BAIRD COYOTES DEFEAT PUTNAM SPUDDERS, 7 to 6

Two Old ancient enemies got to gether last Sunday (July 10th) at the T-P Park, and it was a battle royal, from beginning until the end; anytime the Coyotes tangle-up with the Spudders, you may rest assured that it is boing to be a jam-up-good ball game; this particular setto ended Coyotes.

This was the Coyotes' Twelfth been defeated five times, giving them a percentage of .706; not bad for a bunch of home-town amatuers; it striving to give the Baird fans a good season of baseball and the players appreciate very highly the support that the fans have afforded them, and wish to thank all who donated toward the purchasing of new uniforms mask, gloves and other equipment, they especially want to thank Mr. G. W. Porter for the kindly interest that he has taken in the team and for his untiring efforts in making up the necessary money for new uniforms

The game started off in usual C. Allen, and Purvis popped out to teams registering one tally in the first round; for Putnam, Butler singled by third; Perry forced Butler at second and took second himself on bad throw by Smith playing second for Baird; Oliver Allen singled to center scoring Butler; Bulford Allen struck out and Mercer grounded out Smith to Wristen; for the Covotes, Pete struck out, Wristen singled to right; Pool sacrificed and was out second to first; Wristen scored and Hall safe at last when the shortstop fumbled Earl's grounder and Raliegh struck out.

Neither side was able to push over a counter in the second, while in the third the Coyotes, seemingly tied-up the game, Stapp struck out, Pete walked, Wristen singled to center, Pete taking second, Pool struck out; Earl Hall doubled to right, scoring Pete and sending Wristed to third; Raleigh Ray punched a single by short, scoring Fred and Earl and 4 and Putnam 1.

rather ruff with Stapp and through the added generosity of the Baird infield, shoved over five scores to put an awful scare in the Coyotes dug-out Butler hit over short; Perry sacrificed and was out Stapp to Wristen; Oliver Allen doubled down the third base line scoring Butler; Bulford Allen safe at first and Oliver at third when Smith fielded the grounder but couldn't decide where to throw it; Oliver Allen scored, Bulford Allen went to third and Mercer was safe at first when Smith let Mercer's grounder get away from him; then C. Allen sent a tripple down the third base line scoring Bulford Allen and Mercer; Rolston lined out to Wristen, Sublett batting for Sullivan singled over third scoring C. Allen, and Purvis popped out to Wristen to end the agony, the score at the end of the fifth, Baird4 and Putnam, 6; Baird added one in the 6th, Earl was safe at first when the shortstop fumbled his grounder, Raleigh grounded out third to first; Bennett sent a double to left Earl and Harold fouled out to the third baseman; the Coyotes won the game in the eighth inning, when Hall shot a single by short; Raleigh doubled to right, Earl going to third, Bennett got a scrated hit thru the infield scoring Earl and sending Raleigh to third, Harold Ray popped out to the first baseman, and Meadows who got into the game in the 6th inning, sent a long fly to left field and was out, but Raleigh scored after the catch with what proved to be the winning run of the game; after this play Stapp struck out to retire the side.

Fred Wristen let the hitters with three singled, while Earl Hall, Bryant Bennett and Raliegh Ray each got a single and a double, Harold Ray connected for a double.

Pitching averages including all

games to-date: Played Won Lost Perc 1 0 1.000 Raleigh Ray .857 Frank Gibson 7 R. K. Stapp Individual Batting Averages:

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Live Communities Not Accidents

Only Consistent Co-Operation of The Merchants and Buying Public Can Accomplish Desired Results

When you find high class public schools located accessable to your children; when you find a community of fine churches; when you find all with the score 7 to 6 in favor of the the conveniences of modern life at your elbow, just stop and think that this is the result of successful home victory of the season, and they have trade, which has made it possible to create a splendid center of civilization in your locality. If everybody had decided to trade away from home only goes to show that the boys are these things could not exist in your neighmorhood. They might exist in some remote city where your welfare is never considered, and you might as well be in the wilds of Africa, for all those who had profited by the money you sent them would care.

A safe and sound bank, a live mercantile establishment, or an industry that is commanding business in the community is a great asset to every person in that community. It is the thing that decides the stability of the town, and determines the growth of the place and its desirability as a place in which to live. No person cares to locates in a town where business is uncertain and shaky, or where conditions are so uncertain that investments in real estate would be a doubtful venture. And all of these conditions depend in the final analysis on what you are doing with your money and whether the town is receiving the business to which it is entitled.

In home trade, however, you are dealing with neighbors and friends You are dealing with those who sorrow with you when your loved ones are taken. You are dealing with those who are ready to chip in and help as far as their means will allow them when you and your family are in distress; you are dealing with those who are your joint partners in the joys and sorrows of your home community. Disaster to you is dis- Presbyterian Meeting aster to them.

The welfare of the people of a community is inseparable . Selfishscore at the end of the third Baird ness and shortsightedness exist but its the liberal broadminded spirit of live and let live that makes your home In the Fifth, the Putnamites got community an abiding place worth while.

Very few of the country towns of the state offer better business opportunities than they did twenty years ago, and in many of them the prospects are not so promising as they were at that time. One reason for this, perhaps, is the groding tendency to patronize mail order houses an dstores located in the larger centers. It is worth nothing that farm values depend, in some measure, at least, on the proximity of the property to a good town. Eliminate the country town, and land values surely will drop. We believe the small town is needed, and that farmers and townspeople are exveedingly shortsighted when they fail to patronize home merchants and their home insit-

Murphy Family In Auto Accident

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy, three children and Oscar Jones, returning from Reagon County last week, and when near Winters the auto, in which they were traveling turned over, caught Mr. and Mrs. Murphy and one of the children under the car; the others being thrown clear of the car when it went over. To add to the horrar of. the situation, the car caught fire. Mr. Murphy says that he got out and only Mrs. Murphy was fast and seemed impossible to get her out, but by super-human effort, they managed to get Mrs. Murphy out, but the car and all of the extra clothing of the party was burned. All the party were more or less bruised up, but none seriously. It certainly M. was a narrow escape from death by the entire party.

GOOD RAINS

Good rains have fallen over West Texas the past three days and Baird and Callahan County got a good share. The best rain fell at Baird during Wednesday night, after mid-

BOY SCOUT NEWS CITY ACCEPTS

We think al lboy's should be Boy Scouts. We think all boys scouts should attend the Summer Camp at Leuders, July 28th August 7th inclusive, as the cost is only \$8 per boy and the program will be under adult leadership directed by Scout Executive Shumway, assisted by a staff of trained adult leaders and Eagle Scouts. This is a great opportunity for the scouts to attend a real Boy Scout Camp for the 11 days with a program chuck full of things the boys like to do.

There will be leatherwork, Archery Indian Ceremonies and the water front activities will be supervised by Red Cross Life Savers and Chief Shumway states that no boy will be permitted in the water only at regular swimming period when watched over by the Red Cross Life Guards.

Every boy in our community should go to this camp and we think it a great opportunity for our boys to receive this character development program. Registrations, \$8 per boy, must be sent to Executive Shumway, Chamber of Commerce building Abilene, Texas immediately, Each boy will bring their own cot, blankets mess-kit and canteen, fine tents will be provided for sleeping and experienced cooks will make the boys happy and their belts expand every time they sit themselves down to eat.

Each boy is requested to bring turkey feathers with them to use in Indian Ceremonies.

Civic Clubs from various cities will hold their regular Luncheon meeting at the Scout Camp, and it is expected that the Rotary, Kiwains, Lions and Exchange Clubs of Abilene the Lione Club of Anson and Haskell the Luncheon Clubs of Moran and Albany, the Rotary Club of Stamford will visit the Scout Camp. Tre Victor Bible Class of Abilene will attend in a body. Lets all go to the Scout Camp. Visitors will always be welcome. Lets go and see what is going on.

Closes Sunday Night

The Presbyterian Revival closed Sunday night with a full house, all of the other churches in the city dismissed. Mr. Green has made man friends in Baird. He appeals to the The Methodist Church business thinking public and places the Kingdom before the people in an intelligent way. The singing was fine Mr. Zeiss will long be remembered by the children as well as the older people. We think that these good people not only helped the Preshyterian Church, but all as well.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage Licenses issued by the County Clerk:

Mr. J. H. Harris and Miss Ruby

Wood, bot hof Sabano. Mr. Auther C. Williams and Miss

Nettie Johnson. Mr. Eugene Strawn and Miss Nora

Lillian Lee, both of Admiral. Mr. Roy D. Denny and Miss Clyde Mr. E. R. Webster and Miss Erma

Mr. Bill Alexander and Mrs. Irma

Mr. E. C. Lassater and Miss Eula

Mr. Lloyd Griffin and Miss Violet

Mr. J. E. Stewart and Miss Beatrice

Church of Christ

Sunday School, 10 A. M. Preaching and Communion at 11 A.

On Tuesday, the Ladie's Bible Class meets at 4 P. M. Our business meet ing was postponed until Tuesday, July 19th. Every member is asked to be present.

Subject: Samuel Anoints David. 1. Sam 16:1-13. The lesson will be in charge of Mrs. Ben Halsted

A hearty welcome is extended to everyone to attend all services.

