

Jan. 28, 1911

There's No Use

Sending out of town for Job Printing, you can get it done just as nice and just as cheap here.

The Star Job Office.

The Baird Star.

Our Motto; "TIS NEITHER BIRTH, NOR WEALTH, NOR STATE; BUT THE GIT-UP-AND-GIT THAT MAKES MEN GREAT."

Money to Lend on Land

Long time—Low rate of interest, Vendor's lien notes bought taken up and extended.
B. L. RUSSELL
At First National Bank

VOLUME NO. 24.

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JAN., 27, 1911.

NO. 9.



- Shoes Shoes Shoes -



We can shoe the whole family. Now is the time most every one needs a new pair of shoes. We carry six big specialty lines of shoes that every customer can find just the shoe they are looking for. All roads are rough in places. Two-thirds of one's life is spent in their shoes. Our shoes are the easy fitting kind.

TRY US FOR THE NEXT PAIR.

Shoes That Fit Well and Wear Longest.



- Walk-Over shoes for men - - - \$3.50 to \$6.00
- W. L. Douglas shoe for men - - - 2.00 to 5.00
- Brown's Star 5 Star shoe for the whole family, any style, any leather. Prices reasonable
- Zeigler shoes for women - - - 2.50 to 4.00
- Drew Selby slippers for women - - - 2.50 to 4.00

Buster Brown Shoes.

Buster Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes for boys and girls. Once you try a pair you will like them. Satisfaction guaranteed with every pair. You will be satisfied if you let our shoes keep company with your feet.

A Few Specials For 1911.

- Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothing for men. Suits at - - - \$18.00 to \$25.00
- "Keep-Kool" Spring Clothing for men and youth's at - - - 10.00 to 20.00
- Royal Brand "Gold Metal" suits for boys 3.00 to 6.50
- Jno. B. Stetson hats - - - 4.00 to 7.50
- Thoroughbred hats, new style - - - 3.00
- Cluett Shirts, none better at - - - 1.50 and up

The Royal Tailors.

The oldest, largest and best Tailors in the world. A guarantee with every garment, that it is all wool and will hold its shape until worn out. Let us take your measure.



This is the Place Where You Get The Best Goods For The Least Money.

B. L. BOYDSTUN

DRY GOODS

GROCERIES.

RURAL LETTER CARRIERS ASSOCIATION.

The Rural Letter Carriers Association of the district composed of the counties of Taylor, Callahan and Jones, will meet in Clyde, Texas, on Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, at the Christian Church.

At 2:30 p. m. the following program will be rendered, to which all, especially rural route patrons are invited.

- Welcome address.—J. H. Burkett, J. P. of Clyde.
- Response.—Byron Clayton, of Abilene.
- The Benefits of Organization.—Price Bankhead, of Merkel.
- The Educational Value of Rural Free Delivery.—R. S. Palmer, of Hawley.
- The Rural and City Carrier.—Arthur Slater, of Clyde.
- The R. F. D. Service, and what will replace it?—Alba Chambers, of Baird.
- The relation of the Rural dweller to the community at large.—W. R. Ely, of Baird.
- Good Roads.—A. J. Adecock, of Merkel.

We hope to have a large number of rural route patrons present, to hear the speeches as the warmest friendship and sympathy should exist between carriers and patrons. An invitation will be extended to any patron who desires to do so, to address the carriers, and offer any suggestions they wish.

A business session will be held by the carriers at some other hour of the day.

Free entertainment will be given all Carriers who come. Lets have a large number of Carriers present.

Arthur Slater.
Alba Chambers.
Program Committee.

Presbyterian Church.

Regular services at Presbyterian Church next Sunday.

Subject for the morning hour is "The Transfiguration."

In the evening we will preach a sermon to the Knights of Pythias. They will attend in a body and seats will be reserved for them and also for the Pythian Sisters, who it is expected will attend with them.

All are cordially invited to be present. A. B. C. Dinwiddie.

WHO'S NEXT?

