there will not be any way to ascertain what it is till the bill comes out of the committee.

Morgan's Hawaiian Report.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The senate held but a short session yesterday in order to give the Democrats an opportunity afterwards to continue the caucus begun in the morning. Mr. Morgan, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, presented the report on Hawaiian investigation and Mr. Frye (Rep.) of Maine gave notice that on Wednesday he would address the senate on that subject.

Railway Postal Clerks.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—There are more than 8000 railway postal clerks in the service of the government. Most of them will be benefited by the bill of Representative Hopkins of Illinois, which was recently reported by the house committee on postoffices. The bill creates seven classes of clerks other than are provided for by the present laws, salaries at \$1600 and \$1800.

Not Money.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—When the senate met yesterday morning a letter from the secretary of the treasury to the attorney general as to whether silver certificates were "lawful money," and the reply of the attorney general, giving a negative opinion, was read.

An Exciting Session.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Speaker Crisp was sick yesterday and Mr. Dockery of Missouri took the chair, and from that moment the Republic-

ans, backed up by the New York Democratic delegation, had a veritable monkey show with the Democratic side. The members who had been arrested claimed that the warrant for their arrest was worthless. Gen. Sickles took the floor and insisted on making known why he was arrested. He declared that he was to all intents and purposes in chains and he demanded a trial at once. All the time he was trying to speak the house was in an uproar, some of the members were laughing as if their sides would not stand their merriment, while others gesticulated wildly and demanded that the chairman make Mr. Sickles take his seat, while others growled and walked about as if they were in misery. After a while the pandemonium ceased sufficiently for the speaker to call the arrested members to the bar for excuses for their absence. None of them came for some time. Finally a Republican named Adams from Pennsylvania came forward and gave as his excuse for being absent that he went to his home to perform the highest act of an American citizen, that is to vote. The Republicans fairly yelled with delight and it became impossible to do anything. In vain did the speaker pro tem rap for order. The assistant sergeant-at-arms carried around the mace, which is generally supposed to quell the most obdurate member, but he was on this occasion only jeered at for his labors. Finally some one moved to adjourn. Mr. Sickles kept repeating: "Don't do this and leave me in chains." His sallies were greeted with roars of laughter by the Republicans, who gave him every encouragement. Mr. Outhwaite, following the Bland side, made the motion to adjourn. This was voted down, many members on the Democratic side voting against it because they thought the motion to come from Mr. Bland. Again pandemonium reigned and everybody was talking at once. Finally Mr. Bland himself made the motion and it was carried, but this was not done until a roll call was forced by Mr. Bourke Cockran.

Nothing Done Yet.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The proceedings of the house yesterday were more orderly than they were Thursday, but the Democratic party was not in a less pitiable condition. There was not as much yelling and quarreling and disorder, but there was just as much Democratic boating and weakness. The first thing that came up was Mr. Reed's motion to discharge all the arrested members, because there was no authority for their arrest. Mr. Bland had a substitute for this, which provided for the discharge of the arrested members without any allusion to the authority for their arrest. The arrested members were discharged and the business was then to vote on Bland's motion to have debate till to-day, when a vote should be taken. The latter was lost by only one or two votes. An adjournment was then had, but during all this time somebody was talking and the utterances were very interesting.

Silver Men Weakened.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The house did nothing Saturday, and there was no disappointment, because no one expected it to do anything. It is evident, however, that many of the silver men are becoming disposed of the compromise. They are beginning to believe they can never pass the Bland bill as it now stands and are willing to strike out the section which provides for the coinage of the bullion and limit the coinage to the seigniorage. Some of the silver men are far from disposed to changing the line of the fight or to making any concessions, but unless something is done to change the rules the voting quorum which they so much desire is extremely improbable. One thing sure is that the silver men having the Bland bill on the right of way will not yield it to any other measure if they can prevent it.

Mills Not a Member.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Senator Mills is no longer acting as a member of the senate committee on finance and Senator McPherson has resumed his place as a member of that committee. The report of this change was noised about the capitol soon after the senate met yesterday and was confirmed by Senator Mills, who, in reply to a question concerning the correctness of the report, said: "Mr. McPherson has been a member of the committee all the time and I have never been a member of it. I simply went on temporarily to represent him while he was sick and now he has come back and taken his place."

Given a Hearing.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Twenty-five ladies, the remainder of the National Woman's Suffrage convention which has been in session in Washington for a week past, appeared before the house judiciary committee yesterday morning.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—To all appearances Sabine Pass will not receive anything like the appropriation asked for. A million dollars was wanted and Cooper has been making a strong fight for a large appropriation.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The available cash balance in the treasury yesterday was \$138,549,426, national bank notes received for redemption \$294,063, government receipts: Internal revenue \$938,888, customs \$471,372, miscellaneous \$41,606.

A LYNCHING FEARED.

MRS. ANDERSON CARTER HAS CONFESED,

And Her Husband, Bert Carter and James Newton are Arrested, Charged With Murder and Robbery—Cost Him His Life to Obey His Mother.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., Feb. 27.—Word was received from Mountain Home, Ark., last night to the effect that Mrs. Anderson Carter had confessed that her husband, with Bert Carter and James Newton, had killed Hunter Wilson and afterward robbed the house of \$1000. Her confession was followed by one from Bert Carter. The three were jailed. Great excitement prevails in the vicinity. Men are going to Mountain Home in squads and it is thought here that the three men will be lynched. Sheriff Eftman is making preparations to defend his prisoners.

Must Go to Prison.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Following close on the refusal of Justice Cullen to grant a stay for McKane, Justice Dykman also declined to interfere in the execution of the sentence pronounced. Lawyer Joachims of New York, appeared in White Plains and made the application. Justice Dykman at once refused to interfere and the transaction was over. The grounds on which the application was based were the same as those presented to Justice Cullen. It will be remembered that McKane was convicted of violating the election at Gravesend.

A Double Tragedy.

GALLATIN, Tenn., Feb. 24.—The story of a double tragedy comes from Hughesville, Macon county. Fuller Lawson, an employe of Ben Hudson, felled some trees into a stream that was the dividing line between Hudson and Frank Conyer. Conyer called upon Lawson and said he must quit. Lawson would not. Conyer then attempted to shoot him. Lawson struck him with his ax, inflicting a fatal wound. Finally Conyer succeeded in getting two balls through Lawson's body and one through his head, killing him outright.

Death Bed Confession.

SPRINGDALE, Ark., Feb. 23.—Four years ago a woman living at this place named Gambotis was killed. Living with her was a man named Charlie Crouch, and suspicion pointed to him. At the trial, however, nothing could be proven and he was discharged. Crouch has just died at Fayetteville and before expiring confessed to the crime. He also confessed to the murder of a negro at the same place.

Cost His Life to Obey.

