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HOLIDAY GOODS

MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS EARLY.

It is only a short time until Xmas, and if you are going to buy a new dress or anything for self adornment, Buy it now, while our stock is complete, and before the Xmas rush begins. Our stock has been replenished with the newest things in dress goods and it will be to your advantage to buy now.



GIFTS FOR XMAS.

We have a large assortment of Pillow Tops, Laundry Bags, Slipper Bags, Novelties of many kinds, Ice Wool and Silk Shawls, Facinators, Ladies Collars, Furs, Silk and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Ladies Cloaks in many styles and colors. Beautiful dress patterns, cotton and wool blankets, full dress shoes for men and women. We also have for the men and boys--nice suits with 20 per cent off, also hats and ties, fancy hosiery, mufflers, etc., in fact we have anything that is carried in a first-class dry goods store.

Our Groceries are the freshest and prices the Cheapest in Baird.

B. L. Boydstun, Baird, Texas

MAN WHO."

In many of the Texas petitions are being circulated which embody a protest against re-election of Senator Bailey by the legislature. Prominent lawyer politicians are making visits to Austin, to confer as to who is to be selected as Bailey's successor. In fact, the politicians have diverted the fight from the principle involved to a personal war against Bailey, and at least half a dozen little-big men now have their mouths open, expecting the senatorial plum to drop in.

The members of the legislature should sweep away the ambitions of petty politicians to rise upon another's misfortunes. Regardless of Bailey or anybody else, the legislature should pass a concurrent resolution forbidding members of congress from Texas taking any clientage on the side; or, while there is no logical reason for it, they may limit clientage to public service corporations. Then call upon Bailey and any other candidates for the senate to meet the issue; call also upon every Texas member of congress now in service to meet the issue.

Now, suppose this this to be the course of the legislature; suppose Bailey, while insisting that he has done no wrong, should say: "I recognize it as the right of the legislature to instruct me upon this question. Such instruction is in absolute compliance with the constitution, being instructions, through their representatives, from the legislative districts of Texas. The legislative districts are the constitutional voting

unit in election of United States senator. It is, therefore, the duty of every candidate for the senate to pledge himself to carry out your instructions or withdraw from the race. After dispassionately discussing the question with my friends, uninfluenced, as far as possible, by the rancor and heartburning caused by recent events, have concluded to make the race, pledging myself to abide instructions."

All the other fellows with mouths open, expecting that plum to drop in, likewise pledge themselves. And then the fun begins.

Of course there will be half a dozen mouths open, in addition to that large gash under Bailey's nose. The nominating speeches will make every one of these fellows "The Man Who" is everything pure, godly and good on this sublunary sphere; the "man who" has a heart that bleeds for pee-pul; the "man who" would scorn to take clientage on the side while his whole time is paid for by the dear pee-pul; the "man who" would make it his duty to peel the cuticle from the plew-toc-racy, syndicates and tr-u-s-t-s, and so forth.

The seconding speeches, of course do man-who-ing along the same lines.

Then the man-who-ing begins for Bailey. Suppose he has borrowed money from Pierce, and Pierce for his own reasons has turned the notes over to the Standard Oil company. Suppose he received checks from Pierce to pay off expenses of the Texas suits. Suppose the Tennessee clientage is shown to be legitimate according to the ethics of the legal

fraternity--for it goes without saying that all open mouths will be of that fraternity. The legislature will be full of lawyers and they would not think of sending only a "common every-day man" to the senate. Then suppose it to be shown that from time with no date attached congressman have been taking "cases on the side" and conducting them according to the ethics of the fraternity?

Then suppose it be shown that every mother's son of the other candidates have made nine-tenths of their fat fees serving corporations, syndicates and trusts in private practice?

Then comes the ballot and either Bailey's open mouth catches the plum or it falls into the wide-open facial orifice of some other fellow--where in the devil's name, do the people come in?

We pause for reply.--Texas Farmer.

THINGS TO DO FOR 1907.

- Develop the coal deposits at Baird.
- Build a modern school house.
- Work for better side walks in town, and better roads in the country.
- United we can accomplish most anything, but divided or indifferent about the future of the town will find us next Christmas just where we are now. Wake up. If a town ever did need to do something it is Baird.

Lost:—Black hog, weighing about 175 pounds. Has been gone about 10 days. Will pay liberal reward for its return. I. N. JACKSON.

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We bought more extensively this year than ever before and of a nicer and higher quality of goods--if this possibly could be--as our motto has always been that there was nothing too good for our customers to select from.

DOLLS DOLLS

This is where we know we can please you. We bought more than all the rest of the town combined and can please anyone.

PERFUMERY.

We have "an elegant line" of Holiday Perfumery and can please the most fastidious in quality and price. Come and see.