NEW FIRE TRUCK

Baird's New Fire Truck was accepted Saturday by the City after a series of tests given by Mr. Walsh, representative of the American La France Fire Engine Company, with the assistance of the fire boys. While the truck was under Mr. Walsh's supervision it was tried out on the road, making a run to Putnam. A demonstration was made at Mexia bridge of pumping from a creek and several tests were made from plugs in different parts of town, every test was entirely satisfactory, the apparatus doing much more than specifications called for.

This machine is one of the latest Modey 37, Triple Combination, 600 gallon Pumper, Chemical and Hose Truck, Equipped with a 6 cylinder, 90 horse power engine, American made moter and will deliver 750 gallons of water per minute-150 gallons more than it is rated. This piece of apparatus is one of the best money can buy and the fire boys are very proud of same. A substantial allowance was made on the old Luverne Truck and same was given to the city for a reserve pumper which will make a reduction in fire insurance rates as soon as the commission can make the re-rating. As soon as the paying of Market Street is completed, all ordinances pertaining to Fire Prevention and fire fighting will be strictly enforced.

The Fire Department deserves the co-operation of the public more than any local organization as the work of the Fire Boys is strictly volunteer or level country. they do their work, ruin their clothes and risk their lives at times, to save the lives and property of the citizens without pay or hope of future reward an dit is the duty of every citizen to give them their most hearty cooperation.

A series of articles will be published in the near future by the Fire Department, pertaining to the ordi- to the driver, made it possible for citizens of Baird.

We are getting the equipment and apparatus to fight the fires, now let's get behind the boys and encourage them in their undertakings and have a Fire Department that is the best in the state:

Cal C. Wright, Pastor.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock, We hope that you will be present. Services at 11 o'clock. Subject: Departing From God." Good congregational singing. Special music by Mrs. H. H. Shaw.

On Wednesday evenings we are studying "Yet Another Day in Methodist Missions." Next Wednesday evening we have chapters three and four. You will enjoy this study with us.

You are invited to worship with us

The Baptist Church

Joe R. Mayes, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. Young Peoples Meeting at the egular hours.

Preaching at 8:30 P. M. The Pastor will be home Sunday night and will preach in the evening service. All are urgently requested to be present. Come an dlet us worship together again.

Senior B. Y. P. U.

Sunday, July 17, 1927 Leader, Lela Lasiter. Subject, "The Office of Deacon in Our Church."

Introduction, Lela Lasiter. 1. Origin of the Office.

Carrol McGowen.

2. Back to the Story in Acts. Dorothy Boydstun. 3. Qualities required of Deacons.

Lucile Robbinson. 4. A well rounded Christian Parlee Lasiter. Character.

Servants, not Glenn McGowen. Rulers. 6. Training Schools for Deacons

Bessie Mae Gillette. Be on time, 6:30.

News From Automobile Dealers in Baird

CHEVROLET

Those enjoying a new Chevrolet are: Otto Schaffrina, Imperial Laundau; Dr. J. H. Bailey, Clyde, Coupe and an Imperial Laundau; S. E. Ella Baird, Coach; Manhatten Oil Company Coupe; Gus Brandon, Putnam, Sedan; J. W. Brown Baird, Laundau Sedan; J. Carl Hensley Baird, Coach; Sullevan & Davis, Truck.

Mr. J. E. Duncan, of the Manhatten Oil Company, is keeping a record of his Chevrolet Coupe, found it to average 24.7 miles to the gallon of gasoline through mud and sand during the past month.

A salesman who frequents this territory claims to have driven his Chevrolet Coupe 46,000 miles with a cost of only \$23.90 for material and labor.

Larmer Henry purchased a Whippet Coupe. He and son, Billy, made a trip to Fort Worth and Dallas and report that it functioned marvelously.

utes off the former record held by a for two reasons, it is more than 10 \$3000 six-cylinder automobile, a Whippet stock car recently speeded its way from Ashville to Murphy, N. C., through the famous Nantahla gorge. The distance, 126 miles, was made in 159 minutes and was under official observation of city officials and newspaper men of the two cities. The route consists chiefly of steep mountains and sharp curves with exceedingly few stretches of straight Central West Texas, as soon as the

Not only did the Whippet set a time record for the trip but it averagedaged 47.75 miles an hour and averaged 33 1-3 miles to the gallon of gasoline. And it made the entire trip in high gear. On the few straight stretches the Whippet made 60 miles an hour and held it.

The four-wheel brakes, according nances on fire preventions, etc, which him to take the mountains curves at should interest every loyal red-blooded a high rate of speed. The brakes he said, responded instantly when called into action.

> Mrs. J. W. Jones purchased a Chrysley Sedan from the Hi-Way Garage, local dealers, last week.

T. M. Neill Motor Company states that they are very much pleased Honoring Mrs. with the new Dodge "Six" and that the public is greatly admiring it.

Raleigh Ray, sales manager for the Hudson-Essex Automobiles, sold by Ray's Garage, report the sale of a Hudson Brougham to Tom Windhan, of Oplin, the past week; also an Essex Coupe to Spike Blakley, foreman on the Dyer Ranch.

Presbyterian Church

A. W. Yell, Minister.

Sunday School at 10 A. M. There will be no preaching service at 11 o'clock or at 8 o'clock, due to the fact that the pastor will be at Buffolo Gap Encampment. All presented to Mrs. Wood. others that intend going Sunday in cars meet at the church at 7:30 A. M. Sunday morning and go in a body, and spend the day.

ATTENTION! EX-SERVICE MEN

All the men who served in the world war and have failed to send in for their compensation insurance or Bonus Insurance, should do so immediately, as January 1st, 1928. will be the closing time on obtaining this insurance. Any American Legion post will be glad to help fill out the necessary papers i norder to obtain this Bonus. Ex-service men should not wait until the last minute to make their application and take chances on loosing out on this paid up insurance. Avail yourself immediately of this opportunity.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

To the Citizens of Callahan and

I will speak on the street at Baird at 3 o'clock next Saturd y afternoon, July 16th. Come out 1 d hear me. It will be to your interest. Let us make better times. make better times.

J. R. Morrison.

NEW OIL FIELD **PROMISED IN THE** CLEAR CREEK COUNTRY

The Empire Gas and Fuel Company Will Johnson No. 1, south of Clear Creek, near the Baird and Coleman road is still attracting attention. This well which is the deepest test in this section, came in some months ago as a gasser. It was plugged awaiting the perfecting of plans to use the gas supply, when about six weeks ago it showed and increased flow of gas and began spraying oil. There are two strings of tools in the well. which the operators have been unable to get out on account of the heavy gas pressure.

The well was uncapped Monday, and was found to have decreased in ras pressure, but increased in oil flow. Two 200 barrell storage tanks were filled in 9 hours.

Oil men, who have flocked to the well since the heavy gas strike was made, a month ago, have their attention centered on the well again. Murphy, N. C - Cracking 51 mun- It is regarded especially important miles from large production, and is the deepest test in this section, the Ranger field being the nearest. The well is 4,140 feet deep. The pay cannot be correlated with any known oil bearing strata in this section, and it is the first deep pay to be found n Callahan County.

The well is expected to develop into one of the largest producers in two string of tools are fished out and the hole cleaned out, but when this will be accomplished, cannot be determined, as the gas pressure is much too strong to allow the crew to lower tools into the hole.

An 80 acre lease three quarters of a mile north-west of the well, was sold Monday by Oyster Rife to the Manhatten Oil Company at a price of more than \$75,00 per acre. This acquisition increases the Manhattens' holdings to the vicinity of the Empire discovery, 800 acres.

Very little acreage is available in the district surrounding the new producer, as most of it is held in one large block, according to reports.

The Ladie's of the Presbyterian Church met in a social Meeting Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in honor of Mrs. V. D. Wood, who is leaving our circle to make her home in Big Springs. The following program was

rendered: By All. Song Mrs. E. C. Fulton. Prayer Jack Powell Dubblerley. Reading Velma Lewis. Reading Misses Ruth Simons and Oleta White. Miss Oleta White,

Reading Mrs. V. D. Wood. Reading Each member of the circle was given a slip of paper on which to write a wish which were read and

A business meeting of the Gleaner Class followed. Mrs. Wood, the faith ful Secretary and Treasurer made her report and resigned. Mrs. Sam I. Smith was elected Secretary and Treasurer; Mrs. G. W. Porter, President of the class, in a few well chosen words presented Mrs. Wood with a set of ice tea spoons, a gift from the class. The hostess: Mesdames Porter and Smith, served punch and cake to about twenty-five guests.

Well Known Oil Man Buried At Cisco

Roy Chandler, a well known oil operator in this section, died at Dallas Saturday morning, following an operation. The body was brought to Cisco, his home for interment, the futeral being held Sunday afternoon ir. Chandler was a partner of n Van Horn, who died a few ths ago from burns received when from a well in the Baird Shal-field caught fire. Mr. Chandler

rhaps other friends from Baird, at-aded the funeral.

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NOTICE

The State of Texas County of Callahan.

