

# The Baird Star.

Our Motto: "Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Git-Up-And-Get That Makes Men Great."

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GUY W. GREEN  
Layman Evangelist

## REVIVAL WILL BEGIN MONDAY NIGHT, JUNE 27TH.

"Col." Guy W. Green, a Layman Evangelist, of Kansas City Mo. and B. Edwards Feiso, a Soloist and Gospel Singer of St. Louis, Mo., will begin a Revival Meeting in the Presbyterian Monday night, June 27th. Be sure and hear these men. The Christian people of all denomination are asked to enter into these services. We trust that the visit of these good men of God will do all good. Mr. Green is a business man for many years, a editor; he is teacher of one of the largest "Men's Bible Classes" in the Presbyterian Church, starting with 75 men, it now goes over 700. Mr. Ferris who is an inspiring director, and has a very sympathetic baritone, will have charge of the song services.

Services at 8 p. m. Remember the date, June 27th and goes to July 10th. Be sure and help us with your presence and prayers.

A. W. Yell.

## Social Events Of The Past Week

Honoring Mrs. A. M. Cooper, a recent bride last Saturday evening, Mesdames W. B. Jones, Kate Hearn, James Ross and Miss Opal McFarlane entertained with a Bridal Shower and "42" party, at the home of Mrs. Jones. Guests were seated at thirteen tables of "42" Orange and white were the decorations throughout the house, also in the refreshment plate, which consisted of orange sherbert, chicked salad, potato chips and wafers. The plate favors were shasta daises and ferns.

The tables were moved out and the bride was asked to pull a string, which was attached to a large crepe paper orange suspended in the doorway, which showered her with rice—the gifts which were many and beautiful, were then presented.

On last Thursday afternoon the A. D. Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church met at the ranch home of Mrs. Bill Hatchett. Twenty-eight members and guests were present. Piecing of a quilt was enjoyed by those present, which included: Mesdames Burton Ray, Ross, Russell, Wilbanks, Brundage, Shaw, Harville, Melton, Beasley, Gillett, Grounds, Cummings, White, Short, Arvin, King Williams, Tankersley, Berry, Blackburn, Asbury and Miss Gunn, the guests were: Miss Long, of Weatherford, sister of the hostess. Mesdames Mitchell, Lydia and Mary Blackburn.

Mrs. Homer D. Driskill entertained with two tables of Bridge on Tuesday afternoon, honoring her sister, Mrs. Geo. E. Simons, of Okmulgee, Okla. In Bridge the high score prize went to Mrs. Earl Hall, low to Mrs. Ray, a prize was also presented the honoree. A refreshment plate of frozen fruit salad sandwiches, cheese fritters and ice tea was served to Mesdames Simons, Hinds, Earl Hall, Gus Hall, Ray, Evans, Jackson and Tatum.

## F. L. Wristen Installs New Cooling System

The West Texas Utilities Company installed a Frigidaire in F. L. Wristen's Market & Grocery, last week, a large ice box was also put in in connection with the Frigidaire, which is large and will keep all meats, vegetables and fruits in first class conditions.

## CENTERLINE TAMED COYOTES

Last Sunday (June 19th) at the TP Park an old "field-day" was held, with most of the pleasures and joy being confined to the few visitors who had followed the Centerline baseball team to Baird, while gloom and despair hovered over the mere handful of faithful Coyotes Fans who were present at the slaughter.

Centerline, geographically speaking is somewhere in the West, and they had ball players from All Over The West, and what we mean to say is, they surely could play Ball; they hit when hits meant runs, they fielded like demons, they ran bases at will, pilfering everything the Coyotes even to one or two pair of trousers, or pants, which you had rather call 'em

It was a great day for the Tallies, Thirteen being chalked-up during the regulation nine innings of agony, Centerline pushed over just Thirteen of the total number, while the Coyotes were content, or seemingly so, with Not Nary A One.

Baird Lineup:  
Bouchette, L. F.  
Wristen, 2nd.  
Gus Hall, 1st.  
Earl Hall, R F  
Raleigh Ray, R F  
Carter, 3rd  
Harold Ray, S S  
Lonnie Ray, C  
Gibson, P  
Olton Pool, C  
Stapp, P  
Centerline Lineup:  
Mickey Pool, 3rd  
Hodges, S S  
Boyd, C  
Stone, 1st  
Parsley F, 2nd  
Parsley D, R F  
Burden, P  
Hampton, L F  
Bailey, R F  
Riley, R F

While the Coyotes were white-washed, they must be given credit for putting forth an effort in the right direction, they were forced to go on the field with a rejuvenated line-up, due to various mishaps that had befallen part of the players, the Coyotes were in a batting slump, as well as a fielding and mental slump, they couldn't hit, they couldn't field, and when they did get their mits on a ball, they didn't seem to know what to do with it, but just remember, everytime a ball game is won, somebody has to be the losers, and since the Coyotes have won 9 and lost only four, it is not time to get out the old hammers and do too much knocking, just forget this last whipping and be on hand to help the Coyotes regain their former selves and it will be different.

Gus Hall for Baird, got a double in the first inning, but was left stranded when Earl flew out to the right-fielder for the last out; in the second Harold Ray got a single off the pitchers glove, after two were down and perished when Lon Ray struck out; in the third Gibson struck out, Pete Bouchette singled thru short, and Fred Wristen walked, but Gus Hall hit into a double play to retire the side; in the fourth Earl Hall first up singled by first base, but Raleigh Ray forced him at second, Carter struck out and Raleigh went out in an attempted steal of second; in the fifth, sixth and seventh the Coyotes went hitless; in the eighth Harold Ray first up singled over third, but perched on first base when Pool flew out to right field, Stapp went out pitcher to first and Pete grounded out short to first; in the ninth Wristen singled, Gus struck out, Earl sacrificed and was out to the first-baseman unassisted and Raleigh flew out to the rightfielder for the final out, with Baird having no runs and only six hits.

For Centerline it was far different in the first inning it was just three up and three down, but in the second, the big doings started, and ended after five big juicy tallies had been rushed across the platters; Stone first up singled thru second, Parley flew out to Earl Hall, who made a nice run and slide but held the ball, Parley singled to right sending Stone to third; Burden hit to Harold Ray at short, who fumbled, Stone scored Parley went to third and Burden to first; Hampton at bat, Burden went out stealing, Hampton singled to right scoring Parsley; Bailey singled to right Hampton stopping at third; Mickey Pool hit one to Carter, who seemingly touched Bailey, but the Umpire ruled the runner safe, during

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## DISTRICT COURT

The State of Texas vs H. A. Witliff for Embezzlement, Dismissed on motion of the District Attorney.

The State of Texas vs J. G. Brookshire: Assault with prohibited weapon, Dismissed on motion of District Attorney.

The State of Texas vs W. W. Lincecum: Continued for the term by operation of the law.

The State of Texas vs G. W. Lincecum: Assault to murder, continued by operation of the law.

The State of Texas vs L. F. Fife: Driving a car while intoxicated: Dismissed on motion of District Attorney.

The State of Texas vs John McGee: selling and transporting liquors tried and given one year in the State Penitentiary defendant has given notice of appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin, Texas.

The State of Texas vs C. A. Johnson for the murder of John Harris, which was transferred here from Eastland County, tried June 20th, and given 5 years in the State Penitentiary, he has also filed his notice of appeal, to the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin, Texas.

The State of Texas vs J. P. McMillian, selling liquors: continued to the next term.

The State of Texas vs Jim Smartt for Burglary: given two years in the State Penitentiary.

The State of Texas vs Erwin Hamlin, tried and given two years in the State Penitentiary, sentence suspended.

The State of Texas vs J. A. Lunsford for sale of liquor: verdict of not guilty.

The State of Texas vs Yewell Yatts: for arson, tried and given 2 years suspended sentence.

The State of Texas vs Lon McNeal: possession and transporting liquors tried and given one year and six months in the penitentiary, which said case has been appealed to the Court of Criminal Appeals, at Austin, Texas.

The State of Texas vs Lizzie Hill, for possessing liquors, continued for the term.

The State of Texas vs Hardy Mosley, possession and manufacturing liquors, tried and given 3 years in the Penitentiary.

## Patrick Hughes Dies

Patrick Hughes, brother of Mike M. T. Hughes, of Baird died last Saturday at Belle Plaine, and was buried in the Belle Plaine Cemetery Sunday evening. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Joe R. Mayes Pastor of the Baird Baptist Church.

Patrick Hughes was born in Richland County Illinois, March 17, 1862 and at time of his death was 65 years, three months and two days of age.

In January 25th 1882 he was married to Mrs. Clara Montgomery. Four children were born to them, two sons and two daughters, one daughter dying in infancy. The following children survive him: Mrs. Marcella Burgin, Noble III, J. W. and Virgie Hughes, of Baird; Mrs. Hughes died last month and was buried at Belle Plaine. Mr. Hughes was converted in young manhood and joined the United Brethren Church, and after moving to Texas, he and his wife joined the Methodist Church, South, in which church they remained until death called them home.

Pat Hughes was a good man, so say all who knew him. He was in ill health for a long time, though his death was not expected so soon.

## Ford Gives Details Of New Car Soon To Be Offered Public

Ford driver's idea of the millenium will soon be realized, or at least nearly so, announcement of the 1928 models from the Detroit factory.

A long standing foundation for jokes of all kinds, the 1928 Ford is going to grow up, stepping out with four-wheel brakes and what not. The machines will come equipped with standard gear shifts, three forward and one reverse, capable of making 60 miles an hour, while factory heads think one gallon of gasoline will be sufficient for 30 to 35 miles. The wheel base will be 104 inches.

Another innovation in the new car will be the cabriolet; otherwise the "inu Henry" will bear the same marks of yore. Prices f. o. b. Detroit, are: touring \$450; four door sedan, coupe \$490; sport roadster \$460; cabriolet \$470; two door sedan \$480.



This Baird Booster in the above picture is giving you some idea of the improvements that Baird is making on its water works; He is Bob Norrell, of the First National Bank. The picture was made at his home in West Baird.

## Married In Marshall McClung to Build Abilene Highway

Mr. Fredrick Campbell Buckingham, of Baird, and Miss Richard Beauregard Lancaster, of Marshall, were married at the home of the bride on June 7th. Rev. S. H. French, of the Baptist Church, reading the impressive ring ceremony in the presence of a large concourse of friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Buckingham are now visiting Mr. Buckingham's parents in Union City, Indiana, and on their return will make their home in Baird, where Mr. Buckingham has a position with the T. & P. Ry. Co.

## New Dodge "Six" Now On Display

T. M. Neill Motor Company have a new Dodge "Six" on display in their show room which is being admired by auto enthusiasts.