CUT GLASS AND CHINAWARE.

This line of goods is the finest brought to West Texas and is in reach of your pocket. All kinds of prices.

MEDALLIONS

The finest line ever seen before. We have medallions of all kinds and prices. To appreciate their real beauty you must see.

JEWELRY.

We have the finest line of Jewellery west of Ft. Worth, consisting of Watches, Chains, Rings, Bracelets, Necklaces and Silverware that we bought direct from the factory.

DOLL BUGGIES.

We bought too many of these Buggies and in order to sell them all we have put the price down at the bottom. They must go.

BOOKS. BOOKS.

Our line of Books comprise anything from a 5c picture book to the finest leather bound books. We have the largest line of books ever brought to Baird.

BASKETS

We have a fine line of Japanese Baskets shipped to us direct from Japan. We can sell them cheaper than our competitors can buy them.

MORE NICE PRESENTS THAN ALL OUR COMPETITORS TOGETHER.

When it comes to Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, Music Rolls, Work Boxes, Etc., no one can come near competing with our line. We handle only the best. Don't listen to the prattle of others, but come and take a look in our store, it speaks for its self.

You get bargains in anything at Hammans Bros. 40-tf

NOTICE.

I will pay \$50 reward for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons found guilty of stealing any horses, mules or cattle belonging to any citizen of Callahan County. T. A. IRVIN, Sheriff. 2-tf

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Tablets, Pencils, Ink etc. Powell Powell, 41-tf.

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For chapped nothing is quite application of De Salve. Put it on bed, use an old see what a diff will bring. See

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Surgeon.

of female trouble, the stomach and Mrs. Thos. S. worth, Ind., to condition, that an operation; but fatal results, Electric Bitters medicine completely cured her disease, biliousness, nervousness and Best tonic made. Powell & Powell's Drug

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New Cure for Epilepsy.

J. B. Waterman, of Watertown, O., Rural free delivery, writes: "My daughter, afflicted for years with epilepsy, was cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. She has not had an attack for over two years." Best body cleansers and life giving tonic pills on earth. 25c at Powell and Powell's drug store.

Go Wilson's for all kinds of meats and sausage. 52

Land for Sale.

160 acres good land, good well of water, 2 room house and barn, 45 acres in cultivation. Price, \$1,600. on easy term. In Belle Plaine neighborhood adjoining Sam Barnhill 51tf ED W. RISTEN, Baird, Tex.,

Corn Wanted.

One hundred bushels of white corn wanted. ELECTRIC LIGHT CO

CITY BAKERY.

Furnishes pure and healthy bread and rolls, made of the best material in the market and absolutely free of alum or any other substitutes, fresh every day, also a great variety of cakes. Phone 115. OSCAR NITSCHKE

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Surest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK

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The above Bank solicits from the people of Baird and Callahan County a share of their patronage.

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We appreciate all business entrusted to us, whether large or small. We extend all accommodations consistent with sound banking and have money to lend on good security. Call and see us.

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BAIRD, TEX.

Any price liquors you may want from 75c to \$1.50 per quart. Express prepaid on all orders for \$5 and over. Give me a trial.

MAIL AND PHONE ORDERS SOLICITED.

PUNCH BOWL PRESENT

Battleship Louisiana Recipient of Beautiful Service.

NUMEROUS GOBLET

Latter Are Fifty-Eight in Number and Each Represents a Parish, Total Cost of Set Being Ten Thousand Dollars.

New Orleans, Dec. 15.—There was a presentation of a \$10,000 silver punch service to the battleship Louisiana Saturday on board that ship, which was anchored in the Mississippi river. Governor Blanchard made the presentation. In workmanship an attempt was made to have it the finest service of the kind in the American, British or French navies. In one respect the service is unique. It contains fifty-eight



GOVERNOR N. C. BLANCHARD.

goblets, the number corresponding with the parishes of Louisiana, and each goblet bears the name of the parish it represents. A Louisiana parish corresponds with a county of other states. At night officers attended a banquet given in honor of J. T. Harahan, president of the Illinois Central railroad.

GADDY'S TRAGIC END.

Noted Baptist Divine Falls Off a Katy Train and Soon Expires.

