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VOL. 19. BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEX., THURSDAY. MAR. 1 1906. NO. 13.

New Goods Received Daily.

Watch this Space.

B. L. BOYDSTUN, Baird, Texas.

CITY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall in the City of Baird on the Third day of April 1906, same being the First Tuesday in April, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, five Aldermen and a City Marshal.

Done by order of the City Council of the City of Baird, this 26th day of Feby. A. D. 1906.

B. L. RUSSELL,
Mayor.

Attest: H. O. POWELL,
Sec'y. 13

EGGS.

Thoroughbred Barred Rock eggs, \$1.00 per 15. HENRY JONES, JR. 13-tf
Eula, Texas.

ADVERTISED LIST.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the P. O. at Baird Tex. for week ending Feb. 24, Parties calling for same please say advertised

- Bennett, Archie
- Modlin, W. I.
- May, Jno. 2
- McKee, R. J. 3
- Tims, Joe
- Tuny, Mr. Marvin
- WM. McMANIS, P. M.

A SCIENTIFIC WONDER.

The cures that stand to its credit like Bucklen's Arnica Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. R. Mul- necturer for the Patrons of andry, Waynesboro, Pa., of a ing case of Piles. It heals Burns, Sores, Boils, Ulcers, Chills, Chilblains and Salt only 25c at Powell & 10-tf

FOR SALE.

Until April 15, I will sell eggs at \$1.00 per 15 from a pen of Brown Leghorns headed by "Prince Warriner," a prize winner at Great North Texas Show. I have the finest birds in the county. These eggs would cost you \$5.00 if bought elsewhere. JOHN H. HELM. 13-1
Cross Plains, Texas.

Moss Green and Venitian Red Roof Paint, wagon and buggy paint at Powell & Powell's. 23tf

Go to "Butch" Wilson's for pure lard and bacon. 37-t

LET YOUR STOMACH HAVE ITS WAY.

Buy your beef and pork and lard at "BUTCH" WILSON'S

Best 25c meal in Baird at Emil Lowe 3

Perfumery, massage cream, face powder, fancy stationery & etc. at Powell & Powell's. 23tf

"Memories of the Lost Cause" by Capt. J. M. Polk, 25 cents per copy, for sale at THE STAR office. 48

Accordian pleated butterfly skirts in black and blue, regular \$6 sellers to close out at once, \$4.98. H. Schwartz. 9tf

NOTICE.

We, the Merchants of Baird, do agree to close our places of business at 7 o'clock p. m. every day, with the exception of Saturday nights and pay day nights, beginning the 1st day of February and continuing until the 15th day of September 1906:

- H. F. Foy.
 - H. Schwartz.
 - B. L. Boydston.
 - Carter & Cannon.
 - J. H. Hammans & Bro.
 - C. S. Boyles.
 - McGowen Bros. & Wristen.
 - Harry Meyer.
 - Hadley Bros.
 - J. C. Jones.
 - A. L. Vaughn.
- Baird, Texas, Jan'y. 17, 1906.

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G. B. Burhans, of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick dust sediment, and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of any of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed and I am evidently cured to stayed to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble. Powell & Powell.

Bring Ticket No. 20 and get Hat Rack. If lost 551, if lost 1183. H. F. Foy. 13-1t

I have sold out and request you to come

PAY UP!

I have over \$40,000 still on my books that is now past due. I have been very lenient with you, and you know whether you owe me or not, and if you owe me I ask you kindly to come and settle up, as I am very much in need of money, in fact I must have it.

T. E. POWELL.

WATCH LOST.

Lost Friday on Public School ground an open face gold watch, 16 size, 7 jewel, figured dial, 20 year guaranteed case, screw back and Bezel Trenton movement, plain chain without charm or bar. Will pay \$2.50 for its return to my office. 10-tf
C. H. MAHAN.

A Favorite Remedy for Babies.

Its pleasant taste and prompt cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a favorite with the mothers of small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds and prevents any danger of pneumonia or other serious consequences. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears will prevent the attack. For sale by All Druggists.

PAY UP.

All who are indebted to me are requested to pay up. 6tf
HARRY MEYER.

Horse and Buggy.

A good, gentle buggy horse, and good buggy for sale. Apply to 9tf
Dr. JOHN COLLIER.

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 C. D. Russell, Deputy Clerk.
 T. A. Irvin, Sheriff & Tax Collector
 J. E. Gilliland, Office Deputy.
 Jas. Johnson, Deputy.
 J. H. Harris, Jailor.
 J. E. W. Lane, County Treasurer.
 T. J. Norrell, Tax Assessor.
 T. H. Floyd, County Surveyor.
 W. R. Ely, County Attorney.

PRECINCT OFFICERS.
 R. L. Alexander, J. P. Pre. No. 1.
 Joe Alphin, Constable, Pre. No. 1.

CITY OFFICERS.
 B. L. Russell, Mayor.
 H. O. Powell, City Secretary,
 J. E. Tisdale, City Marshal.
 Alderman: H. O. Powell, W. F. Wilson, Fred Lane, J. B. Cutbirth, W. D. Boydston.

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 W. A. Hinds, Pre. No. 1.
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 Jno. W. Aiken, Pre. No. 4.

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BAIRD LODGE No. 522 F. & A. M.—Meets on Saturday night on or before full moon in each month. Visiting brethren welcome.
 C. S. BOYLES, W. M.
 J. H. WALKER, Secy.

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 MRS. DORA HARMON, W. M.
 MRS. KATE RAMSEY, Secy.

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 C. W. ROBERTS, Recorder.

ODD FELLOWS, BAIRD LODGE No. 271, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Tuesday night.
 C. H. MAHAN, N. G.
 H. SCHWARTZ, Secy.

PARKER ENCAMPMENT No. 94.—Meets 2d and 4th Fridays in each month.
 C. H. MAHAN, C. P.
 H. SCHWARTZ, Scribe.

WOODMAN OF THE WORLD, BAIRD CAMP No. 508, W. O. W.—Meets 2d and 4th Monday nights in each month at Pythian Hall.
 W. G. BOWLUS, C. C.
 JAS. H. WALKER, Clerk.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, BAIRD LODGE No. 47.—Meets at Castle Hall southwest corner Court House square, every Thursday night.
 C. M. McCauley, C. C.
 GEO. B. SCOTT, K. of R. & S.

RATHBONE SISTERS.—Meets 1st, Monday night and 3d, Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m. in each month.
 MRS. I. N. JACKSON, M. E. C.
 MRS. C. M. McCAULEY, Recorder.

SOCIETIES
A. S. JOHNSTON CAMP No. 654, U. C. V.—Meets 4th Saturday in every month at Court House in Baird, at 1:30 p. m.
 R. E. WATHEN, Com.
 J. E. W. LANE, Adjt.

CHURCHES.

METHODIST.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. each Sabbath. Prayer meeting each Wednesday night.
 C. B. MEADOR, Pastor.
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 T. E. POWELL, Supt.

BAPTIST.—Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and at night. Prayer meeting every Wednesday.
 CHAS. A. LOVELESS, Pastor.
 Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m.
 M. W. UZZELL, Supt.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Preaching every 1st and 3d, Sundays at 11 o'clock and at night.
 C. T. PHILLIPS, Pastor.
 Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock.
 J. C. GRAY, Supt.

CHRISTIAN.—Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m.
 W. J. LEVERETT, Supt.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Services in the Church of the Holy Cross, Baird Second Sunday in each month.
 J. W. KEEBLE, Minister in Charge.

NEW BETHEL BAPTIST MISSIONARY Charge. Preaching every 1st and 3d Sunday at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m.
 REV. M. D. CASTILLO, Pastor

Tablets, Pencils, ink, etc at Powell & Powell's. 40

"Memories of the Lost Cause" by Capt. J. M. Polk, 25 cents per copy, at THE STAR office. 48.

Hello 221 Send me a nice steak.

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

ANNUAL EXHIBIT

Of the Aggregate amount received and paid out of each Fund for the year ending Feby. 16, 1906, and the balance to the credit or debit of each Fund and indebtedness of Callahan County, Texas.

