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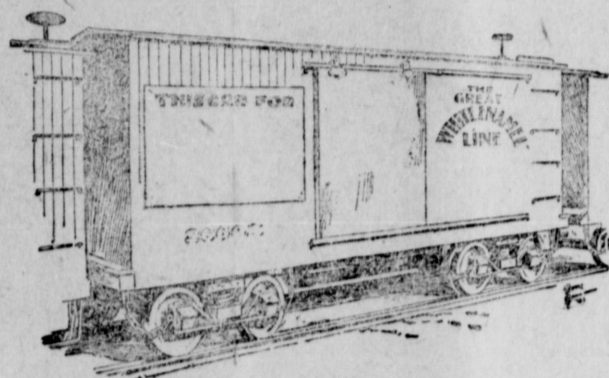
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VOL. 20

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEX. THURSDAY. SEPT. 12 1907. NO. 4

7 CAR LOADS WITHIN A WEEK



- 1 car Gasoline
- 1 car Belle of Wichita flour
- 1 car Light Crust flour
- 1 car Daily Bread flour
- 1 car Michigan salt
- 1 car Grand Saline salt
- 1 car Colorado salt

That's the way we do business, also large single shipments of Dry Goods and Groceries.

Yours to Please,

B. L. BOYDSTON

BAIRD AND CLYDE, TEXAS

SCHOOL BONDS.

The Board met in final session last night and decided to issue bonds to the full amount voted by the people, twenty thousand dollars. The bonds to run forty years, redeemable after five years and draw interest at 5 per cent from Sept. 11, 1907. The rate of taxation to pay the interest and provide a sinking fund to pay off bonds was fixed at 25 cts. This makes 53 cts total to maintain schools and for the bonds. It is understood, of course, that the bonds cannot be sold until the suit now pending is settled. The bonds drawing interest until they are sold, which some may not understand, practically amounts to nothing until the bonds are sold as the accrued interest up to the time the bonds are sold will be counted as a premium on the bonds.

MARRIED.

W. B. Scott, of Kenna, N. M., formerly of Baird, and Miss Margaret Hines were married at Weatherford, Texas, Tuesday, Sept. 10 and arrived on the evening train same day on a visit to his mother and sisters who reside here. THE STAR joins the many friends of Will in extending congratulations and good wishes to him and bride.

After a few days they will go to New Mexico where they will reside.

We met W. K. Boatwright in town last week. Mr. Boatwright has returned from a trip to Kansas. He says most of the country he passed through is as dry as it is here and corn is burned up except in a portion of Western Kansas in one place where they had good rains and crops are fine.

PUTNAM DOTS.

The weather for the past week has been very hot and dry.

The cotton crop will be cut at least one half in this section of the country. Notwithstanding this fact however our farmers will be in reasonably good shape, as many of them are out of debt and some of them have money in the bank.

Grass is fine and stock of all kind fat.

Our town seems to be on the build all the time.

Our water service is excellent.

Our merchants are busy all the time waiting on the trade.

Putnam with a number of good cotton buyers and a first class bank, sufficient to pay for all the products that come to town, there is no reason why she will not buy and pay for all the products that come here.

Putnam's Mineral water is fast coming into notice as it is being shipped out to various parts of the state daily. People who drink it say it has no equal in Texas.

George McCool who has been sick for some fifty days with typhoid fever, is improving.

We have a private school running nicely under the management of prof. Jones, who will teach our public school.

J. H. Surles, our real estate man, has been appointed by the Governor as a delegate from Texas to the National Farmers Congress, which meets in Oklahoma City on October 15th.

MORE ANON.

Go to Hammans Bros. for your school tablets. 38

First National Bank Changes.

T. E. Thornton, cashier of the First National Bank, has resigned and Judge B. L. Russell has been elected by the directors to the position. Mr. Thornton is a fine business man and made a splendid cashier, and has many friends in Baird who regret to see him leave us, but for sometime he has been in ill health and he resigned solely on that account and will take a rest. He will make a trip to the Pacific coast and spend sometime there.

Judge Russell who succeeds Mr. Thornton as cashier, is as well known and has as many warm friends as any man in the county, and the bank has made no mistake in selecting him to this responsible position. Judge Russell will have general control of the bank, and as he is a hustler and one of the best mixers in the county he will no doubt meet the expectations of the directors in pushing the interests of the bank in the town and country.

Miss Eula Wilkinson has accepted a position as assistant trimmer in Wristen & Johnsons' millinery department.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Malloy who have been visiting Mr. J. R. Prater, returned to their home at Ferris Tuesday.

J. B. Stokes, President of the First National Bank, is at home this week. He is interested in a new railroad north west of Fort Worth and spends much of his time out there.

Judge B. L. Russell resigned yesterday as County Judge and Mayor C. D. Russell of Baird, was appointed to fill out unexpired term. The whole business came as a surprise to the public, as but a very few knew Judge Russell contemplated resigning. In the selection of his successor the court and the people are to be congratulated. They might have selected a man who would have filled the office as well, but it is no exaggeration to say that they could not have found one better fitted in every way for the responsible position than Clarence Russell. He is capable, honest, honorable and upright and THE STAR predicts that he will make a judge, absolutely fearless and honest in discharging his official duties as he understands them. In our humble opinion judgment he is the right man in the place. Judge Russell resigned to accept a position in the First National Bank mentioned elsewhere.

Just received a full line of school tablets, Hammans Bros. 38

Notice.

No trespassing; fishing or hunting allowed in my pastures. All permits previously issued, either verbal or written are hereby revoked. 40-Sp C. B. SNYDER JR.

W. D. Boydston is still trading. Tuesday he bought the Phillips ice house and sold same to Mose Franklin.

Miss Jennie Harris returned from Abilene Saturday.

A CARD.

To My Friends throughout Callahan County:

I have resigned the office of County Judge to which you so kindly elected me. I was impelled to do so, possibly from a selfish motive. I considered the position which I have accepted, Cashier and general manager of the First National Bank of Baird, as a decided advancement. Such opportunities do not come to a man often in life, and I decided to trust to the generosity of my friends and accepted the position. Had I had time and opportunity I should have consulted each of my friends to the course I should pursue, but this was impossible.

I have discharged the duties of the office of County Judge conscientiously, without fear or favor and leave the result with the people. I feel assured that my friends will judge my action with that charity which has characterized them in the past, and in passing out from this office I want to assure my friends that they have my lasting gratitude and if at any time in the future I can serve them will be only too glad to do so.

Very Respectfully,
B. L. RUSSELL.

Wesley Turner has resigned his position at J. C. Jones' grocery store and accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Home National Bank.

T. E. Thornton left Sunday for Galveston to recuperate awhile.

Clyde Payne visited at Abilene Sunday.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 Sheriff or any Constable of
 than County, Greeting:—
 are hereby Comanded to
 n J. W. Ebbs by making pub-
 of this Citation once in each
 or four consecutive weeks pre-
 o the return day hereof, in
 newspaper published in your
 if there be a newspaper
 ed therein, but if not,
 a paper published in the
 Judicial District, but if
 be no newspaper published in
 idicial District, then in a news-
 ublished in the nearest Dis-
 said 42d Judicial District, to
 at the next regular term of
 strict Court of Callahan Coun-
 e holden at the Court House
 f, in the City of Baird, Texas
 18th, Monday after the 1st
 y in July 1907, the same be-
 e 11th day of November 1907,
 and there to answer a petition
 a said Court on the 30th. day
 gust 1907, in a suit, numbered
 Docket of said Court No. 950
 in Laura Ebbs is Plaintiff, and
 Ebbs is Defendant, and said
 on alleging Laura Ebbs vs J.
 bbs, In District Court, Calla-
 county, Texas. November Term
 1907. To the District Court
 d Callahan County: Your per-
 er Laura Ebbs, hereinafter
 l plaintiff, complaining of J.
 bbs, hereinafter styled defend-
 respectfully represents that
 iff is a bona fide inhabitant of
 tate of Texas, now residing in
 Callahan County, and has so
 d continuously in said State
 county for more than six months
 t, the past three years, that the
 nce of the defendant is un-
 n to this plaintiff. That here-
 e to-wit, on the 14th day of
 st 1898, plaintiff and defend-
 ere lawfully married to each
 , and continued from that date
 e together ae husband and wife,
 the — day of May 1904, when
 dant, without just cause or oc-
 t plaintiff with the inten-
 of permanently abandoning her,
 as continued such abandonment
 said — day of May 1904, to this
 and has since such abandon-
 contributed nothing to the sup-
 and maintenance of plaintiff and
 children, and plaintiff is left to
 ort herself and children or de-
 on relatives and friends for
 ort, that during the time plain-
 and defendant lived together as
 and wife there were born to
 n three children to-wit: Bernis,
 y now eight years of age, Verner,
 y now six years of age; Clyde,
 y now four years of age. Where-
 plaintiff prays that defendant
 cited to answer this petition; that
 h service be had by publication;
 t she have judgment dissolving
 marriage relations existing be-
 en herself and defendant, and for
 care and custody of her three
 dren, Bernis, Verner and Clyde,
 t costs of suit and for all other re-
 f to which she may be entitled.

