





FACTS YOU CAN BET ON.

The oldest and largest tobacco factory in the world is in Jersey City, N. J.
This factory makes the popular and work-famed Climax Plug, the acknowledged standard for first-class chewing tobacco.
This factory was established as long ago as 1760.
That last year (1896) it made and sold the enormous quantity of 5,700,000 lbs. or fourteen it would fill ten tons of tobacco.
That this was more than one-seventh of all the tobacco made in the United States notwithstanding that there were 966 factories at work.
That in the last 25 years this factory has helped support the United States Government to the extent of over forty-four million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$47,000,000) paid into the U. S. Treasury in Internal Revenue Taxes.
That the pay-roll of this factory is about \$4,000,000 per year or \$400,000 per week.
That this factory employs about 3,000 operatives.
That this factory makes such a wonderful good plug in Climax Plug that many other factories have tried to imitate it in vain, and in despair now try to attract custom by offering larger pieces of inferior goods for the same price.
That this factory nevertheless continues to increase its business every year.
That this factory belongs to and is operated by Yours, very truly, P. LORILLARD & CO.



PLOWS, WAGONS, DRILLS, AND ALL FARM IMPLEMENTS, CHEAPER THAN EVER FOR CASH OR ON REASONABLE TIME. J. L. LEA & CO.

Big Stone Grocery Store.

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LARGER STOCK OF GROCERIES, THEREFORE BUY AND SELL CHEAPER THAN ANYONE.

D. M. OSBORNE'S HARVESTING MACHINERY Cheap and on Liberal Terms. J. L. LEA & CO.

The Attention of the town trade is called to the fact that we have a Big Stock of Canned Goods of all kinds at Old Prices, Bought Before the rise.

The Baird Weekly Star.

W. E. GILLILAND, Publisher & Proprietor. THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1888. ANNOUNCEMENTS. Rates and terms for announcements in THE STAR, for the ensuing campaign, to wit: State or District Office - - - - - \$10. County Office - - - - - \$5. Precinct Office - - - - - \$2.50.

W. H. Gilliland left Tuesday, for Hot Springs, Arkansas. Miss Ora Edwards, of Abilene, stopped at Baird yesterday, on her way from Belle Plaine, where she had been attending the closing exercises of Belle Plaine College.

The Conference. We are requested to announce that there will be preaching at the Methodist Church at 11 a. m. and at night, during the session of the District Conference. All are cordially invited to attend.

STOP PAYING High prices For GROCERIES! It is no longer necessary. There has been a reduction in profits. It is still going on, and we are leaders in Low Prices. The reign of terror caused by high prices and hard times, is over, and

To the farmers of Callahan: If you need anything in the way of Farm Machinery, such as Wagons, Plows, Reapers, Mowers, Wheat Drills, Threshers, etc. Don't buy until you get our terms and prices. We will not be undersold by any house in Texas.

Get your Cotton Seed For planting, for cash or on time, at J. L. LEA & CO'S. Rock salt. S. L. OGLE. My selling price is lower than any body's cost. T. E. POWELL.

THE FORT WORTH WEEKLY GAZETTE Is acknowledged to be the leading Newspaper of Texas. We have made arrangements with this excellent Journal to club with The Baird Weekly Star at \$2.25 per annum.

Latest Styles of Ladies HATS, At J. D. Windham & Sons. TECUMSEH, TEXAS.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. L. GOULD, BAIRD, TEXAS. D. J. WILSON, M.D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. (Local Surgeon for T. & P. R. B. Co.) Office with BAIRD DRUG CO. Office days Tuesdays and Saturdays. 1-15. BAIRD, TEXAS.

For District Judge. We are authorized to announce T. H. CONNER, of Eastland, as a candidate for re-election to the office of District Judge, of this the 42d. Judicial District, at the ensuing election.

G. E. Nelson shipped two cars of horses yesterday, to Memphis, Tenn. A. G. Webb put in a few horses, and shipped with the lot.

We are informed, by what we consider reliable authority, that Judge E. E. Solomon will shortly return home, and that his announcement as a candidate for County Judge may be expected any week.

GROCERIES AND PRODUCE in the city, and promise to give you some figures you never seen before. OUR MOTTO - Quality Highest, Prices, Lowest.

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R. G. POWELL, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. OFFICE Third door South of the Postoffice. 1-15, BAIRD, TEXAS.

District & County Clerk. We are authorized to announce T. H. FLOYD, as a candidate for District and County Clerk, at the ensuing November election.

Judge McIlhenny announces as a candidate this week for re-election, Judge McIlhenny has served one term as judge and his record is well known to the people of Callahan county.

Notice to the Public School Teachers of Callahan Co. You are respectfully notified that a meeting of the Public School teachers of Callahan county is called to take place in Baird on the 16th inst.

Notice Adair & Clark's ad. They have the largest stock of Jewelry west of Fort Worth. Send them your orders. Abilene, Texas.

A CHILD KILLED. Another child killed by the use of opiates given in the form of soothing syrup. Why mothers give their children such deadly poison is surprising when they can relieve the child of its peculiar troubles by using Acker's Baby Soother.

At T. E. POWELL'S and get good ones. Prof. Chas. Smith, of Cisco, opened a singing school here last Monday.