SHERMAN, Ala., Feb. 27.—Deputy Sheriff Cowlett was shot and killed yesterday by Tommy McDouglass. Cowlett had gone to the boy's home to levy on a cow owned by his mother. She refused to let it go and told the boy to shoot the officer if he attempted to drive the animal away. The officer started and the boy fired with the above result. A crowd lynched the youthful murderer, filling him with bullets.

In Mail Attire.

PADUCAH, Ky., Feb. 22.—Florence McMurdy, who hails from Pittsburg, was arrested here Tuesday night with a companion named Charley Jacob. She was dressed in mail attire and broke down at the jail when about to be searched, exclaiming, "I'm a girl." She has a mother and three sisters living in Pittsburg. Jacob is also from Pittsburg. The girl will be sent home.

Five Killed.

CAMPE, La., Feb. 23.—By the explosion of the boiler in the oil mill of Freeman & Hayne here Wednesday night five men were killed and several others injured. The parties killed were a white man named Balzaratte and four negroes named Alex and William Franklin, George Washington and Samuel Johnson. The building in which the boiler was located was totally demolished.

Tege Bill for Murder.

ROSWELL, N. M., Feb. 23.—On the 17th the body of C. S. Vansickle was found buried in a haystack near here, mangled and with two bullet holes in the head. Yesterday the grand jury found a true bill against Antonio Gonzales and Eugenia Arragon for the murder of Vansickle. There is much excitement over the trial.

Row in a Saloon.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 26.—Jacob J. Nave, a west end tough, was shot and mortally wounded by John Lemon in his saloon yesterday morning. Nave died at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Alford Lang was also shot by Lemon, but was only slightly injured. Lemon was placed under arrest.

Female Masons.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 24.—The Scottish rite Masons here have revived an old practice, one sanctioned by France, and admitted, "by adoption," two ladies, wives of Masons, to the consistency. The admission carries with it the right to wear the Masonic apron.

Trouble Feared.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 22.—The police have information that trouble will be caused at Gov. Greenhalge's reception to the public to-day by the unemployed. The entire police force was at midnight to report for duty at 8 o'clock this morning.

A Tramp's Villainy.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 23.—Fire was

discovered in a cottage at 446 South Twenty-fourth avenue yesterday morning by neighbors, who broke into the house to extinguish the flames. In a closet they found Mrs. Freddie Rothschild, owner of the cottage, badly burned and her clothes consumed. She says early in the morning a tramp came out of her cellar and overpowered her. He then saturated her clothes with kerosene, placed her in the closet, set her on fire and locked her in. She then fainted and did not recover consciousness until after being discovered by the neighbors. Physicians believe the woman will recover. The police are of the opinion that the tramp was none other than Mrs. Rothschild's husband, from whom she had been separated.

Champion Ski-Runner.

RED WING, Minn., Feb. 26.—There seems to be no limit to the possibilities of the ski-runner in leaping through space. At the tournament held Saturday afternoon Torjus Hemmestvedt, the world's champion ski-runner, broke his own record by sixteen feet. A previous thaw had rendered this course icy and correspondingly slippery, and the contestants dashed down the steep incline with almost lightning-like rapidity. Many excellent records had been made and the spectators were already satisfied that they had seen the most marvelous feats of ski-running possible. When Hemmestvedt came down the last time he leaped through space the enormous distance of 120 feet, which eclipses by far all the records both in this country and Norway. The champion fell in a hard place, but did not hurt himself seriously.

A Family Cremated.

GURDON, Ark., Feb. 26.—News has been received here of the burning of a farm house and its occupants ten miles west of Murfreesboro, in Pike county, on Wednesday night. John Wert, a farmer, his wife and five children occupied the house, and all perished in the flames. The building was constructed of logs, with a large fireplace built at each end. While the family were asleep fire flew upon the floor and in this manner the dry timbers and other inflammable materials became ignited. When discovered the next day the entire building was reduced to ashes and only the charred bodies of the occupants remained.

Boarding House Fight.

HAZLETON, Pa., Feb. 26.—In a fight which developed into a free fight, in the boarding house of Joseph Tornasak Saturday night, about forty Hungarians and Poles participated. During the battle knives, guns and clubs were used with terrible effect. Peter Noosic was fatally stabbed in the abdomen. Joen Piker had his skull crushed in. John Tram's eye was gouged out, and John Nutch was shot in the shoulder. A number of others were more or less seriously injured. The outbreak was the result of bad blood between the boarders, most of whom were drunk.

Not a Wild Lion.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 22.—"Wallace," the 500-pound lion which is on exhibition at a dime museum, where he is advertised as the terrible untamed wonder of the world, escaped from his keeper yesterday afternoon and bounded into a crowded audience in the theater of the museum. Broncho Boccacio, an East Indian, who is the lion's keeper and trainer, was about to give an exhibition in the big iron cage with the lion when the animal leaped from the cage. For a while a panic ensued, but finally the brute was driven back to his cage.

Killed Two Mexicans.

SOLOMONVILLE, Ariz., Feb. 24.—A. R. Stanford has killed two Mexicans at Duncan. He had trouble with the Mexicans over an irrigation ditch on which they were working and when about thirty feet from the Mexicans he began firing with a Winchester rifle. There were five or six Mexicans at work. Two were killed. On preliminary examination Stanford was held for murder in \$20,000 bond and started for Solomonville in charge of a special officer. He escaped from the carriage and has not been caught.

A Nebraska Killing.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 22.—A. S. Jones, station agent of the Missouri Pacific at Walton, this county, shot and killed Jerry Peck, a constable, at Sprague Tuesday night. Jones and Peck had trouble before, which resulted in the former being transferred by the railway company from Sprague to Walton. Jones had returned to Sprague for his family when the fatal quarrel with Peck occurred. Jones is now barricaded in a house with his family and defies arrest.

Died of His Burns.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Feb. 23.—A 3-year-old son of C. Thompson, a farmer, was playing near the fire, when his clothes caught fire. His aunt reached him first and she was terribly burned about the face and breast while trying to extinguish the flames. The mother grabbed the child from her sister and her hands were so badly burned that the flesh dropped off. The little one died yesterday, and the mother's hands are so badly crippled she will no longer have any use of them.

Hydrophobia.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—A man violently ill with hydrophobia caused a panic in a crowd of poor who sought aid at the county agent's office. He gave his name as George Barket, a laborer, during a lucid interval, but soon became violent again and, barking and screaming, attempted to rush at the people about him. After a terrible struggle he was overpowered and taken to a hospital. His malady is the result of a dog bite received two months ago.

EVIL OMENS OF THE SEA.

Some Things That Sailors Dread to See While on Board a Vessel.

About Vineyard sound there are numerous legends of a famous Indian giant. It is said that the rocks at Seaconnet are the remains of his wife, whom he threw into the sea there. He turned his children into fishes, and emptying out his pipe one day, formed Nantucket out of its ashes. This latter story of Nantucket's source must account likewise for the well-known story of that old Nantucket captain who was accustomed to make his reckonings by tasting the earth brought up sounding. One day the lead was dipped in some earth brought on board ship from the island, and the captain, after tasting, leaped from his berth in great excitement, exclaiming: "Nantucket's sunk, and here we are right over old Marm Hackett's garden." Naturally he would recognize the taste of tobacco ashes.