C. D. RUSSELL,
 Attorney for Plaintiff.

Herein Fail not, but have you be-
 re said Court, at its aforesaid next
 gular term, this writ, with your
 turn thereon, showing how you
 ave executed the same.

Witness Geo. B. Scott, Clerk of
 he District Court of Callahan Co.,
 Given under my hand and the seal
 f said Court at office in Baird, Tex-
 s this the 30th, day of August 1907.
 0-4 GEO. B. SCOTT,
 Clerk Dist. Court Callahan County.

Old papers, 25c per hundred at
 THE STAR office.

McGowen Bros. sell everything in
 the grocery and feed line. 38

Go to Hammans Bros. for school
 tablets. They have just received a
 large line. 38

**TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE
 PECOS & NORTHERN TEXAS
 RAILWAY COMPANY.**

You are hereby advised that the
 Board of Directors of the Company
 have called a meeting of the stock-
 holders, to be held at the principal
 office of the Company in the City of
 Amarillo, Potter County, Texas, on
 the 10th day of October, A. D. 1907,
 at 10 o'clock a. m. to consider and
 act on a proposition to ratify, con-
 firm and approve the action of the
 Directors of the Company in causing
 an amendment to the Company's Ar-
 ticles of Incorporation to be approved
 by the Attorney General of Texas
 and filed in the office of the Secreta-
 ry of State of the State of Texas, on
 the 14th day of March, A. D. 1906,
 which amendment provided for the
 construction of two branch lines of
 railroad and fixed the amount of the
 capital stock of the Company at Five
 Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand
 (\$575,000.00) Dollars, divided into
 5-750 shares of the sum of \$100.00
 each, which proposition, if adopted
 by a vote of two-thirds in value of
 stock of the Company will increase
 the capital stock of the Company
 from \$100,000.00, the amount fixed
 by the original Articles of Incorpora-
 tion, to \$575,000.00, the amount
 fixed by said amendment so filed to
 the original Articles of Incorporation
 J. N. FREEMAN,
 36-9 Secretary.

Occasional headache, belching,
 bad taste in the mouth, lack of
 appetite and slight nervousness are
 symptoms of indigestion which, when
 allowed to go uncared for, will de-
 velope into a case of dyspepsia that
 will take a long time to get rid of.
 Don't neglect your stomach. At
 the first indication of trouble take
 something that will help it along in
 its work of digesting the food you
 eat. Kodol for Indigestion and Dys-
 pepsia will do this. Kodol will
 make your food do you good and will
 enable you to enjoy what you eat.
 Sold by All Druggists.

WANTED.—A few stock cattle.
 Write or phone me what you have
 and price. J. L. LEA. 39

School tablets! Go to Hammans
 Bros. for them. 38

H. Schwartz has a few nice sum-
 mer suits left which you can get at
 a bargain. 36tf

Change in Ice Business.

I have bought out the Seay ice bu-
 siness and would be pleased to have
 your orders for ice. Phone 150.
 21-tf MOSE FRANKLIN.

Tablets, Pencils, Ink etc. Powell
 & Powell, 41-tf.

Go to Hicks Confectionery for
 fine Home made Ice Cream. 21

We sell Malthoid Roofing, better
 and cheaper than shingles. Miller
 & Chumney. 26tf

STEVENS



WHEN YOU SHOOT

You want to HIT what you are aiming at
 — be it bird, beast or target. Make your
 shots count by shooting the STEVENS.
 For 41 years STEVENS' ARMS have
 carried off PREMIER HONORS for AC-
 CURACY. Our line:

Rifles, Shotguns, Pistols

Ask your Druggist
 for the STEVENS.
 If you cannot obtain
 we ship direct, ex-
 press prepaid, with
 instructions for use.

Send 2 cts. in stamps
 for 25-page Catalog
 of complete outfit. A
 valuable book of refer-
 ence for present and
 prospective shooters.

Beautiful three-color Aluminum Hanger will
 be forwarded for 10 cents in stamps.

J. Stevens Arms & Tool Co.,
 P. O. Box 4096
 CHICOPEE FALLS, MASS., U. S. A.

NOTICE.

I will pay \$50 reward for the ar-
 rest and conviction of any person or
 persons found guilty of stealing any
 horses, mules or cattle belonging to
 any citizen of Callahan County.
 2-tf T. A. IRVIN, Sheriff.

Go Wilson's for all kinds of meats
 and sausage. 25

When you want a first class drink
 go to Hicks.

When you see Powell think of
 drugs. 16-tf

When you want fruit jars or rub-
 bers go to Hammans & Bro. 35

When you think of drugs see
 Powell.

Agents Wanted.

G. W. Chapman, of Abilene, West
 Texas agent Rand McNally Texas
 and U. S. Map, wants agent in Baird
 to sell the map. See map on exhibit
 at STAR office. Write him at
 Abilene.

Get your pencil, Tablets, Ink, ect
 from Powell & Powell. 41-tf.

When you need a good suit of
 overall or work clothes, high grade
 Union make go to Hammans & Bro.

The new Royal Sewing Machine is
 the best on earth for sale by Halsted
 Bros. Come and see. 37-tf

We have the largest and most com-
 plete line of post-cards in Baird.
 35 Hammans & Bro.

Madames Curry and Eversole.

It is hard to find a remedy suited
 to the ills of children, and yet Mrs.
 Curry of Trowbridge Ill., and Mrs.
 Eversol, of Hindsboro, Ill., claim
 to have found it, and they are natu-
 rally anxious to let the rest of the
 world know. They say this remedy
 is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the
 great laxative, tonic and regulator.
 It is one of the few remedies useful
 to children that does not contain
 narcotics. It will do all that is
 claimed, and if you want to try it
 before buying send your address for
 a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup
 Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello,
 Ill. It is sold by Powell & Powell
 at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

Real Estate.

Wheeler and Collingsworth Co.,
 Best portion of Texas. Good farm-
 ing land, easy terms for 160 acres
 up. Write for circulars.

RIPPY BROS. REAL ESTATE CO.
 37-4p Ramsdell, Texas, via McLean.

Maude Tyner, St. Louis, Mo.

So many women suffer from consti-
 pation and stomach trouble that they
 should pay attention to the state-
 ment of Miss Maude Tyner, 838 Mc-
 Laren ave. St. Louis, Mo. She suf-
 fered in that way for many years,
 but finally took Dr. Caldwell's Syrup
 Pepsin and was permanently cured
 She recommends it to American
 womankind. She considers it the
 best laxative and tonic obtainable.
 It will do all that is claimed, and if
 you want to try it before buying,
 send your address for a free sample
 bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119
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 is sold by Powell & Powell at 50c
 and \$1. a bottle.

We are prepared to furnish all the
 school boys and girls with tablets
 and pencils, Hammans Bros. 38

The prettiest line of china and
 queensware in town at Hammans &
 Bro. 35

LUMBER! LUMBER!
 We Have The Stock
 We Have The Prices
 We Give Prompt Service
 We Are Anxious to Please
 See Us! Figure With Us!! Deal With Us!!!
F.P.Shackelford PUTNAM, TEX.



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W.F. WILSON,
 BEEF,
 PORK,
 SAUSAGE,
 AND LARD.
 Free Delivery in the City.

Prompt Attention Given
 and Phone Orders.

All Goods Sent C. O. D. unless
 Accompanied by cash.

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J. B. (Brown) SEAY, Proprietor.

BAIRD, TEX.

Any price liquors you may want from 75c to \$1.50 per quart.
 Express prepaid on all orders for \$5 and over. Give me a trial.

MAIL AND PHONE ORDERS SOLICITED.

THE SEASON IS NOW ON

When you will want Ice Cream or a cool
 delicious Soda or some kind of drink
 and I now have my Confectionery Store
 and Ice Cream Parlor open and ask that
 you call. A nice line of Candies, Fruit,
 Nuts and Cigars always on hand. : : :

J. B. HICKS

1st Door South Opera
 House, Baird, Texas.

Ring 22

J. H. HARRIS

Beef, Pork, Sausage, Lard

Always on hand. Free Deliver

J. B. STOKES, Pres. HENRY JAMES, V.P. T. E. THORNTON, Cash.

**The First National Bank
 OF BAIRD.**

One of the Largest and Oldest Banks in the West.
 Capital Stock \$50,000. Surplus \$17,000

Deposits Received. Money Loaned. General Banking.