\$4,600.00 city residence property sold to date during month of January 1911. A few bargains left, "pick 'em out."

One good 4 room house, practically new, two 50 ft. lots, small barn. East part of town, clear of smoke.

One good 5 room house and 50 ft lot, cistern. Close in, 2 blocks from Main. Suitable for rooming house. \$550. if quick sale, title perfect. W. P. Cochran. 9

County Attorney, W. A. Shields, sent to Clyde a few days ago to attend to some cases in Justice Court.

NEW HOTEL.

We learn that the new hotel proposition is meeting with considerable encouragement. Dr. R. G. Powell and others are soliciting subscriptions to the stock. The plan is, we believe, to form a joint stock company and make it strictly a home enterprise. Baird certainly does need another hotel and all should help that are able to do so.

Notice, Woodmen.

There will be a special meeting of Baird Camp No. 508 Woodmen of the World held Monday evening, January 30th at 7:50 o'clock. There will be some very important business brought before this session and it behooves every member to be present, so come and do your duty, January 30, 1911. W. Lawrence Bowlius, Consul Commander. J. Robert Black, Clerk.

RECITAL.

The recital given by Miss Cannon's music class at the Cooke Opera House, last Thursday night was a splendid success. Every number on the program was well rendered. The pupils show that they have had splendid training and have applied themselves well. There was a large crowd present.

Tax Assessor, T. L. Conway, living in the east part of town, has three children sick with the measles. They were quite sick for several days, but are now doing very well.

Special Services

At the Methodist Church next Sunday. 11 o'clock a. m. subject: "The Cruel Daughter." This is a sermon that every parent, every teacher, every christian in Baird should hear. It tells of the saddest mistake ever made and how it may be remedied.

7:15 p. m. Subject: "In the Balances of the Almighty." It does not matter so much what I weigh in my own balances or in those in the community. The vital question and the one of eternal interest is "What do I weigh in God's balances?" Prof. W. S. Jones will have charge of the choir.

Clovis G. Chappell, Pastor.

Last Tuesday was pay day on the T. & P. at Baird, and as usual business was lively. We noticed a long line of railroad men at the tax collector's office paying their taxes. Many of the boys that never before voted will be ready to vote this year. Most of them are antis, but some are pros. Every voter should pay their tax and be ready to vote on state prohibition.

W. P. Cochran is doing some real estate business. Some days ago he sold the Rudemose place to J. W. Miller. This week he sold the H. Schwartz place to Mrs. J. A. Jackson and then sold the A. G. Webb place to Mrs. H. Schwartz. A few locals in THE STAR greatly helped, if it did not cause the sales. It pays to advertise, but you cannot make some people believe it.

A NEW BEEF BREED.

Buffalo-Cattle Cross Makes Heavy Percentage of Dressed Beef.

Col. Charles Goodnight of the Goodnight ranch, in Armstrong county, has made successful demonstration of his cross-bred buffalo-cattle as beef makers. He shipped three animals to the Fort Worth packing houses, to be slaughtered and tested for beef percentage. Technically, this is known as the "dressing out" test, to ascertain how much dressed meat there is in an animal of given weight. The average Texas cow will yield about 50 per cent of her weight in beef. One of Col. Goodnight's three-quarter buffalo cows dressed out 64.08 per cent, a half-breed dressed 60.55 per cent, and a one-sixteenth yearling bull dressed 54.34 per cent. These figures show that the greater the percentage of buffalo blood the larger the per cent of beef. All of them were strictly grass fed, and were in rather thin condition.

Butchers pay for beef animals in proportion to the amount of beef they can get out of them. It appears that these buffalo-cattle, or "cattaloes" as Col. Goodnight has named them, are good thing for cattle raisers to take up, as they will undoubtedly sell at better prices than the common cattle, because they will make more beef.