To Those Indebted to, or helding claims against the Estate of Christopher C. Dunlap, Deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed admisistrator of the estate of Christopher C. Dunlap, Declared, ate of Callahan County, Texas, . White, Judge of the County f said County on the 7th day of 927, during a regular term th ereby notifies all persons in said Estate to come forward ake settlement, and those aims against said Estate to pr em to him within the time pres law at the office of his attorn aird, Callahan County, Texas, receives his mail.

This the 7th day of June,

S. N. Dunlap,

Administrator of the tate of Christopher Dunlap, Deceased. 28

Entering Poorhouse, Meets Deserted Wife

Lancaster, Ohio. - Charles Trotter, seventy-six, traveled "over the hill to the poorhouse" here and at the door of the institution met his whe, Bertha, seventy-three, whom he deserted 56 years ago.

The woman, who says he deserted her as a child-wife, has been an inmate of the institution since 1871, when she became ill from worry over her abandonment and the death of er infant child.

During the 56 years Trotter wandered the face of the earth. While seeking his fortune in the West he was falsely informed of her death and never returned until, broken in old age and destitute, the poorhouse became the trall's end for him.

His bride of more than half a entury ago recognized him. When asked by the matron if she still cared for him she replied: "No, he left me when I needed him the most-he need not have returned."

KANSAS WOMAN PREFERS "SODDY" TO MODERN HOME

Says It Has Many Pleasant Memories for Her and Refuses to Give It Up.

Quinter, Kan.-In the center of this town of 1,000 population and one blocks from the post office is one of the original "soddles" of Gove county.

The owner, Mrs. Mary Springer, seventy-nine, refuses to abandon it for the reason, she says, it is warmer in winter and cooler in summer than its modern frame, brick and stucco neighbors. However, Mrs. Springer compromised with present-day modernization of the home and her pioneer abode has comforts and conveniences little dreamed of by her and her husband when they built the sod house, said to be the first dwelling in Gove county 30 years ago.

There are electric lights and a pi-The walls and ceiling are papered and carpets cover the floors of the four rooms. Vines and shrubs almost conceal the earthen wall material of the front of the house, while within doors the furnishings are very much the same as in any other residence of persons in well-to-do circum-

Mrs. Springer has four married children, two sons and two daughters, all of whom have pleaded with their mother to live with them. But Mrs. Springer won't listen to their en treaties.

"My bushand and I lived more than a score of years in this house and old associations and memories count for a great deal," Mrs. Springer explained to a wistor. "I am happy here, so why leave? Besides, I have my garden and chickens to keep me busy.

"You see, a lot of persons here deeggs. Then my life-long friend, Mrs. Sophia Baird, who is alone in the world, too, lives with me. We are contented and have plenty to do.'

Mrs. Springer and her husband, the late Henry Springer, came to Kansas from Warren county, Mo. Mr. Springer died seven years ago. The husand of Mrs. Sophia Baird, who makes her home with Mrs. Springer, has een dead eight years. The two womn prepare their own meals, do their wn housework and work a garden. Mrs. Baird is one of the first settlers of Gove county, moving there in 1882.

Locates His Sister

by Calendar Picture

Dallas, Texas.-While collecting bills in the office of an insurance agent here Isaack Baskowitz's eyes were attracted to an art calendar on the wall.

The calendar bore the likeness of a pretty girl. Baskowitz was amazed at the resemblance to a younger sister from whom he was separated in Rus-

sia ten years ago. He studied the picture and decided to investigate. The calendar bore the name of the lithographer. Baskowitz communicated with him and learned that the subject was none other than his sister, Gertrude, who is now eighteen years old. Baskowitz is en route to New York to greet the girl.

hades of Jesse James!

Cow Rustlers Use Autos Martinez, Calif.-Cattle rustlers in the Contra Costa hills have adopted modern improvements. They now carry on their felonious activities in flivvers, instead of on horseback, as in the olden days, if Mrs. William Ward of Danville is correct in her

suspicions. Reporting the theft of two blooded oulls worth \$800 each from her Black Hawk farm, Mrs. Ward told the sheriff she believed the animals were purioined by a man she saw drive up to the ranch in a small automobile. There have been a number of cases of cattle rustling in Contra Costa county reported recently.

Killed at Game

East brange, N. J.—Emil Muller, twenty-sx, of this city, a spectator at a baseball game here, was killed when a bat which slipped from the hands a bat which slipped from the hands of Sumner Curry, one of the players, bit him on the head.

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Newest Things Help Oldest Human Industry.

Washington .- Aircraft and radio, the newest things under the sun, are being recruited to the aid of fishing. a human industry as old as hunting and older than farming, according to Lewis Radcliffe, deputy United States fish commissioner.

Canada, England, Scotland, France and Japan are among the countries making use of airplanes for locating schools of fish, whales, etc., and for maintaining patrols against lilicit fishing. The Danish government is also reported to be contemplating an airplane fish patrol off the coast of Greenland, where there is a stretch of 225 miles of fishing waters which a single surface vessel cannot adequately guard, but which could easily be kept under supervision by a fastflying and far-seeing plane.

The United States was the ploneer in this work, having used planes and dirigibles as early as 1919, but lack of funds and the disorganized condition of the fisheries have prevented further development in this country.

In Spain efforts are now being made to interest fishing-vessel owners to install radio telephone receiving and transmitting apparatus and at least one fishing vessel has been equipped. In addition to the benefits in case of storm or disaster, it is claimed that the addition of this equipment will enable the fishing vessel to keep in touch with the market and thus return at more advantageous periods; that canneries may be notifled of expected time of arrival and extent of catch.

Undersea Relief Maps of Pacific Made by Navy

Washington.-An achievement of the navy during the cruise of the battle fleet from San Francisco to Australia two years ago has just come to light with publication of undersea relief maps of the route the ships followed on that historic voyage of more than 7,000 miles.

Graphic representations of soundings taken at the time by the battleship Maryland, the light cruiser Milwaukee, and the destroyer Hull are They are expected to be of incalculable value to navigation in the Pacific as well as to the advancement of the science of oceanography.

Equipped with sonic electric depthsounding devices, it was an easy matter for the ships to chart the bed of the waters as they passed over. They accurately mapped the deepest ra-vines. Sheer pinnacles rising 24,000 feet in some instances were located. Along other stretches of the route the maps disclose queer outlines of the Pacific's bed, suggestive of an impressionistic picture of the skyline of a great city.

In the opinion of some savy by drographers, the bottom of the oceans and other bodies of waters may be charted, though they be concealed miles below the surface even before man concludes his age-old task of mapping the exposed portions of the world. And this, they say, is possible without ever dropping a lead line from

One-Horned Rhinoceros

human ages of the earth, surviving thereof, hereby notifies all persons 30-4t. into modern times on the swampy fastnesses of southern Java, is reported to the scientific journal, Die Um-

schau, by Dr. P. Vageler. It is described as a one-horned rhinoceros, related to a form already known elsewhere in the East Indies, but differing from it in that its hide is closely covered with small, horny scales. It also has enormous front teeth, like those of the hippopotamus. It has often been described by the natives under the name "Tanggiling," which means "scaly beast," but Europeans were incredulous. Finally photographs were brought out of the jungle showing the animal.

Likes "Poker Face"

London.-The tennis expert of the Westminster Gazette is quite enthusiastic over the fair Helen of California. Her victory over bare-legged Billie Tapscott of South Africa the critic describes as "a miracle of hitting" by "a demure figure of gracious efficiency, without parade, without the suspicion of side, without a fragment of fanfarade."

Briton Bags 280 Lions on Hunt in Africa

London.-The world's biggest record for big-game shooting, which is held by Leslie Tarleton, companion of Theodore Roosevelt on the late President's African hunt, is now being threatened by an English hunter, J. P. Lucy, who has just returned from Africa with 280 lions to his credit. Tarleton's record is

Lucy will soon return to Kenya for another hunt, after which he expects to claim the championship. He believes that not even Tarleton has equaled his record of 26 lions in three weeks. Lucy also has killed 84 elephants and 100 rhinoceroses in other expeditions,

ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce to the people of Baird that I have opened a Plumbing Shop here. I solicit and will appreciate all work given me. Prompt service given on estimates. All work and material guaranteed to be in first class sanitary conditition one year from date line is completed. All work given personal attention, regardless of the size of the job. If I can't do the public a job for the money, and make money I do not want the job. I am not trying to get rich on one job, and I do not care what my competitors bid was, all that I want to know is if you want me to do the job. No need to be afraid that I will not put the work in right just because I gave you a good price.

I have been working at the plumbers trade since I was eight years old. making my own living ever since. I have worked for Sam H. Gilliland, Baird, United States Government, Breckenridge Plumbing Co., Cross Plains Plumbing Co., and Albany, from which place I will buy my material.