JURY FUND. FIRST CLASS.		DR.	CR.
To balance, Feb. 17, 1905.....	758 29		
To amount received during year.....	1704 10		
To amount transferred from other funds.....	390 00		
By amount paid out during year.....		1973 49	
Commission.....		92 35	
By amount to balance.....		786 55	
	2852 39	2852 39	
To Balance Feb. 16, 1906.....			786 55
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND. SECOND CLASS.			
To balance Feb. 17, 1905.....	2615 82		
To amount received during year.....	5704 01		
To amount transferred from other funds.....		1346 29	
By amount paid out during year.....		5489 21	
Commission.....		289 44	
By amount to balance.....		3890 47	
	9669 12	9669 12	
To Balance Feb. 16, 1906.....			3890 47
GENERAL COUNTY FUND. THIRD CLASS.			
To balance Feb 17, 1905.....	5821 50		
To amount received during year.....	8069 81		
By amount paid out during year.....		6273 04	
By amount transferred to other funds.....		1060 00	
Commission.....		358 34	
By amount to balance.....		6199 38	
	13891 13	13891 13	
To Balance Feb. 16, 1906.....			6199 38
COURT HOUSE. FOURTH CLASS.			
To balance, Feb. 17 1905.....	1546 88		
To amount received during year.....	3088 28		
To amount transferred from other funds.....	112 50		
By amount paid out during year.....		865 97	
Commission.....		63 97	
By amount to balance.....		3817 72	
	4747 66	4747 66	
To Balance Feb 16, 1906.....			3817 72
JAIL FUND. FIFTH CLASS.			
To balance Feb. 17, 1905.....	1624 12		
To amount received during year.....	1582 03		
To amount transferred from other funds.....	40 00		
By amount paid out during year.....		1589 99	
By amount transferred to other funds.....		112 50	
Commission.....		63 97	
By amount to balance.....		1479 79	
	3246 15	3246 15	
To Balance Feb 16, 1906.....			1479 79
ESTRAY FUND. SIXTH FUND.			
To balance, Feb. 17, 1905.....	439 21		
To amount received during year.....	94 30		
By amount transferred to other funds.....		390 00	
Commission.....		3 25	
By amount to balance.....		139 26	
	533 51	533 51	
To Balance Feb. 16, 1906.....			139 26
POLL TAX FUND. SEVENTH CLASS.			
To balance Feb. 17, 1905.....	317 07		
To amount received during year.....	408 27		
By amount paid out during year.....		1 27	
By amount transferred to other funds.....		329 29	
Commission.....		10 80	
By amount to balance.....		383 98	
	725 34	725 34	
To Balance Feb. 16, 1906.....			383 98
AMOUNT OF INDEBTEDNESS OF COUNTY.			
	AMOUNT	Date of Accrual	
20 Court House Bonds \$1000 00 each, 4 per ct interest.....	\$20,000 00	April 10 1920	
1 R. & B. Bond, issued to Permanent School Fund, 5 per ct interest.....	293 76	April 10 1920	
6 Co. Jail Bonds each for \$500, 5 per cent interest Court House sinking fund.....	3,000 00	June 1 1908	
Total.....	23,293 76		
ASSETS.			
6 County Jail Bonds, each \$500.00 5 per ct interest.....	3,000 00		
Purchase Money for Callahan Co. School Lands.....	1,000 00		
1 Vendors lien note for Callahan Co School Lands.....	93,767 76		
1 R. and B. Bond issued to Permanent School Fund.....	293 76		
Total.....	\$97,061 52		

THE STATE OF TEXAS,)
 COUNTY OF CALLAHAN) The foregoing is a true and correct exhibit of the finances of said County for the year ending the 16th day of Feby. 1906. Dated at Baird, Texas, this 16th day of Feby. 1906.
 GEO. B. SCOTT,
 County Clerk, Callahan County, Texas.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 16th day of Feby. 1906.
 I. N. JACKSON,
 County Judge Callahan County Texas

PROGRAM U. D. C.

Program of the U. D. C. for March 1906.
 Will meet at the residence of Mrs. Martin Barnhill Tuesday, March 6th

1. Respond to Roll Call with facts about the heroes of Florida.
2. Reading—Mrs. B. L. Russell.
3. Discussion—"The First Confederate Cabinet."—Chapter.
4. Song—"Kathleen Marvourneen"—Mrs. Fraser.
- 5.—Paper—"John Esten Cook"—Mrs. Harmon.
6. Reading—Selected from "Surry of Eagles' Nest"—Miss Champ Bell.
7. Song—"Dixie," by the Chapter.

Mrs. M. ALICE FLOYD,
 Historian.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE.
 My 10 room dwelling in west Baird for sale or will trade for land. 12tf
 H. H. RAMSEY,
 Telephone Building.

NOTICE.

If you owe me anything you know it, so come pay up, don't wait for a dun. I have carried you all the year and now I must have what you owe me. C. S. BOYLES. 11-12

FOR SALE.

At Sharps Wagon Yaad on Pine Street, Abilene, Texas, ten well bred Jacks, 2 to 7 years old, good color and good size. One trotting Stallion No. 12504, bred by G. W. Gray of New York City, sired by Dean Sage, No. 1000, first Dam Zula Z. One Saddle Stallion sired by Hartwood Jr. and out of a Hal mare. Extended pedigrees furnished on application. Some of the young Jacks are broke to run loose with the herd. This stock for sale at a fair price and on easy terms. Call and see them and you will not regret it.
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 Abilene, Texas.


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"Memories of the Lost Cause."
 BY CAPT. J. M. POLK.
25 CENTS.

Capt. Polk of the Confederate Home at Austin, sent us 50 copies of his little book and we are anxious to close them out and send him the money before Christmas. Come and get a copy and help the old man out. The little book is well worth the price and tells the life of the private soldier in the Confederate army.
 W. E. GILLILAND, Baird, Texas.

NOTICE.

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

NOTICE.

Dr. S. T. Fraser requests us to announce that his office, for the present, is at his residence. Phone 80. 8tf

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Some parties who only subscribed for service to 10 p. m. are burning lights all night. This is to notify all persons that hereafter bills will be made out for all night service unless lights are turned off according to contract. This refers particularly to business houses. We do not agree to give all night service unless parties pay for same. It is hoped that all patrons will conform to their contracts without further notice.
 50 BAIRD ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.

BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP

PERMANENTLY CURES
CONSUMPTION, COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS
ASTHMA, SORE THROAT, HOARSENESS
WHOOPIING COUGH AND CROUP

DO NOT DELAY

Until the drain on your system produces permanent disability. The human breathing machinery is a wonderful system of tubes and cells. To have good health it must be kept in good order. A GOLD is considered of no importance, yet if it was known by its proper name of "throat inflammation," or "congestion of the lungs," its dangerous character would be appreciated. When a cold makes its appearance use at once Ballard's Horehound Syrup which will speedily overcome it.

WHOOPIING COUGH AND CROUP Require Prompt Action. **SNOW LINIMENT** applied to the throat and chest gives wonderful relief, while **Ballard's Horehound Syrup** will rapidly stop the violent paroxysms of coughing. **IT IS THE ONLY COUGH REMEDY THAT WILL POSITIVELY CURE WHOOPING COUGH AND CROUP.**

BEST FOR CHILDREN

Mrs. Maud Adams, Goldthwaite, Tex., writes:—"I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup and find it the BEST medicine for croup, coughs and colds. My children use it and it is pleasant to take and quickly cures."

SAFE AND SURE Three Sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00
 The Children's Favorite Remedy Every Bottle Guaranteed
Ballard Snow Liniment Co., St. Louis, Mo.

SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY
POWELL & POWELL, Baird, Texas.

HENDERSON NO MORE

Former Speaker of House of Representatives Gone.

DIES AT DUBUQUE IA,

Deceased, Who Was a Native of Scotland, Served Several Terms in Lower Branch of Congress, Voluntarily Retiring.

Dubuque, Ia., Feb. 26.—Former Speaker D. B. Henderson of the national house of representatives died at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Mercy hospital of paresis, which attacked him nine months ago. He began to sink Friday afternoon, rallied Saturday morning, in the afternoon lapsed into unconsciousness and failed rapidly until the end came. All of his family except a son in California, were at his bedside, but Colonel Henderson had been unable to recognize any one



EX-SPEAKER HENDERSON.

but his wife since a week ago except on Friday, when he partly regained his mental faculties.

Colonel Henderson was stricken with paresis last May, and his condition grew so grave that he was removed to a hospital in September. His condition remained practically unchanged, except for the usual progress of a such a disease, till a week ago last Friday.

He suffered another stroke, which resulted in total blindness. The former speaker failed rapidly physically and mentally until Friday, when his mental powers returned for a few hours, followed by a relapse, which ended in a relapse.

The funeral will be held next Thursday. Former Congressman George D. Perkins of Sioux City will deliver an eulogy.

Colonel Henderson was a native of Scotland, but came to this country while young. He served several terms in congress, voluntarily retiring. Politically, he was a Republican.

DUE TO LAW SUIT.

Six Roman Catholic Missionaries Lost Their Lives.

Pekin, Feb. 27.—The government has received a brief report from the governor of Nanchang concerning the murder of the missionaries there. He states that he has suppressed the rioting and sent the surviving foreigners in boats to Kiu Kiang for safety.

The governor's report states that six Catholic missionaries were killed, besides an English family of four. An English missionary named Marr is believed to have escaped slightly injured. Bunting and Fife are also believed to have escaped.

According to the official report the trouble arose in the course of a lawsuit in the magistrate's Yamen, in which the Catholics became involved. The fight occurred in the Yamen. The English missionaries were in no wise concerned, but on Sunday morning a mob attacked the missions indiscriminately.

According to a Chinese official occupying a high station, the finding of dynamite in the street outside the gate leading to the royal palace on Friday, Feb. 25, followed by the receipt of a warning against revolutionist students arriving in Pekin, has precipitated a panic in the palace.

DE ARMOND DEAD.

Distinguished Texan Passes Away at Houston After Brief Illness.

Houston, Feb. 23.—Hon. Russell De Armond of McKinney, who was taken sick here about a week ago, died Thursday at an infirmary from paralysis of the brain. Two daughters were with him. He was seventy years old. Colonel De Armond, who was one of the most prominent attorneys of the state, was a former partner of the late Governor Throckmorton and Justice Brown of the supreme court.

SLAIN FROM AMBUSH.

Man of a Party of Five Meets His Death Thus.

Ridder, La., Feb. 26.—A party of five men were shot into from ambush one of them—Ed Ganschmann—by Simon Bilbo and Lee Galbreath. Jones and Sam Ray were arrested, admit doing the shooting. An attempt was made

to storm the jail, but the prisoners were spirited away.

Result of Whisky Quarrel.

Canton, Ga., Feb. 27.—Cleveland Picklesimon shot and instantly Thomas Grey in the road about eight miles from here. It is stated that the men quarreled over some whisky they had made together. Grey leaves a widow and several children.

Profitable Rooster Raising.

Marshall, Tex., Feb. 27.—G. E. Perry of this city sold 100 pit game cocks to a Laredo party at \$4 each.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Happenings of the World That Are Presented in Condensed Form.