Col. Goodnight is making arrangements to have a number of these cattaloes on exhibition at the National

Feeders and Breeders Show, to be held at Fort Worth March 13th to 18th, next. They will be one of the greatest attractions of that show. The half-breeds have the heavy fore-quarters and hump of the buffalo, with heavy coats of hair, but not so shaggy and woolly as the buffalo's coat. As their original buffalo progenitors were crossed on Polled-Angus cows, these cattaloes are hornless. One of the cows was 21 years old and the other 18, but in spite of their age, they were as lively and skittish as heifers.

Advertised Letters.

The following list of letters remain uncalled for in the P. O. at Baird, Texas, for the week ending Jan. 21, 1910. When calling for same please say "advertised."

- 1 cent due on advertised letters.
- Mr. Shed Bertram.
- Mrs. Delia Cokes.
- Mr. W. Lamar.
- Mrs. Mollie Murry.
- L. F. McMANIS, P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. John Asbury have returned from Fort Worth, where they went to attend the funeral of Mr. Asbury's grandmother, Mrs. Hammer, who died at her home in that city, last Thursday. Mrs. C. Asbury, who had been with her mother several days before her death, remained a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Isbell. Mrs. Hammer was something over seventy years of age and had lived in Fort Worth since 1871.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

R. G. POWELL,
Physician and Surgeon.
Office East Side Market Street.
Local Surgeon T. & P. Ry. Co.
BAIRD, TEXAS.

S. T. FRASER,
Physician and Surgeon.
Diseases of Females and Infants
Specialty. Office at Residence,
Phone-80.
BAIRD, TEXAS.

R. L. GRIGGS
Physician and Surgeon
Office with Holmes Drug Co.
Answer calls day or night. Of-
fice Phone No. 11. Residence Phone
No. 102.

DR. F. E. RUSHING
SPECIALIST
Stomach and Intestines
Rooms 503 & 504 Flatiron Building
Fort Worth, Texas.

F. S. Bell
Attorney-at-Law
Will Practice in all State Courts.
Up-stairs, Home National Bank Bld
Baird, Texas

C. D. RUSSELL,
Att'y - at - Law
and Abstractor
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Office at Court House Baird Tex.

OTIS BOWYER
ATTY-AT-LAW
Office over Holmes Drug Co.
Practice in all State Courts

J. R. BLACK
Atty-at-Law.
Insurance and Collections.
Office upstairs Court House.
Baird, Texas.

H. H. Ramsey,
DENTIST.
Have the 20th Century Apparatus,
the latest and best for
PAINLESS EXTRACTION.
All other work pertaining to dentistry
Office up stairs in Telephone Bldg.
BAIRD, TEXAS.

MISCELLANEOUS CARDS

MARTIN BARNHILL,
Boot and Shoemaker,
Repairing Promptly and Neatly Exe-
cuted. Prices to suit the times.
Market Street. Baird, Texas.

E. C. Fulton's
BARBER SHOP
Hair Cut 25c. Shampoo 25c.
Massage 25c. Singing 25c.
Shave 15c. Bath 25c.
Tonics 10c and 15c
We solicit your trade. First-
class work and cordial treat-
ment to all.

HOT AND COLD BATHS
Laundry Basket leave Tuesdays
and returns on Saturday.

City Bakery
Furnishes pure and healthy
Bread and Rolls, made of the
very best material on the
Market, absolutely free
of alum or any other substitute.
Fresh every day. Also a vari-
ety of Cakes. Phone 116.
O. NITSCHKE, Proprietor.

COAL—One Grant Bowles.
We will give every Saturday rest
season. Will buy your cotton
Baird Gin Co. 41f.

**ALLEGED BANDITS
ARE CAPTURED**

**Posse Surrounded Them Near
the State Line.**

GANG IS A NOTORIOUS ONE

**Half-Breed Leader of the Band
and They Are Accused of Steal-
ing Horses and Cattle and Hold-
ing Up Ranchmen.**

The capture of two alleged bandits
ends the depredations of the most no-
torious gang which has infested the
Paddle since the days of "Billy the
Kid."