Your Business Solicited.

Every Facility for the Transaction of Business.

There are a great many people who
 have slight attacks of indigestion
 and dyspepsia nearly all the time.
 Their food may satisfy the appetite
 but it fails to nourish the body sim-
 ply because the stomach is not in fit
 condition to do the work it is sup-
 posed to do. It can't digest the food
 you eat. The stomach should be
 given help. You ought to take some-
 thing that will do the work your
 stomach can't do. Kodol for Indig-
 estion and Dyspepsia, a combination
 of natural digestants and vegetable
 acids, digests the food itself and
 gives strength to the stomach. Pleas-
 ant to take. Sold by All Druggists.

Just received and for sale another
 car of the celebrated Thurber Brick,
 the largest brick made.
 38 The Baird Lumber Co.

How Disease Starts.

Nine times out of ten chronic dis-
 ease like rheumatism, kidney trouble,
 heart disease, skin disease, etc.,
 starts with a disorder of the stomach
 or bowels. To cure constipation,
 liver trouble, indigestion, sour stom-
 ach, heartburn, etc. take Dr. Cald-
 well's Syrup Pepsin, which cures
 and prevents these diseases. It is
 absolutely guaranteed to do what we
 claim, and if you want to try it be-
 fore buying send your address for
 a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup
 Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg, Monticello,
 Ill. It is sold by Powell & Powell
 at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

REMEMBER—The American
 Beauty Flour is by odd the best on
 the market. Recommended by the
 thousands who are not using it.
 Sold by J. C. Jones, Baird, Texas.

BROKEN BOTTLES. ALSO

Brickbats and Other Missiles Hurlled At Both

CHINESE AND JAPANESE.

Frenzied Mobs at Vancouver Participate In Possibly the Most Serious Rioting Ever Known in the History of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Seattle, Sept. 9.—A dispatch to the Post-Intelligencer from Vancouver, B. C., says that following the rioting there, when Chinese and Japanese quarters were raided and damage approximating \$15,000 done, a further demonstration occurred, in which Kieki Yiro Ishii, chief of the bureau of commerce and head of the Japanese consular service, and Consul Hisamizu of Seattle were central figures, and in which riot a number of people were bruised and injured by broken bottles, by flying bricks and other missiles in the hands of the frenzied mob. Baron Ishii and Consul Hisamizu made their escape from the mob and affair was immediately cabled to Tokio.

Coincident with the riot was the arrival of a steamship having on board at least 500 Japanese. The mob surged to the water front and as soon as the Japanese came down the gang plank they were met by the rioters. Seven or eight Japanese were unceremoniously picked up and thrown into Burrard inlet.

Still further rioting occurred when a crowd of 4,000 laborers started on the war path, but was finally quelled by the police after twenty had been arrested.

Sunday night Chinatown was roped off and criminals guarded by the police. Baron Ishii stated he cabled to Ambassador Kieki at London, apprising him of events. An indemnity from the city amounts to \$2,000, will be claimed. Mayor Bethune declares the indemnity will not be paid and the affair will be taken up with the Dominion government.

It was the worst riot in the history of the Canadian Pacific railway.

BREAKS HER BACK.

Negro Woman Jumps From Second Story of Burning House.

Texarkana, Sept. 10.—A two-story frame building used as a negro boarding and lodging house, corner of Elm and Fifth streets, in Swampoodle, burned.

While the fire was in progress a negro woman, Emma S. S. S., became excited and jumped from a window of the second story to the ground, breaking her back. She is in a critical condition.

The building, which was owned and occupied by John Roe, was valued at \$1,500. There was no insurance.

DROWNS IN LAKE.

Horse of County Attorney of Childress County Strikes Him in Face.

Childress, Tex., Sept. 10.—M. Grimmett, county attorney of Childress county, was drowned in the city lake. He had ridden his horse into the water for the benefit of the animal and in some unknown way the horse struck him in the face, causing him to sink.

Parties who witnessed the tragedy from a distance say that Mr. Grimmett did not rise after sinking the first time.

THROWN FORTY FEET.

Milk Wagon Demolished by Train and Driver Loses His Life.

Greenville, Tex., Sept. 9.—As Ernest Flowers, eighteen years old, was driving a milk wagon across the Midland railway track Monday the vehicle was struck by a train and demolished. Flowers was thrown forty feet and instantly killed. The team was unhurt.

TEN HOUSES BURN.

Alvord, Unie County, Has a Most Destructive Blaze.

Alvord, Tex., Sept. 10.—Fire has destroyed ten business houses and did damage estimated between \$30,000 and \$50,000. Six of the buildings were stone and the other four ironclad. The John E. Zuarles Lumber company sustained \$20,000 loss; half insured.

Engineer Loses Life.

Arlington, Tex., Sept. 10.—An east-bound Texas and Pacific engine and caboose turned over three miles east of here. Engineer John Stevenson was buried under his engine and Fireman Anchor jumped and is severely injured. The cause of the accident is unknown. The main line was blocked four or five hours, causing delay to passenger trains.

Territories Had Rain.

Oklahoma City, Sept. 10.—The long drought in this section was broken Sunday night by one and five-tenths inch rain. The rain was general over Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

NARRATED IN NOTES.

Matters of the Moment Related Quite Briefly.

Dallas owns in public parks 642 acres.

Lockhart, Tex., has a licensed negro woman barber.

B. Bernsen fell off a dredge at Port Arthur, Tex., and drowned.

Gas has been struck at a depth of 218 feet near Sulphur, I. T.

During August fifty-six babies were born in Wise county, Texas.

A cake of ice fell on Willie Etgen, a little Dallas boy, badly injuring him.

J. A. Smith has been appointed general manager of the Panama railroad.

In a boiler explosion at Holland, Tex., twelve persons were injured, two seriously.

Jeff McMahan and James Browster, boys, were drowned in a pond near Chattanooga.

Republicans of Cleveland, O., nominated Congressman Theodore E. Burton for mayor.

The next meeting of the National Irrigation congress will be held at Albuquerque, N. M.

A railroad conductor was fined at Terrell, Tex., was fined \$10 for blocking a crossing.

San Angelo, (Tex.) Banking and Trust company, capital stock \$200,000, will erect a five-story building.

At Timpson, Tex., Will Howard was convicted of the murder of Jim Crump and given fourteen years.

Father Millinger, pastor of St. Thomas' Roman Catholic church, Pilot Point, Tex., twelve years, is dead.

G. L. Oliver of Amarillo, Tex., has invested \$109,000 in various kinds of property in Denton county.

Arthur Dufoo and Gregorio Gomez were arrested on charge of stealing \$20,000 near Torreon, Mexico.

The plant of the Alabama Copper company, at Montgomery, valued at \$50,000, was destroyed by fire.

Thieves carried across the Rio Grande river 200 head of horses and mules, stolen near Cotulla, Tex.

Famous old frigate Constitution will not be moved from the Boston navy yard to Annapolis for the present.

Collin County Poultry Breeders' association will hold its exhibit at McKinney, Tex., Dec. 9, 10 and 11.

One hundred friends assisted W. W. Hastings and wife of Clarendon, Tex., celebrate their golden wedding.

Near the corner of Main and Akard streets, Dallas, a young girl took two ineffectual shots at a young man.

Louis Alexander Maetz, a banker of Goliad, Tex., died at Dallas, where he was undergoing medical treatment.

Vicent D. Ladd, a wealthy merchant and farmer of Carpenter, Ala., was shot to death from ambush on his farm.

L. Denner, the little son of Editor Denner of the Enid, Okla., Die Staats Zeitung, fell into a well and broke his neck.

John Bean fell from a gallery of the Nickell hotel at Port Arthur, Tex. His neck was broken. Death was instantaneous.

J. H. Card of Fort Worth captured at Rockport, Tex., a tarpon measuring 6 feet 2 inches and weighing 163 pounds.

Famous Cliff House, near San Francisco, was destroyed by fire. The building and contents were valued at \$100,000.

For violating the separate street car law two Houston negroes were fined in the city court \$22.45 and \$12.45 respectively.

The postoffice safe at Waukomis, Okla., was blown up and \$60 in currency and stamps and some registered letters stolen.

While playing "police" at Chattanooga Carl Minor, thirteen years old, accidentally and fatally shot Clarence Bington, the same age.

Chicago will entertain the 1908 convention of the National Firemen's Association of America, which met last week at Oklahoma City.

Vice President Fairbanks will be at Dallas Oct. 22 and deliver an address at the Texas State fair. He will address the ex-Confederates.

By the overturning of a locomotive near Chattanooga Fireman Charles E. Mills was instantly killed and Conductor William Stroup fatally hurt.