H. O. Tatum, Secretary of Baird Chamber of Commerce, spent several days in Fort Worth and Dallas this week on business, for the City of Baird

## AIDING MERCHANTS ADVANCES TOWN

Out-of Town Buying and Mail Order Support Should be Discontinued So as to Retain Prosperity Here

You should buy from Baird merchants because it pays you, as we have convinced you in foregoing articles of the series. It means money in your pocket.

And it means money out of your pocket if you don't. If you made a practice of shopping at city stores or if you order your goods shipped in by mail, you have only to figure up what these goods have cost you, and compare the total with what the same bill of goods would have cost at home.

For instance, the railroad fare or or auto trip, your hotel bill, the time you waste, the goods you buy that you don't need, the higher prices you pay on account of the stupendous overhead at the city store—all these things must be paid out of your pocket in addition to the value to the goods themselves, plus a reasonable profit.

Every dollar that goes to the counter of the local merchants pays tribute to the entire community. It comes back to you in fullest measure. The merchant has the interest of the home town at heart. If from nothing more than a selfish stand-point he is the best booster the home town has, because the greater the well-being of its citizens, the better the pay they receive for their labor, the more comfortable their homes are and the better the streets are kept, the more efficient the schools, the better the fire and police protection, the more attractive does the community prove for others seeking homes, and therefore the greater is the number of its possible customers.

Buy of the home-town merchant and you assure Baird of a permanent booster. He does not plan to stay here for a certain length of time, and then to move to some other place; he is here to stay, for it is his home, and the home of his children.

To maintain this leadership our home-town merchants must be supported. They set the pace and really the forces of good citizenship. Go over a list of your merchants and convince yourself that this is so. The men in your general stores, in your dry goods and grocery stores, your hardware and implement dealers your druggist, your harness shop and shoe store men, your tin-smiths, your garage men, your elevator men and your produce dealers, your lumber merchants and dealers in building supplies, the men running your dairies and creameries, mills and factories, as well as other employers or laborers and others in the various affiliated lines.

Their leadership deserves the support of every good citizen in town. In fact, every man, woman and child in the community has a moral responsibility in the matter. The men work for the good of the home town, and everybody who has the welfare of the community at heart is in duty bound to work with them and keep them in the things they are trying to accomplish.

## At The Baptist Church, Sunday

Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock. Preaching at 11:00. Subject for the morning hour "The Murdering of the Children of Israel." Young Peoples Meetings at their regular hours.

Juniors at 3:30; Seniors at 6:30. We will be glad indeed to have you attend our church and if you will come, we will show you that we are.

Joe R. Mayes.

## Attends Fireman's Ass'n at San Antonio

Delegates to the State Volunteer Fireman's Association which met this year at San Antonio on June 14, 5 and 16th were H. Schwartz and James Asbury. Mr. Schwartz returned Friday morning and Asbury remained in San Antonio for the two days school for Fire Chiefs and Fire Marshals which was put on by the San Antonio department. San Antonio has the reputation of being one of the best trained and equipped fire departments in the south and the school was attended by a big majority of the delegates, all were highly pleased with the course of instructions give and report a wonderful time.



B. EDWARD ZEISS  
Singer

Who will conduct the singing during the Revival at the Presbyterian Church.

## Miss Jean Powell Leaves Wednesday For Tour of Europe

Miss Jean Powell, daughter of Mr. T. E. Powell, Vice President of The First State Bank of Baird, left Tuesday morning for Montreal, Canada, where she will join her sister Miss Ada Powell, of Washington, D. C. and sail the first of next week with a party for Europe. They will be gone until some time in September.

## Price-Ogilvy Wedding

Mr. Tom Price, of Merkel, and Miss Helen Ogilvy, of Cross Plains, were married at the altar in the Methodist Church here, Sunday morning, June 17, 1927, at 7 o'clock. Rev. Cal C. Wright performed the marriage ceremony in the presence of Haynie Gilliland and Miss Belva Evans, who accompanied the young people to the church. Tom Price is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price of Van Horn, formerly of Baird. Mrs. Price is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ogilvy, of Cross Plains. She is a graduate of the Baird High School. The young couple left immediately after the wedding by auto for Van Horn, where they will visit Mr. Price's parents. They will also visit El Paso and other points. They will make their home at Merkel, where Mr. Price has a position as electrician with the West Texas Utilities Company.

## Little Girl Narrowly Escapes Drowning

Little Beatrice Caylor, of Fort Worth, who is visiting her uncle, Lee Estes, and family, here, came near losing her life in the Gates Lake, east of town, Monday evening, when a raft on which she and several other children were playing, turned over in the deep water of the lake. Beatrice was caught under the raft and but for the heroic work of Sam Orr Hoover, and Otis Clark, two small boys she would have drowned. Beatrice is the daughter of Mrs. Lura Caylor, of Fort Worth.

## Gulf Pipe Line Is Now Ready

The Gulf Pipe Line have completed their ten inch line which runs just north of town and we understand the line is now in use. This line runs from Ranger to Midland, a distance 205 miles was built in record time, work being started in April 26th. This is the second trunk line to be run through Callahan County, the Humble line running from the North to the Southeast side of the county.

## Baptist Pastor Holds Mission Meeting

Pastor Mayes is holding a meeting this week at Belle Plaine with encouraging results. Next week he plans to hold a meeting at the Bayou School House and beginning on Friday night, before the second Sunday in July, he will start at Midway School House. If there is a community anywhere in the county who is not provided with preaching and would like to have a meeting, Bro. Mayes will be glad to hold it write or see him.

## ATTA-BOY EDDIE



The Eddie's habitually hurried  
He never gets flustered nor  
flurried;  
He does his work daily  
Serenely and gaily  
He never seems weary nor  
worried.

We cheerfully rectify the mis-  
takes we make. If there's  
anything wrong about the  
way we're doing business, we  
want to know about when  
you order spaghetti and  
get asparagus, you've got a  
kick coming

CONSISTENT AND STEADY:  
THAT'S "ATTA-BOY EDDIE!"

## Berry & Estes

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Baird Texas

### FARM LOAN INTEREST CUT TO 5%

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interest rate now to 5% on long  
time and low rate. Total payment  
required on both principal and interest  
only 6%.

\$500 to \$25,000.00. Best Loan in  
Texas. We want a loan for every man  
in the county; ranchman or farmer.

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## SAM GILLILAND

BAIRD — TEXAS.

## PLANTS ALSO HAVE DISEASE CARRIERS

### Leaf Hopper Found to Spread Yellow Disease.

New York.—Just as yellow fever is  
due to an invisible small germ or  
virus carried from person to person  
by an insect so are some of the most  
serious and destructive illnesses of  
plants due to invisibly small germs  
carried from plant to plant by an in-  
sect.

In a report to the Engineering  
Foundation Dr. L. O. Kunkel, plant  
pathologist at the Royce Thompson  
Institute for Plant Research, Yonkers,  
tells how a little grey insect, the as-  
ter leaf hopper, spreads the yellow  
disease of asters by first biting sick  
plants and then, after the virus has  
had ten days to incubate in its in-  
terior, biting healthy ones and plant-  
ing the infection in their tissues.

#### Carries It to Fifty Others.

The same leaf hopper that trans-  
mits yellows to the China aster also  
carries it to more than fifty other  
species of wild and cultivated plants.  
Lettuce is one of the most important  
hosts of aster yellows. On this plant  
it has long been known in the South-  
west as the Rio Grande disease and  
in New York and other eastern states  
as the white heart disease. In the  
winter yellows lives on perennial  
weed hosts. During the summer, when  
the carrier leaf hopper is very active,  
it spreads rapidly to susceptible an-  
nual plants, such as the China aster  
and lettuce.

Spread of aster yellows and its host  
range depend largely on the likes and  
dislikes of the aster leaf hopper. The  
African marigold is quite susceptible  
but seldom takes the disease even  
when grown adjacent to yellowed as-  
ter plants. The leaf hopper does not  
like the marigold and seldom feeds  
upon it when other plants are avail-  
able. If confined in a cage contain-  
ing only marigold plants hunger  
drives it to feed upon them and they  
readily take the disease. It is for-  
tunate that although wheat and other  
cereal crops are favorite hosts of this  
leaf hopper they are immune to the  
yellows.

#### Disease Known Only Here.

The aster leaf hopper is thought to  
have been accidentally introduced  
into the United States from Europe  
fifty or more years ago. Although it  
is prevalent in Europe and the Orient,  
where the China aster is extensively  
grown, the aster yellows disease is  
known only in America. Thus a dis-  
ease which is apparently endemic in  
America has been rendered much  
more serious through the importa-  
tion of a European leaf hopper, and  
of an oriental plant the China aster.

No satisfactory means is known of  
controlling the aster leaf hopper, but  
the yellows which it spreads can be  
held in check by digging out all in-  
fected perennial weed hosts in the  
vicinity of the field to be protected  
and by destroying all diseased an-  
nuals as soon as observed. A yellowed  
plant is a menace to nearby  
healthy plants just as a malaria pa-  
tient is a menace to a healthy com-  
munity in a region infested with the  
Anopheles mosquito.

### Find Old Roman Town on Farm in Britain

London.—Recent discoveries in and  
around the town of Stockbridge,  
Hampshire, have led archeologists to  
believe that the site of a former Ro-  
man town has been discovered.

In 1924 Ernest Barnard discovered  
on his 850-acre farm the foundations  
of two Roman baths and three villas.  
He has since unearthed the positions  
of over a dozen other Roman build-  
ings.

Among the more recent discoveries  
are several hundred copper coins,  
parts of a tortoise-shell necklace, an  
oyster opener, a razor, a quantity of  
broken pottery and two grinding  
stones.

Barnard has also discovered what  
he believes to have been a Roman  
vineyard, with terraces cut in the ris-  
ing upland. Further finds were two  
huge stones, probably forming the  
bases of pillars of the entrance gates  
of an imposing Roman building.

Roman bricks have been found built  
into the walls of an Elizabethan cot-  
tage in the town, while in the neighbor-  
ing village of Kings Somborne several  
people have collected quite a show of  
Roman and early British relics.

Such importance is attached to the  
discoveries that a British museum ex-  
pert is making a personal investiga-  
tion.

### Lord Balfour Admits He's Lazy and Likes It

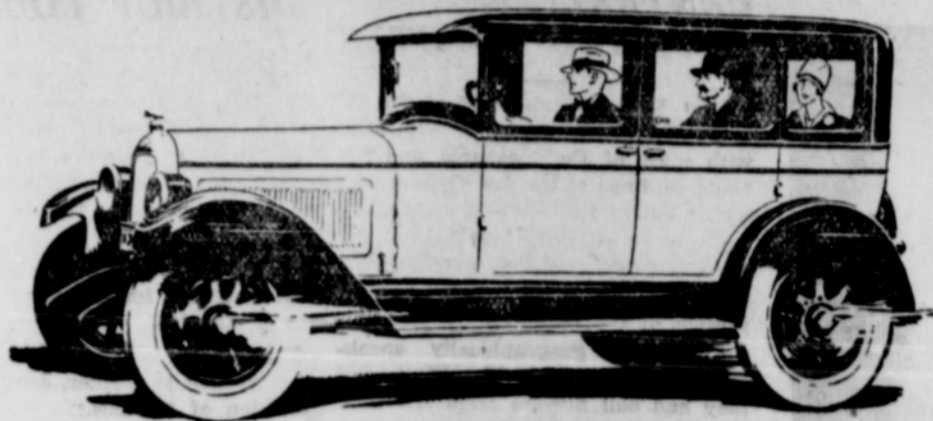
London.—Lord Balfour is a lazy  
man—and admits it.