El Reno, Okla., has a wolf hunters' club.

J. F. Hughes dropped dead at Oklahoma City.

Nichols Randolph, a Houston pioneer, is dead.

Frisco will extend from Ardmore to Wichita Falls.

Many carloads of sugar are being shipped from Mexico.

The Frisco will establish a large hospital at Tulsa, I. T.

Houston is overrun with beggars, fakirs and "professors."

All zinc ore in future imported from Mexico must pay a duty.

V. A. Niblack is in charge of government jail at Ardmore.

L. Garcia, an aged farmer, dropped dead at Brownsville, Tex.

The Atwood, Durant's new \$25,000 hotel, was opened with a ball.

The \$20,000 school building at Lancaster, Tex., has been completed.

Miss Nina May Dupree of Atlanta confesses to having cut her throat.

At Humble, Tex., J. W. Buster ended his existence with carbolic acid.

Indian agency at Muskogee has established a special oil lease division.

Moore & McFerrin's box factory at Memphis, valued at \$75,000, burned.

After a half century existence the Indianapolis Sentinel has suspended.

A committee from El Paso will inspect street paving in easter netties.

Tom Willford was held up at Houston by two footpads and relieved of \$70.

Jonas Wright and William Holland, negroes, broke jail at Cold Springs, Tex.

Large deposits of magnesium have been discovered in the state of Puebla, Mex.

Captain A. E. Dosch, a San Antonio pioneer, aged eighty-three years, is dead.

At Oklahoma City, J. H. Dunn, a Frisco brakeman, killed his wife and himself.

Plant of Lacrosse (Wis.) Engraving company was blown up. Loss is over \$75,000.

While seated at his desk E. E. Peyser, a train dispatcher at Texarkana, expired.

One million more Mexican coins will be sent from Philadelphia mint to City of Mexico.

Tuck Miller, an aged negro of Riverside, Tex., was ground to pieces by a locomotive.

George Fleighton was so badly mangled by a train at Houston that death soon resulted.

A second oil well has been brought in by the Santa Fe road eighteen miles from Ardmore.

G. F. Williford, a detective, died at Oklahoma City from injuries sustained in a runaway.

At Henderson, Ky., Nash Sands killed his wife, fifteen years old, and attempted suicide.

The Santa Fe railway will erect a \$15,000 club house and \$12,000 hotel at Shawnee, Okla.

S. M. Hallmark, who formerly resided near Smithville, Tex., was shot at Ada, I. T., and died.

Chickasaw Teachers' association, which met at Ardmore, holds next meeting at Pauls Valley.

Government will install a small irrigation plant in southwest Oklahoma to test water of Salt Fork.

Near Vici, Dewey county, Oklahoma, Mrs. A. J. Russell gave birth to triplets—two boys and a girl.

The \$6,000 plant of Quannah Gin and Feed Mill company at Chillicothe, Tex., was destroyed by fire.

In a twenty-round fight at Hot Springs Fred Landers was given the decision over Maurice Sayers.

Bill of Congressman Burgess, providing for holding of United States at Victoria, Tex., passed house.

About \$1,000 worth of dry goods stolen at Oklahoma City from a box car were found in an old building.

J. V. Cole was struck by a train at Birmingham, Ala., cut to pieces and flesh strewn along track 100 feet.

A negro named Lewis shot Dave Black, a white man, in Rankin county, Mississippi, five times, killing him.

John Cross Hamilton confesses to having killed his first wife at Albany, N. Y., and putting corpse in a trunk.

In dodging a blow of a white man, Jim Felton, a negro, near Houston, fell in Buffalo bayou and broke his neck.

Edward Ellerton, a Katy brakeman, threw himself in front of a train at Parsons, Kan. His head was cut off.

As result of a lamp explosion Miss Esther Walker, sixteen years old, was burned to death near Kingfisher, Okla.

Resignation of Midshipman Kimbrough from the naval academy has been accepted by Secretary Bonaparte.

WORD USED.

Miss Gaillard Testified "Plan" Was What Letter Said.

New York, Feb. 27.—Miss Minnie Gaillard, the Texas school teacher, was recalled to the witness stand Monday in the hearing of Albert T. Patrick for a new trial on the charge of murdering William M. Rice. Miss Gaillard declined to give her age when requested to do so by District Attorney Jerome, but when Mr. Jerome threatened to have her committed for contempt of court she said that she was between thirty-nine and fifty. Mr. Jerome accepted the answer, and then questioned the witness about the affidavit in which she stated that she heard Charles F. Jones, Rice's valet, say that Patrick did not kill Rice. She said her purpose in making the affidavit was to help Patrick, if possible.

"You say that Jones was flush with money when he came back from New York? Is that correct?"

"He was going around spending money, and he had no occupation."

Miss Gaillard's affidavit stated that witness had heard Jones mother read a letter from her son in which he said he had been offered thousands of dollars to upset the Rice will.

"Is that correct?" asked Mr. Jerome. "It was not the word 'will,' but 'plan,' that was used," she replied.

"That he was offered thousands of dollars to upset the plans of Rice?"

"Yes, that was it."

In reading this letter Miss Gaillard testified Jones' mother stopped abruptly when she came to the offer of money.

Explaining her agitation, Mrs. Jones told the witness that her son was receiving a salary of \$25 a month, and that she feared he might yield to temptation.

The witness said that she once overheard Jones telling, about a check, Rice was not forced to sign this check, Jones had said, but he (Jones) had moved the decimal point to make it thousand. Jones said he had the check made out to Patrick because he thought he himself could not get it cashed.

Questioned by Mr. Jerome about the testimony she had previously given concerning a conversation on a street car between Mayor Rice of Houston, Tex., and Jones, Miss Gaillard said that when Rice told Jones he "carried out the instructions well," he might have been referring to the care of his office in the Cotton Exchange at Houston.

SCOURGE APPEARS.

Yellow Fever Makes Its Appearance at Bocas del Toro.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Surgeon General Wyman has notified the various government quarantine stations of the appearance of yellow fever at Bocas del Toro, and the officials will, under existing regulations, adopt wherever necessary, the usual measures of inspection and detention at quarantine of ships and passengers arriving from that place.

BUYS CIRCUS TENT.

Sara Bernhardt Will Use It on Her Texas Tour.

Kansas City, Feb. 22.—W. E. Gorman, representing the management of Mme. Sara Bernhardt, purchased a new, fully equipped circus tent which will be used in those cities of Texas in which theaters cannot be obtained. It will seat 4,750 people. The Texas cities in which she will play are Dallas, Fort Worth, Austin, Waco, San Antonio, Galveston and Houston, and she will use the tent only where the theaters are closed to her.

CONFESSES CRIME.

Brute Drags Sick Wife From Bed and Shoots Her.

Durham, N. C., Feb. 26.—John H. Hodges confesses that he dragged his sick wife from her bed, breaking her left arm, and while she lay on the floor shot her through the breast. His son, nineteen years old, who attempted to interfere, was knocked down. Mrs. Hodges had recently instituted divorce proceedings.

When J. M. Hambrick, residing near Paris, Tex., attempted to awaken his wife he found her dead. She had complained of neuralgia.

Blaine Jenks, Perry McWhorter and William Bentley were drowned while crossing the Illinois river near Spring Valley, Ill.

At Cananea, Mex., Dr. C. T. Simpson, superintendent of the insane asylum at Austin during Culbertson's administration, died.

Homer Rule, the Pawnee county, Oklahoma, farmer who accidentally shot himself, necessitating amputation of right leg, died.

An aged man named H. Kock suicided at Houston by cutting his throat, stabbing himself to the heart and slashing a wrist.

M. S. Blackburn, a merchant and postmaster at Nida, I. T., was acquitted at Durant on charge of disposing of intoxicating liquors.

The three negro boys who assaulted W. E. Mabine, a member of the faculty of normal school at Langston, Okla., were suspended.

Two negroes at San Antonio seriously stabbed Conductor Dunlap because he insisted on them occupying negro compartment on a street car.

Three-story brick building of J. E. Gould & Co. at Portland, Me., was fire destroyed, entailing \$120,000 loss. It was largest drug house in Maine.

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JOHANN HOCH HANGED

Husband of Many Women Swings
For Murder of One.

HAD THIRTEEN WIVES

It Has Been Repeatedly Charged That
This Criminal Richly Deserved
to Be Classified as the
Modern Bluebeard.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—Johann Hoch was executed in the Cook county jail this afternoon.

Hoch was hanged at 1:34 o'clock. Hoch is believed to have come originally from Horrweiler, a small town in Germany, not far from Bingen-on-the-Rhine. His father, Jacob Schmitt, is said to still reside there. A wife, supposed to be the first wife of Hoch, is also living in the same place.

Hoch has always been reticent regarding his career in this country, and his first wife married in the United States is believed to have been Mrs. Martha Steinbrecher, to whom he was married in 1895. After living with Hoch for four months she died, the cause of death being given as nephritis.

In November, 1895, he married Mary Rankin in this city, and left her the day after the wedding because she refused to give him money. In April,



JOHANN HOCH.

1896, Hoch married Martha Hertfield, and left her in four months, after obtaining from her \$600. His next wife is said to have been Mary Hoch of Wheeling, W. Va. She died of nephritis after three months. Hoch has always denied this marriage, and declared that he merely assumed the woman's name. In the fall of 1896 Hoch married Clara Bartell of Cincinnati and she died within three months of the marriage. In January, 1897, he was married to Julia Dose in Hamilton, O., and abandoned her after obtaining \$700.

In April, 1898, Hoch was arrested in this city for selling mortgaged furniture and served two years in the house of correction.