A wolf hunt will take place Sept. 23 on the Ike Harness ranch, near Chickasha, I. T. The owner of the dog catching the most animals will be given \$50.

In responding to a fire alarm a hose wagon at Tyler, Tex., turned over. The driver, Horace Austin, was badly bruised.

Near Blossom, Lamar county, Texas, Ed Johnson, a negro, was shot and killed. W. D. Williams, a prominent citizen was arrested.

The barn of C. P. Collins of Algoa, Tex., was fire consumed. About 300 tons of hay were consumed. Mr. Collins is one of the leading hay dealers of South Texas.

The National Letter Carriers' association, in session at Canton, O., elected W. E. Kelly of New York, president. J. Paul was selected as the next meeting place.

Mrs. Charles A. Culberson, wife of the senator, their daughter and Mrs. Mary Schluter, Mrs. Culberson's sister, are at Hot Springs, Va.

BIG CLEARANCE SALE

Is now in progress at H. Schwartz Dry Goods Store. Nothing in Summer Goods will be carried over if cut prices will make them go. We are making room for new goods which will be arriving shortly. It will pay you to come and see what we are offering.

Yours to Please
H. Schwartz
Baird, Texas



Read The Star \$1 Per Year

Get Acquainted With the Soil



Grow the best of everything for pleasure and profit. FARM AND RANCH will introduce you and direct you on the road to success.

It tells you how in combination with soil and climate to grow the best of everything—it tells you how to harvest what you grow, and more important still, tells you how to market with greatest profit what you have produced.

It has departments of special interest to each member of the family—father, mother, son, daughter—and each department contains clean, reliable, interesting, instructive, original matter, prepared specially for FARM AND RANCH. No second hand or done over articles printed first in other editions or publications.

No whisky, patent medicine or other injurious, fraudulent or unclean advertisements.

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Who will find all the trouble he can in this world without hunting for it?

Who will find all the trouble he can in this world without hunting for it? If all who live in town do this we would see the old love.

Bombasticus Furiosus, came to Washington after announcing (?) all his enemies, so Texas have a few month's peace.

Who will find all the trouble he can in this world without hunting for it? Town may not be all it is, but grumbling and kicking without doing something to help conditions will not help matters.

Waco Times-Herald says the opinion to Senator Bailey was given by his own statements and admissions rather than from charges against him by his enemies.

Who will find all the trouble he can in this world without hunting for it? They poke fun at Hobson about the prospect of war with Japan, but in the past few months show that Hobson had a clearer view as to the policy than the public give credit for.

Who will find all the trouble he can in this world without hunting for it? We are glad to note that many are cleaning up about their premises, and the general work in this line is better. If every one would clean out their premises and their streets we would soon have nice clean town and at but cost to any one. Lets all make it in this line.

Who will find all the trouble he can in this world without hunting for it? We condemn the national admiration for putting the army in readiness for any emergency that may arise with Japan or other nation. Should the government be caught unprepared after repeated warnings it has had Japan's designs against this country these same people would be the first to condemn the government. The best guarantee of peace is to be prepared for war. The navy at least should be greatly strengthened at this time.

Who will find all the trouble he can in this world without hunting for it? If war does come with Japan or other nation the navy will bear the brunt of the fighting. Always ready is a good motto, and President Roosevelt realizes this.

Who will find all the trouble he can in this world without hunting for it? The busy time of the year is at hand, and every one should strive to get all the trade possible to their business. THE STAR is doing its part, and it will profit the business men if they will let THE STAR to work unobstructed. We have the cooperation of the merchants. Advertise your business to help yourselves, the town and the home paper. Some large concerns in town rarely advertise except in a spasmodic way, and then per- grumble because they do not receive better returns. In these days of push and energy a town where merchants do not advertise do not compete with other towns where merchants do advertise. There is no room to grumble on this score as we carry more advertisement than papers usually do in towns of the size of Baird, still if all the merchants in Baird would advertise regularly we could publish a much larger paper and thus make more money for ourselves and do more for our town. Get a move on and let us have a larger trade than last year.

"Thou Shalt Not Pass."

Many of the railroads in the South are very prone to giving passes indiscriminately, so that on some of the smaller roads about all the prominent people who live along the line are carried free. Storekeepers, saw-mill proprietors, politicians—in fact almost everybody who can afford to pay their fare, goes scot free, while the negroes and poor country folks pay the large fares exacted—the larger, of course, for the road's loss on the deadheads. One Georgia railroad, however, has set its face against the evil, and has resorted to the Scripture to make plain its position. It has posted in the two or three passenger cars that comprise its equipment the following notice:

THIS MEANS YOU!

Thou shalt not pass.—Numbers xx: 18.

None shall ever pass.—Isa. iii: 29.
The wicked shall no more pass.—Nahum 4: 15.

This generation shall not pass.—Mark ix: 20.

Though they roar, yet they can not pass.—Jer. v: 2.

So he paid his fare and went.—Jonah 1: 3.—Boston Transcript.

School begins next Monday and every boy in Baird is no doubt delighted. Nit!

The prophet who said it would rain by wednesday night, like most people who take a shot at Texas weather, missed the mark.

The Light Plant has started up again, but they have not got everything in working order yet and it may require some time to adjust the new machinery so everything will run smoothly.

It sounds like old times to hear the hum of the gins at Baird. Both gins have been put in good repair and there need be no delay in getting cotton ginned at Baird now. Bring on your cotton.

Some of the Baily organs continue to abuse Gen. Crane because he had the audacity to meet Senator Bailey in joint debate. Bailey did not make any great showing in that debate because he refused to discuss the main question to be considered, the propriety of a member of Congress acting as attorney for public service corporations.

The editor of the Grand Saline Sun arises to remark: "It can be truthfully said of Senator Culberson that he has demeaned himself during the heated spell like a gentleman. No hypocrisy to flaunt, no palaver to hand out to the old soldiers and others to clear a record, no enemies to cuss out, no buncomb to resort to in a miserable attempt to hoodwink the people. Bully for Senator Culberson."—Brenham Banner.

While Uncle Sam was dickering secretly for a few English torpedoes somebody give Japan a tip and they bought the entire out-put for years to come. Did John Bull put his alley next on this deal is the question? It might be well to watch John Bull too while keeping an eye on the little brown man of the East. Professed friendship among nations count for naught when a chance arises to cripple a rival in trade or military supremacy.

"Very advanced ground on prohibition was taken by the Collin County Baptist Association meeting at Copeville," said Dr. J. H. Gambrell yesterday. "Members of the association voted to support no man unless he was in favor of suppressing the saloon."—Dallas News.

This looks like mixing politics and religion don't it? However, as some see it, you can't mix politics and religion, because when politics get into the church, religion gets out.

McGOWEN BROS., GROCERS

We desire to announce to the public that we have purchased Wristen & Johnson's stock of Groceries and will continue business at the old stand. We ask a share of your patronage and will appreciate all orders large or small. To our friends and friends of the old firm we ask you to drop in and see us. We are here to do business for you and for ourselves.

McGOWEN BROS. BAIRD, TEXAS

The first norther of the season came swooping down Sunday night and the weather is much cooler in fact the nights have been cold. Rain is reported north of us but it is still very dry here and dust just as bad and disagreeable as it can be. It certainly will rain before long.

New buildings are so common in Baird that now it causes no comment. We saw a lumberman the other day hunting for a good stout mule to kick him because he had agreed to have a house built for a widow lady, and he cannot find an idle carpenter in town and the job is at a stand-still.

The bank deposits show where the bulk of the business of the county is done. The two banks at Baird carry about three times as much deposits subject to checks as all four banks in other towns. All are doing well, however, and THE STAR is glad of it. There is room for all to make a living in old Callahan without trying to pull each other down.

Some of the English papers were very severe in condemning the assault on the Japanese in San Francisco, and now they have a case of their own much worse than the San Francisco affair. A mob of several hundred men attacked the Chinese and Japanese quarters in Vancouver British Columbia and a great number of the Japs and Chinese were badly beaten and thousands of dollars worth of property destroyed. Race prejudice is at the bottom of the whole business. White men and brown or black men will never mix up generally on an equality without trouble ensuing. The English papers that were so severe in denouncing the American mob are discreetly silent. Japan is England's ally and they may have trouble over the affair as they have Canada and Japan both to deal with.