A posse surrounded the men near
Texas-Oklahoma line, and being heav-
ily armed a fight was expected, but
the number of the posse overawed them,
it is claimed, and they surrendered with-
out a shot being fired.

A half-breed was leader of the out-
laws, whom, it is said, had been steal-
ing horses and cattle and holding up
ranchers throughout Roberts, Hem-
phill and Lipscomb counties. A reward
of \$500 was placed upon the head of
each bandit and so desperate became
their deeds that the officers of five of
the northwest Texas counties took the
trail.

The alleged leader and two of his
companions were not caught when the
other two were taken into custody, but
the posse stated it was their intention
to secure them, dead or alive.

It is claimed that the recent robbery
of a bank at Crawford, Okla., was the
work of this band.

MANY SENATORS CHOSEN.

**Bankhead, Lodge and Sutherland
Retain Their Seats.**

Among United States senators re-
lected are these:
Alabama—John H. Bankhead, Dem-
ocrat.
Massachusetts—Henry Cabot Lodge,
Republican.
Minnesota—Moses E. Clapp, Repub-
lican.
Pennsylvania—George T. Oliver,
Republican.



HENRY CABOT LODGE.

Utah—George A. Sutherland, Re-
publican.
Washington—Miles Poindexter, Re-
publican.

Among others elected to the upper
house were the following:
Connecticut—George Payne McLean,
Republican.

Indiana—John W. Kern, Democrat.
Maine—Charles F. Johnson, Demo-
crat.

Michigan—Charles E. Townsend, Re-
publican.

Missouri—James Reed, Democrat.
Nebraska—G. M. Hitchcock, Demo-
crat.

North Dakota—Porter J. McCum-
ber, "Stalwart," and A. J. Gronna,
"Progressive" Republican.

Rhode Island—Henry F. Lippitt, Re-
publican.

COWARDLY WORK.

**Thirty Homing Pigeons Stolen
and Some Killed.**

Unknown miscreants invaded the
pigeon cote of Frank S. Bowles of
Dallas and stole or killed about thirty
fine specimens of the homing variety.
Next morning when Mr. Bowles went
to feed his pets he discovered they had
disappeared. He found about fifteen
of the birds dead in an alley in rear
of his residence, some of them having
had their heads pulled off, while others
apparently had been stamped to
death. Some of the birds had been
partly eaten by dogs and cats.

"If the persons who raided the pig-
eon cote had taken all the birds and
not killed them I would have known it
was a straight-out theft," stated Mr.
Bowles. "I cannot account for the act
of vandalism in slaughtering the birds
and then leaving them in the alley.
The pigeons were kept closely con-
fined and were not so located as to be
objectionable to anybody. Some of
the pigeons simply had their heads
pulled off, while others seemed to have
been stamped or crushed to death."

Last Taps.

Captain James O. MacKay, widely
known in army circles, died at his
home in San Antonio. He was ap-
pointed a cadet at West Point from
Nevada. Because of disability re-
ceived in line of duty he was retired in
1910. During his army career, begin-
ning in 1875, Captain Mackay partici-
pated in a number of Indian cam-
paigns on the western frontier with his
regiment.

Locomotive Blows Up.

The locomotive of a slow freight
train on the New York Central rail-
way blew up near Wende Station, twen-
ty miles east of Buffalo, N. Y. En-
gineer George Dwyer and Fireman
Cook were killed, and Richard Fort, a
brakeman, was seriously injured
that he died soon after being taken to
the emergency hospital at Buffalo.

Tall and Bold Bandit.

A tall, well dressed stranger entered
the office of the Lyceum theatres, Pitts-
burg, Pa., and pointing a revolver at
Joseph Paul, the treasurer, succeeded
in securing \$500 and made his escape.
It was one of the boldest deeds ever
taking place in that city.

Poisoning Charged.

H. Nelson and C. L. Preston were
each held in \$750 bail at Dallas on
charge of "murder by poison." They
were arrested in connection with the
mysterious death of young Roy Toe-
hill in the Tremont hotel of that city.
Both Nelson and Present were with
Toehill, it is alleged, the night he died
from what doctors pronounced poi-
son, and it is alleged both were pres-
ent shortly before or at the time he
expired.