"I am a great lover of idleness my-  
self, though I never say much about  
it, and I always love to hear that  
there are to be certain hours of the  
day when no one will ask me to do  
anything," the former prime minister  
said at a luncheon of the National  
Institute of Industrial Psychology.

"The institute is engaged upon one  
of the most important tasks facing  
people engaged in social welfare,"  
Lord Balfour went on. "That is the  
complete explosion of the superstition  
that all hours of work are a minus  
quantity in the happiness of life and  
all hours of idleness a plus quantity."

Lord Balfour's idea of perfect bliss  
and laziness is to listen to perfor-  
mances of Handel or life in bed and  
read "thrillers" or detective stories.

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A modern car for modern traffic. And the  
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pickup, speed, power—there's nothing like the Whippet  
Six at the price.

Exceptional power in proportion to weight. Wide  
range of flexibility. Watch it on hills—then watch  
other cars.

Throttle it down to 5 miles an hour and it accel-  
erates to 25 from 10% to 23% faster than its nearest  
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Low gravity center—pioneered in the Whippet,  
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Full pressure lubrication system—as on the  
costliest cars.

Check these features—and try to match them at  
the price: Oversize tires; Snubbers; Easier steering;  
Adjustable steering wheel. Six beautiful body types.

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Coach	\$795	\$625
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Roadster	825	695
Coupe	795	625
Sedan	875	725
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ta's busiest corner, is dingy. About  
his bench is a confused ensemble of  
musical instruments. The clatter of  
traffic pounds in through dusty win-  
dows. But Badgett, as he works away  
with the knowledge that the proof of  
the fiddle is in the playing, would not  
trade his shop for a palace.

Famous personages of the musical  
world have made a beaten path to his  
place. Once a year he has a big party  
attended by members of the Metro-  
politan Opera company. Once Badgett  
gave a bear supper to 600 guests, in-  
cluding the opera stars, Sousa's band  
and southern artists.

Artists who sing and play for the  
public for thousands of dollars per-  
form for Badgett between courses.  
Occasionally the party is broadcast  
and opera goes rush away from the  
auditorium to reach their radios for  
two more hours of music by the stars.

Proudly displayed by the violin  
maker is a letter from Eugene Ysaye,  
praising his instruments. David Love,  
New York conductor; Fritz Schaeffer  
and Henri Georgia of the Metropolitan  
orchestra, and Rickard Schleiwen  
of the Cincinnati Conservatory of Mu-  
sic are among those who use his viol-  
ins.

One of Badgett's latest violins was  
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more than two hundred years old.  
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### American Army Relics Still Seen in France

Chateau-Thierry, France.—Ameri-  
can army relics and souvenirs are still  
visible throughout the former battle  
zone in France.

Some recall grimly death and devas-  
tation of war; others have a lighter  
touch showing that the doughboy's  
sense of humor never abandoned him  
even when shells were flying.

The motor of the plane flown by  
Quentin Roosevelt on July 14, 1918,  
when the son of the former President  
of the United States was killed in  
aerial combat at Chamery, is installed  
in the American War Relic museum at  
Chateau-Thierry. Though battered  
and smashed, it is kept clean and  
shining.

When the American soldier, who  
modestly signed his design of an In-  
dian's head, "L. G. Q., Santa Monica,  
Calif.," finished his work in July, 1918,  
he little realized that he was creating  
a masterpiece for the admiration of  
natives for miles around Missy-nux-  
Bois.

The owner of the ruins expects to  
rebuild his property this year, but  
he says he will keep the stones upon  
which the Indian's head is "painted."  
Driving through the St. Mihiel sec-  
tor, the correspondent noticed a bak-  
er's delivery automobile which had a  
familiar appearance. It was one of  
the old ambulances of the American  
army. Now it is dispensing bread to  
the French in the same sector.

### LAUNDRY WANTED

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way. 26-3f.

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Votes water and sewer bonds to  
amount of \$60,000 3 to 1. The pleas-  
ant place to live." 50-3f.

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Memphis, Tenn.—With conservation  
of all wild life the aim of every true  
sportsman in the flooded areas, no  
greater opportunity for restocking of  
favorite lakes and ponds with game  
fish has been offered than that which  
is being afforded now as the flood re-  
cedes and the high waters, especially  
in the lakes, pour out into the bayous.

This is especially true, observers  
claim, for Horseshoe lake and the  
other smaller lakes in eastern Arkan-  
sas.

Thousands of small game fish be-  
tween an inch and two-inch growth  
are fighting their way up the streams  
in an effort to get into the lakes. At  
four culverts on the Horseshoe lake  
road a party saw countless numbers  
of small fish swarming at the bayou  
side of road culverts, unable to push  
their way up against the heavy out-  
pouring stream from the lake.

#### More to Come

Cesaree, Turkey.—This town in  
eastern Turkey has a railroad connec-  
tion for the first time in history and  
has 100 less sheep and one less camel  
than before modernity arrived. The  
animals were sacrificed in ceremony  
when the railroad was opened.

### Bureau of Fisheries' Navy Gets Ready for Action

Ketchikan, Alaska.—Fish pirates  
and salmon poachers along the Alas-  
kan coast, the region whence comes  
many millions of dollars worth of  
canned fish each year, will confront  
a serious handicap when the bureau  
of fisheries' navy, a fleet of 55 armed  
vessels, gets on the patrol line.

Pirating is trap and scow robbery,  
while poaching is fishing in prohibited  
areas. Both are subsiding, according  
to fisheries officials. To keep the long  
indented coastline under the watchful  
eye of the bureau 55 armed boats with  
38 small tugs are commissioned to act  
as guards and peace officers.

Headquarters will be maintained at  
Kodiak, Cook Inlet, Chignik, Atognak  
and Ketchikan.

### Matches Invented 100 Years Ago by Chance

Stockton, England.—The cen-  
tenary of the discovery of the  
friction match in a little chem-  
ist's shop is being celebrated  
here.

John Walker, a doctor who  
had turned chemist because  
surgical operations revolted  
him, was responsible for the  
discovery.

While experimenting with a  
fighting chemical mixture some  
of it attached to a piece of  
wood fell on the floor. When  
Walker accidentally trod on it a  
flame instantly resulted. He  
developed the accidental dis-  
covery and made "friction  
matches" which were ignited  
by being pulled through a piece  
of folded sandpaper. He sold  
them at one shilling a hundred,  
packed in a tin box, and per-  
sistently refused to patent the  
invention.

### Girl's Brittle Bones Mystery to Doctors

Burton-on-Trent.—An eleven-  
year-old girl here, the daughter  
of a miner, is puzzling medical  
men who have come from all  
parts of England to study her  
case.

Her bones are so brittle that  
they break easily and she has  
already suffered seven bone  
fractures, five to her legs and  
two to collar bones. She spent  
two years in a local infirmary,  
but had been discharged as  
cured several weeks ago.

Two weeks after she was dis-  
charged she stumbled and frac-  
tured a leg bone again.



HERE'S ONE IN STOCK for all to appreciate. The teacher asked little Larry the other day if he knew what a falling out meant, and Larry said that he did because "we have one in our family right now." Teacher asked him if he meant that his father and mother weren't getting along all right. "Sure they are; but Dad's getting bald." You'll appreciate our refreshing sodas, because of their superior flavor and tasty goodness.



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### HORSE ON MAIL ROUTE 21 YEARS

Old Bay Mare Still Gives Faithful Service.

Kokomo, Ind.—The old bay mare is still what she used to be, 20 long years ago.

Daisy is twenty-three. Ever since she was two she has traveled a rural mail route out of Kokomo. She has seen her equine kin give way to motorized service, and she has tilted an ear skyward at the hum of an airplane, roaring from New York to Chicago in less time than it takes Daisy to make her little circuit twice a day.

But Daisy disdains the thought that any motor car or airplane could take her place. She could almost deliver the mail alone.

She is credited by Ben Boughman, her present owner, with having twice saved his life, when he failed to see trains at grade crossings.

Throughout the years Daisy has pulled the same tiny and ancient mail cart with which she started. She has lost but 18 days at work, and that because she hurt a leg in the line of duty.

The carrier who trained Daisy is long since dead, but the horse passed to succeeding carriers without a break in her service record.

Faithfully she plods around her route, and when she gets home she refuses to go another step. When her owner loiters on the homeward trip, Daisy goes on home to supper and lets her master leg it.

She has one complex. Circus day has scared her ever since the ringmaster rode down Main street ahead of the parade shouting "Hold your horses, the elephants are coming." When the big top is spread in Kokomo, Daisy is skittish all day.

Right now Daisy is on her annual vacation. Each summer she spends an outing in a familiar pasture. But she'll be back at the old grind in the fall.

### "Pickling" in Paraffin Saves Museum Groups

New York.—"If you think we're waxworks," he said, "you ought to pay, you know. Waxworks weren't made to be looked at for nothing. Nohow!"

"Contrariwise," added the one marked, "Dee," "if you think we're alive, you ought to speak."

Alice's dilemma would no doubt have been considerably increased had she encountered beings who looked very real and almost alive, and yet were indubitably waxworks, in the literal sense of being completely sculptured in wax. This is exactly what two workers at the American Museum of Natural History have done.

G. K. Noble and M. E. Jaekle, confronted with the troublesome fact that frogs and toads and spotted salamanders and all manner of other interesting but nonfur-bearing creatures cannot be successfully stuffed and mounted by the ordinary methods of taxidermists, have solved the problem by literally pickling them in solid paraffin wax. They first remove all trace of water from the specimens by appropriate chemical means, arrange the little animals in natural positions and soak them for several days or weeks in melted paraffin, until every tissue is thoroughly impregnated and you cannot tell where the flesh ends and the paraffin begins.

By this method reptiles and amphibians can be worked into naturalistic museum groups and made as "alive" looking as birds and fur-bearing animals, instead of being pallid corpses pickled in jars of alcohol. They keep their natural colors indefinitely, except that sometimes their eyes need to be touched up with a little gold paint.

### Play Four-Part Music With Ancient Violin Bow

Berlin.—A new type of violin bow, or rather rediscovery of a very old type, which permits the playing of four-part music on a single instrument, has recently been demonstrated here by a well-known virtuoso, Herman Barkowski.

