

The Baird Star.

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

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EXTRA SPECIAL

We have some extra special values in ALL WOOL Ladies Coat Suits and One-Piece Dresses that we are offering at great reduction and since "All Wool" materials are almost off the market you will need no urging to secure one of these wonderful Bargains. We only have a limited supply to offer at these prices so come early and get a good selection.

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BAIRD, TEXAS

LET US HEAR FROM YOUR BOY

A Bulletin Board will be put up at B. L. Russell's office, with latest information about our boys in France. If you get any information about your boy or any other boy "over there" since October 8th, notify Judge B. L. Russell, by postal card or phone, (at your expense) and name will be placed on Bulletin Board, and published in THE STAR. All are anxious to hear from our boys since the fighting ceased, especially do we want to hear from them since the heavy fighting began Oct. 8th.

All outing at 25 cents per yard at B. L. Boydston. 49-2

The dearest thing in the mind of a friend is the face of a friend. Then give "personally" your photograph, the only gift not mercantile. The finest and cheapest. Dallas Studio, Baird. Your soldier wants your photo. 49-1f

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Woodman Circle, Pythian Sisters and other friends, Mr. Reed, especially, for so many nice and needful things given to us after our home burned. We sincerely appreciate your kindness. Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hoover and Children.

PREACHING AT METHODIST CHURCH

We are authorized to announce that Rev. S. L. Culwell, our new pastor, will preach at the Methodist Church next Sunday at 11 a. m. We earnestly request every member to be present to greet him at his first appointment. The public cordially invited to be present.

Board of Stewards

I am anxious that every member of the J. T. L. Annis Bible Class be present at Sunday School and church next Sunday to greet our new pastor. Come and each one bring some one with you. I have a new class book and a do not want to have to mark any of you absent at the Sunday School of the new Conference year. Teacher.

No Preaching at Presbyterian Church

Rev. Bowers requests us to announce that there will be no services at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday. Come out and hear our new pastor.

GAS WELL

E. H. Leache received a telegram this morning that the Range-Cisco Oil Co. had struck a flow of three million feet of gas at 1200 feet in their well six miles south-east of Ranger. The Company officials are all elated over the prospect. Mr. Leache is agent for this Company and carried a large ad in THE STAR a week or so ago.

DRAFT CALLS CANCELLED

Seventeen men were called at Baird Monday and after being inducted into the service a telegram from Austin to the Board released them. They broke the record for the shortest service in the army from Callahan county, one or two hours. Anyway they got their supper at Uncle Sam's expense.

We understand that all similar draft calls for November have been cancelled. This does not mean that you must not answer and return your Questionnaire.

I am expecting a car of choice Pea Green Alfalfa Hay and will be \$35. per ton or less. Also have a car of oats on track for 78c per bushel. 50-11-adv. J. R. Black.

MAC BELL BURIED SUNDAY.

The body of Hubard McDonald Bell, who died at Fort Sam Houston Thursday of last week, arrived Sunday accompanied by Sergt. Summers of Co. E. 3rd Infantry. Funeral services were held at the Episcopal Church at 4 o'clock Sunday evening conducted by Rev. Williams. The funeral was attended by a large number of friends and relatives and the floral offerings were most beautiful.

Mac Bell was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bell and was born and reared in Baird. He enlisted in the army at Dallas and was sent to Fort Sam Houston a few months ago. Mac was the first Baird boy

RED CROSS CHRISTMAS BOXES

The Red Cross Christmas boxes have arrived and can be had by presenting the sticker received from soldier for whom package is to be sent. Package must be returned to Red Cross Chapter for inspection. Packages must be mailed not later than November 20th. The Red Cross Hall will be open every afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock until that date, but please do not wait until the last day to send your package. Mrs. F. S. Bell

Mrs. Mattie Albin, of Abilene, visited her niece, Mrs. Geo. Albin, the past week.

UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN

The War-Work Campaign at Baird was inaugurated Monday by celebrating the allied victory and War Work combined. A parade formed at the School House at 2.30 p. m. and with 400 school children in front headed by the Baird Fire Boys Band. Uncle Sam was represented by Ed Glover mounted on a big white horse. The parade marched to the depot then back to the flag pole where a platform was erected. The platform was occupied by Mayor Schwartz, Chairman B. L. Russell, G. C. Cresswell, Rev. W. M. Murrell, F. S. Russell and others.