Large Blaze.

Fire at Seurry, Tex., caused losses
that will aggregate \$65,000. Snyder
Mercantile company sustained great-
est loss, estimated at \$49,000.

Whisky Stolen.

Interurban express office at McKin-
ney, Tex., was broken into and five
quarts of liquor stolen. Nothing else
was taken. Presumption is sole desire
of the thieves was to satisfy their ap-
petite for whisky.

The Coming Year.

We have started into the new year will a full stock of everything carried
in a first-class Furniture store and we solicit a share of your patronage. It will
only be a few more weeks until you begin to plan your spring house cleaning and
then you will want new Furniture, Art Squares, Mattings, Rugs, Lenolium, Curtains
Curtain Poles, Etc. Come in and let us show you our beautiful line. We are sure
we can please you in style, quality and price. We will be glad to show you our
stock whether you are ready to make purchases or not.

We sincerely appreciate the splendid patronage given us in the past and
shall endeavor to warrant a continuance of the same.

DAY & COMPANY.

Gent's Furnishings,

It has never been our custom to worry peo-
ple into trading with us. We've always felt that
if our merchandise was the best we could get
and the values were good at any price, that we
would make friends. Our policy has proved a
winner. We handle a complete line of Mens'
Furnishings. If you come and see our stock you
will say the same thing.

We appreciate your patronage and will al-
ways use our best efforts to please you.

DRISKILL BROS.

Everything to wear for Men.

BARGAINS IN BARGAINS

STOVES

Owing to the open winter we find ourselves over stocked on Stoves, and offer
special inducements to move them quick:

15 inch Darling Hot Blast Coal Heaters	\$15.00 Value at	\$10.50
12 inch Darling Hot Blast Coal Heaters	12.50 Value at	9.85
13 inch Laclede Hot Blast Coal Heaters	12.00 Values at	8.50
13 inch in Oak Coal Heaters	11.50 Values at	7.50
No. 650 Oak Coal Heaters	10.00 Values at	6.50
12 inch Solid Cast Coal Heaters	8.50 Values at	5.50
13 inch Solid Cast Coal Heaters	10.00 Values at	7.00

WILSON AIR TIGHT HEATERS THE BEST WOOD HEATER ON EARTH.

No 2 1-2 Wilson Heater With Foot Rails	\$10.50 values at	\$7.50
No " Wilson Heater Less Foot Rails	9.50 values at	7.00
No 2 3-4 Wilson Heaters with Foot Rails	9.50 values at	7.50
No " Wilson Heaters Less Foot Rails	8.50 values at	6.75
22 inch Box Heaters	\$6.50 values at	5.00
25 inch Box Heaters	7.50 values at	7.50
28 inch Box Heaters	8.75 values at	8.75
32 inch Box Heaters	12.00 values at	8.75

DARLING COOK STOVES, no better stove on earth than the Darling. 25 per cent off
on anything in the house. We have a few 22 inch and 24 inch Sheet Iron heaters, these
go at just one-half of the former price. All Stove Boards go at one-fourth off regular
price. We will furnish stove pipe at 12 1-2 cents per joint with any of above stoves.

REMEMBER ALL THE ABOVE PRICES ARE FOR CASH.

C. S. BOYLES,

PHONE 239
BAIRD, TEXAS.

All About Texas.

For information about Texas see
the TEXAS ALMANAC & STATE
INDUSTRIAL GUIDE (360 pages.)
Gives detailed description of every
county in the State, price of land,
etc. Also contains railroad and
county map of the State. Price,
postpaid, 30c. Address,
The Dallas News, Dallas, Texas.

GOOD JACK FOR SALE.

Seven years old. For full particu-
lars see E. C. Hill, 14 miles south of
Baird on Coleman road. 6-8p

PAY UP.