The bow is deeply curved instead of straight as in the usual modern form, and the strings are left very loose. It resembles the bows shown in medieval pictures of performers on the ancient Celtic chrotta or crewth, the ancestor of the violin.

It is stated that the new bow makes possible the rendition of early violin scores which have hitherto been riddles to modern performers because they called for the simultaneous reaching of strings impossible to the straight bow.

### Civil War in China Boosts Chop Suey

London.—The upheaval in China has brought the Chinese "chop suey joints" into great favor with London's exclusive society set. An after-theater tour of Piccadilly Circus or the Strand at night reveals that the "best people" who formerly sought only the most expensive and most exclusive hotels to enjoy a quiet meal away from "the rabble" are now patronizing Chinese restaurants. It seems that society's latest fancy is to absorb a little Far Eastern atmosphere and to see Chinese at close range.

### EVANGELINE'S EDEN ENGULFED BY FLOOD

Acadians Again Driven From Their Homes.

Washington.—The United States' sixth Great Lake, the Lake of the Mississippi, larger than Ontario or Erie, has engulfed the Evangeline country.

When it broke the Atchafalaya river's west dikes, the flood lake rolled its shores over and beyond St. Martin and St. Landry parishes.

"Again the Acadians have been driven from their homes," says a bulletin of the National Geographic society from its Washington headquarters. "And the disaster is greater, by number of sufferers, than that visited upon Evangeline's people in her time."

"Only 8,000 Acadians were expelled from Nova Scotia in 1765 by Massachusetts and British bayonets to be scattered over the earth from Detroit to Corsica and Cayenne. Fifteen hundred of them found their way to New Orleans; many pushed on to Bayou Teche, 150 miles west. There they increased to some 150,000, occupying 15 parishes, or counties, when the flood spread over their homes, towns, and lands.

Beautiful is the land, with its prairies and forests of fruit trees; Under the feet a garden of flowers, and the bluest of heavens Bending above, and resting its dome on the walls of the forest. They who dwell there name it the Eden of Louisiana. All year 'round the orange groves are in blossom; and grass grows More in a single night than a whole Canadian summer.

#### Turn to Stock Raising.

"For a poet, Longfellow's geography is fairly good. Basil, the Acadian blacksmith, has become a herdsman in 'Evangeline.' Most of the refugees in 1765 did turn to stock raising with a few cattle given to them by charitable French merchants of New Orleans. Descendants of the Acadians gave up stock raising for sugar cane when Etienne de Bore, a Louisianian, discovered how to crystallize sugar from cane syrup. They have helped to make Atchafalaya valley the Sugar Bowl of Louisiana.

"The route over which Longfellow takes Evangeline serves very well for a visitor today. Fifteen miles below Baton Rouge, where,

Sweeps with majestic curve the river away to the eastward.

They, too swerved from their course; and entering the Bayou of Plaquemine, Soon were lost in a maze of sluggish and devious waters.

"This bayou admits to the 'lakes of the Atchafalaya,' where 'water lilies in myriads rocked on the slight undulations,' and rocked for years until the Mississippi broke through, threatening to make the Atchafalaya river its real mouth instead of an abandoned one.

"How Evangeline got to Bayou Teche, the poem does not clearly relate. Many swamp lanes communicate. The Bayou Teche parallels the Atchafalaya, but it is a true river out of the reach of swamps and bordered by Druid oaks. The two early centers of Acadian settlement were Opelousas and St. Martinsville on the banks of the Teche. Now the flood has reached St. Martinsville for the first time in history and swirls at the foot of the 'Evangeline' oak where her boatmen landed. An Acadian descendant gave the Evangeline oak, with 150 acres of land, for a state park.

"While to readers of 'Evangeline' the inhabitants of southwest Louisiana are still Acadians, to Louisianians they are 'Cajans' or 'Cajuns,' a corruption of Acadian. Four kinds of Frenchmen inhabit the state: the Creoles, natives of French and Spanish descent; Frenchmen, who were born in France; the San Domingan Creoles, and finally the Nova Scotian Acadians, the 'Cajans.'

"The typical Creole frequents the city; the 'Cajan' remains a countryman.

#### Raise Perique Tobacco.

"The savor of the 'Cajan' comes to us even though we never travel there. It rises steaming from chicken gumbo soup—real gumbo soup—a 'Cajan' creation. It rides on the blue smoke wreaths from many pipes, for perique tobacco is also a 'Cajan' product.

"Under the sad banners of Spanish moss waving on Evangeline's oak at St. Martinsville, one hears a different ending to the story Longfellow has given us in verse.

"Evangeline's real name was Emmerline Labiche, 'Cajans' say, and Gabriel was Louis Arconeaux. They were deported on separate ships, but Emmerline landed in Maryland. Emmerline heard that Louis was in Louisiana, so she set out to reach him, and after many hardships came to St. Martinsville.

"Gabriel had gone, according to Longfellow, but Louis was there. In fact, local legend holds Emmerline rushed to Louis, the first person she saw at the landing. Louis told her, gently, that he had despaired of seeing her again. He had married. When she heard this her arms slipped from his neck. Her mind became blank. Emmerline lay by day grew more 'rall. She drooped and died. This is the 'Cajan' story.

"They buried her in the little churchyard near the tree where she found Louis; the little churchyard where water now laps at the ancient graves. She has slept there undisturbed beside the bright bayou where bloom acres of sky-blue water-hyacinths in years when there is no flood."

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Reply to Mr. Shanks crowded out  
owing to the extreme length and com-  
plicated work in setting up the City  
Paving Ordinance, and Plumbing  
Ordinance. We had to leave out re-  
ply to our friend Shanks. The article  
is short and will keep until next week  
or later if necessary. No need to  
hurry; the Court House bond question  
was settled by the voters, June 11th,  
and that also settled any other bond  
election for the year 1927.

Editor Sam Braswell with Mrs.  
Braswell, Miss Clair More, daugh-  
ter and son, Jr., both children, grown  
surprised the Editor of The Star Tues-  
day by a pop call. Sam Braswell is  
editor and owner of the Clarendon  
News, and they were on their way  
home from the annual meeting of the  
Texas Press Association held in El  
Paso, and Juarez, last week.

A good rain fell at Baird beginning  
at 4 a. m. Tuesday and continuing for  
three hours. Another good rain fell  
Wednesday evening.

At a recent meeting of all Govern-  
ment Loan Secretaries held in Hous-  
ton attended by Callahan County's  
representative, W. Homer Shanks, of  
Clyde, it was announced that the Fed-  
eral Land Bank of Houston had loaned  
to farmers and ranchmen of Texas,  
\$152,000,000.00 to more than 52,000  
borrowers, at great saving in interest.  
Mr. Shanks reports that around  
\$500,000.00 of this amount has been  
loaned through his association in  
Callahan County in estimates the amount  
of interest expenses over other  
loans made prior to the advent of the  
Federal Bank at \$20,000.00 per annum  
to the people of Callahan County,  
alone.

The rate is now five per cent per  
annum and the time of repayment 34  
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after five years, without expense.

NOTICE OF BANKRUPT'S  
PETITION FOR DISCHARGE

In the District Court of the United  
States for the Northern District of  
Texas.

In the Matter of  
Jeff Evans Ellis  
Bankrupt.  
No. 1158 in Bankruptcy

Office of Referee

Abilene, Texas, 6-6-27.  
Notice is hereby given that Jeff  
Evans Ellis of the County of Callahan  
and district aforesaid, did, on the 26th  
day of March 1927 file in the Clerk's  
office of said Court, at Abilene, a  
petition setting up that he has been  
heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt  
under the act of Congress approved  
July 1, 1898; that he has duly sur-  
rendered all his property and rights  
of property, and has fully complied  
with all the requirements of said  
acts and of the orders of the Court  
touching his bankruptcy, and praying  
for a full discharge from all debts  
provable against his estate in bank-  
ruptcy, save such debts as are ex-  
cepted by law from such discharge.

On considering the above mentioned  
petition, it is ordered that any credi-  
tor who has proved his claim, and  
other parties in interest, if they de-  
sire to oppose the discharge prayed  
for in said petition, shall, on or be-  
fore the 11th day of July 1927, file  
with the Referee for the Abilene Di-  
vision of said district, a notice in  
writing of their opposition to a dis-  
charge in the above entitled cause.  
D. M. Oldman, Jr.,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Masonic Installation

Baird Lodge No. 522 A. F. & A. M.  
will install officers for the ensuing  
Masonic year Friday night, June 24th  
Lodge meets at 8 P. M. All members  
are requested to be present. Visiting  
brethren are welcome.

Balls

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George C.  
Page of 702 Cameron Ave., Dallas,  
Texas on June 13, a daughter, who  
has been christened Elaine Conner. Mrs.  
Page was formerly Miss Myrtle  
Conner, youngest daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. C. W. Conner, of Baird.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Womack  
of Rising Star, on June 3, 1927, a  
daughter, who has been christened  
Billie Tom. Mrs. Womack, was formerly  
Miss Tommie James, daughter of Mrs.  
Lua James, of Baird, who is very  
proud of the little lady, who is her  
first grand-child.

Senior E. Y. P. U.

JUNE 26, 1927  
Leader, Judith Mayes.  
Subject, A Modern Miracle, A  
Missionary Healed of Leprosy.  
Introduction, Judith Mayes.  
1. Lepers in Palestine, Leila  
Lassiter.  
2. Mary Reed Answers The Call,  
Alyce Hooper.  
3. A Problem That Baffled The  
Physicians, Dorothy Boydston.  
4. A New Home On Chandag  
Heights, Eva Robbinson.  
5. After Seven Years,  
Leo Thompson.  
6. Back To Her Task,  
Bessie Mae Gillette.  
Everyone is invited to come.

NOTICE

The State of Texas,  
County of Callahan:  
To Those Indebted to, or Holding  
Claims Against the Estate of A. B.  
Williams, Deceased:

The undersigned having been duly  
appointed administrator of the estate  
of A. B. Williams, deceased, late of  
Callahan County, Texas, by W. C.  
White, Judge of the County Court of  
said County on the 17th day of June,  
A. D. 1927, during a regular term  
thereof, hereby notifies all persons  
indebted to same estate to come for-  
ward and make settlement, and those  
having claims against said estate to  
present them to him within the time  
prescribed by law at his office in  
Baird, Callahan County, Texas, where  
he receives his mail, this 21st day of  
June, A. D. 1927.  
W. O. Wylie  
Administrator of the Es-  
tate of A. B. Williams,  
deceased.

Eula Locals

June 19, 1927.  
Well Uncle Billie will come again  
as my last letter found its way to  
the W. B. The readers of The Star  
got a long rest.

We are doing fine out this way  
we have had a good rain, row stuff  
is looking good and small grain  
will be short. We will begin threshing  
this week. The rain came in time  
to save the corn.