Mermaids work dire mischief, whether in the shape of the famous Lorelei of the Rhine or as frequently seen by sailors, and are sometimes regarded as the sign of coming disaster. Naturally, many terrible disasters have followed the discovery of these beautiful creatures, and as people are always waiting to put cause and effect together the result has been this belief. Tales about the sea serpent are growing too common, but together with everything else of a kindred nature the appearance of this monster is associated with impending disaster in the mind of a sailor.

A sailor always regards the presence of a shark about a ship a most fatal omen to the sick on board. The highest exultation ever witnessed on a man-of-war was occasioned by harpooning a shark that was hanging about while a favorite was sick; but the appearance of a shark is often fatal to the life of a bather in the ocean as well as a sailor upon it, and it is quite as much to be dreaded.

Ghosts of all sorts and kinds prefer traveling by water to almost any other mode, and our own Cotton Mather tells us of a spectre that visited a colonial ship, carrying off in a ghostly canoe seven of the crew at a time. He also says: "Many persons who have died at sea have been seen within a day of their death by friends at home." As late as the seventeenth century they tell a story of a ship about to sail for England that had as passengers a strange man and a girl of great beauty. So mysterious were their actions that they were supposed to be demons, and many feared to sail in the ship. The vessel sailed on Friday and never reached her destination, but appeared as narrated, after a storm that lasted three days.

Near and more near the ship came on With all her broad sails spread. The night grew thick, but a phantom light Around her path was shed. And the waters shuddered as on the case. For against the wind she sped.

Longfellow also told a similar story in his "Phantom Ship," while all lovers of good music will remember the story of the opera, "The Flying Dutchman."

There is a superstition that a ship no longer seaworthy just before breaking up between the strains of wind and wave, has been known to give forth wailing sounds like moaning. The sailor cannot account for this, but he knows too well its import, and loses heart at the melancholy sound. This is also noticed by Cooper in his "Red Rover," where one of the characters is made to say, "A ship which is about to sink makes her lamentations just like any other human being."

A Queer Advertisement.

A curious advertisement was published in a New York paper by Mrs. Mary Anderson, a young widow of 351 West Fifty-ninth street, that city, in which she offered for adoption her child at its birth. In explanation of her extraordinary proposition Mrs. Anderson said: "Shortly after I was married, about a year ago, my husband went South, where a good position had been offered him. I intended to join him as soon as he had become established in his business. He was killed in a railroad accident on the journey down, and I was left almost penniless. I am trying to find some trustworthy person who will adopt my child at its birth. I am unable to give it proper support, and I feel that it would be better for us to part before we become attached to each other."

He Has to Be Careful.

"You don't seem to think the story I just told you is funny," said the raconteur. "Oh, ya-a-a, I do," replied Willie Wibbles. "Weally, I think it's ververy funny, indeed. I'm going to tell it to my friends." "But you didn't laugh." "No, I'm afraid to laugh. If I laughed don't you know, it would disturb me so that I might forget the story, and then I couldn't tell it to my friends."

They Were Practical Scientists.

George—Now, for every falling star to-night I shall exact a kiss. Ethel—But, George, it's so cloudy to-night we can't see them. George—We don't need to. Astronomers calculate that 10,000,000 odd stars fall every night, and it would be a waste of valuable time for us to watch for them. (And they don't.)—Judge.

A Source of Embarrassment.

Emeralda Longcoffin—I've got such a lovely parrot. Birdie McGinnis—Can he talk? "I should say so. He says: 'Oh, what a fool!' all day long." "Well, doesn't that embarrass you a little when there is company present?"—Texas Siftings.

INVALID CREMATED.

MRS. H. L. THOMPSON IS BURNED TO DEATH

In a Sanitarium at San Antonio—A Man Jumps Into a Well at Paris Fifty Feet Deep Headforemost, but Reverses Positions and Still Lives.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 27.—The large sanitarium of Dr. J. M. Peebles in the West End suburbs was burned at 3 o'clock yesterday morning and one of the patients, Mrs. H. L. Thompson of Bell county, burned to death. The fire broke out in the pantry, presumably from rats gnawing matches. With a high wind blowing the structure was soon destroyed. The alarm was quickly given and out of the twenty patients all escaped but Mrs. Thompson. Some of them escaped by jumping from the second story window or rushing through the building in their night clothes. Mrs. Thompson occupied a second story room and being a paralytic could not escape and her remains, burned beyond semblance, were afterwards discovered in the debris. Mrs. Duval, who was attending Mrs. Thompson, jumped from the second story window and broke her wrist. The husband of the deceased lady is in the city and will accompany her remains to Bell county for burial. She leaves two sons to mourn her loss.

Jumped in a Well.

PARIS, Tex., Feb. 27.—When the employes of the Lamar warehouse went to work yesterday morning they found a man in the well, which is in the center of the yard. He was hauled up more dead than alive. He proved to be Marion De Craft, the night watchman for the warehouse. It is thought that he jumped into the well about 9 o'clock at night, though he says it was about 12. He imagined some of his relatives were hunting him for the purpose of killing him. The well is about fifty feet deep and it is about forty feet from the top to the water. It is about three feet in diameter and walled from bottom to top with brick. De Craft says he jumped in head foremost. After striking the water he changed his mind. There happened to be a chain hanging from the pulley that reached the water and he caught it and kept his head above water. It is thought he will recover.

Stood Them Off.

DENISON, Tex., Feb. 24.—Matthew Wright, who is charged with attempting to murder his wife Thursday, was tracked by Officer East to a saloon and he attempted to arrest him. Wright covered the officer with a revolver and backed out of the front door. The officer gave chase, firing at the fast retreating negro, but failed to land. A party of officers armed with Winchesters, were on the hunt for him yesterday, but failed to locate their man.

Would Be Train Wrecker.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 22.—R. E. L. Bloodwood was arrested here yesterday on a warrant from Medina county charging him with placing obstructions on the International and Great Northern track for the purpose of train wrecking. Bloodwood was arrested a short time ago at Laredo charged with wrecking the Southern Pacific train at MacDona, in which two people were killed, but the grand jury failed to indict him on that charge.

In a Bed of Fire.

TYLER, Tex., Feb. 22.—At noon yesterday the infant of Eliza Woodall, colored, was burned to death. She was cooking Mr. Frank Sewell and left her child alone in a bed in the cabin, only a few yards from Mr. Sewell's residence. The first intimation of the child's peril was given by smoke issuing from the window of the cabin. The house was saved, but the child died in a few minutes after being taken from its bed of fire.

Found Hanging.

HALLETTSVILLE, Tex., Feb. 26.—About noon Saturday the body of John Lorentz was found hanging in a vacant room adjoining one occupied by him as a sleeping room. He came here about two years ago, was a native of Bohemia, about 30 years old. He had lived here and in Austin, where he was engineer in an ice factory.