DEBERTY & WHEELER Atty's-At-Law, LAND AND COLLECTING AGENTS. CISO, TEXAS.

For County Treasurer. We are authorized to announce JOHN W. DAY, as a candidate for County Treasurer, at the ensuing November election.

Horticultural Society. At a meeting of the Callahan County Horticultural Society held June 7th, 1888, Messrs. W. J. Maltby and D. Richardson were duly selected and authorized to represent Callahan county, in charge of the exhibit at the ensuing Dallas State Fair.

Fruit Jars! Fruit Jars! Mason Fruit Jars, quart and half gallon, Patent glass protectors. For Sale by HARRY MEYERS.

Full line of coffins. L. GOULD. Fresh butter on ice. S. L. OGLE. Fly paper at R. PHILLIPS'.

A HEALTHY GROWTH. Acker's Blood Elixir has gained a firm hold on the American people and is acknowledged to be superior to all other preparations.

Special Offer No. 2. Any subscriber to this paper can have their Strag stack, or strays on the range, advertised free of charge.

W. H. CLIBETT, Atty at Law BAIRD, TEXAS.

LOCALETTES. Dry. Go to church. More candidates. District Conference in session. Organize the school community.

Their Business Booming. Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at Baird Drug Co.'s Store, as their giving away to their customers so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption.

A Veteran of Four Wars. [Washington Letter in Milwaukee Sentinel.] I saw Gen. Joe Johnston on the avenue yesterday. He is beginning to look old. It is time, for he was born in 1805.

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Ladies Hats! Ladies Hats! Fine line Ladies Hats, (latest styles) just received direct from New York.

F. S. BELL, ATTORNEY AT LAW AND LAND AGENT, BAIRD, TEXAS.

Several articles left over and R. E. P.'s letter was unavoidably crowded out this week.

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NEW BARBER SHOP, Proprietors: Respectfully solicit a share of business in their line. 1-15.

The Alliance held a large and enthusiastic meeting here last Saturday, to aid the Alliance Exchange at Dallas. The meeting was secret, and, of course, we know nothing in regard to the business transacted; however, it was rumored that they raised about \$500 in cash for the Exchange.

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THE OLD MAN AND JIM.

BY JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY.

Old man never had much to say,
'Ep'in to Jim was the wildest boy he had...

CHAPTER VI.
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THE GOVERNESS.

BY J. E.

CHAPTER V (CONTINUED).
The next day Dorothy was to have a holiday, and so she kept closely to her room...

The Mad Ride of a Cavalry General.
The late Governor John S. Marmaduke of Missouri was 55 years old and a confirmed bachelor...

George West's Start.
Congressman George West, the paper manufacturer of Ballston, met at the Fifth Avenue Hotel recently the man who had assisted to erect a paper factory nearly forty years ago...

A Reflex of Patience.

One morning, several days ago, while on a North Side (Chicago) cable car coming toward the city, I sat near a man who held a small boy on his lap...

CHAPTER VII.
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As Others See Us.

This, "the returned missionary to the Poor Heathen whom he had brought over," is a church.

A LARGE SYNDICATE FORMED—CROPS.

A large syndicate has been formed in San Angelo, composed of Messrs. Leon Blum and M. Marx of Galveston, A. G. Nason, of San Diego, Cal., and a capitalist of San Francisco, Cal., to purchase all of Johnathan Miles' land and cattle interests for \$200,000.

A WOMAN FALLS DEAD.

State Photographers Adjourn to Meet in Fort Worth—A New Cotton Crop—Press—Railroad Gossp.

Why She Puckered.

I will tell you how it happens. The man sometimes will make slips. We were sitting close together. When she puckered up her lips...

A Sign of Weakness.

It is said that the truly great man is never sensitive to honest criticism. Why should not the analogy be carried out still further? Why should we not say, the truly great nation is never sensitive to honest criticism?

A RUNNING FIGHT.

Officers Chasing the Alleged Gordon Train Robbers—One Probably Wounded. Cisco is full of officers to-night from the surrounding counties in search of the parties charged with the Gordon train robbery on the 14th of June, 1887.

A Great Legacy.

To begeth to your children, is a strong, clean, pure constitution—better than wealth, power, or position—more valuable than any other inheritance.

Ants That Build Boats and Kill Snakes.

There are certain ants that show wonderful intelligence, and the "driver ants" not only build boats, but launch them; too, only those boats are formed of their own bodies. They are called "driver" because of their ferocity.

Hood's Sarsaparilla.

More general at this season than any other. The bitter taste, offensive breath, coated tongue, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness, loss of appetite, indigestion, and general debility, are all cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Paine's Compound. It fills a place heretofore unoccupied, and marks a new era in the treatment of nervous debility...

Warner's Safe Cure. It has been before the public now about ten years, and in that time has proved itself to be all that it has been represented.

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THE OUTGROWTH OF A VAST EXPERIENCE. The treatment of many thousands of cases of chronic weakness and distressing ailments...

A VOICE FROM CALIFORNIA. Mrs. Ed. M. Campbell, of Oakland, California, writes: "I had been troubled all my life with nervous prostration and general debility."

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