Well, we lost on the Court House  
Bonds, perhaps it was best. Now  
what we want to do, is to vote bonds  
for roads. We want the election set  
for September 3 1927, that will be  
soon enough, give us 20 years to  
thank the matter over then we will  
know where the place is for the roads  
to be built.

I went down the other day to see  
Uncle Tod Windham; I found uncle  
Tod feeling much better, I was sure  
glad to see him.

J. R. Gibson attended court at Baird  
this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Stephens spent  
Sunday with Mr and Mrs. F. L. Smith  
W. B. Ferguson made a business  
trip to Clyde one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones made a  
trip, to Midland, Texas this week.

I read a letter from my old true  
friends A. A. Callahan the other day,  
sure am glad he is doing well.

Met my old friend uncle Bill Mellon  
was glad to see him.

Well, as news is scarce, I will ring  
off. Best wishes to The Star force  
and who reads the Star.  
Patsie.

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COYOTES

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the ensuing argument Hampton  
scored and Pool went to second;  
Hodges sent a slow roller down the  
third base line, what all took place  
we do not know, plenty of dumb play-  
ing and arguing, after the dust  
cleared away, we learned that Bailey  
and Pool had scored and Hodge was  
perched on third; Boyd feeling sorry  
for the Home team popped out to  
Wristen to retire the side.

Centerline added another in the  
third, Stone again opened the inning  
with a single to right field; Parsley  
flew out to Pete in left; Parsley  
at Bat, Stone went to third when the  
catcher threw wild to second; Parsley  
hit to short, who threw home to cut  
off Stone, Lon dropped the ball,  
Stone scored and Parsley stopped at  
second, but Burden and Hampton  
both grounded out, Harold Ray to Gus  
Hall.

The Fourth produced no results or  
tallies, but in the fifth, the Cen-  
terline aggregation added five more, still  
another in the sixth and one more in  
the eighth.

At the beginning of the sixth in-  
ning, Stapp relieved Gibson on the  
mound for Baird and Pool went behind  
the bat in place of Lon Ray.

Stone, playing firstbase for Cen-  
terline was the leading run getter of  
the day, he was officially at bat five  
times and scored five times, he is the  
same Stone that pitched against Baird  
just a week previous and got the little  
end of 6 to 5 score, but he certainly  
got his revenge on this occasion.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

West Bound Trains

No. 1 Arrives 6:40 p. m.  
No. 1 Departs 6:50 p. m.  
No. 3 Arrives 3:10 p. m.  
No. 3 Departs 3:20 p. m.  
No. 5 Arrives 3:50 a. m.  
No. 5 Departs 3:55 a. m.

East Bound Trains

No. 2 Arrives 11:30 a. m.  
No. 2 Departs 11:40 a. m.  
No. 4 Arrives 1:10 p. m.  
No. 4 Departs 1:20 p. m.  
No. 6 Arrives 1:15 a. m.  
No. 6 Departs 1:25 a. m.

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Secrets of Ancient Race

Buried in New Mexico

HILL, N. M.—The great Mesilla val-  
ley of New Mexico, bed of the Rio  
Grande river, and the surrounding  
hills, offer an almost inexhaustible  
field for students of vanished Ameri-  
can races.

For centuries before the advent of  
the present inhabitants a civilized  
race flourished in this region. One of  
the latest evidences of this was the  
recent discovery of John Stewart,  
rancher, of an ancient clay doll and  
human skeleton, which were un-  
earthed in an old tomb in a gravel  
bank on the Stewart farm. The skele-  
ton has been identified as that of an  
adult and is believed to be very old.  
The doll is of red clay and is about  
four inches in length. The head and  
arms are missing, but the body and  
lower limbs are well formed and sym-  
metrical.

Mr. Stewart has found buried pot-  
tery, turquoise beads, corn and stone  
implements, indicating that the Stew-  
art home occupies the site of an an-  
cient Pueblo village.

Senate Must Have Its

Snuff, Tradition Rules

Washington.—The senate holds  
tenaciously to its precedents,  
and the maintenance of an ade-  
quate supply of snuff for its  
members is one of them.

Two small, black embossed  
metallic snuff boxes resting on  
the wainscoting of the senate  
chamber on each side of the vice  
president's dais have attracted  
few devotees in recent decades  
of the once elegant custom of  
snuff taking. But when the senate  
extension of the capitol was  
constructed shortly before the  
Civil war, they were regarded as  
necessary for the convenience of  
the members, nearly all of whom  
were using snuff, and to this day  
one of the duties of the pages is  
to make sure that the boxes are  
supplied with the powdered to-  
bacco.

Despite the passing of the  
habit from common use, efforts  
to have the boxes removed have  
been resisted by a large major-  
ity on the ground that it was a  
senate custom and should be  
honored.

Plumbing Ordinance

An ordinance prescribing the man-  
ner in which service connections may  
be made with the mains or laterals  
of the system of sanitary sewers and  
water mains, the persons who may  
build the connections and install fix-  
tures, and establishing the rules and  
regulations for their building and use  
in the City of Baird, Texas, and fix-  
ing a penalty for violation of any  
part of this ordinance:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE  
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF  
THE CITY OF BAIRD, TEXAS:

Section 1. That it shall be unlaw-  
ful for any person, persons, firm or  
corporation to uncover the sewer or  
water mains for any purpose, or to  
open or take off any manhole, flush  
tank or inlet cover, or to make or  
cause to be made, any connections  
with the mains or laterals of the  
sewers or water mains of Baird, Tex-  
as; or to build any sewer connections  
without having first received a writ-  
ten Plumber's permit from the Mayor  
or Plumbing Inspector of said City  
granted upon a written application  
describing the contemplated work, the  
premises to be sewered and the plum-  
bing fixtures to be put in.

No permit shall be issued to any-  
one not holding an annual plumber's  
license issued by the City of Baird.  
No permit shall be issued to make  
connections with any main to serve  
premises which does not have main  
or lateral ready to serve such pre-  
mises, or until proper arrangements  
have been made for an extension of  
the main or lateral.

Section 2. No permit shall be re-  
quired under this ordinance for minor  
repair work, such as the repair of  
leaks in pipes, traps or cocks, open-  
ing up stoppage in waste or supply  
pipes, traps or drains, or replacing  
the broken fixtures when waste pipes  
or not disturbed, and replacing burst-  
ed or frozen pipes inside of building.

Section 3. That any person, firm  
or corporation, desiring to engage in  
the business of Drain Laying or Plum-  
ing shall be required to give a bond to  
said City in the sum of FIFTEEN  
HUNDRED (\$1,500.00) DOLLARS to  
be approved by the Mayor and City  
Council, and conditioned for the faith-  
ful compliance with all of the terms  
and conditions of this ordinance, and  
indemnify and save harmless said  
City from all costs, expenses, damages  
or injuries to said City sustained by  
reason of the carelessness or negli-  
gence of said party operating under  
this ordinance or any rules or regu-  
lations made in pursuance hereof.

No bond for this purpose shall run  
for a longer period than two years  
without being renewed and said  
bond shall remain in full force and  
effect as to any excavation or piece  
of work for a period of six months  
after the same has been completed.  
Section 4. Plumbing as herein re-  
gulated is hereby defined to include  
the use of all pipe, fixtures and ap-  
purtenances thereto, and all connec-  
tions therewith and the laying the  
same underground and placing the  
same in buildings, or structures for  
the purpose of conducting and distur-  
bing water in any premises or build-  
ing, or conducting or carrying off any  
water, gases, vapors, sewage or wastes  
into drains or sewers, or ventilating  
drains, fixtures or traps in any build-  
ing, and all connections made for such  
purposes with the water pipes or with  
the private sewer or drain.

Section 5. The construction, re-  
pair and maintenance of all sewers,  
drains and other means of disposing  
of house wastes through sewers and  
mains, and the installation of all  
plumbing work in buildings shall be  
under the supervision and control of  
the inspector, appointed by the Mayor  
and confirmed by the City Council.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of  
the inspector to issue permits for the  
laying or drains and sewers and water  
connections and to inspect the same,  
together with the plumbing work done  
under this ordinance and certify to the  
same when completed.

He shall give general information  
and advice concerning the meaning  
and regulations of this ordinance and  
the rules and regulations to persons  
desiring same, investigate cases re-  
ported or referred to him of bad or  
improper work or material, wheth-  
er on old or new work, and all cases  
of violation or attempted violation of  
this ordinance, rules and regulations  
on the part of the drain layers,  
plumbers, builders, owners or agents  
and bring proceedings against the of-  
fending parties.

He shall keep a record of all in-  
spections made and when the plum-  
ing and drain laying of any premises  
shall be satisfactorily completed,  
issue a certificate therefor to the party  
doing the work.

Section 7. No person, firm or cor-  
poration shall engage in or conduct  
the business of Drain Laying or  
Plumbing in said City without first  
having obtained an annual license  
from said City therefor, and given  
evidence of his or their qualification  
to ply their trade, to the inspector  
and sewer committee.

A fee of FIFTY (\$50.00) DOLLARS  
shall be charged for such license,  
payable to the City Secretary, in ad-  
vance, and said license shall be dated  
either January 1st or July 1st, no  
license being granted having a greater  
or less period than one year.

No person, firm, or corporation  
shall allow his or their names to be  
used by any other person directly or  
indirectly either to obtain a permit  
or do any work under his or their  
license or bond.

Section 8. All applications for  
permits must be made upon the  
proper blanks for that purpose and  
signed by the owner or his authorized  
agent; when it is required, they shall  
be accompanied by a plan showing  
the whole course of the drain, its size,  
depth and number and kind of fix-  
tures to be connected and such other  
information necessary to the inspector  
for the proper direction of the work  
and for keeping a correct record  
thereof.

A notice of at least twenty-four  
(24) hours shall be given by the  
plumbing to the inspector, who will  
give the location of the junction with  
which connection is to be made.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION BY  
GUARDIAN TO MAKE OIL, GAS  
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No. 817

Guardianship of the Estate of Belle  
Goodman et al, Minors  
Pending in the County Court of  
Callahan County, Texas.

To All To Whom These Presents  
Shall Come, Greeting:

Maggie F. Goodman, Guardian of  
the Estate of Belle Goodman, Aleta  
Goodman and Irene Goodman, Minors,  
which said guardianship is pending  
in the County Court of Callahan Coun-  
ty, Texas, hereby gives notice that  
as such guardian the said Maggie  
F. Goodman has this day filed her  
sworn application with the County  
Clerk of Callahan County, Texas  
where such guardianship is pending  
for authority to make an oil, gas and  
mineral lease upon the interest of  
said minors upon the following descri-  
bed tract of land situated in Cal-  
lahan County, Texas and consisting  
of one tract of 80 acres of land, fully  
set out and described in the inven-  
tory and appraisal and the amend-  
ed inventory heretofore filed in the  
above numbered and entitled cause,  
of record in the probate minutes of  
Callahan County, Texas, said tract of  
land being more particularly descri-  
bed as follows, to-wit:

The North 80 acres of 160 acres of  
land out of the Southwest corner of  
the Antony Bates survey in said coun-  
ty. Beginning at the Southwest cor-  
ner of said Antony Bates Survey and  
Southeast corner of Survey No. 28 B.  
A. Land. Thence North 949 varas  
to stake and stone mound for North-  
west corner and Southwest corner of  
110 acre tract heretofore sold out of

the Northwest corner of said Bates  
Survey; Thence North 84 degrees  
East 912 varas to a stake and large  
stone mound. Thence South 1044  
varas to stake and large stone mound  
in the S. B. line of said Bates Survey.  
Thence West 907 varas to the place  
of beginning.