All persons who are indebted to
us either by note or account are hereby
notified to call and PAY UP.
You do not make any difference
you owe, or how little you may
owe, if you owe us anything,
come and PAY UP we need
money and need it bad.
C. S. Boyles

Old Papers for Sale.—At THE
STAR office. Can be used for putting
under carpets, in shelves, etc. 25cts
per hundred.

ANNOUNCEMENT.



THANKING my customers for their past favors, and to show them how I appreciate same, will soon be off to the Eastern Markets to select the lines of merchandise wanted for Spring and Summer. So many of our patrons having expressed a desire to have something exclusive, especially selected, and others who are hard to fit in the regular stock of Ready-to-Wear, desire garments made to their special measure, that we deem it wise to announce that we will be pleased to take your order and give it the most precise and personal attention. We suggest that you call within the next few days. Have our tailor take your measure and tell us what you want and we assure you that we will take pains to please you in every way.

In our immense line we are going to make special prices on such articles as we are overstocked on. We can save you on

Mens' Suits from . . .	\$2.50 to \$5.00
Ladies' Suits from . . .	3.50 to 7.00
Overcoats from . . .	2.00 to 5.00
Underwear from25 to .75
Mens' Hats50 to 1.00
Ladies' Hats . . .	1.00 to 5.00

If you are in need of shoes come look at our job lot on the counter. Our Boys Suits are still going at half price.

WILL D. BOYDSTUN.

PERSONAL MENTION

Cold and damp weather the first of the week.

Lee McCammon, of Clyde, was in town on business yesterday.

Clark Smith of Admiral, was in town, Tuesday.

Oats! Oats! Plant oats. Buy from B. L. Boydston. 8-2

W. A. Brock, of Belle Plaine, was in town Tuesday.

Alex McWhorter, of Oplin, was in town Wednesday.

Fresh new garden seed of all kinds just received at B. L. Boydston's. 8

Claud and Jack Flores, of Belle Plaine, were in town Monday.

W. R. Cook, of Clyde, was down Tuesday, looking after tax matters.

I am prepared to do all kind of plain sewing. Terms reasonable. Phone 284. 9-3tpd.

We forgot to call attention to C. S. Boyles' stove ad last week. Read his ad and see him before you buy.

Friend J. M. Gibson, of Eula, paid THE STAR an appreciated visit last Friday.

W. A. Brock and J. S. Davidson intended to start for Loving county, yesterday.

Miss Bess Franklin returned yesterday from Abilene, where she spent several days visiting relatives.

Jim Davidson says two boys cornered the poultry market at Clyde a few days ago, and that domenecker hens went up to fifteen dollars apiece.

Capt. J. W. Jones came up from the ranch Saturday, returning home Sunday. Miss Irene Gilliland returned home with him and will spend a week or so visiting at the ranch.

Plant onions. Fresh sets, Red and white at B. L. Boydston's. 8-2

COAL—Phone Grant Bowlus.

Commissioner Phil Yost, of Oplin was in town this week.

W. F. Pearson sends renewal for THE STAR from Carthage Arkansas. What in the Sam Hill are you doing up there, W. F.?

Gabe Smartt, of Admiral, one of the first subscribers to THE STAR, renewed again last Friday for the 24th year.

Miss Willie Gilliland, who has been staying with Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Jones on the ranch for sometime, is at home for a few weeks.

Subscriptions are being solicited for stock to build a new hotel, and THE STAR hopes the project will be successful.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Boyd, of Clyde, are the proud parents of a little daughter, born Sunday, January 15th.

Dr. J. M. Britton, Eye, Ear and Throat Specialist, will be in Baird Saturday evening Jan. 28th to Sunday noon Jan. 29th. 9-1t

L. A. Blakley was in after a load of hay for the Hall ranch, Tuesday. Mr. Hall is shipping in an immense lot of feed both at Baird and Coleman.

WOOD.—Wood of any length or any size load. Phone Wristen & Johnson. 9tf.