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The State of Texas, County of Callahan:

Claims Against the Estate of A. B. Williams, Deceased:

appointed administrator of the estate he receives his mail, this 21st day of of A. B. Williams, deceased, late of June, A. D. 1927. Callahan County, Texas, by W. C. White, Judge of the County Court of Is Found in Java Jungle said County on the 17th day of June, Berlin.-A scaly monster of the pre- A. D. 1927, during a regular term

indebted to same estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to To Those Indebted to, or Holding present them to him within the time The undersigned having been duly Baird, Callahan County, Texas, where 7 o'clock each morning, by the stage

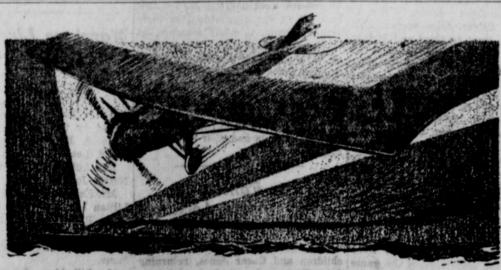
> W. O. Wylie Administrator of the Estate of A. B. Williams,

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The Baird Star. BAIRD, TEXAS

FRIDAY, JULY 15, 1927 Serial (whole) Number, 2157

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E. GILLILAND, Editor and Proprie tor

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FOUR AMENDMENTS

On August 1st the people will vote on four amendments to the State Constitution, and if the people do not wake up to the revolutionery changes these amendments call for in the state organic law, every one of them are liable to be adopted. We favor in principle, two of them, one increasing the number of justices of the Supreme Court, and the one increasing the salary of the governor and members of the Legislature, but the way these amendments are worded. we cannot support or vote for either, nor for either of the other two. Every one of the amendments mean more out any corresponding benefit to the paper, that we will be in Baird about cost for the state and counties, withnext week why we believe none of ready to serve my old friends and these amendments deserve the vote make new ones. Mrs. Hamlett joins of a single tax payer in Texas.

THE AMENDMENTS

The newspapers of Texas are very well agreed that the four consittut- West Texas Press ional amendments to be voted on August 1st should be defeated by the people.

Especially are they opposed to what they term the "salary grab" amendment that would increase the salary of the governor from \$4000 to \$10,-000 and the pay of legislators from \$5 a day to \$1500 per year, or \$3,-000 for the two years term of the Legislature. #

In arguing against the amendment they recall the fact that no governor for June 4, but owing to the fact that has ever resigned on account of inadequate salary and there has never Press Association meeting at El Paso been a scarcity of material. The \$4,- the officers deferred the meeting to 000 with trimmings and a free house July 23. Mr. J. L. Martin of Snyder to live in is not so bad and is con- is president, and Mr. W. E. Reid of siderably more than a great many Colorado, secretary. The program is men are capable are receiving for being made up this week. harder work and longer hours.

Many of the newspaper men doubt whether or not an increase of \$6,000 in the salary would improve the fected for a general membership drive caliber of men that have made successful campaigns since the primary gional organizations in the state. The system was inauguarate.

Others recall the recent salary increases granted to district judges and reason that if the constitutional limited the association. tations are removed there will be no end to the dangerous practice and throughout the entire section by the the tax payers of Texas will be the newspapers fraternity, and quoting

that the antiquated old document is and no dues; the only object is the still sufficient to govern the destiny of Texas and that it needs no remodeling now or in the immediate hereafter. If these meet with the approval of the electorate they think others will follow in rapid succession and that the people will be put to the expense of the elections as well as Revival Meeting Starts the cost of the innovations.

At present, at least, it is the safest plan plan to let well enopph alone. There is no emergency existing an dit is safer to wait than to plunge ignorantly into a matter that has not been sufficiently studied by busy people. It can be done later if necessary-now it is not neces.

sary.-Coleman Democratic Voice. The salary of the governor members of the Legislature should be raised and the writer has advecated increased pay for both, for more thirty years but cannot support a "grab game" as this and other article will give ourreas

The safest plan is to vote a every one of the four amendments submitted to the voters at a special election August 1st. The judiciary amendment and the salary grab amendment does not deserve the port or vote of a single voter in Texnage.

A special worth and Caddo.

Wednesday night was set aside as Moran and Strawn night; Thursday night at Randolph College and Cisconight; and Friday night as Eastland and Ranger night. These visiting

TER FROM IR REPRE-DGE GILBERT SENTATIVE, J

Stock Up You With Game Hon. W. E. Gilliland. Baird, Texas. .

My Dear Friend:

I would thank you to inform our people who may be interested in the stocking of suitable vaters in Callahan or adjoining counties of game fish, is now possible and more available this year on account of satisfactory shipments being made from the recently completed fish hatcheries at Lake Cisco Cisco Toyan eries at Lake Cisco, Cisco, Texas, same being a new supply. Operations at present are confined to the raising of crappie and white perch, black bass, bream and cat fish. Ring perch and rainbow trout are still in experimental stage and because of the cannibalistic nature of black bass large numbers of them can be OUTSIDE OF CALLAHAN COUNTY produced in small areas, and where \$2.00 the areas are limited crappie or beam 1.25 is recommended.

If there is any one interested in this matter, I would be glad to have them communnicate with me and I will lend every assistance in my power to secure a supply for them. They will of course be no charge for my services

Very truly yours, Victor B. Gilbert. Representative 107th Legislative District.

LETTER FROM DR. W. S. HAMLETT Water Valley, Ky.,

July 11, 1927. Mr. W. E. Gilliand, Baird. Texas.

Dear Friend and Teacher: How are you and The Star force? We are doing fine and enjoying our stay in our old Kentuckey home and the association of old friends; but we are getting very anxious to get back to Baird, Texas, for we like the people and the town, climate and the mountains. We have never had a thought of not returning. for we expect to make our home there so please announce through your August 1st, and will be in my office me in wishing you and the readers of your paper, health and hippiness. Yours Fraternally,

Dr. W. S. Hamlet and wife.

Meets July 23rd At Sweetwater

The West Texas Press Association will meet at Sweetwater Saturday, July 23, and the Sweetwater Board of City Development through its secretary, Monte E. Owens, is already broadcasting invitations to the event.

This meeting was originally set it would conflict with the Texas State

At the meeting which will be the main business meeting of the association for the year, plans will be perto make this one of the largest reassociation was born this past November when the newspapers editors and owners met in Colorado and star-

Interest has been manifested President Martin: "This association Many good men in Texas believe will have no leg pulling, no graft, get-together meeting of the newspaper men of West Texas to work out the problems of mutual benefit and better understanding for the upbuilding of the business."

Off In Excellent Way

The Revival Meeting now in progress at the Tabernacle under the leadership of Rev. S. J. Shettlesworth and Mr. E. R. Smizer of the First Christian Church of Breckenridge, is starting off in an excellent way. The services have been well attended from the very first by the people of Baird and surrounding country, and in addition large delegations have been present from other towns. More than forty were present from Breckenridge for the opening service Sunday night an dthirty five from Albany on Monday night. Some have been present also from Putnam,

get the folks to sing in a wonderful so far superior in intellect, etc, but every day to praise the splendid song the sacred Scriptures by asking that services. Inclement weather has cut the attendance slightly but has not dampened the ardor of those who have

delegations have been furnishing some because they differ in views. He good music to supplement the ex- speaks only in terms of love-believing cellent singing of the local people. | that in that way only can the Christ Mr. Smizer is a pastmaster as a be honored. He does not address his leader of song and has been able to audiences as one who thinks himself and spiritual way. Many are heard makes his approach in the terms of "we come and reason together."

His sermon subjects for the next few nights will be as follows: Friday Rev. Shettlesworth is endearing night- "Bible Change of the Bible himself to the Church lovers of Heart"; Saturday night- "Shall we Baird with the message he is deliver- know each other in Heaven?"; Sunday ing from time to time. He magni- morning- "When God Died."; Sunday fies the love and power of Jesus night- "The Question of the Ages" Christ and pleads for a manifesta- Monday night-"Flagmen on the Road tion of the excellent principles of to Hell"; Tuesday and Wednesday Christianity in individual life. He is nights- Chart sermons on "The Esa man, who is strong in his convic- tablishment of the Church."; Thurstions, but does not love others less day night- "The Feast of Death."

No. 3286

Report of Condition of

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

BAIRD, TEXAS

In The State of Texas, at the Close of Business, June 30, 1927 RESOURCES

Acceptances of other banks discounted	\$677,673.57 7.001.90
Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured \$7.001.92	7.001.9
U. S. Government Securities owned: U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	95 100 C
All other United States Government Securities	95 100 O
Total Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	95 100 00
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	25,324.25
Value of Banking house #3,500.00; Furniture and Fixtures, \$5,500.00	9,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	4,700.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	62,880,89
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	330,240,82
Amount due from State Banks and Bankers, etc	
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	2.034.30
Total of items	
Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve	
Bank) located outside of city or town of reporting bank	
Miscellaneous cash items	517.68
Redemption fund with U.S. Treasurer and due from U.S. Treasurer	1,250.00
Total	.\$1,055.723,43

Capital stock paid in Surplus fund. b Reserved for c Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid ... int due to National Banks. Net amounts due to State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in (items 25 or 23). 49,603,53 4,353,65 Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding \$53,957.18 Total of items. Demand deposits subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days: 773,766.21 Individual deposits subject to check . Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days [other than for money borrowed) 95,647,48 State, County or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank 3,835.00 Total demand deposits.

Letters of Credit and Traveler's Checks sold for cash and outstanding.... STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CALLAHAN, SS: I, Bob Norrell, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. BOB NORRELL, Cashier Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1927.

Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed.

Total of time deposits subject to reserve

A. R. KELTON

TOM WINDHAM ACE HICKMAN

FIRST STATE BANK

At Baird, State of Texas

at the close of business on the 30th day June of 1927, published in The Baird Star, a newspaper printed and published at Baird State of Texas, on the 15th dayof July 1927

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal and collateral	\$243,064.31
Loans, real estate	965.16
Overdrafts	4,064.80
Bonds and Stocks	None
Real Estate (banking house	14,772.56
Other Real Estate	1,524.64
Furniture and Fixtures	4,924.80
Cash on hand	15,747.38
Due from approved reserve agent	137,324.80
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on dem.d	None
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,075.29
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	5,393,57
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	10.697,67
Other Resources	45.00
TOTAL	\$439,599,98

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	TOTAL	\$439,599.98
	LIBILITIES	
	Stock paid in	
	Fund	
	Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
	ual Deposits, subject to check	
	ertificates of Deposit	
	Funds on Deposit:	
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	Sty \$7,041.84	
	chool Total	
	r's Checks Outstanding	
	ounts	
	rates of Deposit, issued for money deposit	
	Deposited	
Other	labilities	
	OTAL	\$439.599.98

COUNTY OF CALLAHAN. We .T. E. Powell as vice president; and E. D. Driskill A ca

E. D. DRISKILL, A.Cashier Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July A. D. 1927.

CORRECT-ATTEST MARTIN BARNHILL H. W. Ross

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A conspicious feature of the First National Bank's frequent Statements of Condition is the unusually large proportion of "Quick Assets" made up of actual cash and bonds and securities which can be turned into cash on short notice.

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First National Bank

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Tom Windham, President Henry James, Vice President Ace Hickman, Vice President W. A. Hinds

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS W. S. Hinds, Active Vice President Bob Norrell, Cashier Howard E. Farmer, Asst. Cashier A. R. Kelton

Next Week this paper will carry further announcements.

At 10:30 Sunday morning a communion service will be held at the is chuck full of bargains for his July

ship with us.

No the editor, of The Star has not gone into the plumbing business. That is Bill Gilliland, a young cousin of the editors, who has the same name We do not know any more about the plumbing business than a Jack Rabbit, but the other W. E. does, and has had years of experience at his trade. See his ad in this issue.

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J. Rupert Jackson, Notary Public.

The job Department of the Star, printed a large circular for Mayfield's exclusive Men & Boy's store, which Tabernacle for those who may care Clearence Sale, which begins to-day. to attend. It is the Lord's Supper It is one of the largest circulars ever and any follower of Jesus Christ is printed in The Star office, and is priviledged to attend as no one has a fine piece of work, if we do say a right to invite or debar a child of so, though we had nothing to do with God when the Table of the Lord is getting it up. It was the work of spread. We invite you to come and wor- | linotype work, which with the new Babcock Cylinder Press, recently installed, gives us equipment which enables us to print any size circular wanted.

> CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank all for the splen-

did support given me in the Legion Contest, and again solicit your support. Very Respectfully.

Hugh Pritchard.

1917-1927

In 1917 our boys were sent to France to fight the Germans and save our goat. Are you going to help send one back this year to Paris and the American Legion convention to enjoy himself. Local merchants will give a Free Trip to the World War veteran who receives the largest number of votes. Trade where votes are given, and vote for your favorite.

Contest Closes August 10

A Bank Account

The future of your children depends on their knowledge of the value of money. Bank protection and advice conducive to business training enables you to train your child along a very essential line. Saving and spending through the Bank gives ideas and information-it enables you to properly' manage your finances.

FIRST STATE BANK BAIRD, TEXAS

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

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T. E. Powell, Vice President H. Ross, Vice President P. G. Hatchett, Vice President

E. D. Driskill, Assistant Cashier M. Barnhill, C. B. Snyder

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Substantial men, experienced crew managers preferred, capable of organizing sales force, sell "NO- aside? Baird Electric Shoe Shop. BUMP" to coach and tudor owners, all makes, \$3.50. Four springs replace usual rigid "Pegs", makes car territories still open. General Steel gone to Chicago, to visit relatives. Products, INC., Dept. A, 415 Plymouth Building, Minneapolis, Minn. 32-1tpd

SINGER SEWING MACHINES I sell both the Electric and ordinary Singer Sewing Machines. Also second hand machines.

See or phone, J. C. Neal, Clyde, Texas.

See Bowlus & Bowlus new ad in this issue-They are representatives Use your Telephone to save time, of the new Columbia Viva-Tonal-one it will serve you many ways-in busi- of the newest and best musical ma-

Kony Krome wears longest,, but to the Managment any dissatisfac- cheapest. Baird Electric Shoe Shop.

W. E. Gilliland has an ad in this issue, announcing the opening of a new plumbing shop. The Baird All lands owned, or controlled Plumbing Company, in Baird. W. E. by me, are Posted. Tresspassers will (Bill) Gilliland was born and reared Sunshine Special for Marshall on a be prosecuted. All previous permits in Baird. He is the youngest brother visit to her Father and other are hereby revoked. C. B. Snyder. of Perry and Sam Gilliland. Give him a chance at your work; we are sure he will do you a good job, at a fair

No job to hard. Why lay them

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowler and "ride like a rocking chair". Five little son, Master John Selman, have

> Mrs. W. L. Bowlus went to Springs last Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Pitman. She also spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Mims.

Baird Electric Shoe Shop. Ladies latest dying and repairing.

Personal Mention

Miss Opal McFarlane was the uest of Miss Lua James at Cross

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Simons and children have returned to their home n Okmulgee, Okla.

Mrs. W. C. Franklin, Mrs. B. L. bydstur, of Dallas, spent a few days Baird last week.

Mrs. E. C. Fulton and daughter, len Willis, motored to Buffalo ap Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hinds attended the funeral of Roy Chandler at Cisco, Surday afternoon

d. no Lastham is building a sleeping porch on residence, in east

Mrs. C. B. Holmes returned home Tuesday of this week, from Abilene where she has undergone an operation at the Alexander Sanitarium.

Mr. Gus Hall and brother, Frank, and Mr. Dave Witherspoon, of Fort Worth, spent a few days fi hing on the Colorado River.

Ruth Simons, spent the week end in Abilene with Miss Lois Haytor, Beth Offer. Mrs. Minnie E. McManis, Williams and Elizabeth Bowy r. Breckenwridge, Texas 30-2tp.

Joe Bentley, who has been working FURNISHED HOUSE: for rent ap-in the composing room on The Baird ply to H A. Snoddy, West Baird 1tp. Friday for Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Driskill and son, Sammie, and Mr. and Mrs John Driskill, and daughter, Betti Lou, have returned from a three weeks fishing trip on the "Devil's Liver."

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Winters and daughter, Patty, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Jackson and sons, Junior and Randal enjoyed a picnic at the Cisco Dam Sunday.

Mrs. Roland V. Newton and children left Monday, July 11th on the relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price, of Merkel, spent Sunday in Baird. They were accompanied home by Master Harold Haley, who will be their guest for a few days.

Miss Lillie Blakley, who was seriously hurt in an automobile accident on July 4th, while returning from Cisco, is improving, and has been moved to her home at the Dyer | Why waite a week? Come to Baird

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lovvorn, and little son, Junior, of Dallas, spent several days the past week with OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF Herman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lovvorn, near Belle Plaine. While in Baird, they paid The Star office pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Richardson, who have been visiting Mrs. Richardson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinds, for the past three weeks, re turned to their home the past weel accompanied by Mrs. Hinds, wh spent a few days there.

Richard Price came in last Thurs day from Balmorhea, where he ha been associated the past year with Mrs. Lee Kingston, in publishing th Madera Valley News. Richard is now a member of The Star force, wher he is no stranger, he having bega his career as a printer in The Sta office, as office "devil", when a small

Mrs. S. S. Ramsey, who has be sick for sometime, is much better She was carried to Abilene, where she was under the treatment of Dr. W. V. Ramsey, for several days. She spent a few days in Baird the past week with her neice, Mrs. Thompson She left Saturday for her home Cottonwood. Miss Belle Norton, her neice, from New Mexico, is spending the summer with her.

Mr. H. Lilius, one of the first settlers of Eagle Cove, was a pleasant caller at The Star office Wednesday Mr. Lilius moved to Abilene in 1883 where he and his daughter, Miss Johnna Helen still live at their home 1229 S. 3rd St. Mr. Lilius is em-ployed in the Public Library. We had not met Mr. Lilius in 29 years, but he has changed very little and carries his age of 87 years, well. We were sure glad to meet this old friend again. He was accompanied by his son, Elam Lilius.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST: A note lost or stolen, dated Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Wood, left April 25, 1927, given to W. S. Glenn Wednesday for Big Springs, where by W. W. Glenn. All persons are they will make their home.