That the interest of said minors in  
said land is a joint and undivided in-  
terest and that the said application  
to make such oil, gas and mineral  
lease will be heard before the Hon-  
orable County Judge of Callahan  
County, Texas in the city of Baird in  
the Court House of said County at  
9:00 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, July  
2, 1927.

Witness my hand at the City of  
Baird, Callahan County, Texas, this  
21st day of June, A. D. 1927.

Maggie F. Goodman  
Guardian of the Estate of  
Belle Goodman et al,  
Minors.

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Receiver of First National Bank

Ranger, Texas

## Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jackson and sons are visiting in Fort Worth

Mrs. Miller Oliver and children, of Menard, are visiting their sister Mrs. C. B. Holmes

Mr and Mrs F. L. Driskill and Mr and Mrs. Jno Driskill are on a weeks fishing trip on the Llano River.

Mrs. C. M. Mills and daughter, Frances have gone to Philadelphia, and New York for a visit with their son and brother, Robt. Cochran.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Holmes and daughter, Miss Mildred, spent Sunday and Monday at San Angelo

Mr and Mrs W S Hinds and Mrs, H. D. Driskill spent a few days in Dallas last week

Miss Margaret Walker, of Midland, is spending the week end with her uncles, M. J. and C. B. Holmes, and families

Mr. and Mrs E R. Surles, of Wichita Falls, are the guest of their sister, Mrs. C. B. Holmes

Mr. and Mrs. Geo E Symonds, and sons Geo Jr, and Bobby, of Okmulgee Okla. are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M Franklin

Mrs. Price McFarlane, Price Jr., and Miss Opal McFarlane, are visiting their son, S. C. McFarlane and family of Mexia, Texas.

Rev. Cal C. Wright made an auto trip to Stanton last week and brought Mrs. Wright home, Mrs. Wright spent some time with her father, Hardy Clements, who was recently operated on for cancer. Mr. Clements is recovering we are glad to learn.

Mrs T P. Bearden and sons, Faiben and Frank, returned home Monday, from Princeton, N. J, where the boys attended the Princeton Academy the past year. On their return home they visited New York, Niagara Falls and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Schwartz, accompanied by their daughter Mrs Max Levy and her two little sons, Winfield and Richard, of Cincinnati, Ohio left Saturday for Los Angeles, Calif, where they will spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hall.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

For Rent: Two room apartment with bath, also one bed room. See or phone, Mrs. R. Q. Evans, Phone 62.

FURNISHED HOUSE: for rent apply to H. A. Snoddy, West Baird 1tp

FOR SALE: I have three adjoining lots 50x150 ft. in block 66 one block West of old Ice Plant—make me an offer. Mrs. Minnie E. McManis, Breckenwidge, Texas 30-2tp.

FOR SALE: My place in West Baird Whole or in quarters. Write me for price and terms. Mrs. W. C. Powell, 3106 Douglas Street, Dallas, Texas. 26-4t.

FOR SALE—One L. C. Smith typewriter No. 5, good as new. One Gerheart Knitting Machine, never used. cheap if sold at once. See Mrs. Wm. Hanley. 28-3t.

POLAN-CHINA PIGS for sale. See or phone E. H. Williams. Phone 253 LS 27-2tpd.

FOR SALE: Fordson Tractor, for sale, in good condition. See Charnel Harp. 29-4tpd.

FOR SALE: One Graham Bros. Truck, 1 and 1-2 ton. See T. M. Neill Motor Company, Baird, Texas.

FOR SALE—safe, bed, stand table, gas stoves. See Ayers, four blocks east of Post Office. 82-1t8p

FOR RENT—Light house-keeping apartment. See Mrs. A. W. Yell. 28tf

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## THIRD DEATH ADDS TO KANAGA RIDDLE

Caves of Island May Hide Wild Animal.

Kodiak, Alaska.—Do the deep sen- worn caves of lonely Kanaga Island conceal strange animal-like men who venture out at low tide to prey on natives and white fox-farm attend- ants? For the third time in a year a Seattle man's death adds to the North riddle. Thus far the toll of Kanaga in- cludes T. Shruzer, Tom Marrah and P. H. Munro.

More than a score of Aleuts have fallen victims to some mysterious power at various times in recent years, yet there has been no witness of the terrible deeds committed nor has a clue to the malefactors been found. Fox-pelt poachers do prey among the fur islands, but they rarely molest the islanders, fearing disclo- sure of their crimes. The Aleut na- tives are peaceful men, seldom per- turbed to the fighting point.

Has Largest Blue Fox Farm. Kanaga is the home just now of the largest blue fox farm in the world. The island lies near the tip of the Aleutian group, the relic of terrific submarine upheaval centuries ago. Besides Aleuts, there are a few per- sons descended from the Baranoff ex- plorers and the Muscovian influence is shown in their mode of living— low-roofed stone houses with large fireplaces where the fires seldom die down as a rule. Pelting of furs is the occupation, besides fishing and hunt- ing.

Day after day in autumn and win- ter Kanaga is veiled with dense fog; the furious sea beats the rocky shores, venturing deep caves far into the bowels of the sandstone formation. Some of the caves are a mile back with high vaulted ceilings. In these natural tombs Aleuts bore their dead, each body rolled in layer after layer of long seaweed or kelp. The dead were mummified and today are in a good state of preservation.

Wild Beauty in Spring. In spring Kanaga casts off the drab clothing of winter. Lupines, lilies and wild celery transfer it into a great flower garden. Sea fowl by the million come to eat the wild rice and schools of fish. The towering cliffs are covered with spruce and there is a strange wild beauty all around. Wild and semidomesticated foxes overrun the land.

Lured by the natural torpid sur- roundings, the Aleuts have become half-dazed, the white settlers morbid until all move about as dead living people. In the mummy caves are found grotesque masks, ikons and oriental carvings. The beach receives a backwash from many shores. Drift- wood from Asia reaches Kanaga in the Japan current. This adds to the terror and superstitions of the islanders.

Little wonder the stranger landing at Kanaga is held at a distance, and peering eyes watch from secret places until suspicion is overcome.

On Kanaga Island it is said Irish turn into Russians, Russians become Chinese and all finally become queer primitive human beings lacking am- bition and imbued with a curious de- sire to worship the mummies in the echoing caves of Neptune.

## 20 Families Kin to Pre-Conquest Saxons

London.—The controversy as to the tallest family tree in England reached a climax when A. C. Fox Davis, gene- alogist, and Sir Francis Galton, an- thropologist and Darwin's cousin, came out recently with authorita- tive comment.

Mr. Davis declared there were 20 families who have direct descent from Saxon ancestry before the Conquest, while 35 descended through the male line from ancestors who rode in the ships of William the Conqueror. None is yet bold enough to say how Caesar's galleys figured. Sir Francis Galton, in writing "The Ancestral Law," cal- culates that a man descended from a Norman baron, assuming a weight of 196 pounds, contains one-fiftieth of a grain of blue Norman blood, which hardly seems enough to fuss about.

Going back to 1066, it was ascer- tained that a person born in the early part of the Twentieth century has 67,108,876 ancestors, while nearly half of the actual ancestors—33,554,432—are accounted for during the Norman conquest, which is greater than the estimated population of western Eu- rope of the year 1100.

## Flying Boats in Orient to Serve Meals at Bar

London.—Extensive flying tests are being made by imperial airways pilots in Singapore in a Rolls Royce flying boat—a large, all-metal aircraft built for the air ministry to co-operate with the fleet at sea—and it is now an- nounced that two all-metal flying boats will be built to make experimental flights over the Calcutta-Rangoon sec- tion projected on an empire air route connecting London with Australia.

Each of these new passenger flying boats will be driven by three Jupiter engines, with a total of 1,350 horse- power, and will be equipped with a refreshment bar for serving hot and cold meals while in flight.

## Woman Is Mayor

Casa Grande, Ariz.—Mrs. Earl Garr, business woman, is now mayor, having defeated a man by one vote. The election was by the city council.

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Meal	24 lb. Blue Bonnet	15c
Peannt Butter	5 lb. Basket	1.00
Brau, Raisin, Two Packages		25c
Baking Powder, Rumfords		25c
Freezers, Two Quart, Iceмонт		90c
Mustard, Beechnut, Two Jars		25c
Cantelope	ONLY	10c
Spuds, Per Peck		85c
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NOT EASY TO GET SHINE IN FRANCE

Bootblacks Not Familiar Sight on Streets.

Paris.—"Shine, sir!" Don't expect to hear in Paris the cry familiar outside railroad depots back home. But even at that you don't have to walk around the streets of the French capital with rusty footwear.

You won't find shoeblacks at every corner as you do in New York or Chicago, but you can find a few if you know where to go.

Then there are two worthy "commissioners," or public messengers, who sleep half the day on little stools on the two corners of the Boulevard des Italiens where it runs east from the Place de l'Opera.

If you understand some of their argot you will at the same time learn what they think of people who spend money getting their shoes shined and then tell France she must pay her debts.

Parted 24 Years, 3 Reunited by Letter

Philadelphia.—But for a letter opened by mistake Henry J. Littrell, seventy, of Alavista, Va., might never have been reunited here with his two sons, who have mourned him as dead for 25 years.

Some twenty-five years ago a storm and flood razed a small town in the Middle West where Mr. Littrell had taken up his residence, and after it abated he had vanished.

Two weeks ago James Littrell, Jr., a grandson, was taking a business trip through Virginia. He had requested his associates to address his mail to general delivery along the route he proposed to pursue.

At Roanoke he received a letter addressed to "Littrell," with the first name erased. Believing it to be his own, he opened it.

Inquiries at the post office disclosed that the letter must have been meant for Henry J. Littrell. The younger Littrell decided to deliver the letter to the person it had been sent to.

New Gears for Planes

Lynn, Mass.—The addition of two gears and a small "impeller" to an airplane engine now makes possible higher power at all altitudes, which in turn means higher speeds or heavier loads.

Previously the supercharger has only been used extensively in military airplanes, and then only as an attachment, but now several large manufacturers of engines have adopted the new supercharger as an integral part of their motors built for commercial planes.