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The Star and Dallas News one year, \$1.75.
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We have some school books. They are cash. Powell & Powell. 41
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Sherbert every Saturday at Hicks.
Go to B. L. Boydston for groceries. 41tf
Mrs. Arthur Johnson has returned from a visit to her parents in Kansas.
Try a sack of our Light Crust. Car just received. B. L. Boydston.
J. B. Haynes returned home yesterday from a trip to Mineral Wells, Fort Worth and other points.
Light Crust flour is a fancy extra high patent and makes the best bread and cakes. B. L. Boydston.
J. B. Haynes and little granddaughter, Ethel Sikes, of Admiral, were pleasant callers at THE STAR office this morning.
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Money to Lend—in large or small sums on vendors lien notes. 41tf Mrs. LUCIEL BAILEY.
Misses Hallie and Daisy Powell returned to St. Mary's College, Dallas, last Friday.
Miss Johnnie Marshall returned to her home in Greenville last week after a visit to the family of Capt. W. C. Powell.
Mrs. Luciel Bailey has purchased the nice home in West Baird, recently owned by J. C. Gray, consideration seventeen hundred dollars. She is putting up a nice cottage on the vacant lot that joins it.
Hicks will serve sherbert every Saturday. 41tf
For Sale.
My home in West part of town, near public school. Apply to B. L. Russell at First National Bank, or to myself. A. A. CALLAHAN. 41
Go to B. L. Boydston for dry goods. 41tf
Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jones and little daughter, "Sweet" after spending several days with Capt. and Mrs. Jones and other relatives, left Friday for Midland, where Mr. Jones goes to look after his ranch interests.
Mrs. Cresswell, mother of Mrs. W. F. Wilson, is critically ill at the home of her daughter in North Baird. Mrs. Cresswell has been an invalid for a long time and the family have very little hope for her recovery.
House movers have the contract for moving the old frame Photo-grape gallery from the bank lot on Market and 2nd Street west of THE STAR office. They began Tuesday preparing the old building for removal up the street near the City Hall. We understand work will begin at once on the new building for the Home National Bank. The building is to be a two story brick, 25x140.

See McGowen Bros. for groceries.
B. L. Boydston returned Friday from Dallas accompanied by his daughters, Coranell and Willie, who have been visiting in Dallas and Rockwall.
We have just received the swellest line of new china ware in town, plain and decorated. Hammans & Bro.
Miss Louise Rogers has accepted a position as cashier at B. L. Boydston's dry goods store.
FOR SALE.—160 acres, 70 acres in cultivation balance tiable, 2 good sets of houses and one small house, 2 good wells of water and a tank, 640 fruit trees, 540 grape vines and one acre in berries, crop consisting 22 acres of cotton and 8 acres of corn. 6 head of cattle and all plow tools including a new riding planter and new cultivator go with place if sold at once. Cheap and on easy terms. 8 miles from Baird.
C. D. RUSSELL,
40-2 Baird, Texas.
Quite a crowd of Bairdites went to Galveston last Saturday, returning Wednesday morning. Following is a personnel of the party: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Finley and son, Harry Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson, Chas. E. Hadley, Charley Foster, Eldon Boydston, Rosco Surles, Ed Andrews, Baird. Misses Hattie Griggs, Bertha Davis, Ed Summers, Joe Crutchfield, Will McAdoo and John Hill, Admiral.
Go to Mrs. A. M. Millers for corset covers, ladies vests and ladies belts, 25 per cent off and these goods. 36
When you are most ready to put up your fruit and need jars and rubbers go to Hamman Bros 35



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TERRIBLE AND TRAGIC.

Night Watchman Meets Most Dreadful Fate.

SKULL CRUSHED LIKE EGG

While Man Named Zellner, Employed by the Dallas Gas Company, Was on Duty, He Was Foully Murdered and His Pockets Rifled.

Dallas, Sept. 5.—With his skull caved in at the forehead as if it had been but an eggshell the body of M. H. Zellner was found at 7 o'clock Thursday morning near the corner of Fitzhugh street and Ross avenue, in the extreme eastern part of the city. One of the pockets of his pants had been turned inside out as if rifled, while the other had been cut open with a sharp bladed instrument and its contents taken. Near the corpse were two pieces of 2x4 wood, with blood on each, indicating the instruments of death.

Zellner, who was fifty-four years of age, was an employe of the Dallas Gas company in the capacity of watchman. The company is putting in a main near where the body was found and the dead man was on duty Wednesday night to see that nothing was stolen or tampered with. One of his duties was to see that lanterns over danger spots were not put out.

Deceased apparently was lying on a pallet made of cement sacks when killed, as his body was found there. It was a terrible sight as Zellner lay with upturned face, staring eyes and blood oozing from his wounds.

An hour after the atrocious crime was known Chief of Police Brandenburg arrested three Mexicans. They had been at work at the place for the company, but failed to show up at the usual hour for labor Thursday.

CRIPPLE DECAPITATED.

Unfortunate Man Meets With Peculiar Fatality.

Fort Worth, Sept. 6.—An unknown crippled man was killed while he slept in the Denver yards. The accident was most peculiar in its nature. The cripple and a companion, Henry Alger, were asleep beside one of the tracks. The cripple's foot, as he restlessly tossed about during the night, was moved so that it rested across one of the rails. A switch engine, its crew unaware that locomotive was creeping up on a sleeping man, came puffing by. The wheels struck the man's foot with such force that his body was swung around on the track and his head was severed from his body.

TO INSTITUTE SUIT.

Attorney General Is So Instructed by the Railroad Commission.

Austin, Sept. 5.—The railroad commission issued order directing attorney general to institute suit for penalties against the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio railway for alleged violation of commission's order of Oct. 27, 1906, requiring the railroad to operate double daily passenger service between Del Rio and El Paso. The commission claims that without obtaining its approval the railroad company discontinued the operation of such double daily passenger service. The commission directs that the suit be filed in the district court at Victoria.

The governor appointed the following board of penal examiners: J. H. Grant, Palestine; Sam G. Duff, Greenville, and C. M. McCauley, Merkel.

CAMPBELL AND BRYAN.

Invited With Other Democrats to Attend Banquet at Lincoln.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 7.—Arrangements have been perfected by the Democratic state central committee for the annual banquet to members of the party, to be held here Sept. 24. Invitations have been sent a large number of Democrats of national reputations, among them Governor Campbell of Texas and Hon. John W. Kern of Indianapolis. Hon. W. J. Bryan will be present and deliver one of the principal addresses.

EGYPTIAN PRINCE.

Says He Will Visit Texas to Study the Cotton Industry.

New York, Sept. 5.—Prince Dabro, a member of one of the oldest families in Egypt and who is traveling for this country was entertained by Henry Clews. The prince speaks English fluently. He said he was going to Texas to study the cotton industry there. In Egypt he said cotton raising has grown to be one of the most important industries of the country.

NOTHING TO IT.

Waters-Pierce Oil Company Not Sold to the Texas Company.

Sherman, Tex., Sept. 5.—Receiver Dorchester and General Manager Stanley of the Waters-Pierce Oil company

denys a report emanating at Beaumont that the Waters-Pierce Oil company has been sold to the Texas company. Both gentlemen are emphatic in their denial.

Scared Away With Scissors.

Beaver Falls, Pa., Sept. 7.—A man attempted to grab Miss Carmichael. She scared him away with a pair of scissors.

Coal Price Advanced.

Columbus, O., Sept. 7.—The whole sale price for bituminous coal has been advanced by local dealers to \$1.65 per ton.

DECISION STANDS.

Dr. Brumby Will Not Modify Excursion Ruling.

Austin, Sept. 7.—State Health Officer Brumby stated that the discovery of one case of yellow fever at Vera Cruse, Mex., by his assistant, Dr. P. J. Shaver, will not in any way affect his (Brumby's) decision in withdrawing his objections to excursions in and out of Mexico. The embargo, as far as it affects excursions, will be lifted on Sept. 11. Dr. Brumby, declared, however, that the regular quarantine against the Mexican coast country will remain in effect. While his advice does not disclose the fact, Dr. Brumby is of the opinion that the case found at Vera Cruz by Dr. Shaver was the origin of the cases found on the steamer at Sabine, which vessel came from Vera Cruz.

Railroad Commissioner Storey stated that he had received letters from citizens of Coleman county asking that lower rates be placed on corn for that county. The reason assigned by the writers is that the corn crop of Coleman county was a complete failure and all corn has to be shipped into the county and a lower rate is wanted. It is hardly likely that the commission will grant this request, as Commissioner Storey said that rate on corn and other such products in Texas was by far lower than any of the other states in the Union.

Thirty land patents were signed by the governor, embracing lands situated in the following counties: Brewster, 6,720; Childress, 160; Frio, 28 acres; Gaines, 640; Hale, 320; Harrison, 45 acres; Iron, 1,280 acres; Jefferson, 160 acres; Lipscomb, 640 acres; Leon, 160 acres; Lubbock, 640 acres; Maverick, 640 acres; McCulloch, 640 acres; Nueces, 24 acres; Scurry, 482 acres; Shelby, 640 acres; Shackelford, 647 acres; Stonewall, 160 acres; Uvalde, 320 acres.