> FOR LEASE: Three sections of grass for lease; 10 miles South-west of Eula. P. L. White, Jr., Tuscola,

> FLETCHER'S FARMING Is a \$1.00 a year farm and home Texas Monthly Journal, but to introduce it into new homes, we will give a Serial Story Club subscription for 25c. Send your quarter today and get all the numbers containing our current story, "Marooned Men." Send without delay to Honda, Hexas

I want Washing, Ironing and Plain Sewing to do. I will appreciate the patronage of the people of Baird, as this is the only way I have to make a living for my six children while my husband is confined in a hospital, I will do my best to please you .

WASHING & IRONING WANTED

Mrs. Odis Perry,
At Mrs. Chas. Smith's residence 3 blks
west of Court House 32tf

FOR SALE: I have three adjoining Misses Doris Foy, Oleta W ite and lots 50x150 ft. in block 66 one block

FOR SALE: Canary Birds for Sale See Mrs. Frank Hinds, Baird, Texas.

FOR SALE: Five R. J. R. Cockrels. bred from a \$100 Cock. \$5 each, Twenty Trap nest young hens. All dark reds \$1.50 each. Two Cornish Staggs, \$3. Mrs. Geo. E. Biggerstaff, Putnam, Texas.

FOR RENT: A Four room cottage, with bath and garage, suitable for couple or small family, for rent. Apply to Otis Bowyer.

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FOR RENT: Two room apartment, with bath connection. Phone 290. Mrs. R. E. Nunnally.

FOR SALE: One new 5 room Bungalow House with built in features, and bath, in West part of Baird. See W. M. Coffman, with Home Lumber Company.

Electric Shoe Shop

BANKS

THE FINANCIAL CONDITION Of the FARMERS STATE BANK at Putnam State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June 1927, I published in The Baira Star, a newspaper published at Baird, State of Texas, on the 15th day of July 1927.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts,
personal or collateral \$237,603.37
Loans Secured by Real Estate
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good 2,26114
Bonds and Stocks, 3,399.41
Real Estate (banking house) 5,000.00
Other Real Estate 6,113.91
Furniture and Fixtures , 2.700.00
Cash on hand 9,818.04
Due from approved reserve agents 20,020,39
Due from other Banks and Bankers,
subject to check on demand 5,889.09
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty, Fund 1,053.71
Assessment Depositor's Guarantee Fund 2,500.00
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange un-
doubtedly good 953.10
Other Resources-Commercial Paper 8,078.41
Total \$305,390.57

LIABILITIES

ı	Capital Stock paid in \$25,000.00
ı	Certified Surplus Fund 10,000.00
ŀ	Other Surplus Fund 15,000.00
ı	Undivided Profits, net 10,220.00
۱	Due to Banks and Bankers ,
١	Individual Deposit subject to check
ı	on which no interest is paid 245,170.50
ı	Total \$306.390,5
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	Detains and R L Clinton as Cashier of sale
۱	bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and
	belief J. A. CLEMENTS, Vice-Pres
	Deller D I CLINTON Cashier

"O, its great to live at CLYDE amon the fruits and flowers."

Baird Electric Shoe Shop, for quick and good service, while you waite.

B. L. BOYDSTUN

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U. S. Air Pilots Constantly Beset by Dangers, Archives Reveal.

Washington.-Everyone entering or leaving Washington cannot help be ing struck by these words carved high on the pediment of the United States Post Office building:

"Neither snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their ap pointed rounds."

These lines, written by Herodotus, probably describe better than any con temporary the glory which every American attaches to the air mail service since Col. Charles A. Lindbergh made his flight. Yet they were not written with any New York-to-Paris flight in mind, but as a compliment to the couriers of Cyrus the Great hundreds of years before the birth of Christ, writes H. Cabot Lodge,

Jr., in the New York Herald-Tribune. Colonel Lindbergh has shown us that they are not an overstatement, but how many of us realize that hidden in the yellowing archives of the Post Office department are reports of air mail flyers who by their thoughtless bravery justified that tribute be-fore Colonel Lindbergh became the cynosure of all eyes?

The reports of air mail pilots in the Post Office department reflect that very humor, heroism and modesty which every one now exalts in Colonel Lindbergh. The corps to which he belongs is a magnificent background for him, and more should be known about these men who risk their lives throughout the twenty-four hours so that a business letter may reach San Francisco on time.

It is hard to make a selection from the wealth of material in the archives of the Post Office department. One first of all is struck by the many humorous incidents connected with the air mail service, which are all toe often coupled with desperate flights against the elements in a Rocky mountain gorge.

Wants Ride if Plane Is Safe. Here is a worthy on a Utah ranch who makes this unique contribution to the division superintendent:

"Your flying machines pass over my ranch nearly every day and I am quite interested in them. If they are absolutely safe I would like to take a ride some day when I come up to Salt Lake. I noticed one passing the other day which didn't have any propeller on. It seemed to be in a terrible hurry to get to Salt Lake to get another propeller."

Then there are stories of planes which land on rabbits and of eagles which land on planes and are pursued by their mates. One eagle got caught in a strut of the plane's wing, and when removed the pilot was interested to find that it had a wing spread of eight feet and weighed eight pounds.

A novel version of Charles A. Dana's definition of news is recorded when a dog tried to bite an airplane at the Concord (Calif.) field. The propeller cut the dog's bead off and flung it in the face of a nearby pilot with such force as to cut a large gash in his

But these humorous anecdotes are the navoring for the real but the story of everyday heroism which these records contain. There is "Red" Andert, for instance, one of Lindbergh's brothers in arms on the route from Salt Lake City to Pasco, Wash. One night last December "Red"-his real name is Paul-had some rough riding, which is told in the following report by his division superintendent:

"Andert hit the mountain ranges covered solid with heavy fog. He stuck his nose into it, but couldn't see the end of his wing, so changed his mind then and there. No breaks in the fog for over thirty miles-but he wouldn't come back. Landed on a highway leading through a pass and started taxiing to the summit. His progress may not have been so 'swift,' but it was 100 per cent complete,"

Roads "Bad" for Planes.

The report then explains the difficulties of driving over mountain roads in an airplane, and then states that "Red" was stopped because one of the wings of his plane hit a post.

"Then he walked several miles," the report continued, "and bired a Ford truck to tow him over the saddle. Got sufficient visibility to take off-right off the road Another hour of flying and more fog. No road to land on this time but there was a river deep down between steep walls on either side. He made for it, flying under the bank of fog just above the water. Thirty miles of this. Then the fog

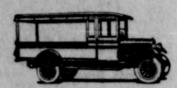
"Andert was now in unfamiliar territory. Over another mountain covered with fog and landed at a farmhouse to get location. The house, he found, was empty. While he had gone to the house his idling motor had stopped. The main gasoline tank was in the emergency tank. From the time he had been out and the way his compass had been spinning he could have been in Colorado, Wyoming, Oregon or possibly Idaho, where he was supposed to be.

"He started out again and soon hit a clear space and familiar territory. Arrived in Boise, having been out eight hours for a trip of a little more than 300 miles."

Another pilot, C. K. Vance, by name on into a snow storm on the Nevada-















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HEAD-HUNTERS' LIFE DESCRIBED

Chief of South American Tribe Presents Foe's Skull to Doctor's Wife.

New York .- When Dr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Dickey recently visited New York following a nine months trip through the jungles of South America they brought with them a mummified head and apparent disillusion regard ng the romanticism of head-hunting. A chieftain presented the head to Mrs. Dickey as a token of respect for med ical services rendered by her husband.

Doctor and Mrs. Dickey left Guayaquil, Ecuador, in which state Doctor Dickey is a practicing physician, October 25, 1925, and were nine months on the trip. They first of all crossed the Andes, and then traveled about 300 miles on foot, Mrs. Dickey, the first white woman to attempt the journey, being carried in a chair strapped to Indians' backs. Reaching the Napo river, Doctor Dickey bought two mahogany canoes for \$24 and the party paddled and shot rapids 1,000 miles to the Amazon. Then followed a 2,000-mile trip down the Amazon to Para, Brazil.

Live in Primitive Fashion. Doctor Dickey said the South American head-hunters live in scattered and small tribes. They exist in primitive fashion, and, contrary to popular belief, will not disturb whites as long as they are left alone. He thought a dry, but there were ten gallons of gas large band might be attacked. for there is still a memory of the rubber and slave days, but a few traveling through would not be disturbed. He nimself spent six weeks in the encampment of a head-hunting chieftain, and was able to take pictures of the entire process of mummifying a dead enemy's features.

His direct acquaintance with the chieftain began over a snake bite, he said, and went on to state that, again contrary to popular belief, there are not many snakes in the jungles. One

of a swollen river and were wonder ing how to cross. An Indian came with the statement that a sick man was lying on the ground a little distance behind them, so the physician took his kit and went to see what was the trouble. He found a head-hunter suffering with snake bite, treated him and then, on invitation, accompanied the warrior to his encampment.

Almost the first prize which was shown him was the body of a downriver warrior named Anguashi who had been killed not long before and whose head was then being treated for display purposes. During his stay at the village Doctor Dickey watched the method used in hardening the flesh and shrinking it to about a sixth of the normal size. When Anguashi had been fully treated, Doctor Dickey said, the chieftain gave it to Mrs Dickey as a token of respect. He added that they left early the next morn ing so that the donor would have no time to take the rather unpleasant trinket back.

Women Are Slovenly.