In November, 1901, he was married to Mrs. Anna Koehrk of Chicago, but abandoned her after failing to obtain any money from her.

April 8, 1902, he married in St. Louis Mrs. Mary Becker, who died early in 1903. Her relatives have claimed that she was poisoned.

Dec. 10, 1904, Hoch was married to Mrs. Marie Welcker, a widow of this city, the woman for whose murder he was condemned. Dec. 29 the woman became ill, and Jan. 12 she died, the cause of death being stated in the physician's certificate as nephritis.

Five days later Hoch married Mrs. Emilie Fischer, a sister of Mrs. Welcker-Hoch. He obtained \$750 from her and disappeared. Jan. 19 the last Mrs. Hoch reported to the police the disappearance of her husband. Suspicion was aroused by her story and the body of Mrs. Welcker-Hoch was exhumed and 7.6 grains of arsenic were found in the stomach. Search was made for Hoch, and he was finally discovered in New York, where his landlady, Mrs. Kimberly, reported that she believed her boarder to be Hoch, because he had proposed marriage to her on the day of his arrival in her house. He was arrested and later brought to Chicago.

Hoch, after being placed in jail here, admitted that he had been married thirteen times, but always denied that he had caused the death of any of his wives. He was placed on trial April 19 and on May 20 the jury returned a verdict finding him guilty of murder and fixing the punishment at death. On June 3 sentence was passed on him, the date of the execution being set for June 23. Governor Deneen granted him a reprieve until July 25. Within one hour of the time set for his execution Hoch was given a second respite until Aug. 25. Before this date arrived, however, the supreme court of the state granted a supersedeas to permit of the consideration of his case by the court. Dec. 15 the court handed down a decision affirming the verdict in the lower court and fixing the date of execution for Feb. 23.

Another effort made by Hoch to secure a new trial ended on Feb. 21, when Governor Deneen and the board of pardons refused to interfere in his behalf. It was alleged before the

board by Mrs. Emilie Fischer-Hoch that she had been so hounded by the police that she had committed perjury during the trial and that much of the evidence which she had given against Hoch was not true. A physician also declared that the death of Mrs. Welcker-Hoch had been caused by kidney disease and not by arsenical poisoning. On cross-examination before the board, however, he admitted that he had not made a post-mortem examination of the body of Mrs. Welcker-Hoch, while three physicians who had conducted such examination declared that death was caused by arsenic.

ARREST OF WITNESS

New York, Feb. 27.—The arrest of one of the witnesses brought here from Texas to testify in behalf of Albert T. Patrick, now in Sing Sing prison condemned to death for the murder of William Marsh Rice, marked the climax of Monday's hearing before Recorder Goff on the motion for a new trial of the now famous case.

Joseph Jordan was taken into custody as the hearing was about to be adjourned for the day. He is charged with perjury, and the complaint is signed by District Attorney Jerome.

Jordan testified in behalf of Patrick last week that he had overheard Charles F. Jones, Rice's valet, who turned state's evidence, confess that Patrick was innocent of the crime for which he stands convicted. Jordan was closely questioned by Mr. Jerome at the time, and particularly was asked if he had ever been in prison.

The arrest followed the appearance on the witness stand of William G. Murray, who was guard at the penitentiary in Huntsville, Tex., from 1877 to 1882. Mr. Jerome asked Murray to identify Jordan. He did so, adding that the man was once a prisoner in his charge. Mr. Jerome then applied to Recorder Goff for an order for Jordan's arrest.

Counsel for Patrick objected to such a proceeding at this stage of the case, saying it would militate against the interests of their client. The recorder said he was reluctant to take the action requested by the district attorney in a case where he might hereafter act as a trial judge. He advised Mr. Jerome to apply to a police magistrate. Jordan was taken to police headquarters.

PAY UP.

All persons indebted to THE STAR one year or more, are requested to pay up at once. County subscribers will find date of expiration of their subscription printed on their paper. I must have money to meet my obligations and ask those indebted to me to attend to the matter at once.

W. E. GILLILAND, Editor.

Notice to the Public.

Complaint having been made to me by a number of citizens of this County of stock running at large, I respectfully call your attention to Art. 805a, Act 25 Legislature, page 112, providing in addition to impounding, a fine of not less than five dollars and not more than fifty dollars for any person who shall willfully permit his stock to run at large in any county where stock has been prohibited by law from running at large. It is very earnestly hoped that this warning will be heeded as it might possibly save some one the inconvenience and cost of a prosecution.

Very respectfully,

W. R. ELY,
County Attorney.

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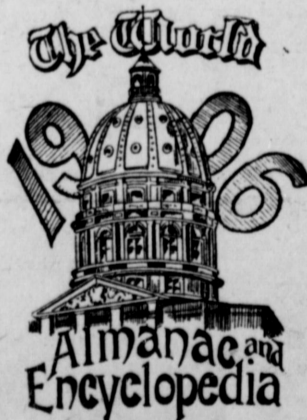
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ACCOUNTS.

We have been so busy that we have been unable to send out accounts due on subscription, but will do so within the next few days. The date on your paper, if in county, shows when your time is out, subscriptions due in advance.

THE STAR.

MARDI GRAS.

Very low rates to New Orleans for Mardi Gras Festivities February 21st to 26th inclusive, The Texas & Railway Company will sell tickets from points in Texas and Louisiana to New Orleans and return at rate of one fare plus 25 cents. Ticket will be limited to March 10th, 1906 for return.

For further information call on the nearest Ticket Agent, or write E. P. Turner, General Passenger Agent, Dallas, Texas.

Afflicted With Rheumatism.

"I was and am yet afflicted with rheumatism," says J. C. Bayne, editor of the Herald, Addington, Indian Territory, "but thanks to Chamberlain's Pain Balm am able once more to attend to business. It is the best of liniments." If tried with rheumatism give Pain Balm a trial and you are certain to more than pleased with the relief which it affords. One application relieves the pain. by All Druggists.

LOCAL NEWS.

P. Stephenson, of Eula, was in on Saturday.

Fishing tackle, general line at R. Phillip's drug store. 12

Miss Emily Ellis is visiting relatives at Toiyah.

Mrs. Rusk Williams and little daughter are visiting in Big Springs.

Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Jones were from the ranch yesterday.

B. Harris, of Admiral is in town.

Windham and son, Eli, of Anson, are in town.

Mrs. Will Vaughn returned last day from a visit to relatives at Texas.

Mrs. J. E. Gilliland, Rexie and Billie, visited relatives at Put. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, of Clinton, were in town the first of week.

Mr. Webb has returned from Anson, where he went on his collecting trip.

Mr. Mitchell, of Cottonwood, at this office the first of the week and ordered THE STAR to his press.

L. C. Council and R. J. (Bob) of Clyde, made THE STAR a call Monday. Come again boys.

O. Hall and brother, Dave Hall, Anita, left for the Territory, Monday, after spending some time at Mr. Hall's ranch on the Bayou.

Mrs. Benham, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, of Belle Plaine, and sister, Martin Barnhill, of Baird, has returned to her home at Cisco.

Albert Sidney Johnston U. had an interesting and interesting Saturday.

Powell and E. M. Wristen, and Mrs. H. Schwartz all have returned from St. Louis. Mr. Wristen was taken ill while in St. Louis and was hardly able to attend business for several days.

We must apologize for the scarcity of local items this week. We have been putting in some new machinery last week and for five days this required almost every spare minute of our time. We are getting THE STAR office fitted out in shape and will at least not let the news section leave us.

Middleton, late of Abilene, returned in Baird last Saturday to the Indian Territory to his new residence. Mr. Middleton, late of Texas all his life, has been secured a residence in the Territory. THE STAR relatives and friends in adjoining counties regret to hear of Middleton and family leave for the Territory, but he considers it for

DEATHS.

L. L. Barnes, the aged father of T. Emmons, died Sunday and was buried in the City on Monday.

The acquaintances of Mrs. Taylor who were shocked to learn of her death at her home in the west part of town, are all mourning her long a resident of this city. Mrs. Taylor was taken ill a few days ago and died the cause of which it is believed was the stroke of the City.

Library Notice.

THE STAR is requested to announce that the Public Library will be open from 3 to 6 o'clock on Tuesdays and Saturdays.

BIRTHS.

Born to Mr and Mrs. Ike Dean, Saturday, Feby. 24, 1906, a boy.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend thanks to kind friends, Knights of Pythias Lodge and Rathbone Sisters of Baird and visiting Knights and Sisters, for their kind assistance and condolence in our bereavement, in the loss of our son and brother, Luther Robinson, who was killed in a railroad accident in Cincinnati Feb'y, 20, 1906. Words are inadequate to express our appreciation of your kindness in this trying hour of sadness, and there is and will always be a warm place in our hearts for every one that said a kind word to us or administered to us in any manner. And may "He that doeth all things well" ever attend you is the wish of your friends.

J. W. ROBINSON.
MRS. VAN JONES.
VAN JONES.

EULA LETTER.

Feb. 20.—Well Uncle Billie we find time to come again. We are having some fine weather now. Oats are coming up nicely since we had a rain.

Farmers are making well of this nice weather and are plowing.

Bill Mills is kept awful busy in his shop.

Bro. Sisk, of Clyde, was in Eula this week visiting.

Rev. Relorford of Abilene, preached Sunday and Sunday night at Eula. J. R. Harris, of Baird, was visiting in Eula Sunday.

Dr. Thaxton made a trip to Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Stephenson and Miss Beulah Miller attended the opera at Baird Monday night.

Bill Kelton went to Big Springs oneday last week and bought a half section of land.