State Insurance Commissioner Love approved the Farmers' National Bank of Durant, I. T., as the reserve agent for the First State bank of Gainesville. This is in accordance with a provision of the state bank law.

ANOTHER ROAD.

Will Run From Dallas to Louisiana Boundry Line in Sabine County.

Austin, Sept. 7.—Another new railroad line for Texas will be the Union Central Railway company. It will run from Dallas through the counties of Dallas, Kaufman, Henderson, Cherokee, Nacogdoches, Anderson, San Augustine and Sabine to the Louisiana boundary line in Sabine county, a distance of 225 miles. The general offices will be at Dallas and its capital stock \$225,000.

NO WISE INTERFERES.

Contracts Made Previous to Anti-Pass Law Are Legal.

Austin, Sept. 7.—Assistant Attorney General Pollard holds that contracts made prior to passage of anti-pass law are legal. This renders legal all contracts made by railroads regarding transportation.

NOTED SOUTHERNER GONE.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs Under Two Governments.

Auburn, Ala., Sept. 7.—Colonel S. S. Scott is dead at his home here. He was Commissioner of Indian affairs for the Confederate States and served the United States government in the same office by appointment of President Cleveland. Colonel Scott was an author of some note. He was seventy-eight years old.

REMARKABLE RUNAWAY.

Team Goes Eleven Miles and Passes Through Nine Gates Safely.

Olney, Tex., Sept. 7.—While Dr. George B. Hamilton was returning from a trip to the country his team became frightened while he was out opening a gate. He was knocked down but only slightly injured. The team made good its escape and when found three hours later was eleven miles from town, having gone through nine gates and fences. Neither buggy nor team was injured in any way, which seems remarkable.

EIGHT DROWNED.

Mother and Seven Children Victims of a Terrible Flood.

Albuquerque, N. M., Sept. 6.—As the outcome of a flood, resultant on heavy rains, causing Alamo creek, in Sierra

county, to overflow its banks, Mrs. Louisa Hill Carabajal, wife of a farmer, and her seven children were drowned. Crops are damaged \$60,000.

Slain From Ambush.

Montague, Tex., Sept. 9.—J. T. Romine was shot from the brush and instantly killed by some unknown party. Romine, with his son, Will Romine, was walking to his home, two miles from town, was shot when about half way there.

Gone to Rochester.

Dallas, Sept. 7.—Sister Olympia, for four years in charge of St. Paul's sanitarium, has been transferred to Rochester, N. Y., where she will assume charge of one of the largest sanitariums. Sister Cecilia of El Paso will take charge of St. Paul's sanitarium.

Short Pecan Crop.

San Angelo, Tex., Sept. 7.—J. W. Caldwell, after a personal inspection, says the Concho valley pecan crop will be one-third short.

Scalp Peeled Off.

Dallas, Sept. 7.—The scalp of Paul Cooper, a negro, was peeled off by a blow from a scantling. The skull was uninjured.

FOUGHT WITH REVOLVERS

One Participant Wounded and Bystander Fatally Shot.

Bowie, Tex., Sept. 7.—As the immediate result of a street duel with revolvers here Walker Hargrove of Fort Worth is seriously wounded and W. A. Stoner, a totally uninterested party, is in a precarious condition from the wound caused by a stray bullet fired by one of the combatants. Porter Brodie of Bowie was arrested in connection with the affray, as was also Hargrove, both giving bond.

The two men met on the street and, according to those who claim to have seen the difficulty, began to fight with clubbed pistols. After an exchange of blows they backed away and emptied their revolvers at each other, the rapid succession of shots bringing crowds.

Hargrove, shot through the fleshy part of the left arm, and with a wound on the left side of the head from a glancing bullet, which is thought to have fractured his skull, is said to have attempted to enter a store, when his assailant followed him, striking him repeated blows on the back of the head with his revolver.

The wounds inflicted by the clubbed weapon, the doctors state, are the most serious of his injuries, it being thought his skull was broken by the blows.

Brodie was not hurt in the melee, but W. A. Stoner, a young man who was standing a short distance away, was struck by a ball and fell to the sidewalk. It is not known which weapon fired the bullet. The doctors say he has but little chance for recovery. Hargrove, despite his wounds, returned to Fort Worth.

INFANT MUCH ALIVE.

Kicks Before Undertaker and Coroner and Yells.

Racine, Wis., Sept. 9.—Called to hold an inquest over the body of a supposed dead baby, the coroner, and undertaker saw the child open her eyes, and heard her lustily scream for her mother, prostrated with grief in an adjoining room.

When the coroner reached the home of Michael Popowski, after having been informed of the sudden death of a girl seven months' old, he was informed by the parents that the child had died suddenly an hour before. There being no doubt apparently of the babe's death, the undertaker began his work, when the little girl twitched, kicked her legs towards the ceiling and the mouth and eyes opened, the former giving vent to a battery of shrieks while the latter gave out a flood of big tears.

It was some time before the mother could be convinced that her child was living.

ADJUDGED NOT GUILTY.

Farmer Acquitted on Charge of Working on the Sabbath.

Sherman, Tex., Sept. 7.—Carl Dignowity, a well known German farmer residing east of Denison, was put on trial in the county court charged with violating the law prohibiting people from working on Sunday. It was shown that Mr. Dignowity had plowed corn one day last summer, doing the work on Sunday. Mr. Dignowity, who went on the stand, did not deny that he plowed the corn, as charged, but stated that he did it in order to have his crop, which was a crop of Mexican June corn, and the weather conditions had been and were at the time the work was done, was such that made it imperative that the work be done on that day. He was promptly declared not guilty. The case attracted a great deal of attention.

WILD BOAR HUNT.

This Has Been Planned For the President's Enjoyment.

Houston, Sept. 9.—Reports reached here from San Antonio that a wild

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Stoves, Guns, Saddles, Harness, Barb Wire, Queuesware, Glassware, Ice Cream Freezers, Refrigerators, Hay Wire, Fishing Tackle, Ammunition, Screen Doors, Screen Wire and Poultry Netting.

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Just received by us. Bracelets, Ring, Stick Pins, Brooches, Hat Pins, Cuff and Collar Buttons, Watch Chains and Fobs, Shirt Waist Sets, Etc. Come see our new Jewellery. Drugs, Wall Paper, Tablets, Fancy Stationery, Etc.

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ELECTION ORDER.

THE STATE OF TEXAS | COUNTY OF CALLAHAN. | On the 24th, day of July, A. D. 1907

the same being the Eleventh day after the 13th, of July A. D. 1907

the Commissioners Court of Callahan County, Texas, all members being present to-wit: B. L. Russell, County Judge; W. A. Hinds, Commissioner of Precinct No. One; E. Kendrick, Commissioner of Precinct No. Two; J. H. Burnam, Commissioner of Precinct No. Three; C. S. Kennedy, Commissioner of Precinct No. Four, met for the purpose of canvassing and counting the votes cast at an election held on the 13th, day of July A. D. 1907, at the various voting precincts in said Callahan County to determine whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors shall be prohibited in Callahan County, Texas, and said votes having been canvassed and counted and said election having been held in accordance with law, the court finds that seven hundred and ninety-one (791) votes were cast for prohibition and seven hundred and forty-two (742) votes were cast against prohibition, making a majority of forty-nine (49) votes for prohibition. It is accordingly ordered that said election resulted in favor of prohibition. Wherefore it is ordered by the court that the sale of intoxicating liquors is absolutely prohibited within the limits of Callahan County, Texas, except for the purposes and under the regulations specified in Title 69 Revised Statutes of Texas until such time the qualified voters therein may, at a legal election held for that purpose, by a majority vote decide otherwise. It is further ordered that this result be so declared, the order made therein as above and the order prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in Callahan County be published as required and provided by law.

In accordance with the law and the order of the Commissioners Court of Callahan County, I hereby order that the above be published in "THE BAIRD STAR" a weekly newspaper published in said Callahan County, for four successive weeks, beginning in the issue of said paper to be published the first week in September 1907.

Witness my hand this 3rd day of September A. D. 1907.

B. L. RUSSELL, County Judge Callahan Co., Texas.

bear hunt with javelins for weapons instead of rifles, is being planned for President Roosevelt's participation. An experimental hunt with javelins will shortly be made in the district south of San Antonio. Several of President Roosevelt's acquaintances expect to take part in this hunt, and they are authority for the statement that if the sport with the primitive weapons proves good, the president has promised to join in a hunt during his coming his southern and western tour.

MASON EIGHTY YEARS.