T. J. Wood, Jr., Cleared.

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 27.—T. J. Wood, Jr., whose trial in the United States court on the charge of embezzling funds of the Ninth national bank of Dallas and the First national bank of Rockwall, consumed a week, is again a free man. The jury at 10 a. m. yesterday came into court and rendered a verdict of not guilty.

Killed Under the Wheels.

TEXARKANA, Tex., Feb. 21.—The Texas and Pacific cannon ball train ran over and killed Eddie Allen, a boy, yesterday afternoon in the yards of the company in this city. He was killed while trying to board the moving train.

Shot at His Wife.

DENISON, Tex., Feb. 23.—A negro whose wife had left him fired three shots at her yesterday, but failed to inflict any serious wound. He has not yet been arrested, but the officers are after him.

A Killing at Dallas.

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 26.—Officers Magee and Hughes arrested a negro last night about 9 o'clock, at the Union

depot, corner of Pacific and North Central avenues, on a charge of shooting Will Turner, another negro. The prisoner gave his name as Henry Barkley. According to the statement of several bystanders, Will Turner came along by the depot with a woman named Harris, and just as the pair got in front of the Bear hotel Turner fell from the effects of two shots fired by some one the opposite side of the street. The wounded man was taken into a residence near by and a physician summoned. Upon investigation it was found Turner was shot once in the right jaw and one shot entered his left side above the heart. Turner was hardly able to speak, but did state that he thought Henry Barkley was the man who shot him. Justice Skelton was called upon to take any statement that the dying man might make. The prisoner, Henry Barkley, is very reticent and refuses to talk, beyond the statement that "he didn't shoot any one, and that he knew nothing of it." He was searched at the city hall and nothing was found on him but a small amount of money. Barkley was transferred from the city hall to the county jail by Deputy Sheriff Bolick. On the way to the jail the prisoner remarked: "I suppose this business will cost my father lots of money to get me out of it." Turner is dead.

A Miner Mangled.

VAN HORN, Tex., Feb. 26.—A Mexican working in the silver mines twelve miles north of this place was instantly killed by a huge boulder becoming dislodged and falling. It was a horribly mangled corpse. His head was crushed so flat that he could not have been identified. The man with whom the deceased was working saw the rock as it was starting and made a heroic effort to save his chum and had a hair's-breadth escape from death himself. The rock tipped his shoulders and wounded him quite severely as he stooped over to pull his companion away from the impending danger.

Tramps Pardoned.

COLUMBUS, Tex., Feb. 24.—The proclamation of Gov. Hogg received by the sheriff Thursday in which he pardons twenty-one tramps recently convicted of vagrancy and hired out as county convicts, created considerable comment on the streets. The action of the governor in granting general pardon to all of them without any investigation meets with much criticism. No action has yet been taken toward releasing the tramps and they will probably be continued at labor under the contract until they have worked a sufficient length of time to satisfy the cost.

Charged With Murder.

WACO, Tex., Feb. 24.—Dan Martin was placed in the county jail yesterday. The defendant is charged by affidavit with murder. At a dance last Saturday night near Reisel Joe Dorsey was shot. Since then he died and Martin is charged with killing him. The bullet entered Joe Dorsey's shoulder, and at first it was regarded as a slight injury. Examination after death disclosed the fact that the ball passed around the muscles of the shoulder and back and entered the spine.

Boy Burglars.

WACO, Tex., Feb. 23.—Williams McCall was passing the warehouse of Crown Bros., on Austin avenue yesterday and discovered a group of boys taking goods out through a broken window. He gave chase and captured John Kimmick, Edward and John McCrue and Fred Pollard. Affidavit was made against these four boys before Justice Gallagher, charging them with burglary, and they were locked up to await preliminary hearing. The boys' ages are from 10 to 15 years.

Began Early.

ATLANTA, Tex., Feb. 24.—A boy giving the name of Joe Smith was arrested at Longview and brought here, charged with robbing the store of the Atlanta Lumber mills. He had an examining trial and his bond fixed at \$500. Failing to give it he was sent to Linden jail. He is only 16 years old. Most of the missing articles were found with him.

Buried Alive.

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 23.—Last evening at 6:30 a gravel pit at Oak Cliff slipped and buried out of sight a laborer named Pat O'Connor. The unfortunate man was dug out and examination of his injuries made. Both legs were found broken and he was suffering from severe internal injuries from which he died at 11:30 last night. The deceased was 26 years old, unmarried and a native of Cincinnati.

Accidentally Shot.

TULSA, Tex., Feb. 23.—While a party of citizens were engaged in an antelope chase recently about five miles south of town, A. N. Patterson was rapidly firing at a running antelope from a cart in which he was riding. His horse became unmanageable, causing him to shoot himself through the right arm near the shoulder, which may necessitate amputation.

Big Bed of Salt.

BIG SPRINGS, Tex., Feb. 23.—The artesian well being bored here is now 1400 feet deep and the last 420 feet is solid rock salt. There is an occasional streak of slate, but very thin. The salt is said to be of superior quality. Experts contend that this is the thickest bed of salt known in the United States.

Severely Wounded.

CLEBURNE, Tex., Feb. 22.—An engineer by the name of Chrisman came near dying from an overdose of morphine Tuesday night. He is resting easy, and it is thought out of danger.

ALL OVER THE STATE.

INTERESTING CULLINGS FROM THE DAILY PRESS.

A Crisp and Complete History of Race Round-Ups Carefully Selected and Rendered Readable from Every Portion of the Empire State.

A negro ex-convict stole a mule on L. W. Carr's place, near Hearne, a few days ago. He had been out of the penitentiary only a short time when he stole some goods in order to get back. The grand jury failing to return a bill of indictment, he took the mule as above stated. He wants to plead guilty and be sent up for five years, and be left on White's plantation, with Sergeant E. G. McNutt.

At Farmersville, Collin county, one morning recently, G. W. Addison was awakened by his house being on fire. He jumped out of bed and proceeded to get the family out of the house, but the flames had gotten under such headway that he failed to wake one boy 6 years old and a girl 11 years old, and in spite of his best efforts they, together with the house and its entire contents burned.

Quite awhile ago a shotgun valued at \$160 belonging to Mr. W. J. Alden, was stolen from his office at the Oriental hotel, at Dallas. It has been returned to him by a party who found it in the woods a short distance from the brewery. Mr. Alden's name was engraved on the gun, and it is thought that the thief, fearing that it might be the means of leading to his detection, threw it away.

An examination of the beach below Velasco near the location selected by the government for the \$50,000 ninety-five foot high iron lighthouse, shows that the groves and rows of salt cedars planted there two years ago have caused drifting sands to raise the beach from eighteen to thirty inches. Ten or fifteen thousand more cedars will be planted.