Several from Eula went to Loraine Texas this week.

Tee Baulch, of Clyde, was in Eula Sunday.

J. C. Campbell made a flying trip to Clyde one day last week.

A. K. Merrick of Eagle Cove, was in Eula a few days ago.

P. C. Steen went to Abilene Monday.

C. F. Dillard is working for J. M. Cornelson.

Will come again sometime. Patsie.

A LIVELY TUSSLE.

With that old enemy of the race, Constipation, often ends in Appendicitis. To avoid all serious trouble with Stomach, Liver and Bowels, take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They perfectly regulate these organs, without pain or discomfort. 25c at Powell & Powell druggists.

MARRIED.

Cards were received here last week announcing the marriage of Miss Laura Annis and Mr. Elisha C. Perry at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. J. T. L. Annis in Taylor County February 15th 1906. The young folks will make their home in "No Man's Land." THE STAR joins the many friends of Brother Annis and family in this County in extending Congratulations and good wishes to Miss Laura and her husband.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE.

The Callahan County Teachers Institute will meet at Baird Monday and Saturday.

CONFEDERATE COLUMN.

DEAR SIR:

The undersigned were appointed a committee at the regular meeting of Camp Albert Sidney Johnson No. 654 U. C. V. to respectfully and urgently direct your attention to the following resolutions, adopted at the Louisville reunion, viz:

Headquarters United Confederate Veterans, New Orleans, La. Dec. 1st 1905.

General orders No. 37.

The General Commanding directs the attention of his Confederate comrades to the following resolutions adopted at the Louisville Reunion, viz:

Whereas, the bill before congress for the care of the graves of the Confederate soldiers buried near hospitals and prisons in the Northern States has so far failed of passing by that body.

Be it resolved, that the Association of United Confederate Veterans, in convention assembled, urged the passage of this bill as a matter of right and duty, not only on the Senators and Representatives in Congress from Southern States, but also on the part of those from other States of the United States, in that the Government is charged with sepulture of those dead prisoners in its hands, according to the usages of civilization, of which the United States forms a large and competent part; and

Be it further resolved, that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Governors, Senators and Representatives in Congress, of every State of the United States, and that Senators and members of Congress from the Southern States be, and are hereby requested to insist on the passage of this bill.

The General Commanding feels that no duty devolves on the survivors of the Confederate Armies of more importance than the caring of the graves of our dead, and that it is eminently fit that the general Government should see that the proper attention be given to the last resting places of those who are buried near Hospitals and prisons in Northern States. He, therefore requests all Camps and Camp officers to take such steps as they deem best to carry out the resolutions above enumerated.

By Command of
STEPHEN D. LEE,
General Commanding.

Official.

WM. E. MICKLE,
Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff.

This Camp feels that no duty devolves on the survivors of the Confederate Armies of more importance than the caring of the graves of our dead, and that it is eminently fit that the General Government should see that proper attention be given to the last resting places of those who are buried near hospitals and prisons in Northern States, and in the furtherance of these resolutions, we beg that you manifest your great love for our dear Southland and great honor of these heroes, who willingly and cheerfully gave up their lives, for the upholding and maintaining of a Constitution, framed and handed down to us by our forefathers, by insisting on the passage of this bill.

Now that the great fight on the bloody fields has been fought and lost, the smoke and passion engendered have passed away, and reason again restored to her throne, and we have accepted abatement of the sword in some issues yet we feel we still have some rights denied us, which have to be maintained and demanded in the forum. And to you Sir, trusting in your fidelity and sincerity, we have delegated the authority and power to represent us on that field, that we cherish the hope, that through your efforts we will see realized the spirit of these

resolutions, but should you fail fall with your face to the foe and you will enjoy with us that proud feeling of glory, that it is no stigma to fall in the defence of a cause that is right.

Sincerely and respectfully yours,
JOHN TRENT.
J. L. LEA.
W. C. POWELL.
Committee.

OPERA NEWS.

Don't fail to see "The Topsy-Turvy Drill," "Eight Little Grandmas" and the many pretty and attractive things that the little folks of the Kindergarten will have to amuse you Tuesday evening at 8:30 p. m. at the Opera House.

The Georgia Minstrels will be here Thursday, March 8th. See ad.

The Baird Kindergarten and Primary School will entertain with humorous action songs, plays, etc. at the Opera House, Tuesday, March 6, 1906. Admission 25 and 15 cts.

NEW ZEALAND WONDER.

Rose Ivy Saturday March 3rd at Opera House in Marvelous Feats.

Twenty representative gentlemen will be selected to meet this mysterious woman from Maiorland at the Opera House Saturday, March 3d. Fancy twenty men against one woman. Pennies to doughnuts the woman wins out. While in a sense her performance is in the nature of a competition for mastery, all odds against the men, for she handles fifteen or twenty men with as much ease as a child would a score of tin soldiers. Yet there is nothing uncanny or unseemly in her exhibition. Miss Ivy is a highly cultivated and refined young lady and she has had the honor of giving her entertainment by special command before nearly every crowned head of Europe. Speaking of a recent performance the Colorado Springs Gazette said, "Rose Ivy in her sensational entertainment, the phenomenon of which continues to baffle the keenest observer, had on the platform with her doctors, professors, several clergymen, lawyers, a judge, a mayor, athletes and other prominent men, but not one could make even a guess at the secret of her power. It seemed to make no difference to her whether she had one man to deal with or twenty—all human efforts seemed unavailing." The first part of the program will be devoted to song, when Miss Ivy will sing several selections.

GEORGIA MINSTRELS.

A big program of novelties is promised by Richards & Pringle's Georgia Minstrels. They have retained this season such people as can change their acts and put on something new. Clarence Powell, Happy Bauregard, James Crosby, Fred Simpson, Lester McDaniels, Frank Kirk, who will furnish the fun, are old timers, and are the very best that can be secured. The olio contains Marsh Craig, the human enigma Kirk & Cooper, the musical Photographers; the 3 Toneys, remarkable acrobats; the "Jolly Old Men" big song and dance introduced by James Crosby; Clarence Powell, in a late up-to-date monologue.

The singers are: Robert Logan, Robert Williams, Charles Burton, William Denton, John Fitzgiles, Edward Harper.

The entire performance to conclude with Clarence Powell's afterpiece, "Jim Jackson and His Mishaps." Street parade daily. Opera House Thursday, March 8th.

Little Lona, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Walker is quite sick.

MEETING AT CLYDE.

DEAR EDITOR:—Will you say in your paper that I will begin a meeting at Clyde next Sunday to continue ten days. Will be glad to see the Baird friends there. Come prepared to fight. Your Brother,
J. A. ...

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the following name persons subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, should one be held:

- For Representative 103 District, T. J. BARRETT.
- For County Judge, I. N. JACKSON.
- For Sheriff, T. A. IRVIN.
- D. A. (Bose) IVY
- For County Attorney, W. R. ELY.
- For County Treasurer, J. E. W. LANE.
- J. D. BRYSON.
- W. E. (Eugene) MELTON.
- W. R. McDERMOTT.
- For Tax Assessor, M. G. (Melvin) FARMER.
- T. B. HOLLAND.
- R. J. (Bob) ESTES.
- T. J. NORRELL.
- For County & Dist. Clerk, GEO. B. SCOTT.
- For Public Weigher, Baird District, D. J. (Dee) EASTHAM, of Admiral.
- JOE MCGOWEN.
- For City Marshal, F. F. (Felix) RAINS.
- JOE TISDALE.

DOCTORS ARE PUZZLED

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the Throat and congestion of the Lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life. Cures the worst Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Tonsillitis, Weak Lungs, Hoarseness and La Grippe. Guaranteed at Powell & Powell, druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free."

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We publish two articles this week from the Houston Post...

The Galveston-Dallas News, for the third time within the past two months, appeared in mourning yesterday for one of the chief workers, Mr. Alfred H. Belo, Jr.

DIED AT FORT WORTH.

Mrs. Mary Ratliff, wife of George W. Ratliff, died at her home in Fort Worth February 20th and the remains were entered at Coleman.

Mrs. Ratliff was an aunt of the editor of The Star and sister of Hon. W. R. McClellan, of Coleman. She was a noble woman, a worthy descendant of as sturdy, lightened, honorable race as ever fought for freedom amid Old Scotland's rugged hills in the old world...

J. C. Jones went to Cleburne Sunday night in response to a telegram that his sister had died at that place.

Mr. T. J. Barrett, of Jones Co., is a candidate for Representative of the 103d district, composed of Callahan, Jones and Taylor counties. We are not personally acquainted with Mr. Barrett but here is what two of his friends, who sent in his announcement, say of him.

Mr. Barrett has been active in democratic politics since he was old enough to participate; has served on the democratic executive committee of Jones county for a number of years and was chairman of the 103d representative district one term. He is 50 years old; has been a farmer 41 years of his life; has served Jones county as commissioner for four successive terms. Is a good financier and is of strong and vigorous intellect. He solicits the support of the voters of his district.

The funeral of Luther Robinson, Sunday, who was killed in a wreck at Cincinnati, Ohio, was the largest seen in Baird for some time. The father and family of the young man have the sympathy of all in their sorrow.

CHAPTER NOTICE.

Work last night in Mark and Past Masters and Royal Arch degrees. Work Friday night, March 2d, in Most Excellent degree. Saturday night, March 3d, Royal Arch. All Royal Arch Masons ordered to attend.

SCHOOL ELECTION.

The school election Tuesday was a tame and one sided affair. We learn that the vote for City Control of the schools was 50 to 8 against. There was practically no opposition to the measure, hence the light vote just one-sixth of the total vote of the town.