"The supercharger does exactly the same for the airplane engine as the oxygen tank does for the pilot when flying at high or unusual altitudes," stated Doctor Moss.

New York.—Uncle Sam is to acquire John Bull. "Yes, sir, that's my real name," said an applicant at the naturalization bureau.

Recognize Persons 13 Miles Away in Mirage

Cape May, N. J.—The most remarkable mirage seen hereabouts for years was visible the other day from the board walk. Ships that were 20 miles at sea, built down beneath the horizon, were seen clearly.

INSECT FOES OF MAN ARE VANISHING, SAYS SCIENTIST

Texas Entomologist Declares That Bugs Will Never Gain Upper Hand Over Human Race.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Belief that insects may gain the upper hand over mankind was termed far out of the realm of probability by R. R. Reppert, entomologist from Texas A. and M. college.

"Every insect that has threatened mankind has been exterminated or brought under control," Reppert said. "It is at times when insects are causing huge financial damage that some persons think they are getting the upper hand."

"For example, yellow fever, caused by the bite of a mosquito, is now only a memory, whereas a few decades ago it caused thousands of deaths. Bubonic plague, spread largely by the bite of fleas that had been on infected rats, also is almost unheard of."

"The method by which the yellow fever mosquito was brought under control was the destroying of his breeding places and larvae. As the flea obviously could not be controlled, bubonic plague was eliminated by destroying rats, mice, ground squirrels and other small animals infected with it."

750 Live in "Bowlegs"; It's an Oil-Boom Town

Oklahoma City, Okla.—One of Oklahoma's newest oil-boom towns is named Bowlegs. The appellation comes from Billy and Lucy Bowlegs, Indians, who were allotted land in Seminole county. For years a general merchandise store stood at a crossroads on their property between Seminole and Wewoka.

FEEDING TRIALS FOR THE CHICKS

Feeding trials during 1926 on the experiment station poultry farm at Rutgers university have shown that by means of a new ration it is possible to make White Leghorns average 1 1/2 pounds in weight when eight weeks old and show steady gains to a maturing weight of four pounds.

The new ration used was designed to meet all nutritive requirements of birds raised in confinement for the prevention of coccidiosis, black head, round worms and tapeworms, and consisted of the following ingredients: Twenty pounds of wheat bran, 20 of Red Dog flour, 20 of yellow corn meal (whole ground corn), 20 of ground rolled oats, 10 of meat scrap (50%), 5 of dried milk, 2 of oyster shell meal, 1 of salt and 1 quart of cod liver oil.

For the poultrymen who wish to use this ration the poultry department gives the following directions: For First Three Days—Give milk to drink, either sour skim milk or a commercial condensed skim milk or buttermilk.

Three Days to One Week—Feed mash in pans twice daily, all the chicks will eat in 20 minutes; scratch feed 3 times daily, all they will eat in 20 minutes.

One Week to Twenty Weeks—Furnish plenty of mash, hopper space, add fresh mash daily. Give scratch feed three times daily. Green feed must be tender and succulent; feed small amounts at start, then increase to what the chicks will eat in 15 minutes.

Scotti Becomes Citizen

New York.—Having sung for the Metropolitan opera for twenty-seven years, Antonio Scotti, Italian barytone, is to become a citizen.

ARMY TWINS ARE ALIVE IN BOTH BANK AND SERVICE

Two Sets of Lieutenants Are Serving in the Field and Coast Artillery.

Washington.—The army has two sets of twins who have twin service records, all first lieutenants. They are Herbert E. and Herschel D. Baker of the field artillery and Claude T. and Clem O. Gunn of the coast artillery.

Similarity in their service records is more pronounced in the case of the Baker brothers than of the Gunn brothers, although the latter seldom have been far apart in any important point. Lieut. Herbert E. Baker is now with the Fourteenth field artillery at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and his brother with the Second field artillery at Fort Bragg, N. C., while the Gunn brothers are at Manila, Clem with the Fifty-ninth coast artillery and Claude with the Sixtieth.

Born at Waltonville, Ill., November 21, 1896, the sons of Col. David Baker of the medical corps, the Baker brothers attended the Marist college, Atlanta, Ga., from January, 1909, until November, 1913.

They enlisted in the regular army February 3, 1917, and were assigned as privates to troop C, Second cavalry, afterward rising to the grade of privates, first class, in that troop and subsequently serving in headquarters troop, Fourth division, and the One Hundred Forty-seventh field artillery until they entered the third officers' training school at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., January 5, 1918.

They were commissioned second lieutenants with emergency rating and served in the American expeditionary forces together from April, 1918, until August, 1919, being wounded on the same day, October 26, 1918, in the Meuse-Argonne engagement. Permanent rating as second lieutenants was given them a year later, and promotion followed in July, 1921. Both took the basic course in the field artillery school, 1921-1922, but after that parted company to take separate assignments.

White Collar Jobs Give Farms a Fight

Washington.—Bright city lights and white-collar jobs lured more than 2,155,000 persons from farms in the United States during 1926, the Agriculture department estimated.

In turn, however, 1,135,000 city persons decided rural was more enjoyable than urban life and migrated to farms during the year.

Uncle Sam is wondering "How you're going to keep them down on the farm," for the net movement away from agriculture tracts during the 12 months was 1,020,000 persons.

The total farm population decreased 640,000 persons last year, the largest decrease in any year since 1920. The 658,000 births on farms, compared with 371,000 deaths, held the exodus figure below the general migratory total, officials of the department said.

The number of persons living on farms on January 1, 1927, was estimated by the government at 27,982,000, against 28,541,000 on January 1, 1926.

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## PLUMBING ORDINANCE

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No pipe shall be cut for the junction or cap removed except in the presence of the inspector.

When the drain is to be connected with a drain to pass through property not owned by the applicant the written consent of the owner must be procured and filed with the application before permit can be issued.

Section 9. Excavation in streets and alleys shall be made in such a manner as to impede travel as little as possible and the inspector may determine the time, and limit the same that such excavation shall remain open; when it is unnecessarily delayed he may direct that the number of workmen be increased to such an extent as he may deem necessary.

Red lights shall be maintained upon all unfinished work at night from dark until sunrise and sufficient barricades shall be placed at all times until the work is completed.

Section 10. All trenches shall be refilled in a careful and workmanlike manner and settled or puddled so as to replace, as nearly as possible, all of the excavated material and leave the surface in a neat and workmanlike condition.

Any refilling of trenches necessary to maintain the streets and alleys in a good condition for a period of one year shall be done by the drain layer or plumber.

Section 11. All sewer pipes or drains up to within four feet outside of any building shall be not less than four inches in diameter and larger as required; they shall be first quality, vitrified sewer pipe or well seasoned and properly made cement pipe when approved by the inspector.

All pipe must be straight, true and sound, and free from defects. They shall be laid in perfect alignment, or changes in direction shall be made with the proper branches and curves, and uniformly graded toward the sewer main or lateral at least one-eighth of an inch to one foot.

Each pipe joint shall be carefully bedded as laid, the joint composed of equal parts of portland cement and clean sharp sand. A layer of jute shall be properly placed in the bell of each pipe to insure a smooth flow line and to prevent mortar entering inside of the pipe. When cement pipe is used the use of the jute will not be necessary but a swab shall be drawn through the pipe as the laying progresses to clear the pipe of any obstructions which might enter during the construction.

Section 12. Every building shall be separately and independently connected with the sewer provided, however, that when it may be advisable to connect two or more buildings with the same sewer, it shall be done so upon the approval of the inspector.

Section 13. Rain water leaders and overflow cisterns will not be permitted to discharge into the sewer under any circumstances.

Cellar drains may be connected if properly trapped. The trap for the cellar drains shall have a seal of not less than six inches and must be kept primed.

When there is danger from back-water valve must be used.

Section 14. It shall be unlawful to allow any surface water or the overflow from any vault or cess pool to enter the sewer, or to throw or deposit, or cause to be thrown or deposited, any receptacle connected with any sewer, any garbage, hair, ashes, fruit, vegetables or peelings, refuse, rags, sticks, cinders or any other matter or anything whatever except faeces, urine, the necessary closet paper and liquid house slops.

Section 15. Whenever any drain, connected with the sewer or drain becomes broken, obstructed, or out of order, or in such condition as to prevent the use of the sewer or drain or to render it unfit for the purpose of drainage, the owner, agent, occupant or person having charge of any building, yard, lot, or land, or other premises which are drained by the drain or sewer shall, when directed by the inspector, remove, reconstruct, alter, clean or repair said drain as the condition of the same may require.

Section 16. All plumbing material must be of good quality, free from defects and all other work executed in a thorough and workmanlike manner.

Drain, main and waste pipes through which water and sewage is used and carried shall be of cast iron, lead, or brass when within the building.

Cast iron soil pipe and fitting shall be of the grade and weight known as standard, and covered with a coating of tar and asphaltum.

Lead waste pipe shall not be lighter in weight than the grade called "D" or "Extra Light."

Section 17. House sewer shall not be less than 2 1/4 feet deep at the gutter when the main is in the street or two feet at the property line when the main sewer is in the alley. When the main sewer is not sufficiently deep to allow the house sewer to be at these depths standard soil pipe shall be laid from the property line to the main sewer or the sewer pipe shall be covered with concrete.

Section 18. All joints between lead pipes shall be either wiped solder joints or by means of union and red flange. Connection of lead with iron pipe shall be made either with a brass ferrule or soldering nipple wiped onto the lead pipe and screwed or caulked into the iron pipe or by use of a union and lead flange.

Slip joints will be permitted only in trap seals or on the inlet side of the trap. Unions on the sewer side of the trap of the ground shall not be concealed or inclosed. No slip joints will be permitted on supply pipes up to fixtures cock.

For water closets, pedestal urinal and trap, standard slop sink, etc., a brass floor connection shall be wiped or soldered to lead pipe, an iron floor connection shall be wiped or soldered to lead pipe, or an iron floor connection bolted to an earthenware trap flange. A metal to earthenware, a metal to metal union, or a lead or asbestos gasket washer shall be used to make a tight joint.

Any fitting or connection which has an enlargement chamber or recess with a ledge shoulder or reduction of the

pipe area in the direction of the flow on the out let or drain side of any trap is prohibited.

Joints in soil and drain pipe shall be of lead and oakum, both well caulked in, the lead joint being made at the one pouring and shall be at least 1 1/4 inches deep.

Section 19. The arrangement of soil and waste pipes must be as direct as possible. The drain, soil and waste pipes and traps must, if practicable, be exposed to view for ready inspection at all times.

The main drain or soil pipe receiving the discharge from one water closet or from two or more fixtures shall be four inches in diameter and extend, undiminished in size, to a point two feet above the roof.

All horizontal piping shall run in perfect alignment and at grade of one-half an inch per foot if possible, but in no case at less than one-quarter of an inch. They shall be strongly supported in iron hangers or upon posts, posts or wall ledges, placed not more than ten feet apart.