At Meridian, Bosque county, after being out fifteen minutes the jury in the case of Frank Fossett, charged with killing Charlie Alexander, colored, returned a verdict of not guilty. The evidence developed the fact that the negro insulted the wife Mr. Fossett the latter part of last December, when he was killed.

Charles Piper of Lewisville, Denton county, has in his possession a copy of the New York Herald bearing date of April 16, 1865, which contains a complete report of the assassination of President Lincoln. It also contains the New Orleans market reports, quoting low midding at 42 cents per pound.

The grocery store of George Skinner, together with the postoffice was burned at White Rock, Hunt county, a few nights ago. The loss on the building and stock was about \$1500, with \$1200 insurance. About \$200 worth of stamps and postoffice material was destroyed.

At Weatherford the contract has been let for the erection of the tabernacle to be used for the Sam Jones revival meeting to be held there beginning on the 15th of April. The different committees are at work and are meeting with success.

Cashier Dorland of the defunct First National bank of Llano has been arrested on a charge of making false returns of the condition of the bank to the comptroller of the currency. Dorland was indicted by the federal grand jury at Austin.

J. W. Black of Boboc's mill was cutting logs recently near Timpson, Shelby county, when he was caught by a falling tree and crushed into the ground. Dr. Hiller, who is attending him, has but little hope of his recovery.

Una Mills, the 3-year-old daughter of Hon. Seth P. Mills, representative in the legislature from McLennan county, died a few days since from the effects of burns received accidentally while playing near the fireplace.

The excitement at Corsicana a few days ago about a gold find has blown over. A section hand did find an oyster can with \$14 in silver in it, which gave rise to the story that 222 \$20 gold pieces had been found.

Farmers are busily engaged plowing and planting at Rose Hill, Harris county. The late frozes killed all early garden vegetables, but these have been replanted, and are now up and growing finely.

Melville Wilkerson of Belton a resident of Texas for the past sixty years, is dead. Mr. Wilkerson served in the Texas war for independence in 1836 and in the war between Texas and Mexico in 1845.

Hilliard Cone, who recently moved to Navasota from Allen Farm, was shot one morning recently by unknown parties. His dead body was found in his back yard. He leaves a wife and four children.

A 100-mile bicycle race from Dallas to Van Alstyne, Grayson county, and return was made a few days ago. It was won by J. B. Cave, who made the trip in 12 hours and 44 minutes.

Abe Samuels and C. J. Jort of the auction firm of Samuels & Jort of San Antonio, are under arrest, charged with arson. Their stock was badly damaged by fire on December 17.

Charles Worston shot Hattie Dean recently at Galveston. Worston was arrested and locked up. The woman is in the hospital severely wounded, but not necessarily fatally.

Frank Jakubik, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jakubik of Yoakum, threw a piece of tin at his baby sister, which penetrated the eye, destroying the sight.

A motion for a rehearing in the J. D. May case has been overruled by the court of criminal appeals. May will therefore suffer the extreme penalty for accidentally killing the fireman while attempting to hold up an Arkansas Pass train in DeWitt county.

On Washington's birthday at Wharton the ladies of the Cemetery association celebrated the day at night by a unique entertainment. A George Washington tree and hatchet, a fish pond and an oyster supper were among the attractions of the evening.

Fifty thousand dollars' worth of improvements will be added to the waterworks plant at Tyler, which will give employment to more than 100 men until midsummer.

A sugar mill, which will cost when complete \$110,000, will be built on the Rowe & Stratton plantations in Brazoria county, recently purchased by a St. Louis syndicate.

The secretary of state is receiving from \$100 to \$500 per day in the way of franchise taxes and estimates that the annual revenue from that source will reach \$30,000.

Recently at Leggett, in a difficulty, between Joe Campbell and Wash Burrows, both colored, the latter had one ear bitten off and his nose badly bitten by Campbell.

"May William J. Gray and Blanche McVeigh be happy throughout life's pathway," is the wish of a Cleburne paper expressed regarding a recent marriage there.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Dallas will petition the city council to abolish a certain gambling resort where boys are taught gambling.

Washington county redeemed \$8000 court house bonds recently, and the school fund, through the comptroller, purchased \$37,000 of Gollard court bonds.

The city council of Mineral Wells is issuing bonds to the value of \$10,000 for the purpose of putting in waterworks and making street improvements.

Congressman Bell of Texas, violating every pledge and promise to his people, made a vigorous speech against the Eland seigniorage bill.

It snowed nearly all day at Dallas a few days since. Several parties rigged up sleighs and took a ride, using cows bells.

Mrs. M. B. Blanton of Gainesville recently overturned a can of concentrated lye upon her face and eyes and was painfully burned.

An effort is being made by the business men of San Marcos to have the Katy extended into town. The depot is now a mile out.

A. Metcalf, an old citizen of Quintana, who was bitten several weeks ago by a rabid dog, is dead. His suffering was great.

The proprietor of a Houston restaurant served free coffee to seventy-seven penniless men one morning a few days since.

Steel rails are to be laid from Phelps on the International and Great Northern railroad to Huntsville, a distance of eight miles.

Washington's birthday was observed at Bryan, La Grange, Bastrop, Uvalde, San Antonio, Brenham, Cuero and Gonzales.

The big military celebration, to be held on the anniversary of the battle of San Jacinto April 21, is talked of at Houston.

Burglars plundered the residence of Eliza Smith, near Red Rock, Bastrop county, recently, securing \$835 in money.

The Salem Baptist church at Cook's Point, Burleson county, erected in 1875, has been destroyed by fire.

The members of the mining camp at Thurber, Erath county, will organize a home insurance company.

The reunion of Tom Green's old brigade at Weimar, Colorado county, recently was well attended.

Greenville folks expect to be saying "hello" over their own telephone system inside of forty days.

The Alvin Fruit and produce company has opened an establishment at Alvin, Brazoria county.

Palestine has just paid off \$1000 of school house bonds and \$400 of street improvement bonds.

Rockwall county farmers are waiting for the ground to dry so as to begin sowing oats.

Eighteen cars of beef cattle were shipped from Cameron to Chicago a few days ago.

San Antonio will have an incandescent electric light plant which will cost \$63,000.

Thirty-eight candidates have announced so far for office in Hunt county.

So far \$36,000 has been subscribed to the deep water fund of Corpus Christi.

The Comptroller has registered \$1623 of Llano county court house bonds.

Aberfoyle, Hunt county, farmers prefer bermuda grass for pastures.

On March 15, Farmersville, Collin county will vote on local option.

A fine Methodist church will soon be erected at Mineral Wells.

There are three lunatics confined in the jail at Gainesville.

Jefferson county will build a new jail in the near future.

A new foundry will soon be operated in San Antonio.

An organized gang of thieves is operating in Sherman.

Waxahachie anticipates a building boom in the spring.

Poaches are reported as being killed at Gainesville.

TABERNACLE PULPIT.

REV. DR. TALMAGE ON "THE LIGHTNING OF THE SEA."