As for South American head-hunters in general, he said, they speak no language he had heard, and the one they use is composed, it seemed, almost entirely of grunts. The men are well built in a strong and sturdy way, he continued, while the women were slovenly and tawary looking. Among the head-hunting tribes the

cause of casualty is usually a woman. he said. A warrior from one tribe will visit an adjoining encampment and steal a wife. She usually goes without much resistance, but her brothers-and former husbands-immediately pursue, steal some of the captor's wives and kill as many men in the rival tribe as they are able.

It is considered quite a feat, he added, for the raiding party to capture the original thief alive and take him back with them. Torture of the most savage kind is then the next thing on the program, and after the victim is dead, his head is treated, made smaller, and then worn as a macabre necklace.

After a woman is captured by a rival tribe she is immediately set to work. Between snatches of manual labor she brings to-the children and

cares for the dogs which run wild all through the encampment. As she gets older it is the woman, strangely enough, who becomes the distillery, chewing the yuca plant and making the mush, which, when fermented, forms a highly intoxicating drink.

When asked as to the weapons used by the head-hunters, Doctor Dickey replied that they were blow-guns and darts poisoned at the point. He smiled and added that the poison on the darts was for the most part manufactured in Hamburg, Germany, and found its way into the middle of the forests by a succession of merchants and itinerant traders.

Find Balzac Paid Bills by Writing Ads in Novels

Paris. - Balzac, French literary genius and creator of the "Human Comedy," was an early discoverer of the uses of publicity.

Henri Clouzot and Rene Valensi.

two enthusiastic students of Balzaciana, have brought to light the fact that tailors, hatters, bootmakers. dressmakers, milliners, pastry cooks and caterers frequently mentioned in Balzac's stories were real persons. He thus conferred upon them a measure of immortality in proportion to the amount of their unpaid bills.

Huge Lumber Savings by New Inventions

Washington. — Devices which the National Lumber Manufacturers' association says will save 100,000,000 feet of timber annually by elimination of waste have been perfected as the result of an invention contest sponsored by that 'organization,

The first prize of \$1,000 was for an invention known as the 'multiple guide dimension mill." A second of \$500 was for an automatically operated scale and indicator attachment for saw mill edgers; three awards of \$100 each and four of \$50 also were

Dig Up Ruins Believed to Be Timur's Palace

Samarkand, U. S. S. R .- Remains of walls of what is believed to have been one of the palaces belonging to Timur or Tamerlane, the renowned Oriental conqueror of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth centuries, have been unearthed by excavators here. The walls appear to have been richly decorated with frescoes and other ornamenta-

"Timur the Lame," who carried his victorious arms from the Volga to the Persian gulf and from the Hellespont to the Ganges, had his capital in Samarkand, once the richest city in the Orient, and it was from there that he started on his famous expedition to conquer India. From this venture he is said to have taken back to his native city an immense quantity of spoil and 90 elephants laden with stones of a peculiar quality with which to build his palace.

********* Briton Finds New Way to Get Auto Repaired

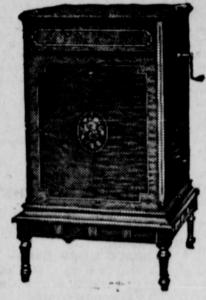
London.-A new way to get one's automobile repaired has been discovered by a London man. The formula is to leave it standing alongside another one of the same make in the hope that the owner of the other car will mistake it for his own and put it in order.

Anyway this happened at a seaside resort recently. A Londoner returned in the evening to the place where his car was parked but on getting into it he found that it wouldn't start. Thereupon he climbed out, removed and cleaned the spark plugs, tuned up the magneto and adjusted the carburetor. The car started off beautifully just as the real owner rushed up shouting, "Police." The first man then found his own car just behind the one wilch he had so kindly repaired.

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insects That Harass Crops in Callfornia Similar to Those That Afflicted Egypt.

Washington.-The plague of grasshoppers now threatening the grain region of northern California is made up of insects similar to the plague of ocusts that afflicted Egypt in the days of Moses. True locusts are all winged grasshoppers. In seasons favorable to their hatching they often appear in dense swarms, following a definite line of march, or rather of flight, and destroying every green thing that hes before them.

Officials of the bureau of entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture state that while the present California outbrenk may be a fittle more severe than usual, it is by no ans an isolated or unusual event. Every year there is more or less of a grasshopper problem in the California grain belt, at about the time when the what is in the "dough" stage of ripening. The half-hardened grains seem to represent the grasshoppers' idea of the ideal food.

The grasshoppers fatch in the spring from eggs laid in the ground during the previous fall. Eggs laid in plowed land are of course exposed in plowed land are of course exposed to the weather and destroyed, but al-falfa fields normally stand for a number of years without plowi these make favorable beds hoppers' eggs.

It is emphasized that the report of seventeen-year locusts," that preads abroad whenever there is an or like the present one, has whatever to do with grassh The insects commonly called teen-year locusts are really sev year cicadas, and are much mor ly related to squash bugs than they are to grasshoppers.

Barefoot Pupil Sent

Home, Returns Glorified San Francisco.—A barefooted soy in overalls still can have all the education he wants in the public schools of a modern city.

San Francisco determined that in quick order when a deluge of public protest following the ousting of a boy, eleven, from the Harrison grammar school because he attended classes clad only in overalls, forced school authorities to order the lad back to

The boy is Robert Anderson. His father is in a government hospital, a disabled veteran of the World war. His mother has been working to sup-port him and his sister on \$50 a

Robert was told by his princip Mrs. Alice B. Norton, to go home and stay there until he could dress more suitably for school. The matter be-

came public.

Leaders in every walk of public life, including city, county and state officials, joined in a horm of protest against the action as un-American and an indictment of the modern school system. Three hours later Superin-Bobby Anderson back to school in his overalls.

"There will be no aristocracy of dress here," he said.

It was admitted Bobby's overalls always were clean and the boy always

Radio Program Doesn't

Aid Cows, Helps Milkers Olympia, Wash.-Experiments conducted by the state dapartment of agriculture as to whether cows give more milk and freer when the dairy barns are filled with radio music programs show that rbythm does not affect the cattle but does influence the human attendants.

In milking barns where grand opera stars warbled and jazz orchestras syncopated, men and women alding in milking were good natured and con-tented. They handled the cows gen-tly, adjusting the milking machinery neatly and quickly, kept out of each other's way, hummed tunes and whistled softly.

The responses to such affection coaxed greater quantities of milk from the milch animals, declare agriculture scientists

Five Million in Oil

Is Woman's Record Tulsa, Okla.—The oil industry has bestowed the title of "Oil King in Petticosts" upon Mrs. Charles Murray, president of a \$15,000,000 oil concern and the first and only woman oll opera-tor in Oklahoma.

"Plain luck is the only basis of my success," Mrs. Murray

Within six months after she Within six months after she entered the oil game, she had amassed a fortune of \$5,000,000, she admits. Discouraged by minor reversos she deserted the oil industry for two years but returned as head of the recently organized Murray Oil company. This time, she intends to stay.

Mrs. Murray is her own geologist, financial manager and

gist, financial manager and drilling superintendent. She wears overalls, boots and gaunt-lets and wades into the muck and mud of the oil fields for her

HOOKED RUGS CHANGE STYLE

Ancient New England Art Is Undergoing Process of Evolution.

Boston.-Much has happened to the oldtime hooked rug of New Eng land since it left the farm and journeyed to the city. Its evolution has proceeded until the housewife of other days would scarcely recognize the product. Present-day hooked rugs of fine yarns sheered on top have little of the home-made, hand-made tool that constituted the old rug's charm. Even those made of rags, such as the early housewife used, bear the marks of the impulse to try to improve de

The craft is a very old one. Some collectors assert that hooked rugs antedate the Revolution; other researchers deduce that they come from still earlier times, even before 1700; others, that they did not make their appearance until the early part of the Nineteenth century. There are examples extant that were made on foundations of homespun linen.

Hooking Rugs Yankee Art. In any case, hooking rugs was a part of the down east domestic handicraft, and they were being made as iate as 45 years ago. The frame was homemade and so was the pattern. The figures were drawn on the burlap background with a bit of charcoal. They represented a local scene, con-

in action, geometric designs. The material was generally wornout bits of wool, cotton or silk cloth, dyed at home to get the colors wanted, and torn into narrow strips. In New England the hooking frolic was once as popular as the husking bee and the quilting party. The women gathered around the rug frame, which was supported on wooden horses, and hooked until coffee and cake, or apples and nuts, molasses candy and popcorn were passed around.

ventionalized flowers, a dog or a horse

At present a woman does her rug alone, except for occasional aid from a kindly disposed house guest; hooking now is a pastime, no longer the sole means whereby floors might be covered.

Material is now turned out by the factory ready prepared, either yarns or strips of cloth wound into skeins of any color. The old-time frame, ade of four strips of wood nailed ther at the corners, has been re-red by a standing loom, and the

But the greatest change in rug making has to do with the pat-tern. This comes stamped, in the manufacturer's idea of what are the proper colors. Rug makers who adsek in vain for such patterns as will give their product the air of age.