A Policy of Suppression.

To the Editor of the Houston Post: Bonham, Texas, February 20.—I notice in your issue of February 18 an editorial article headed "In Reply to Dr. Rankin." I have known, through the Texas Christian Advocate, for some time that a controversy was on between you and Dr. Rankin, but as I only get the Advocate my information was necessarily one-sided. Yesterday, in one of the Bonham newspaper offices, I saw the Post with your editorial.

As to the merits of your controversy with Dr. Rankin I am not a competent judge, not having had all the articles to make up a conclusion. You may be all that Dr. Rankin says of you, and Dr. Rankin may be all that you say of him, or both of you may be wrong. I will not enter into judgment one way or the other on that question.

But there is one statement in your article that I do want to say just a word about. You say:

"But we herein notify Dr. Rankin that while he may with impunity deny Bishop Hoss, Dr. McLean and other Methodist ministers a voice in the denominational organ, he can not prevent the Post from getting its side of the controversy before the members of the conferences of the Methodist church of Texas, many of whom have requested of it the truth because of the Advocate's policy of suppression."

Being a Methodist itinerant preacher, and loving her every interest, your reference to the church and the editorial policy of its official organ gives, I take it, the right to every minister and layman (who chooses to use it) either to condemn or approve of your statement. I wish the facts justified me in condemning your statement. There are many things in Dr. Rankin's conduct of the Advocate that I heartily applaud. I stand shoulder to shoulder with him in his effort to gain the prohibition of the liquor traffic by local option in Texas. I would not deprive him of his right to express his full and free opinion on political matters, always remembering that the Methodist Episcopal church, South, is not a political but spiritual organization. I like the vigor and industry with which he prosecutes the editorial work of the Advocate, and many other things that I might mention. But having been reared in the atmosphere of freedom, I imbibed the ardent respect and love for those great principles of American liberty, freedom of speech and liberty of the press. I learned to hate and detest every encroachment upon these great rights of every American citizen. I have been taught that if a man had anything to say, he had a right to say it, whether it has merit or not, always conditioned upon the proprieties and morals being duly observed. The public is fully competent to pass upon its merit.

I regret to state that I know of my own personal knowledge that your statement as above quoted is correct. I wish it was different. I live within a stone's throw of Dr. McLean's residence, and have seen the correspondence between Dr. Rankin and Dr. McLean, and have seen the letters from Bishop Hoss complaining that Dr. Rankin had refused him space to speak to Texas Methodists upon a matter in which he and they were vitally interested. It may be a slight violation of private confidence that I write this and yet I have no fears of either Bishop Hoss or Dr. McLean's censure. At any rate, I regard the matter of such serious moment to Texas Methodists that the editor of the Texas Christian Advocate should usurp the functions of a Russian press censor and debar two of our most worthy and intelligent church officials from the columns of our official organ, when they desire to speak upon a matter of interest to every Methodist of

Texas, that I would be recreant to my own sense of justice and duty to the church if I did not speak out.

Dr. McLean wrote a conservative article upon the subject of the episcopal residence. He had been appointed by the presiding elders of Texas, through whose agency the money for that residence was raised, to keep the church informed of the status of that movement through the Advocate from time to time. The North Texas annual conference also appointed him to a special work with reference to that residence. In the exercise of his official position he sought to bring certain facts of vital interest to Texas Methodists to their attention. Dr. Rankin refused to publish his article, except upon the condition that the article be sent to every member of the joint board of publication (men living in different parts of the State) and that they demand its publication. As Dr. McLean's article was written to meet an emergency and the purpose would be largely defeated by the delay, and feeling indignant over such treatment, he recalled his article. Hence Methodists of Texas are still in the dark respecting a matter vital to their interests.

While Dr. McLean fared in this way at Dr. Rankin's hands, the distinguished Bishop Hoss, whom all Texas was seeking to honor, fared no better. Bishop Hoss wrote Dr. Rankin for the privilege of getting some facts respecting the episcopal residence in the Texas Christian Advocate, furnishing documentary evidence of the correctness of his statements. But Dr. Rankin refused his request, on the ground that he did not want the bishop "to stir up an unseemly wrangle." Be it remembered that Bishop Hoss was for many years editor of the official organ of the whole church, the Nashville Christian Advocate, and that it was in that position that he displayed those great characteristics as a worthy, safe man that made him a bishop. Imagine the good bishop's chagrin when Dr. Rankin proposed to act as his guardian by keeping him from "stirring up an unseemly wrangle!" So Bishop Hoss has not yet been privileged to speak to the Methodists of Texas, because of the arbitrary censorship of Dr. Rankin.

The practical result of Dr. Rankin's course has been to render Bishop Hoss' residence in Texas an uncertainty. Texas wanted Bishop Hoss as a citizen. Texas Methodists gave \$10,000 or \$12,000 of their hard earned money to secure him a home. Texas wanted to honor him and do the noble thing by him, and gracefully tender him this home. But Texas made Dr. Rankin a trustee. Dr. Rankin was also made chairman of the board of trustees. In that position, supported by his position of editor of the Advocate, Bishop Hoss is without a home; Bishop Hoss' furniture is packed up and stored in a warehouse in Dallas; Bishop Hoss is roaming around in other states, his family scattered, and the money is locked up in the vaults of the bank. Dr. Rankin refuses even to call the board of trustees together, after repeated requests to do so, that definite propositions might be presented them from Bishop Hoss. His avowed purpose is to keep the matter in its present status until the meeting of the conferences next fall, thus leaving the man that all Texas sought to honor still wandering around, his family scattered, and without a home until that time. But this is in the face of the specific directions of his own conference, which is the principal, and that is responsible at law for its own directions.

Now, Mr. Editor, I have nothing to do with your fight with Dr. Rankin. As a Methodist minister, having an interest in the official organ of my church and having also an interest in freedom of speech and liberty of the

press and resenting such treatment of two of Methodism's best and greatest men, I here and now enter my most emphatic protest. Respectfully, T. H. MORRIS, Pastor First Methodist Episcopal Church, Bonham, Texas.

WHO DO YOU WANT FOR GOVERNOR.

The New Era came out last week for Judge Brooks for Governor which is no surprise to the public, and for that matter has a right to advocate any one it pleases for any office, but in doing so has no right to impugn the motives of others who may not agree with it that Judge Brooks is the best man for governor. The New Era dubs any and every one a "liquorite" who does not fall down and worship at the prohibition shrine. It says "The milk in the coconut is, simply this, the liquorites, republicans and enemies of democracy know that Judge Brooks is by far the strongest man in the race for governor and unless they can get up a big tangle and row of some kind to disgust the democratic party in Texas the old democratic ship will roll into port next November with 200,000 majority with Governor M. M. Brooks at the helm. The extreme liquorites hate Judge Brooks like pizen, because they can neither use nor bulldoze him and they will work every scheme possible to defeat him. In this section they will boost Judge Bell, and in East Texas Judge Campbell, in order to divide up the local option votes as nearly equal between the three candidates as possible, then when election day comes every anti will vote for judge Colquitt, the anti Candidate. Be not deceived. If you believe in democracy remember that Judge Brooks is the only candidate who has had the courage to openly say what he would do for the "gang" when they attempt to destroy or weaken our local option laws in the legislature, should he be elected governor."

The milk in the coconut is simply this, The New Era is for Judge Brooks because in his acts as Judge Brooks has favored the extreme local option theory upon all occasions. "He has proven himself one of the best friends of local option in the State is all the reason the New Era gives, and with that paper, this is the Alpha and Omega of its politics. Judge Brooks is a good local optionist and that is all the New Era asks or demands. No other reason is given for the enthusiastic support of the New Era. The New Era's article is really more of a disparagement of other candidates than any thing else. So far as judge Brooks is concerned he stands high as a man, as a citizen and a judge, that is we never heard aught against him, but it is slathering it on pretty thick to make him a better democrat than C. K. Bell who was fighting the battles of democracy when Brooks was wearing knee pants. A man who has held the office of District Attorney, District Judge, Congressman and latter Attorney General, and in every position he stood the peer of any man in Texas for honesty, integrity and ability. He has a record too that few politicians in Texas ever made, that is he voluntarily retired from every position he held though he was re-elected and could have been re-elected indefinitely to all of these positions. He is just as good a friend to local option as Brooks, but like a true democrat he is not appealing to popularisms and schisms for support.

Colquitt, too, is a democrat tried and true and has proven himself one of the best workers and best friends of the people that ever held a place on the railroad commission, grand old John H. Reagan, excepted. He is known as an anti prohibitionist, but says he will see that local option laws are enforced, but so far as we know is personally making no effort

to capture the anti vote. As to Tom Campbell, Monta J. Moore and Judge Wells, two latter candidates not mentioned by the New Era, we do not know so much about them though they stand high in the councils of the democratic party. Tom Campbell is known as a pro some say more violent than Judge Brooks. Wells is an anti and Monta J. Moore we believe is an anti, though we are not sure.

The effort of the pros to concentrate the pro vote for Brooks is not calculated to help him. We know of some of the strongest kind of antis in this and other counties who are for Brooks.

We know many antis and pros both who are for C. K. Bell. An anti expressed this sentiment to the writer a few weeks ago as follows, "I am for Bell first last and all the time."

As to the statement that Brooks is by far the most popular candidate is merely an opinion born of enthusiasm that is likely to be rudely shattered when the clash of battle comes. The Brooks ship in place of rolling into port with 200,000 majority is very likely to "roll" over and drown the whole crew.