A Most Eloquent Discourse from Job 41: xxxii. "He maketh a path to shine after him."—The Audience Enchained with Interest.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 18.—In the Brooklyn tabernacle this forenoon, Rev. Dr. Talmage preached an unusually attractive and eloquent gospel sermon to a crowded audience who listened with rapt interest. The subject was "The Lightning of the Sea," the text selected being Job 41: xxxii, "He maketh a path to shine after him."

If for the next thousand years ministers of religion should preach from this Bible there will yet be texts unexpounded, and unexplained, and unappreciated. What little has been said concerning this chapter in Job from which my text is taken, bears on the controversy as to what was really the leviathan described as disturbing the sea. What creature it was I know not. Some say it was a whale. Some say it was a crocodile. My own opinion is it was a sea monster now extinct. No creature now floating in Mediterranean or Atlantic waters corresponds to Job's description.

What most interests me is that as it moved on through the deep it left the waters flashing and resplendent. In the words of the text, "He maketh a path to shine after him." What was that illumined path? It was phosphorescence. You find it in the wake of a ship in the night, especially after rough weather. Phosphorescence is the lightning of the sea. That this figure of speech is correct in describing its appearance I am certified by an incident. After crossing the Atlantic the first time and writing from Basle, Switzerland, to an American account of my voyage, in which nothing more fascinated me than the phosphorescence in the ship's wake, I called it the lightning of the sea.

Returning to my hotel I found a book of John Ruskin, and the first sentence my eyes fell upon was his description of phosphorescence, in which he called it "The Lightning of the Sea." Down to the postoffice I hastened to get the manuscript, and with great labor and some expense got possession of the magazine article and put quotation marks around that one sentence, although it was as original with me as with John Ruskin. I suppose that nine-tenths of you living so near the sea-coast have watched this marine appearance called phosphorescence, and I hope that the other one-tenth may some day be so happy as to witness it. It is the waves of the sea dimmed; it is the inflorescence of the billows; the waves of the sea crimsoned, as was the deep after the sea-fight of Lepanto; the waves of the sea on fire. There are times when from horizon to horizon the entire ocean seems in conflagration with this strange splendor, as it changes every moment to tamer or more dazzling color on all sides of you. You sit looking over the taffrail of the yacht or ocean steamer watching and waiting to see what new thing the God of beauty will do with the Atlantic. It is the ocean in transfiguration; it is the marine world casting its garments of glory in the pathway of the Almighty as he walks the deep; it is an inverted firmament with all its stars gone down with it. No picture can present it, for photographer's camera can not be successfully trained to catch it, and before it the hand of the painter drops its pencil overpowered and powerless. This phosphorescence is the appearance of myriads of the animal kingdom rising, falling, playing, flashing, living, dying. These luminous animalcules for nearly one hundred and fifty years have been the study of naturalists and the fascination and solemnization of all who have brain enough to think. Now, God, who puts in his Bible nothing trivial or useless, calls the attention of Job, the greatest scientist of his day, to this phosphorescence, and as the leviathan of the deep sweeps past, points out the fact that "he maketh a path to shine after him."

Is that true of us now and will it be true of us when we have gone? Will there be subsequent light or darkness? Will there be a trail of gloom or good cheer? Can any one between now and the next 100 years say of us truthfully as the text says of the leviathan of the deep, "He maketh a path to shine after him?" For we are moving on. While we live in the same house, and transact business in the same store, and write on the same table, and chisel in the same studio, and thresh in the same barn, and worship in the same church, we are in motion and are in many respects moving on, and we are not where we were ten years ago, nor where we will be ten years hence. Moving on! Look at the family record, or the almanac, or into the mirror, and see if any one of you is where you were. All in motion. Other feet may trip, and stumble, and halt, but the feet of not one moment for the last sixty centuries has tripped, or stumbled, or halted. Moving on! Society moving on! The world moving on! Heaven moving on! The universe moving on! Time moving on! Eternity moving on! Therefore, it is absurd to think that we ourselves can stop, as we must move with all the rest. Are we like the creature of the text, making our path to shine after us? It may be a peculiar question, but my text suggests it. What influence will we leave in this world after we have gone through it? "None," answer hundreds of voices, "we are not one of the immortals. Fifty years after we are out of the world it will be as though we never inhabited it." You are wrong in saying that. I pass down through

this audience and up through these galleries, and I am looking for some one whom I can not find. I am looking for one who will have no influence in this world 100 years from now. But I have found the man who has the least influence, and I inquire into his history and I find that by a yes or a no he decided some one's eternity. In time; temptation; he gave an affirmative or a negative to some temptation which another, hearing of, was induced to decide in the same way. Clear on the other side of the next million years may be the first you hear of the long-reaching influence of that yes or no, but hear of it if you will. Will that father make a path to shine after him? Will that mother make a path to shine after her? You will be walking along these streets, or along that country road, 200 years from now in the character of your descendants. They will be affected by your courage or your cowardice, your purity or your depravity, your holiness or your sin. You will make the path to shine after you or blacken after you.

But I can not look upon that luminosity that follows ships without realizing how fond the Lord is of life. That fire of the deep is life, myriads of creatures all a-swim, and a-play, and a-ramp in parks of marine beauty laid out, and parterred, and roseated, and blossomed by omnipotence. What is the use of those creatures called by the naturalists "crustaceans" and "coepods," not more than one out of hundreds of billions of which are ever seen by human eye? God created them for the same reason that he creates flowers in places where no human foot ever makes them tremble, and no human nostril ever inhales their redolence, and no human eye ever sees their charm. In the botanical world they prove that God loves flowers, as in the marine world the phosphori prove that he loves life, and he loves life in play, life in brilliancy of gladness, life in exuberance.

And so I am led to believe that he loves our life if we fulfill our mission as fully as the phosphori fulfill theirs. The Son of God came "that we might have life, and have it more abundantly." But I am glad to tell you that our God is not the God sometimes described as a harsh critic at the head of the universe, or an infinite scold; or a God that loves funerals better than weddings; or a God that prefers tears to laughter, an omnipotent Nero, a ferocious Nana Sahib; but the loveliest being in the universe, loving flowers, and life, and play, whether of phosphori in the wake of the Majestic, or of the human race keeping a holiday.