Vertical piping shall be adequately anchored to the walls or partition with suitable pipe hooks or wall rests.

There shall be at least one four-inch cleanout provided in the main drain just inside of the wall or at the base of the soil or waste stack.

All changes in direction, either horizontal or vertical, shall be made with the appropriate use of forty-five degree Y's, half Y's, sanitary Tees, long sweep quarters, sixth, eighth and sixteenth bends.

Short TY branches will be permitted on vertical lines only. Tees and short quarter bends may be used on exposed waste pipe and in the vent and back vent system or for cleanout openings and fixture connections.

Section 20. The placing of a house trap in the main drain or outlet from the house shall be optional but where provided, it shall be inside the foundation walls, or in an accessible location just without, provided with handhole for cleaning out purposed, a properly constructed fresh air inlet opening on the house side of the trap; having a suitable cap; its mouth shall not be nearer than twelve feet from any door or window openings.

Every sink, basin, water closet, wash tray, urinal, bath tub or set of fixtures shall be separately and effectively trapped, with traps of suitable and approved patterns, placed as near the fixtures as practicable. Every trap used on a drainage or plumbing system shall be self cleansing.

No trap which depends on movable parts for its seal shall be used, nor shall any which depends upon concealed interior partitions or deflectors for its seal or re-seal, except for earthen ware fixtures where the seal of the trap is plainly visible.

Every drum trap shall be so installed that the water seal of the trap is a protection of the trap screw from sewer air.

Traps for basins, bath tubs, sinks, or other similar fixtures shall be made from lead, brass or iron enameled inside.

Every trap shall have a water seal of at least two and one-half inches.

All trap on a drainage of plumbing system shall be rigidly supported and set true with respect to their water levels and shall be located so as to protect their seals against frost, back pressure and syphonage.

Section 21. Main or branchvent pipes smaller than two inches in diameter shall be made of standard galvanized iron pipe and cast iron fittings, or lead, brass or copper pipe or connections.

Larger sizes may be of standard cast iron soil pipe and fittings. All must be made gas and water tight.

All traps must be protected from syphonage and back pressure, and the drainage system ventilated by special lines of vent pipes and back vent pipes. The back vent of any fixture shall be as close to the fixture as practicable, and of the same size as the trap, except in the case of water closets, which vent must not be less than two inches in size for thirty feet or less in length, and three inches for more than thirty feet. When there is but one closet and the distance is not more than two feet from the stack, the size of vent may be one and one-half inches in diameter.

Where there is a group of water closets from three to five in number, the vent must be three inches for thirty feet and four inches beyond that length.

In case of no independent vent pipe through the roof, connections, may be made with the main stack of soil pipe not less than three feet above the highest fixtures.

No ventilation pipe shall be less than one and one-fourth inches in diameter.

Vents of traps from two or more fixtures may be connected at not less than one foot above the top of fixtures.

Vent pipes shall be vertical as nearly as possible, and changes in direction made at an angle of forty-five degrees.

Where pipes pass through the roof they shall be flashed around with sheet lead flashing four pounds to the square foot, extending eight inches on every side of the pipe and not less than ten inches high, formed to the pipe and pitch of the roof and made water and weather tight.

No brick, sheet metal, earthenware or chimney flues shall be used as a sewer ventilator, and no vent pipe must terminate in such a flue or conduit, but extend up through the roof or connect with the main soil pipe as provided, above the highest fixtures.

Each sewer connection with laterals where fixtures from other than cellar or outside slop sinks are connected, shall have a cast iron pipe not less than four inches in diameter, extending up at least two feet above the roof of business, dwelling or out-buildings.

Section 22. All sewer connections with garages, butcher shops, hotels, eating houses, restaurants, laundries or private residences where much grease is used shall be provided with a grease trap placed in an accessible location for cleaning out purposes. They shall be of a form approved by the inspector, properly ventilated and kept regularly cleaned out as required.

Section 23. All stables, barns or garages having a wash rack on which wagons, automobiles, or other vehicles are washed, and such wash rack is to be connected with the sewer, it shall be provided with a sand trap having a capacity of at least twenty (20) cubic feet space for sediment, below inlet and outlet pipes.

There shall be a partition between the inlet and out let extending at least six inches below the bottom of the inlet pipe. These may be made of concrete, brick or tile. They shall be regularly cleaned out as often as required or when notified by the inspector.

Every garage shall have in its sewer connections, in addition to the usual sand trap under wash rack, a special trap or interceptor which will effectively exclude all oil and gasoline from entrance into sewer.

Section 24. Waste pipe from refrigerators, water tanks, drip pans or other receptacles in which provisions are stored shall not connect directly with the drainage system, but shall waste into an open tray or sink in plain sight below the refrigerator. This tray or sink may be connected with the drainage system by being properly trapped, same as any other fixture.

Section 25. No steam exhaust, blow-off or drip pipe shall connect with the sewer or with any house drain, soil or waste pipe. Such pipes must discharge into a tank or condenser, from which suitable outlet to the sewer may be provided, properly trapped. Hot water above the temperature of 140 degrees Fahrenheit should not be allowed to enter the house drain or sewer.

Section 26. All plumbing fixtures in all buildings shall be set free and open, and shall be so placed as to be readily accessible for cleaning.

All material used for the purpose of plumbing fixtures shall be non-absorbent and impermeable.

The installation or maintenance of fixed wooden wash trays or sinks is prohibited in any building used for human habitation.

Wooden troughs or sinks, with or without metallic lining shall be allowed only for soda fountain sinks, or dish sinks in hotels, restaurants and public kitchens, and may be lined with only copper or lead.

The bowls of water closets shall be made in one piece and of such shape and form as to hold sufficient quantity of water when filled up to the trap overflow to completely submerged any matter deposited in them and properly flush and scour the soil pipe when the contents of the bowl are discharged.

All water closets and urinals shall have a flushing rim so as to flush the entire interior surface of the bowl thereof with water. Low down tanks water closets shall be of the syphon pattern provided with refilling devices.

Latrines or range closets may be installed in or about buildings designed or the use or occupancy of a large number of persons, but not used as residence or lodging, when approved by the inspector.

When water closets are located in any yard of any building where there is a soil pipe stack and where suitable space is not obtainable within the walls thereof, or in a building not used for human occupancy, long, hopper, anti-freezing closets may be used, being arranged so as to be adequately flushed, and the water supply pipes and traps protected from freezing by placing them in a hopper pit at least three and one-half feet below the surface of the ground.

Every water closet, or group of water closets on the same floor, subject to constant use as in schools, shall be supplied from a separate tank or cistern, and no tank shall have a flush pipe less than one and one-fourth inches in diameter.

A group of not more than three basins or a set of three wash trays, or a combined sink and wash tray, with a trap under the center fixture, will be considered as one fixture and require but one trap.

All sinks, basins, bath tubs, wash trays or sets of trays and all urinals must have their wastes provided with strong metal strainers.

Section 27. For all fixtures above the first floor having lead safes, sheet lead not lighter than three pounds per square foot shall be used.

No safe waste shall be smaller than one inch in diameter and where there is more than one safe the size of waste shall be increased. The inlet end of the waste must be covered with a strong convex brass strainer soldered to the safe.

No safe waste shall in any case be connected with the drainage system direct, but must discharge from an open and over a sink onto some place in plain sight and when run to outside of building should be fitted with safe waste valves.

All water or other pipes passing through lead safes must be of lead with wiped joints or flashed around pipe three inches high with sheet lead flashing and made tight.

Section 28. No pipes shall be covered or concealed from view until the work has been examined, tested and approved by the inspector. The plumber shall notify said inspector when the work is ready for examination or test and prepare for the same by filling all the pipes with water to the top of the soil pipe, and allowing the same to stand for four hours, or by maintaining and air pressure of ten pounds per square inch for thirty minutes. If any defects in the joints or anywhere else are found they shall be repaired or replaced before the system will be finally accepted.

Section 29. The inspector shall have access at all times to any buildings having connections with any sewer and water mains to properly examine the same, and any defective work in connection with sewers or appurtenances disapproved by the inspector shall, upon notice, be properly remedied.

### INSPECTION FEES

Section 30. The sum of one dollar (\$1.00) for first fixture, and fifty (50) cents additional fixture, shall be paid as a permit fee for fixtures, proposed to be placed in the work described in the application for permit under this ordinance.

Section 31. Any person or persons who shall violate any of the

provisions of this ordinance, or fail to comply with its rules and regulations shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) DOLLARS and upon non-payment of the fine and costs may be committed until such fine and costs are paid and his Plumber's License revoked.

Section 32. This ordinance shall take effect and be enforced from and after its passage when published in The Baird Star.

C. L. Dickey  
Mayor, City of Baird, Texas.

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ATTEST:

Royce Gilliland  
City Secretary, Baird, Texas.

### NOTICE

The State of Texas  
County of Callahan.

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

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Christopher C. Dunlap, Deceased, late of Callahan County, Texas, by W. C. White, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 7th day of June, 1927, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said Estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said Estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at the office of his attorney in Baird, Callahan County, Texas, where he receives his mail.

This the 7th day of June, A. D. 1927.

S. N. Dunlap,  
Administrator of the estate of Christopher C. Dunlap, Deceased. 28-4t.

### APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

The State of Texas

To The Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published, once a week for ten days, exclusive of the first 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:

To All Persons Interested in the Welfare of Eleanor Wilson and Jane Wilson, Minors:

You are hereby notified that Mrs. Fern G. Wilson has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the estate of said minors, Eleanor Wilson and Jane Wilson, and on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1927, by order of the County Judge of said County, the said Mrs. Fern G. Wilson was appointed Temporary Guardian of the Estate of said Minors, and at the next regular term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in August, A. D. 1927, the same being the 1st day of August, A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, at which time, all persons interested in the Welfare of said Minors may, and are hereby cited to appear and contest such appointment, if they so desire, and if such appointment is not contested at the said term of said Court, then the same shall become permanent.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court, on the First day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this the 7th day of June, A. D. 1927.

S. E. Settle, Clerk,  
County Court, Callahan County, Texas 28-2t.

### NOTICE WATER USERS

Please make your Deposit for Water Meters, by June 20th.

J. C. Barringer,  
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### NOTICE DAIRYMEN AND STOCK OWNERS

Dr. I. L. Vaughn, Veterinarian of Cisco, will be in Baird Saturday, June 18th for the purpose of testing cows for tuberculin. I use the intradermal tests, which is the standard for testing cattle for T. B. I will also vaccinate dogs against rabbies. Anyone engaged in the Dairy business should have their cows tested for T. B. as the Pure Food Law says that milk must be pure. I will test cows for private owners also. I will be in Baird Saturday morning at 9 a. m. at the City Pharmacy an dremin until 2 p. m. Rember the date. Dr. I. L. Vaughn, Veterinarian, Cisco, Texas. 1t.

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