Mayor Schwartz made a rousing patriotic speech, which was loudly applauded. Speeches were made by B. L. Russell, G. O. Cresswell, F. S. Russell, Rev. Murrell, W. Y. Chambers and others. The street in front of the City Hall was jammed with people and autos for near the length of the block. It was the biggest impromptu celebration ever pulled off in Baird. It is said that two hundred out of town autos were here that evening.

The Round House employees paraded in force. "Ham" Cowen, carried a tin banner on which was inscribed, "T. & P. Employees 'To Hell With the Kaiser.'" Dallas Stanley, Marshal of the Round House employees, was armed with a Springfield rifle, with a fixed bayonet of the vintage of the civil war. His orders mixed military and civil, caused much amusement. Just ahead of them marched the Baird Shriners with red Fez headgear. The Clyde Boy Scouts, the Baird Red Cross Canteen Workers were out in force and made the best showing in the parade as they were the only ones in uniform. The Red Cross Knitters were out in force, busily knitting.

A dummy representing the German Kaiser with a spiked helmet, occupied a seat near Uncle Sam on the platform. Somebody knocked him down during the exercises and he was removed as a common disturber of the peace.

WANTED—Washing and ironing Mrs. Whit Williams, East Baird.

BAIRD GOES OVER THE TOP ON WAR WORK FUND

Callahan county quota is \$4,500. Baird's quota, \$1,300 and we subscribed \$1,500 which is one-third of the county quota. Good for Baird. Every dollar is needed for our boys "over there" and in army camps at home.

R. J. Harris, of Admiral, was in Baird yesterday and called at this office and renewed his subscription. Mr. Harris is one of our "old time" subscribers and is the third one to renew his subscription. Capt. W. C. Powell, now living in Dallas, was the first one to pay and Mrs. M. C. Berry was the second.

SPIRELLA CORSETS

I have my new Fall samples and will be glad to show you same and take your measure for a Spirella the best made-to-measure corset to be had. Phone me and I will gladly call to take your order.

Mrs. J. R. Price, Phone 6

LOST—Between Baird and Moran Sunday evening, Nov. 3rd, a Maxwell Demountable Wheel with tire and tire cover. I went by way of Putnam. Finder please notify Jno. I. Chesley, Moran, Texas, and receive reward. 50.1

Notice Subscribers

If your subscription has expired you must renew or we will be compelled to discontinue paper to your address. The government practically requires us to collect payment in advance. The penalty for failure is to lose our second-class mail privilege. If you do not get a paper after this week it is because you are one or more years in arrears on subscription. We have given every opportunity to delinquents to pay up and many have done so, but many others pay no attention to statements sent them. This can no longer be. Pay up or paper stops, that's all. This is the last copy you will receive

THE BAIRD STAR

JOHN HIRT KILLS HIMSELF

John Hirt, one of the oldest citizens of this county, shot and killed himself at his home west of Baird, Monday morning. Mr. Hirt, we always understood was French and it is not probable that the war had anything to do with his rash act, as some suppose. We failed to get any particulars of the tragedy. The body was interred in Ross Cemetery Tuesday. Mr. Hirt is survived by one daughter and one son and a sister and perhaps other relatives.

Have a car of oats on track ready to be unloaded for 78c per bushel. J. R. Black. 50-11-adv.

to die in the army. John Mullican was the first to die in the navy.

Death is always sad, but to see a young, strong, vigorous man called away, it is doubly so. To the parents, brothers and sisters we tender sincere sympathy in their hour of sorrow.

The following relatives and friends from out-of-town attended the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. Shine Phillips, Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. John Bowyer, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Bowyer Jr., Mrs. Elmer Long, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woods, W. J. Cunningham and Dr. H. H. Ramsey, all of Abilene; W. M. Bowyer, Dr. and Mrs. Otis Bowyer, Dr. John Bowyer, all of Anson; Misses Aurelia and Mary Bowyer, of Fort Worth.