But, mark you, that the phosphorescence has a glow that the night monopolizes, and I ask you not only what kind of influence you are going to leave in the world as you pass through it, but what light are you going to throw across the world's night of sin and sorrow? People who are sailing on smooth sea and at noon do not need much sympathy, but what are you going to do for people in the night of misfortune? Will you drop on them shadow, or will you kindle for them phosphorescence? At this moment there are more people crying than laughing; more people on the round world this moment hungry than well-fed; more households bereft than homes unbroken. What are you going to do about it? "Well," says yonder soul, "I would like to do something toward illumining the great ocean of human wretchedness, but I can not do much." Can you do as much as one of the phosphori in the middle of the Atlantic ocean, creatures smaller than the point of a sharp pin? "O, yes," you say. Then do that. Shine! Stand before the looking glass and experiment to see if you can not get that scowl off your forehead; that peevish look out of your lips. Have at least one bright ribbon in your bonnet. Embroider at least one white cord somewhere in the midnight of your apparel. Do not any longer impersonate a funeral! Shine! Do say something cheerful about society, and about the world. Put a few drops of heaven into your disposition. Once in awhile substitute a sweet orange for a sour lemon. Remember that pessimism is blasphemy, and that optimism is Christianity. Throw some light on the night ocean. If you can not be a lantern swinging in the rigging, be one of the tiny phosphori back of the keel. Shine! "Let your light so shine before men that others seeing your good works may glorify your Father which is in heaven."

Where Suicide Was Excusable. A beggar at Pesth, Hungary, who was arrested for throwing himself into the river with intentions of committing suicide, was discharged after telling his remarkable story. He was an aged and shriveled specimen of humanity, with long, patriarchal beard, and acknowledged that he was past 94 years of age. His excuse for attempting to take his own life was that he was no longer able to take care of his father and mother, who were aged 125 and 130 years respectively.

So Tender Hearted. She sat down with the fierce light of controversy shining in her eyes. "What's the reason you think women should not be allowed to vote?" she aggressively inquired. "I don't object to the single women voting," he answered, "but I think a poor married woman who has a husband to look after has all the trouble on her hands she deserves. That's my only reason." She arose with her face enwreathed in smiles.

Well-Cared for by Others. The soldier is the best fed individual of his class in Europe. The British soldier receives for his daily ration 16 ounces of bread, 12 of meat, 3 of rice, 8 of dried vegetables, 16 of potatoes, and once a week he receives 2 ounces of salt, 4 of coffee and 9 of sugar.

COUNTY TAX SALE.

Notice is hereby given that L. J. W. Jones, Tax Collector for the county of Callahan, have this day levied upon each of the following tracts or parcels of land, for which taxes are due the county of Callahan for the years hereinafter mentioned, viz:

RESIDENT ROLL FOR 1893.			
NAME OF OWNER	Abstract No.	GRANTEE.	Tax and Costs.
Barnard B F	682	C L Terry	33 7 56
do	869	M M Terry	160 7 92
do	1528	B W Vaughn	160 4 08
Bennett W M	156	757 Able L Eves	35 6 68
Bowen J H	1092	49 B C Price	160 10 99
Campbell D C	93	127 B B B & C R R Co	80 7 80
Carey R H	107	94 Comal Co School	102 7 06
Cathy Luke	975	17 B O H	99 5 30
Criswell James W	1288	Pre. B F Briggs	96 7 38
Cummings Eli C	126	751 Jesse Dyson	68 7 49
De Jarnett J H	987	67 B O H	305 11 58
Dennis E R	224	Lewis Herbert	60 3 78
Eastham W B	709	43 W B Eastham	160 10 50
Emmerson E C	366	308 S P R R Co	218 8 41
Floyd J D	1546	150 J D Floyd	160 5 53
Graham W A	126	751 Jesse Dyson	75 6 60
Hart D A	1476	7 Jas Hart	80 6 61
Ligon J Y	800	8 W D Anderson	10 6 52
do	1295	8 G W Ellington	160 5 78
Mann R	988	Pre. A Wyatt	10 2 86
Maltby W J	264	781 Baker Larkin	492 25 74
do	1461	14 G W Ellington	160 15 42
do		22 Sam Henry	160 3 52
Moss L M	220	5 Wyatt Hickman	97 8 42
Moudy M E	366	308 S P R R Co	99 4 62
Owens J R	1519	152 J E Shipman	320 6 52
Payne H B	285	14 G Padillo	300 8 13
Reed Wm & Bro.	156	757 Able L Eves	19 7 61
Robbins Wm	955	1 B O H	5 3 55
Robinson Dan	220	5 Wyatt Hickman	180 7 70
do	271	Ben McKinney	100 4 80
Robinson J H & Bro.	156	757 Able L Eves	2 2 62
Rutherford R E	965	7 B O H	62 7 27
do	966	8 do	20 1 82
Seale C C (Est.)	94	129 B B B & C R R Co	75 40 90
Seale C C Jr.	94	129 do	12 4 59
Smith S K	322	11 S P R R Co	80 6 95
Sparks H B	156	757 Able L Eves	50 6 99
Speed T B	156	757 do	60 9 11
Swan J D	17	48 Comal Co School	80 7 12
Teague Jesse & Son	1025	108 C A Fairman	140 7 67
do	1046	126 L H Huffstutler	140 4 26
Wright J B	317	1 S P R R Co	80 6 23
Yonge Arthur	998	77 B O H	240 17 98

NON RESIDENT ROLL FOR 1893.			
Arnold Mrs A B	1447	55 R A Bates	160 7 08
Bently H L	156	757 Able L Eves	19 3 17
do	955	1 B O H	12 1 67
Webb J	452	2969 T E & L Co	320 9 3
Colter R W	966	8 B O H	65 4 43
do	958	4 do	80 4 09
do	957	3 do	120 5 56
Beckham James M	491	3166 T E & L Co	170 6 12
Blake Joseph	118	3 Wm Caltrin	320 5 90
Steele T F	260	331 James Knight	320 3 83
Green Frank	531	213 Thos Wheeler	240 7 60
Hunter Saml	225	R Henderson	500 9 58
Thompson J Q	176	340 Jno Gillespie	295 8 17
Burnes W W (Est.)	258	Lewis Johnson	640 20 64

UNRENDERED ROLL FOR 1893.			
Unknown	1	528 Thos Asher	4605 84 04
do	15	254 Jas H Brown	320 9 36
do	62	79 B B B & C R R Co	32 3 28
do	78	31 do	25 3 39
do	123	214 Phillip H Cammans	47 4 96
do	189	109 G H & H R R Co	52 3 60
do	221	6 Wynn Hickman	263 8 09
do	269	209 Greenbury Logan	320 9 30
do	287	259 Mark M Potter	59 3 34
do	296	Seaborne Robinson	300 8 85
do	304	725 Alfred Smith	212 6 42
do	377	801 David Thomas	141 6 50
do	382	5 T & N O R R Co	320 9 30
do	393	63 T & P R R Co	106 4 75
do	403	85 do	160 5 90
do	404	87 do	114 4 92
do	455	2973 T E & L Co	20 2 93
do	513	336 Victoria Co School	102 4 68
do	523	798 Geo M Vigal	30 2 72
do	536	27 Jno C Yates	11 2 78
do	611	P T I Co	104 4 63
do	657	131 H & T C R R Co	210 5 90
do	703	33 Jas Donaway	44 3 44
do	793	4 N H Warren	160 6 47
do	801	32 M H Allen	160 9 80
do	871	78 Lizza F Udick	80 4 26
do	939	2 M J Webb	640 16 10
do	955	1 B O H	78 8 0
do	957	3 do	270 8 24
do	958	4 do	180 5 70
do	963	5 do	391 10 81
do	965	7 do	98 4 24
do	966	8 do	5 2 61
do	972	22 do	320 4 77
do	978	18 do	280 8 45
do	1014	111 J W Day	442 13 12
do	1095	38 G W Riley	160 5 90
do	1165	32 John Bowyer	107 4 66
do	1170	D J Collins	966 23 04
do	1176	74 J S Calloway	640 7 03
do	1230	196 J J McCall	107 5 90
do	1254	308 S B Sigler	160 5 90
do	1277	4 M J Webb	640 16 10
do	1297	24 S J Gibbs	319 7 03
do	1358	50 Chas Goldberg	160 5 90
do	1441	20 W P Barton	160 4 63
do	1495	80 H C Merchant	308 7 60
do	1508	2 N N Pinkston	229 5 90
do	1531	34 E O Weinett	160 5 90
do	1541	464 W Beattie	47 3 35
do	1542	18 G W Black	25 2 84
do	1547	Pre. W A Graham	108 4 20
do	1555	6 J E Mashborn	320 9 30
do	1559	4 J R Owings	160 5 90