At a meeting held yesterday it was decided to send Judge F. S. Bell to Austin to oppose the new county. The expenses to be paid by Cross Plains and Baird.

For Sale or Trade.

Good 4 room house (practically new) cistern and city water. Lot 75 by 150, 2 blocks from new School building. C. S. Boyles. 42-tf

LEAGUE PROGRAM.

Subject, The Missionary Message of the Bible. Gen. 26:4.

Leader,—Miss Mable Miller.

Song.

Prayer.

Song.

Appeal from South America,—Miss Afton Wheeler.

Appeal from the Moslem World—Miss Vida Gilliland.

Open meeting.

Song.

Benediction.

We regret to learn that Mr. Faust, who is at Mineral Wells for his health, is not improving as rapid as he hoped for. The physicians, we learn, believe he is doing very well and we hope he will soon recover.

J. B. Cutbirth is shipping in lots of feed, which is being hauled out to his ranch, but says he is not discouraged at all because he is sure we will soon have better times and plenty of home raised feed.

Miss Lulu Cutbirth returned Tuesday morning from Itasca, where she has been attending Switzer's College. Miss Lulu has been suffering for sometime with neuralgia in her eyes and will have to give up her studies for awhile.

J. B. Hash, of Strawn, came up Tuesday and spent a day with friends here. Mr. Hash claims to have the largest hog in Texas, which he says weighed 810 lbs a month ago. He will exhibit the hog at the Fort Worth Stock Show.

L. J. Cook, the merchant, water man, and all around hustler of Putnam, spent sometime in town Wednesday. Louis says they will soon be ready to go to work on their new school house, and several other buildings will probably be erected in the West Texas Health Resort this year.

FOR CITY LOANS extending liens 5 years, on choice, well improved Baird property, owners may write Box 527, Fort Worth, Texas.

January 31st will be the last day that a man can pay his poll tax or get his exemption and thereby have the privilege of voting. I have blanks to forward you, if it is inconvenient for you to come to town to get your receipt. Homer Shanks, Tax Collector, Callahan Co.

Old Papers for Sale.—At THE STAR office. Can be used for putting under carpets, in shelves, etc. 25cts per hundred.

COAL—Phone Grant Bowlus.

G. F. Howell, of Atwell, was a pleasant caller at THE STAR office last Friday. He showed us a chicken's head with a horn growing out of the top of the skull, which was covered with feathers and the horn formation was never noticed until the chicken was killed.

Murray Harris, Roadmaster of the T. & P. Ry. at Marshall, was in town this week. Think Mr. Harris has a notion of returning to the West, as all want to do when they once get a whiff of the pure ozone that floats over the hills and dales of old Callahan.

A. G. Webb has sold his residence to Mrs. H. Schwartz, and we learn will locate in Abilene. He will not leave for sometime yet. What is the matter with our prohibition friends? They worked like beavers to secure prohibition at Baird then leave us the bag to hold. THE STAR and Mr. Webb do not agree on prohibition and have had some pretty sharp clashes in the past, but this does not prevent us from wishing him and Mrs. Webb well wherever they go.

CLUBBING RATES.

THE STAR and Dallas News one year, \$1.75.

THE STAR and Houston Post one year, \$1.75.

THE STAR and Fort Worth Record one year, \$1.75.

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Residence for Sale.

One more bargain, if sold in 10 days. Large 4 room house, practically new, one and one-half lots, 2 block from Court House, \$250.00 cash balance 2 1-2 years, perfect title. W. P. Cochran. 8-2

WANTED.

All the Cow hides in the County, will pay highest market price. 2-tf. C. S. Boyles.

NOTICE.

We have been in the drug business just a year and we wish to thank all our customers for their patronage during the past year. We have many obligations coming due and we earnestly request all indebted to us to pay up at once. 5t HOLMES DRUG CO.

WOOD SAW.

If you have wood to be sawed see or phone me. Quick, prompt service.—Harry Berry. 7-3t.

IF I HAD SAVED MY MONEY—



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