The hooked rug now aspires to ape all sorts of rugs rather than to be itself-a heresy begun in Nova Scotia. One enthusiast copies an oriental rug with her hook. Another books a Persian prayer mat or a Navajo blanket. "Mayflower" and "Priscilla" eclipsed in popularity by "Bubbles" and "Madame Butterfly." Designs are taken from Chinese carpets, embellished with dragons or chrysanthemums, and from Mexican rugs. Some might be described as a futurist artist's impression of Coney Island on the Fourth of July.

Betrayed by Radio Love,

Gets Months to Repent London.-Love may be entered as as excuse for many crimes, but when love is linked up with radio the reason is not always considered valid. This fact was vividly demonstrated to Clifford Roberts, who was found guilty of stealing radio apparatus valued at approximately \$200 at Wolverhampton, England, recently. His defending counsel pleaded that it was simply a love of wireless that had made his client commit the offense, but the magistrate was unmoved by the appeal and sentenced Roberts to hree months' hard labor.

Would Prohibit Airplanes Flying Over Their City

Kenosha, Wis.—The Kenosha Adscord as favoring curtailing of airplane flights over the city as a public safety measure, in view of the fact that the vehicles are coming into more general use. In adopting the motion the association pointed out that there would be few objections to cross-city lights if the planes were at a height sufficient to allow them to glide to open country in case of engine or other trouble, but that many aviators would fly at too low an altitude to allow this.

"Irish Navy" Sold

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the event, Cisco is putting the finishing touches on the plans for a Homer D. Wade assisting. mammoth celebration here Friday of next week when the Lake Cisco Bridge an dother lake projects will be dedicated. At that time ceremonies will be held dedicating the bridge, which tops the largest hollow type concrete dam in the world; State northwest of Cisco toward Albany and Stamford and connect that part of the state with the Bankhead Highway; the Cisco Country Club, which has been enlarged and completed; the \$50,000 State fish hatchery recently completed here; and last but not least the\$100,00 Lake Cisco Bathing Beach the largest concrete swimming pool in the world, the first half of which has just recently been opened.

by the principal address to be desystem of amplifiers costing more than \$1,000 has been installed about heard without difficulty all over the Creager an dother republican leaders of Texas; State Railroad Com- clared. missioner C. V. Terrell and Lon

and members of the State Highway Commission. The West Texas Cham-Cisco, July 22 ber of Commerce is assisting in arrangments for the mammoth event, With a goal of 50,000 persons set and President Bob Haynie of Abilene will probably preside, with Manager

The day will be a gala event other- 1927. wise. Swimming and diving contests 32-3t. are to be held at the bathing beach, while motor boat races will take place on Lake Cisco. William E. Eastwood Jr., of Dallas, who has offered a Highway 23 which will serve the great fly from Dallas, to Hong Kong, China will fly to Cisco with one or more entries in the noted aerial competition, and if possible to obtain an amphibian plane, will land on Lake Cisco, the first ever to accomplish this feat. Mr. Eastwood will also June 1927, in a certain cause wheremake an address on aviation.

The crowning event of the day will be a bathing girl revue at night, to take place at the great bathing beach. The program for the day is headed Already 31 girls have been entered by Cisco firms and individuals, while livered by Governor Dan Moody. A many towns in West Texas will have their fairest daughters representing them in the revue. Valuable prizes the lake so that all speakers may be have been offered for the prettiest bathing girls, and a committee of celebration grounds. Numerous other distinguished judges, probably headed men prominent in state and political by Governor Dan Moody will select and business circles are to be present, the winners. Cisco has in the past including Thomas L. Blanton; State been famous for its bathing girls Republican Committeeman, R. B. revues, but this year all previous attempts are to be outdone, it is de-

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You are hereby commanded to ause to be published, once a week for twenty days, exclusive of the day of publication, before the return day hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation published in said county, which has been continuously and regularly published in said county for a period of not less than one year, the following notice: The State of Texas., To all persons

interested in the Estate of Christopher C. Dunlap, Deceased.

Known ye, that S. N. Dunlap, administrator of the estate of Christopher C. Dunlap, deceased, having on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1927, filed in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, his application to sell the following described No land belonging to said estate:

24 acres undivided out of a tract No. of 72 acres of land, situated in Calla-No. han Co., Texas, said 72 acres being tract No. 3, described in and set No. 5 apart to Chris Dunlap, Okie Dunlap and Jewell Dunlap by decree entered in the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, on April 14, 1919, in No. Cause No. 1836, as shown by the No. 2, minutes of said court, said 72 acres No. being a part of surveys Nos. 150 and No. 151 of the BBB & C RR Co. Lands, No. and further described by field notes No. as follows:

Beginning 6681/2 vrs. South of the Northeast corner of the Southeast quarter of Survey No. 150, BBB & C. RR Co. land; Thence South 423 8-10 vrs. Thence West 950 vrs. Thence North 423 8-10 vrs. Thence East 950 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Now, Therefore, these are to notify all persons interested in said estate to be and personally appear at the next regular term of the Honorably County Court, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in Aug. A. D. 1927, same being the 1st day of said month, and then and there to show cause why such sale should not Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 6th day of July A. D.

S. E. Settle Clerk, County Court Callahan County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is Hereby Given, that by virture of a certain execution issued by the Clerk of the County Court of Stephens County, on the 15th day of in R. C. Payne is plaintiff, and J. O. Jamison is defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 3rd day of May 1927 in favor of the said plaintiff R. C. Payne against said defendant J. O. Jamison for the sum of Three Hundred Seventy Six and 52-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10% per centum pef annum from date of judgment together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, an the 25th day of July, 1927, it being the fourth Monday of said month, at Baird, Texas, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of J. O. Jamison in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of J. O. Jamison:

1 Model D Fort Worth Spudder; 1 Case Tractor; 1 tool box; 1 Monitor Motor; 1 Champion Blower; 1 Chain Hoist: 1 track complete; 2 casing blocks; 1 circle and jack; 2 wrenches; 1 8" bailer; 1 6" bailer; 1 anvil; 1 slack tub; 2 6%" bits; 1 10" bit; 1 latch jack; 3 tanks; 2 house jacks; 1 dynamo No. 248213 and 1 stem.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Three Hundred Seventy Six and 52-1000 Dollars, in favor of R. C. Payne, together, with the costs said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

Everett Hughes, Sheriff Callahan County, Texas. Baird, Texas, July 12, 1927.

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TRAIN SCHEDULE

and Sold by

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West Bound Trains Arrives 6:40 p. m.

Departs 6:50 p. m. Arrives 3:10 p. m. Departs 3:20 p. m. Arrives 3:50 a. m. Departs 3:55 a. m.

East Bound Trains

Departs 1:20 p. m. Departs 1:25 a. m.

HEART SECONDARY. ASSERT'S DOCTOR

Cell Activity Forces Blood in System, He Says.

Berlin.-Prof. Martin Mendelschn, ed the chair of diseases of the heart in Berlin university since 1899, has put forward the extraordi-nary theory that the heart is not the prime power for life, but as an organ plays only a secondary part. His theory is that the activity of the cells of the body, in absorbing and eliminating fydids, constitute the chief motive power in forcing the blood through the

delsohn calls attention to the fact that many persons with exceedingly weak hearts continue to live, although in tnese particular cases it is impossible to believe that their hearts can pump the blood through the body.

Professor Mendelsohn first propounded his theory in the new medical weekly, Die Medizinische Zeit, in a recently published article, which subsequently was taken up by Alfred Kerr of the Berliner Tageblatt. An elaborate discourse on the subject is being prepared by Doctor Mendelsohn for an early meeting of the medical so-

The author of this new theory contends that "the human body's motive power is represented by the cellular activity of the glands and skin in absorbing and excreting liquids which furnish the requisite fuel for the human motor, whereas the heart and blood circulation merely play a regulative role in distributing such fuel and resulting refuse to and from the various motors throughout the body, namely, the internal, glandular and epidermic cells."

Doctor Mendelsohn says that this explains many cases of the burial of persons apparently dead, and he argues that other tests besides cessation of the heart beat are necessary to establish true death.

Special Outfit Saves

Fallen Totem Poles Vancouver, B. C .- The dominion gov-

ernment totem pole preservation out-Arrives 11:30 a. m. fit has arrived at Skeena Crossing, B. Departs 11:40 a. m. C., with a flat car load of hoisting Arrives 1:10 p. m. gear including the huge derrick used for erecting fallen poles. This gear Arrives 1:15 a. m. came from the totem pole village of Kitwanga, where the government work

of totem pole preservation was carried on during the last two seasons to the great interest of the tourists who are allowed to walk through the Githsan Indian village while the

trains stop for water. This year the work of totem pole preservation will be carried on at Gytsegyuela, a village about a mile below Skeena Crossing, where there are 18 huge totem poles close to the river bank plainly seen from the railroad car windows for over half a mile on the opposite side of the Skeena

The northern end of the Pacific highway is at present within four miles of Gytsegyuela so that automobile parties from many parts of the United States can now come close to this remarkable collection of totem poles and in a few weeks the road gang will resume work on the highway and push it on past Skeena Crossing, Gytsegyuela and well toward Kitwanga during the present season.

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