James Bellows McGregor Oldest Member of the Order.

Mount Sunapee, N. H., Sept. 7.—James Bellows McGregor, said to be the oldest Mason in the world, celebrated his one hundred and sixth birthday with public reception Friday. He was born in 1801 and became a Mason in 1827, which makes him a member of eighty years' standing. Mount Vernon lodge attended the celebration in a body.

Dallas County Man Suicides.

Richardson, Tex., Sept. 7.—Claude Money, a young unmarried man, killed himself here, the weapon used being a pistol. The bullet entered the side of the neck under the right ear and went through the head, coming out at the top and entering the ceiling.

Marylanders' Home Coming.

Baltimore, Sept. 7.—The week beginning Oct. 14 all sons and daughters of Maryland are invited to visit this city. They will be elegantly entertained.

Fifty-Three Killed.

Milwaukee, Sept. 7.—During August fifty-three persons were killed by accidents, tragedies and suicides here.

EXCURSION RATES.

June 1st to Sept. 30th, round trip tickets will be on sale to Cloudercroft, N. M. at rate of \$22.05. Return limit Oct. 31st.

For information regarding Summer Tourists rates to Inter-State points East and North, write me or call at office.

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MURDER, NOT MARRIAGE.

**Young Man Killed on His Way
After Future Wife.**
Nacogdoches, Tex., Sept. 7.—Fifteen
miles from here O. G. Owens, a well
known young farmer, who was en
route to this place to be married to
Miss Maggie Wilkerson, was overtaken
by some miscreant and murdered.
His corpse was found in the woods
about 200 yards from the roadway with
the skull crushed. The marriage li
cense, soaked with blood, was found
in a pocket. It is supposed robbery
was the motive.
After being shot in the head Owens'
body had been dragged with a rope to
where it was found.
Miss Wilkerson is prostrated with
grief.

DOC BAILEY ARRESTED.

**Charged With Murder of Owens and
Taken to Penitentiary.**
Nacogdoches, Tex., Sept. 10.—Doc
Bailey, a negro, was arrested on
charge of killing D. G. Owens, who
was murdered on the day set for his
wedding, and taken to Rusk peniten
tiary for safe keeping. This is deem
ed a wise precaution, as there is much
indignation over the crime. Bailey
was captured at Rusk. It is alleged
that the negro disposed of Owens'
horse, saddle and bridle to a party at
that place for \$45.
It is claimed that Owens had hold
of the barrel of the pistol when he was
shot, in an effort to wrench it from
his slayer's hand. Sheriff Blackburn
says he is informed Owens was not
stably killed, but that Bailey placed
a rope around his neck, and mounting
Owens' horse, dragged his victim nearly
200 yards, where he cut the rope
from the saddle and rode to Rusk.
Bailey was about to board a train there
when arrested.

ATTACKED ASLEEP.

**Throat of Mrs. J. M. Ardrey Cut by a
Wrietch.**
Marshall, Tex., Sept. 7.—At Hallville,
while she was asleep, the wife of J.
M. Ardrey, agent of the Texas and Pa
cific railroad, was chloroformed and
her throat cut by an unknown person.
She screamed and her husband came
to the rescue. The lady is not serious
ly injured.

Mrs. Ardrey, after having been at
tended by physicians, stated that she
was aroused by some one leaning over
her bed. She thought it was her hus
band. Later in the night she saw a
man standing in the doorway, and
again thought it was her husband, and
asked him if he were ill. The man an
swered "no."

A few minutes later she felt the
knife at her throat and screamed, wak
ing her husband.

Mrs. Ardrey's throat bears a deep,
ragged cut, penetrating almost to the
windpipe. At the foot of her bed was
found a bottle which had contained
chloroform, but the liquid had escaped,
the odor being suffocatingly strong in
the room.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT.

**For the Second Time Mrs. Ardrey Has
Her Throat Cut.**

Hollandville, Tex., Sept. 10.—For the
second time Mrs. J. M. Ardrey has
been attacked while asleep. This time
the unknown scoundrel slashed both
her throat and forehead. During the
first attempt a bad gash was cut in
the lady's throat and an effort made
to chloroform her.

WILL TEST LAW.

**Executive Committee Press As
sociation to Take Action.**

Dallas, Sept. 10.—The executive com
mittee of the Texas Press association
held a meeting here. Mineral Wells
was selected as the 1908 meeting place
for the annual convention. The dates
are May 14, 15 and 16.

It was decided to test the validity
of the state anti-pass law. On motion
of T. J. Middleton of Waxahachie a
committee, consisting of W. G. Sterrett,
W. A. Shaw and R. E. Yantis, was ap
pointed to prepare an address on the
matter to the people of Texas. Each
member will be assessed \$5 to reim
burse counsel.

The announcement by President
Boile that Assistant Attorney General
Pollard held that all existing contracts
made prior to the enactment of the
anti-pass law were legal was greeted
with approval. W. G. Sterrett, W. A.
Shaw and John H. Cullum will look
after the legal test.

It was stated that Press day at the
Texas State fair is Oct. 21, and Presi
dent Boile expressed the opinion that
inasmuch as advertising contracts with
railroads, under Mr. Boile's ruling, did not
expire until Jan. 1, he hoped that there
would be good attendance.

PAID TO SUPPORT.

**Subject of Weekly Costs Man Large
Fine and Jail Sentence.**

Dalhart, Tex., Sept. 10.—For the
first time in this section of the state
the statute passed by the last legis
lature providing a penalty for non-

support of the said children has been
enforced. A Dalhart man was fined
\$500, with thirty days in jail, for fail
ure to support his wife and children.

SAWED TO PIECES.

**Ham Bateman So Badly Slashed That
Death Instantly Ensues.**

Fort Towson, I. T., Sept. 10.—While
working in a sawmill at this place
Ham Bateman, twenty-three years old,
was literally cut to pieces by a saw.
His death was instantaneous. Ham
Bateman, Sr., his father, operated the
mill.

Cotton Acreage Comparison.

Washington, Sept. 10.—The depart
ment of agriculture reports cotton
average 72.7, compared with 75 July
25, 1907, and 77.3 Aug. 25, 1907.

Prairie and Forest Fires.

Ardmore, Sept. 10.—Prairie and for
est fires are raging in the Choctaw na
tion. Much fencing, hay and grain
has been destroyed.

From Laudanum.

Blackwell, Okla., Sept. 10.—A. H.
Hubbard died here from laudanum poi
soning.

TEACHER'S INSTITUTE.

Sec. 38 of the School Laws of
Texas' Acts 1907, provides that the
County Superintendent shall organize
and hold within the first four months
of the scholastic year a teachers'
institute of five consecutive days,
and shall require the attendance of
the teachers upon the institute.

Teachers, in order to count county
institute attendance toward the ex
tension of their certificates, are now
required to attend each year, as bona
fide participants therein, the full
five days of seven hours each of the
teachers institute of the county in
which they teach.

At the regular institute last year
the teachers of this county passed a
resolution recommending that the in
stitute of this year be called to meet
the first or second week in September;
but there are reasons, which the
teachers did not and by nature of
things, could not at that time fore
see, why it is impracticable to hold
the institute at that time. First,
the Legislature passed a law requir
ing Elementary Agriculture to be
taught in the public schools. This
is a subject the teaching of which
should be given considerable atten
tion in the institute and upon which
the teachers should be given time to
make extensive preparation before
being called upon to discuss it in the
institute. Second. A large number
of the teachers went almost directly
from their schools into the various
summer normals of the State and
have spent a large part of the sum
mer in attendance upon these nor
mals and have heretofore had but
little time for rest or recreation.
Third. Many of the teachers live in
other counties and few of the schools
open until late in the fall, rendering
it extremely inconvenient for them
to attend the institute during the
first or second week in September.

There are several other reasons
why the institute should not be called
to meet at this early date, but I
shall here state only one more, and
this reason would suffice if there
were no others, and that is; not more
than half, if indeed that many, of
the schools of the county have em
ployed teachers, so far as I have
been advised. This would render
the attendance upon the institute
very small and would deprive a num
ber of the teachers of the opportu
nity of attending the regular county
teachers' institute.

After discussing the matter with
a large number of the teachers, trust
ees and others interested in the
welfare of the schools of the county,
I am of the opinion that the week
next preceding the Christmas holi
days will be the most opportune
time to hold our county teachers'
institute and I therefore call it to
meet at that time, beginning Decem
ber the 16th, 1907 and ending De
cember the 20th, 1907.

Respectfully,
R. D. GREEN,
County Supt. Callahan County.



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hard work and deprivations, often
result in loss of weight and strength
and indigestion. Harry F. Keaton,
a lieutenant in a Chicago company
during the Spanish war, became dys
peptic and lost weight to the danger
point. He took Dr. Caldwell's
Syrup Pepsin and cured his indiges
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is sold by Powell & Powell at 50c
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Wood Wanted.