RESIDENT ROLL FOR 1893, TOWN LOTS.				
NAME OF OWNER	TOWN.	LOT.	BLOCK	TAX AND COST
Bell F S	Baird		6	25 6 06
do	Newlon Ad Baird	2, 4, 5	2	8 97
Brittain B F	Baird	10, 11, 12	49	11 57
Brannon J A W	do		12	7 5 63
Buckles J A	do	5, 6	21	15 55
Carlock W V	do		9	49 5 07
Dean T J	do	7, 8	7	10 06

Hanley Wm	do		8	31 6 98
Kendall R A	do		5, 6	20 5 40
Maxwell A A	do		12	46 6 21
McDermott W R	do		3	93 17 05
Miller C J	do	3, 5, 6, 7, 10	46	16 80
Miller E H	do	11, 12	50	8 06
Price H B	do	4, 5, 6	34	9 51
Rogers G W	do	4, 5	60	7 44
Yonge Arthur	do	16, 18	43	11 98
do	do	12	26	15 78
Jones C C	Newlon Ad Baird		3	6 6 15
Oliver L O	do	5, 5, 6	6	9 28
Cochran J H	Cottonwood		17	6 30
do	do		20	2 31
Pollock D D	do		14	9 38
Reed Wm & Bro	do		15	1 78
Robbins R C	do	1/2 9, 10	15	4 48
do	do	6, 7	11	1 33
Robbinson J H & Bro	do	6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12	12	4 09
do	do	1/2 9, 10	15	2 51
Emmerson E C	Putnam		4	21 2 58
do	do	6, 11	22	2 66
do	do	6	12	1 98
do	do	6	7	2 66
Merrymann J L	do	11, 12	34	5 87
Tucker J M	do		37	8 50

NON RESIDENT ROLL FOR 1893, TOWN LOTS.				
Speer M F	Baird		4	25 6 13
Davis Mrs L R	Belle Plaine		1, 2	11 3 20
Adoe J	Cottonwood		W 1/2	15 2 66
Chandler I A	Putnam		13	27 3 57

UNRENDERED ROLL FOR 1893.				
Unknown	Baird		3	6 3 41
do	do		3	21 2 94
do	do		7	42 3 41
do	do		9	42 6 13
do	do		3	43 4 77
do	do		4	89 7 95
do	Newlon Ad Baird		8	3 41
do	do		4	12 2 68
do	do		5	12 2 68
do	Belle Plaine		47	2 85
do	do		51	2 85
do	do		54	2 87
do	do		59	2 84
do	do		60	6 05
do	Cottonwood		4	2 84
do	do		1	12 2 57
do	Putnam		6	5 3 21
do	do		2	13 2 65
do	do		8	13 2 63
do	do		18	22 3 21
do	do		16	22 3 21
do	do		15	28 2 65
do	Cross Plains		16	2 69
do	Clvde		15	17 2 63

Each of the above described tracts or parcels of land, or so much thereof may be required to pay the tax and cost for the year 1893 will be sold at public auction at the court house door, in the city of Baird, on Tuesday, March 6, 1893, within the hours prescribed by law, to the highest bidder for cash.
 J. W. JONES,
 Sheriff and Ex-Officio Tax Collector for Callahan County Texas.
 Dated February 16, 1894.

CITY TAX SALE.

Notice is hereby given that I. W. D. Dean, Tax Collector for the city of Baird, have this day levied upon each of the following tracts or parcels of land, for which taxes are due the city of Baird for the year 1893, viz:

RESIDENT ROLL FOR 1893.				
LOCATION.	NAME OF OWNER	LOTS.	BLOCK	TAX AND COST
Mill Property	Day J W	4 acres		\$ 5 00
Baird	Lane J C	8		29 4 06
do	Price H B	4, 5, 6		34 4 80
do	Snow J C	16		44 3 00
Newlon Addition	Webb P W	6		12 3 75
Baird	Daugherty J R	7, 8		24 4 50
do	do	1, 2		46 4 50
do	do	1		48 3 06
do	Durst Jno	6		37 3 06
do	do	9		25 3 06
do	Patterson Charley	4		89 3 7

Each of the above described tracts or parcels of land, or so much thereof as may be required to pay the tax and cost for the year 1893, will be sold at public auction, at the court house door, in the city of Baird, on Tuesday, March 6, 1894, within the hours prescribed by law, to the highest bidder for cash.
 W. D. DEAN,
 Marshal and Ex-Officio Tax Collector for the City of Baird.
 Dated February 16, 1894.

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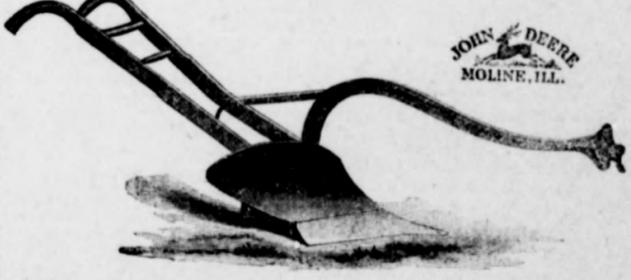


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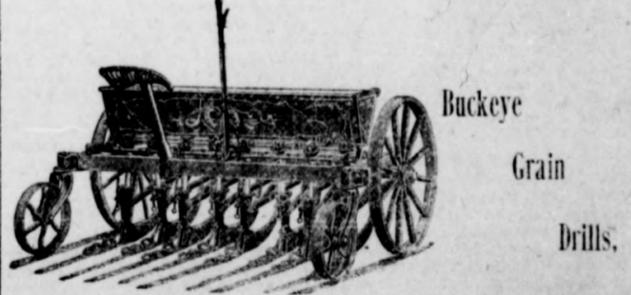
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