The Star does not question the right of any man to vote as he pleases or espouse the cause of any candidate he chooses but one of the first lessons we learned in politics when a young man was that one of the most dangerous thing one could do was to abuse or belittle a candidate and impugn the motives of the opposing candidate's friends. Nothing will so arouse the fight in a man's friends as attempted please a candidate and his friends in a false light, or an appeal to pride for support of one's friend. So far as all the candidates are concerned they are all good men and any of them will make a good governor.

We do not consider any one question as of such transcendent importance as to overshadow all others. A man might be OK on local option, but wholly deficient on some other equally important measure, taxative, free schools, road improvements and so on. Texas is too big to elect a man governor of this great state whose only recommendation to the favor is his opinion for or against prohibition. The Star wants a man elected governor who is big enough in his views, and ability to cope with the many important questions with which he will have to deal. We want a man that has practical as well as theoretical knowledge of the needs of Texas. We want a man whose honesty and integrity is questionable, and whose ability proven by his record in the past, and one who has moral courage to stand for the right regardless of popular clamor. Several of the candidates named will measure up to this standard, but we honestly believe Judge C. K. Bell, of Fort Worth, comes nearer doing so than any man named. Judge Bell is a democrat whose loyalty has never been questioned if elected governor of Texas he not be a governor of one faction his own party, but of every man woman and child in grand old Texas whether they be democrats, republicans or prohibitionists. Judge Bell is the kind of a man Texas needs. He has been successful in business and stands in the front rank of profession. He won out in some of the hardest fought political battles in Texas. He is a man worthy of support and confidence of a democrat in Texas, and one in whom every man who loves the principle of the grand old party can vote with confidence, that in committing to the cares of this great state they have a man who is the successor of such men as I. Roberts and Hogg. He is the peer of any man in Texas. In saying this we are understood as detracting from the other candidates, Bell, somehow, coming up to our high standard of a man who is a governor of Texas any man so far as we know Judge Bell having met the record for our out law candidates.

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Supreme Court Rules That Exclusive Contracts Are Illegal.

Austin, Feb. 26.—The supreme court holds that exclusive contracts made between railroads and express companies are violations of the anti-trust act of 1903. The state will recover penalties aggregating \$600,000. The suits were filed in Travis county, in the Twenty-sixth district court, against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway company of Texas and the American Express company. This was a test case. Thirty suits in all were filed against the four express companies operating over Texas railroads.

District Attorney Warren Moore instituted the suits with the consent of Judge C. K. Bell, who was attorney general at that time. The state claimed that contracts made between express companies and railroads were exclusive and in restraint of trade, as no other express company could enter Texas and do business over lines of railway in the state. The state sued for penalties provided for under act of 1903, which is \$50 per day from date law became effective, April 1, 1903, amounting in all to \$200,000 in this one suit. The trial court sustained the demurrer to the state's petition, that these contracts were not exclusive, as they did not come within the provisions of the anti-trust statute. The state appealed to the Third court of civil appeals, and it certified to the supreme court the question as to whether or not the contracts violated that portion of the law, declaring all combinations of capital to be a trust and operated in restraint of trade.

The court says that the fact that the contract was made and entered into prior to the passage of the anti-trust act of 1903 is without weight, for as soon as an act becomes effective existing trusts come under its provisions. Then, again, that the contract was made in the face of existing statute contrary to its execution. This is a most complete victory for the state, and especially for the district attorney. Of the amount of penalties to be paid the state under this decision he will receive something like \$150,000, getting one-fourth of all that is recovered.

It can be stated with authority that the roads and express companies will take the case to the United States supreme court.

KILLED BOTH PINCKNEYS.

Roland Browne Tells the Jury His Version of the Tragedies.

Austin, Feb. 23.—The feature of Friday's proceedings in the trial of Roland Browne, charged with the murder of Congressman Pinckney, was the testimony offered by the accused himself. Browne testified that when the confusion started between his father, Captain Browne and Doc Tompkins, the private secretary of Congressman Pinckney, he heard someone call his name and started in front of the room. Immediately after he left his sea people in front began to rise, and when he reached the side of his father he saw Tom Pinckney and Doc Tompkins with revolvers in their hands. Tom Pinckney leveled a revolver at the father of the witness just as witness stepped to his side, and then Roland Browne fired on Pinckney. The next shot, the witness said, was fired from behind him and his father, and he turned he saw a man shooting at his father. Witness testified that he fired one shot at this man and the man turned. He fired a second shot and the man's hand went down. He fired a third shot, and when the smoke cleared away he recognized this man to be John M. Pinckney.

Roland Browne admitted killing Congressman Pinckney and also his brother, Tom Pinckney. He said that he did so in self-defense.

A number of character witnesses, to show that Congressman Pinckney was a dangerous man, were introduced.

LEGISLATURE TO LINOTYPE.

Frank G. Prouty Is Now Operating a Typsetting Machine.

Guthrie, Feb. 24.—Frank G. Prouty, member of the last legislature, and prominent for many years in Kansas and Oklahoma newspaper circles, is learning how to operate a linotype machine at State Capital plant here, and will abandon newspaper work entirely for the machine. Prouty has the distinction of establishing the first paper in Oklahoma after the territory was opened in 1889. He was the Oklahoma member of the executive committee of the National Press association last year.

STABBED NEAR HEART.

Knife Driven Into Breast of Negro, Death Soon Following.

Houston, Feb. 24.—While Boze Jones, a negro, was sitting in a chair of the old broom factory he was stabbed with a knife in the left breast, the blade nearly penetrating his heart. Death soon resulted. Jones ran after being stabbed and soon fell dead. G. H. Sullivan was arrested.

FIRE AT NORMAN.

Six Business Houses Destroyed in That Oklahoma City.

Norman, Okla., Feb. 23.—Six business houses were fire destroyed here Thursday morning. Total loss is estimated at \$15,000.

TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT.

IN THE MATTER OF COUNTY FINANCES IN THE HANDS OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT
J. E. W. LANE
Treasurer of Callahan County, Texas.

We, The Undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Callahan County, Texas, and the Hon. I. N. Jackson, County Judge of said Callahan County, Constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of J. E. W. Lane, Treasurer of Callahan County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 18th day of Nov. A. D. 1905, and ending on the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Article 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an Act of the Twenty-fifth Legislature of Texas, at its regular session, approved March 20, 1897.

And we, each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of said Treasurer belonging to Callahan County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and find the same to be as follows, to wit:

	DR.	CR.
JURY FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 18th day of Nov. 1905.....	\$ 1284 23	
To amount received since said date.....	491 25	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		\$ 988 93
By amount to balance.....		786 55
Total.....	1775 48	1775 48
Balance to credit of said Jury Fund as actually counted by us on the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		786 55
ROAD & BRIDGE FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 18th day of Nov. 1905.....	548 51	
To amount received since said date.....	4634 21	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		1292 25
By amount to balance.....		3890 47
Total.....	5182 72	5182 72
Balance to credit of said Road and Bridge Fund as actually counted by us on the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		3890 47
GENERAL FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 18th day of Nov. 1905.....	578 59	
To amount received since said date.....	7202 45	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		1581 11
By amount to balance.....		6199 93
Total.....	7781 04	7781 04
Balance to credit of said General Fund as actually counted by us on the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 15th day of Feb. 1906, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		6199 93
COURT HOUSE FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 18th day of Nov. 1905.....	2389 68	
To amount received since said date.....	1442 29	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		14 25
By amount to balance.....		3817 72
Total.....	3831 97	3831 97
Balance to credit of said Court House Fund as actually counted by us on the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		3817 72
JAIL FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 18th day of Nov. 1905.....	41 76	
To amount received since said date.....	1442 29	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		4 26
By amount to balance.....		1479 79
Total.....	1484 05	1484 05
Balance to credit of said Jail Fund as actually counted by us on the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		1479 79
ESTRAY FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 18th day of Nov. 1905.....	113 40	
To amount received since said date.....	27 20	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		1 34
By amount to balance.....		139 26
Total.....	140 60	140 60
Balance to credit of said Estray Fund as actually counted by us on the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		139 26
POLL TAX FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 18th day of Nov. 1905.....	52 96	
To amount received since said date.....	332 34	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		1 32
By amount to balance.....		383 98
Total.....	385 30	385 30
Balance to credit of said Poll Tax Fund as actually counted by us on the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1906, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		383 98
RECAPITULATION.		
Feb. 16, 1906. Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day.....	786 55	
" " " Balance to credit of Road & Bridge Fund on this day.....	3890 47	
" " " Balance to credit of General Fund on this day.....	6199 93	
" " " Balance to credit of Court House Fund on this day.....	3817 72	
" " " Balance to credit of Jail Fund on this day.....	1479 79	
" " " Balance to credit of Estray Fund on this day.....	139 26	
" " " Balance to credit of Poll Tax Fund on this day.....	383 98	
Total Cash on hand belonging to Callahan County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us.....	16,697 70	
ASSETS.		
In addition to the actual cash as above, we find the following assets belonging to the said County, and to the credit of the following funds, which is also in the possession and custody of said Treasurer, to wit:		
6 County Jail Bonds, each \$500.00.....	\$3,000 00	
1 R. & B. Bond in the sum of.....	293 76	
1 Vendors Lien note in the sum of.....	93,767 76	
Purchase money for Callahan County lands.....	1,000.00	
BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.		
The bonded indebtedness of the said County we find to be as follows, to wit:		

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1 R. & B. Bond issued to permanent school fund, 5 per cent int..... 293 76
6 Co. Jail bonds each for \$500 00 5 per cent int. 3000 00
Total..... \$23,293 76

Witness Our Hands, officially, this 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906.