Wanted 25 cords of good oak wood
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during August. See T. E. Powell
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New line of wall paper at Powell
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Preaching.

THE STAR is requested to announce that Rev. John T. Foster, Episcopal Missionary, of Dallas, will preach at the Episcopal Church Sunday, Sept. 15th at 11 a. m. and at night.

Austin Tex., Sept. 5.—Gov. Campbell today appointed the Dental Board. The board is made up of three members and is as follows: Dr. J. H. Grant, Palestine; Dr. Sam Duff, Greenville; Dr. C. M. McCauley Merkel. Drs. Grant and Duff were members of the old board. Dr. McCauley was appointed to take the place of Dr. Weaver of Hillsboro, who did not wish to serve another term.

The many friends of Dr. McCauley in this county are proud of his success in his chosen profession.

DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve is good for burns, boils, cuts, scalds and skin diseases. It is especially good for piles. Sold by Powell & Powell.

The way to get rid of a cold, whether it be a "bad cold" or just a little one, is to get it out of your system through the bowels. Nearly all Cough cures, especially those that contain opiates, are constipating. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup contains no opiates and acts gently on the bowels. Pleasant to take. Sold by All Druggists.

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was the greatest General the world has ever known. Ballard's Snow Liniment is the greatest Liniment. Quickly cures all pains. It is within reach of all. T. H. Pointer, Hempstead, Texas, writes: "This is to certify that Ballard's Snow Liniment has been used in my household for years and has been found to be an excellent Liniment for Rheumatic pains. I am never without it. Sold by Powell & Powell.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are good for anyone who needs a pill. They are small, safe, sure, little pills that do not gripe or sicken. Sold by All Druggists.

Old papers for sale at THE STAR office, 25c per hundred.

Commissioners' Court.

Court met yesterday in called session and accepted the resignation of County Judge B. L. Russell, who resigned to accept the position of cashier and general manager of the First National Bank. Mayor C. D. Russell was appointed county judge by the Commissioners Court to fill out the term. All Commissioners were present to wit: W. A. Hinds, J. H. Burnam, A. E. Kendrick and C. S. Kennedy. Court adjourned in the evening.

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The City Council has an account filed for quite a sum \$25.00, we believe, for a cow's horn. It seems that the cow was caught roaming the streets against the peace and dignity of the state, county and city and landed in the city pound for law breaking animals. After being kept in durance vile for a time the aforesaid cow made a desperate attempt to break down the gate to the pound but broke off one of her horns instead. This happened some time ago, but think the city has not yet paid for the broken horn. It is against the law to turn stock loose in the streets but lots of people do not know it or do not observe it. If all the stock, cows, calves, horses and hogs, that are on the streets most any night could be landed in the pound quite a snug sum would be realized. Somebody's "bossies" will be located in the pound some of these mornings, and we do not care how soon. There seems to be more stock on the streets at night the past week or two than at any time before the law was put into effect. They are an infernal nuisance and ought to be kept up or "pounded."

A TRIP INTO CALLAHAN COUNTY.

CROSSCUT, TEXAS, SEPT. 2, 1907. EDITOR BAIRD STAR.

I am writing you from this point, Crosscut. I understand that the word Crosscut was sent to the postal department for approval. The word out was taken for cut, hence the name Crosscut. It makes no especial difference in regard to this name. This place is a small dry spot, situated in the extreme north-west portion of Brown County. It is inhabited with an average set of citizens who seem to be happy and contented. This is really better than living in New York City and being miserably discontented and hopelessly dissatisfied. I am traveling in this section of the country by private conveyance for the benefit of lost health. My home, proper, is in Hopkins County, Texas where the people are troubled with chills and other malarial afflictions. The people in that section of country believe that there is hardly a spot in Callahan County that is suitable for a residence building and that farming is out of the question. But I find this view of the condition of things is altogether wrong. I noticed many beautiful residences, many well appointed farms in a high state of cultivation. Many prosperous farmers, healthy, happy and contented citizens that any section of country should be proud of. The writer has some old Eastern Texas neighbors living in Callahan County. They have grown almost wealthy, they are farmers, Mr. J. S. Bunnam, known in his immediate neighborhood as Uncle Joe. I knew him when he was quite a young man also his wife when she was a girl. These two people were good and noble when young. They have grown old now have reared a large and interesting family. Mrs. Burnam is a great help to the sick and afflicted. Joe as he was called, is a man of forceful character and has never scattered his efforts in useless endeavors. He has always been self confident, believed in Joe and Joe's business. He has inspired courage in his children by being courageous himself. Mr. Editor, Influence is a mighty power in this great world of ours.

Mr. Bud Clinton of near Seranton is another worthy neighbor, a gentleman of birth, has inherited good blood and is making life a grand success. Years ago he led to the marriage alter a sweet blushing maiden of your County. They have lived happily together all these years and now have a nice family of lovable children who are a credit to themselves and an honor to their parents. Mr. Clinton has a beautiful home. With all manner of rare flowers and choice fruit trees. In fact he has the most beautiful orchard of well and judiciously selected fruit trees we noticed in the county. Mr. Clinton is somewhat self opinionated and a determination to conquer difficulties to make circumstances and conditions yield to him. His motto "Each man is the architect of his own fortune, the master of his own destiny. Never let the situation master you, master the situation." No man ever made a mark in life who started out without a definite purpose, willing to accept what might fall to his lot. The man with an ideal is the man who succeeds.

My Postoffice address is at Coleman

When I return to Hopkins County, candor and honesty will demand that I speak favorably of Callahan County
E. B. FLEMING.

Fielding Fields and sister, Miss Winnie, of Abilene, visited friends near Baird Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Frost returned to her home at Santo Sunday, after spending a week visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Johnson.

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Letter to Prof. S. E. Settle.

Baird, Texas.

Dear Sir: We would like to set your boys and girls at work on this question in arithmetic and casuistry. A farmer is fattening three hogs in three small pens; they have equal room and straw and care, and are fed in these three ways; first hog, on a certain proportion of milk and cooked cornmeal; second hog, on same, half water; third hog, on same, half water and sawdust. How long will it take, how much will they weigh, how much will they cost, and what'll the profit be on the three?

And a similar question in pigmentry. That same farmer is going to paint three small barns same size; and he says to three painters: "what will you take to paint that barn?"

First painter scratches his head a few minutes and says, "I'll do it for \$50."

Second painter: "\$75."

Third painter: "\$97.48."

Will they each get a barn to paint or one get two, or one all three or, nobody any; and what'll they make on the job?

That's about how painting goes some times. But there is a way to reckon; \$5 a gallon. The difficulty is in knowing how many gallons to buy. There is a way out of that.

Buy the least-gallons paint, Devoe. No matter how much one buys; he returns what's left; costs nothing.

Yours truly
F. W. DEVOE & Co.
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is worth a pound of cure. There are many poor sufferers, Consumptives who are hopeless of getting well—who, if they had taken care of themselves, would now be well. A cough is the foundation of Consumption. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure that cough. Mrs. S., Great Falls, Montana, writes: "I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my family for years—my children never suffer with coughs. Powell & Powell.

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Baird Public School.

Baird Public Schools will open Monday next Sept. 16 for a nine months session.

The teachers are:

Prof. J. E. Smith, Principal.
Prof. S. E. Settle, Assistant.
Mrs. Gussie Sufles.
Miss Jennie Bee Bonham.
Miss Maud Austin.
Miss Stella James.
Miss Pearl Birmingham.

Misses Birmingham and Bonham and Settle are expected in a day or two. Only two of the teachers Mrs. Surles and Prof. Settle, have taught in Baird. Let every patron assist the school in every way. Don't kick at every thing the teacher or the trustees may or may not do just as you want it. The trustees have employed the best teachers they could secure and we expect more of them than ever before. Take an interest in the schools visit the teachers and the trustees would be pleased to have the people visit the schools. Go and see what they are doing and help push along the educational interests of your town. All the trustees have agreed to meet the teachers at the School House Monday morning at 8:30 sharp.

She Found Relief.

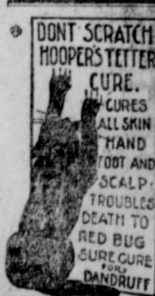
If you are troubled with liver complaint and have not received help read this. Mrs. Mary E. Hammond Moody, Texas, "I was in poor health—with liver trouble—for over a year. Doctors did me no good and I tried Herbine, and three bottles cured me. I can't say too much for Herbine, as it is a wonderful liver medicine. I always have it in the house. Publish where you want. Sold by Powell & Powell.

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