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We are pleased to announce to our friends and customers that never before in the history of our store have we had a better stock of merchandise as we have today. Our stock has been carefully selected from the largest manufacturing and jobbing establishments in the northern and eastern markets. We feel that our customers are entitled to the best that the market affords and we have spared neither money nor time to make our store one of the best in the county. We have a beautiful line of

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Coats, Skirts and Waists**

also a beautiful line of piece goods in Silks, Wool, etc, Fall Footwear.

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First-class, laundry work of all kind. Work called for on Tuesday, delivered Friday

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PERSONALS

Miss Eva Mullican of Ranger is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mullican.

Mrs. Gordon Phillips of Big Springs is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cutbirth this week.

Tom Windham and son, Sam, have returned from Midland where they have been looking after some cattle they are pasturing there.

Miss Jennie Harris, Messrs H. H. Bowers of Baird and G. N. Walls of Abilene, were the guests of Miss Cathryn Howell last Sunday at her home south-west of Baird.

Holly Grove, No. 570, Woodmen Circle, will meet at 2:30 p. m. on Tuesday afternoons until further notice.—Mrs. Bertha Bowls, Guardian.

Miss Ora Terry returned to Ranger Monday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Terry. Mrs. Terry accompanied her to Ranger, returning home Monday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson of Post, Texas, Oct. 28th, 1918, a son, which they have named Robert Pink. Mrs. Wilson is the daughter of T. J. Norrell of Cottonwood.

Major W. Allen of Camp McClellan, Ala., brother of Ben Allen of Oplin, arrived Wednesday morning and accompanied by Judge B. L. Russell made Ben a surprise visit. This is the first time the brothers have met for several years and no doubt the meeting was a joyous one. Major Allen returned to camp yesterday morning, his brother accompanying him as far as Baird.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms.—Mrs. Frank Parker. 50-1tp

FOR SALE—A new quilt, made by the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church. Phone No. 218

All Outing at 25 cents per yard for the next 15 days. B. L. Boydston. 48-2t

For Sale or Rent—My home in north-west part of Baird. 42.tf. Mrs. C. A. Neubauer.

Woman's Home Companion and Modern Pricilla, \$3.50. I would appreciate your order.—Phone No. 8 Miss John Gilliland.

Choice Pea Green Alfalfa Hay for \$35.00 per ton, will be here later, 50-1t-adv. J. R. Black.

Oats are the cheapest cow feed you can get. They are less than \$2.50 per 100 pounds. Have a car on track for 78c per bushel, which is \$2.44 per hundred pounds. 50-1t-adv. J. R. Black.

Magazines make splendid Christmas Gifts, subscribe now and save money. I can give you clubbing prices on most all magazines and send them to different addresses. See me at The Star office.—John Gilliland.

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I am unloading car of oats for 78 cts per bushel. Will have a car of Choice Pea Green Alfalfa Hay for not over \$35.00 per ton. If you want any let me know. 50-1t-adv. J. R. Black.

Greatly Benefited by Chamberlain's Tablets.

"I am thankful for the good I have received by using Chamberlain's Tablets. About two years ago when I began taking them I was suffering a great deal from distress after eating, and from headache and a tired, languid feeling due to indigestion and a torpid liver. Chamberlain's Tablets corrected these disorders in a short time, and since taking two bottles of them my health has been good," writes Mrs. M. P. Harwood, Auburn, N. Y. For sale by all druggist. 48-adv.

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New Fall shipment of goods arriving daily. Come in and see them

New Dresses

New Coats

New Skirts

New Waists

Don't forget the Coupons for Aluminum Ware

THE COMADOT

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He Didn't intend to Come to Our Store
JUST DROPPED IN OFFHAND

IT WAS A
MISTAKE
ON HIS PART

Now he's a steadfast customer and all because we cleaned, pressed and repaired his clothes so well that he kept coming. The same high grade service is at your command.

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HARRY BERRY

ENTERTAINED.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamrick, parents of Mrs. Arthur Johnson, entertained with a rabbit supper on Nov. 9th, 1918, the occasion being Mr. Hamrick's birthday. Places were laid for thirty-three guests. Forty-two was the game of the evening. Mr. Hamrick was the recipient of many useful presents.

Sleep and Rest.

One of the most common causes of insomnia and restlessness is indigestion. Take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper and see if you do not rest better and sleep better. They only cost a quarter. For sale by all druggist. 48-adv.

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