- I. N. JACKSON, County Judge.
- W. A. HINDS, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
- A. E. KENDRICK, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
- J. H. BURNAM, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
- JNO. W. AIKEN, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me, by I. N. Jackson, County Judge, and W. A. HINDS, and A. E. Kendrick, J. H. Burnam and Jno. W. Aiken County Commissioners of said Callahan County, each respectively, on this, the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1906. GEO. B. SCOTT, County Clerk, Callahan County Texas.



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Punkin Yams and Vineless Yams, 75 cents per bushel. A. T. YOUNG, 12-2 Belle Plaine.

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I will move Monday, Feb. 26th. See me for Dentistry before that time. R. B. SPURGIN. 12-1

BARGAINS.

The bargains for the next ten days in ladies' and childrens' shoes and oxfords. Fine Madras cloth 20c and 15c kind for 15c and 10c. Other goods in proportion. See H. F. Foy. 12-2

MAKES REPLY TO J. H. DAVIS.

Dr. J. B. Cranfill Objects to Move by Prohibitionists Which Has Been Suggested.

To The Dallas News.

Please allow me space to say that in his article in last Sunday's issue, Judge Cyclone Davis does not speak for all of the members of the Prohibition party. While I feel very kindly toward Judge Davis, it will be recalled that he has not been a Prohibitionist two years yet, and I feel that he is assuming a great deal, and I feel that the great body of Texas Prohibitionists are ready to follow him and one or two members of the State committee into the Democratic fold.

Most of his reasoning concerning the purposes of the Prohibition party is sadly at fault. If all the Texas Democrats should become advocates of State Prohibition, there would still be ample reason for the maintenance of the work of the Prohibition party. The prohibition question is a local, State and National question. Those who advocate prohibition locally may not advocate it in the State, and those who advocate it in the precinct and State may not favor it in the Nation. A genuine National Prohibitionist, however, advocates prohibition in precinct, county, State and Nation. The change of one locality here and there from license to local option territory does not influence the real prohibition question in the slightest. Every intelligent student of the prohibition question knows that the liquor power is entrenched at Washington, and that prohibition can never be absolutely successful until, through National enactments, we shall be able to stop its manufacture, importation and transportation. The disrepute into which prohibition has fallen in many places has arisen from the fact that the territory covered by the law was so circumscribed that it was easy to violate the law, and doubly easy to inundate the precinct or county covered by the law by the importation of liquor from every direction. The genuine party Prohibitionists is for prohibition everywhere, and he knows that the mere advocacy of prohibition laws by any local party, even if a whole State is thus brought under prohibition, is but a step toward the ultimate object of all this prohibition agitation, which is to obligate the whole abominable business, root and branch, and wipe it from the face of the earth.

I think it is a matter to be regretted that Judge Davis and a few of our Prohibition folks are playing into the hands of the lifelong advocates of liquor by suggesting that they are going to return to the Democratic primaries. Every student of political history who has sense enough to keep out of the fire knows that the Democratic party is and has always been opposed to prohibition. I have been a close student of Democratic platforms for thirty years, and in all that time there has never been a failure on the part of the National convention of the party to express their opposition to prohibition laws. Some of the expressions are sugar-coated, it is true, but every liquor dealer in the land knows what they mean, even if every preacher does not. The Democratic party, as such, has never in its history placed a single square foot of territory anywhere under prohibition laws, and there has never been a single Democratic National, State or county platform within my knowledge that ever dared to so violate the spirit of the party as to advocate the doctrine of prohibition.

When I was quite a young Democrat I harbored the delusion that Judge Davis was now. I thought that I could reform the Democratic party and make it a prohibition party. I made the effort.

When it was over with I was like the son of the old farmer who, contrary to his father's expressed command, tickled the heels of a mule—politically I was not as pretty as I was before, but I was a great deal smarter. The attempt to organize a prohibition party inside of the democratic party which is being made by my friend Judge Davis and a few of his prohibition friends and followers would be like the attempt to run ice factories in hades—the ice would melt faster than it could be made.

The Prohibition party may never achieve the end for which it was organized. The liquor traffic may be here forever. No statesman is wise enough to forecast the future of American politics. My own conviction is that the time will come when the American people will repudiate the liquor traffic. How that shall be done is veiled in the mists of futurity. It is certain, however, that the day of our emancipation from this deadly evil will not be hastened by the abandonment by the Prohibitionists of their long-cherished principles and by their coalition with a political party that has never been for prohibition on any square inch of the earth's surface. I want the News to put me down as a rock-ribbed, uncompromising and eternal enemy of the liquor traffic in its every form and as an emphatic opponent of every political party that advocates the license system. I am not in line with Judge Davis to deliver the Prohibition party into the hands of its enemies, and when he and a few who have followed him have ended their day as Prohibitionists and have wallowed in the the Democratic sea of beer and booze, there will remain full many a thousand who have never bowed the knee to Baal.

J. B. CRANFILL.

Dallas, Texas.

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ELECTION ORDER.

The State of Texas, County of Callahan | Whereas on the petition of S. T. Walker and 216 other qualified voters of Callahan County, the Commissioners Court of said county ordered that an election be held in said County on Saturday April 28, 1906 in the several election precincts and at the usual voting places thereof for the purpose of enabling the qualified voters of said County to determine whether or not a County Superintendent of Public Instruction shall be elected in said County at the ensuing November election.

Now therefore I, I. N. Jackson County Judge of Callahan County Texas do hereby order that an election be held in said Callahan County Texas on Saturday April 28, 1906 for the purpose fully set out above That those desiring to vote for said proposition shall have written or printed on their tickets "For the election of a County Superintendent of Public Instruction" and those desiring to vote against said proposition shall have written or printed on their tickets "Against the election of a County Superintendent of Public instruction"

All persons qualified to vote under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, may vote at said election.

Said election shall be held by the regular appointed election officers of the several election precincts.

The polls shall be opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and closed at 7 o'clock P. M. of said day.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Baird, Texas this February 19, 1906.

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Out of the abundance of the heart speaketh. The good man out of his good treasure bringeth forth good things; and the evil man out of his evil treasure bringeth forth evil things. And I say unto you that every idle word that man shall speak they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment. For by thy words thou shalt be justified and by thy words thou shalt be condemned.—Matthew 12: 34-37.

TO THE BOYS.

Let no boy think he can be made a gentleman by the clothes he wears, the horse he rides, the stick he carries, the dog that trots after him, the house that he lives in, or the money he spends. Not one or all of these things do it; and yet every boy may be a gentleman. He may wear an old hat, cheap clothes, live in a poor house, and spend but little money. But how? By being true, manly, and honorable. By keeping himself neat and respectable. By being civil and courteous. By respecting himself and others. By doing the best he knows how, and finally, and above all, by fearing God and keeping His commandments—Reformed Church Record.

THE PLEDGE AND STRAW-BERRIES.

A striking temperance lecture fell from the lips of a little child in Covington, Ky., the child of a reformed man. "Father," said she, "are you

always going to wear the blue ribbon?"

"I hope so, my dear," was the reply.

"So do I," said the little one. "Why do you hope so?" asked her father.

"Because I've never had so many strawberries in my life as I've had since you signed the pledge and put on that blue ribbon."

Men who are not feeding the rum-seller's children can afford luxuries for their own.—Woman's Temperance Work.

MRS. M. ALICE FLOYD,
Press Supt.

Dr. Rankin Quits the Field.

The last issue of the Texas Christian Advocate contains two paragraphs which call for brief notice. The first is:

The Houston Post was considerate enough to correct its false statement a while back that the editor of this paper had tried to get the executive committee of the Local Option association to indorse the candidacy of Judge M. M. Brooks, but that they had turned down the proposition. No such thing ever occurred at the executive committee meeting.

Our readers will recall that the Post made no statement as to what Dr. Rankin endeavored to get the Local Option association to do with reference to the candidacy of Judge Brooks. The statement was made by State Topics, then under the management of Mr. Peteet, and in copying the statement the Post gave due credit to State Topics. The Post promptly published a card from Dr. Rankin denying that what State Topics stated was true. Now Dr. Rankin would have it appear that the Post made the false statement and had corrected it. Dr. Rankin wrote to the present editor of State Topics and declared that the Post was too small to print the correction which he had offered, when as a

matter of fact the correction was printed four days before. As we suspected, the doctor did not have the decency to acknowledge his injustice and now adds to this offense another misrepresentation. The second paragraph is:

The Post had another spasm last Sunday and delivered itself of another outburst of abuse, slander and falsehood. The Post is too far gone from all that is decent and manly to be further regarded with seriousness by the Advocate. It is only an object of pity. Those who know its uncontrollable infirmity will make due allowance for its wild and turbulent brain. It can not help it.

This is rather an ungraceful way for a man like Dr. Rankin to skulk out of the controversy he precipitated, but hereafter he will probably confine his bombast and swagger to places where tremulous candidates gather. He has at least learned better than to bluster in the vicinity of the Post. The Post has held before his eyes a mirror which afforded him the opportunity to see himself as others see him, and if he will take to heart the wholesome lessons it has read him with regard to accuracy of statement, the heinousness of the sin of misrepresentation in editorial work, the virtue of tolerance in discussing public questions with those of opposing or different opinions, the enormous vice of intemperate expression, the priceless worth of breadth of brain and kindness of heart, the crowning glory of modesty in all the walks of life and the exemplification of all the Christian virtues in dealing with fellow creatures, the day will come when he will thank the Post for the service it has rendered him. And the Post sincerely hopes he will as a Christian minister and as the editor of the newspaper organ of a great church consecrate himself to the cause of universal good in the spirit of the words of St. Paul in the first verse of the twelfth chapter of Romans.—Houston Post.

Do Not Be Imposed Upon.

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