Austin, Dec. 13.—Rev. J. M. Gaddy, D. D., field secretary of the Texas Baptist State association and one of the most prominent clergymen of that faith in the state, aged about fifty-four years, was killed about 4 o'clock Thursday morning by falling off a southbound Missouri, Kansas and Texas passenger train. He was in a sleeper and got out of his berth and fell off the platform and fell off the train, which was going twenty miles per hour. He was in company with his son-in-law, Rev. Frank Norris, of Dallas, and they were en route to San Antonio, where Dr. Gaddy was to be placed in the Moody sanitarium to be treated for nervous prostration. Dr. Norris did not discover that his father-in-law was not on the train until it reached San Marcos, and then he returned immediately on the northbound International and Great Northern train to Austin. In the meantime, Dr. Gaddy had been picked up by an International and Great Northern local train and brought to Austin. While he was not run over by the train, the effects of the fall caused internal injuries which caused his death just as he was brought into Austin. He was taken into an undertaking establishment and his body prepared for shipment to Dallas. Dr. Gaddy was formerly of Waco and was an uncle of Mrs. B. F. Teague of Austin, wife of the chief clerk of the tax end of the comptroller's department. Messdames Frank Norris and W. E. Brittain of Dallas are his daughters.

STREWN ALONG TRACK.

Car Driver and Two Mules Killed by a Katy Train.

Waxahachie, Tex., Dec. 14.—A fearful accident occurred Friday morning at the crossing of the Katy and the street car line in the western part of the city, in which Scott Brasher, a car driver, and two mules were instantly killed by a Katy southbound passenger train. The car was completely demolished and pieces were strewn along the track for several feet. The body of Brasher was found fully thirty feet from the crossing. Nearly every bone in his body was broken and several severe gashes were cut on his head and face. One mule was disemboweled and otherwise frightfully mangled. The car was returning from a trip to Trinity university when the collision occurred and it is considered fortunate that it did not contain a single passenger.

Now in Penitentiary.

Pittsburg, Dec. 15.—Clifford Hoce, the negro coachman convicted of perjury in connection with a deposition made by him before the Hartje divorce

trial, was renounced a new trial and sentenced by Judge Frazier to pay a fine of \$50 and costs of the trial and given six years in the penitentiary, where he was at once taken. August Hartje will appeal his divorce case to the superior court.

Only One Drinking Point.

Big Springs, Tex., Dec. 12.—Howard county having gone dry, this leaves Strawn as the only place on the Texas and Pacific between Fort Worth and El Paso to secure a drink.

Inaugural Ball.

Austin, Dec. 15.—The inaugural ball promises to be a brilliant event.

COLQUITT SPOKE.

Texas Railroad Commissioner Addresses Oklahoma Convention.

Guthrie, Dec. 15.—For two hours Friday afternoon the constitutional convention listened to Hon. O. B. Colquitt of the Texas railway commission on the working of that branch of the state government, and offering suggestions in the formation of Oklahoma's organic law.

An additional hour was spent by delegates making inquiries as to the best method of corporate control in the new state, of rate making and the exercise of police powers by the state. The galleries and lobbies were packed, some of those attending having traveled from Indian Territory to hear the Texas official.

The remarks of the commissioner were frequently applauded. He spoke of rate making and referred to the efforts of the late Governor Hogg in his fight for the people. Mr. Colquitt was tendered a vote of thanks by the convention. He said the trouble was not with the law, but there was too much compromising.

He went on to show how the railroads had prospered under the commission, so that in eleven years "their income from operation has increased from \$783 to \$1,521.82 per mile in 1906."

Speaking of the Federal rate bill passed because "Roosevelt, with a master mind and hand foresaw something must be done," he said, "If strong courageous men are kept on the commission and their actions are not negated by applications of the railroads to the courts for restraining orders, the country may be contented. But if the reverse takes place, then it will not surprise me if Roosevelt does not become the forerunner of Bryan and a preparer of the way for a different solution of the transportation question."

BRYAN'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

Makes a Number of Suggestions to Constitutional Convention.

Guthrie, Dec. 17.—In a letter addressed to President Murray Hon. W. J. Bryan, who was unable to accept the invitation to address the constitutional convention, makes several recommendations to the members of that body. He suggests a liberal bill of rights and freedom of both press and speech. Favors verdicts of a two-thirds of a jury not interested in a case, and holds reading of newspapers should be no bar to jury service, as much injury is liable to arise through ignorant to read papers. He advocates municipal ownership of public utilities and a railroad commission. He favors laws limiting hours of labor and minimum age at which children should be employed, also arbitration of disputes between labor and capital. He favors initiative and referendum and right of recall for communities and counties. All parties should be represented on election boards, and a corporation board is suggested. Mr. Bryan was tendered a vote of thanks and letter applauded.

BANK SAFE BLOWN.

Five Masked Men Do the Deed and Escape on a Handcar.

Shawnee, Okla., Dec. 14.—Five masked men blew the safe in the State bank at Asher, a town of 500 people, twenty miles south of here, on the Rock Island branch line, and escaped on a handcar with \$4,000 Thursday morning. A lad named Lehman, running for a doctor for his mother, was caught by the bandits to prevent his giving the alarm, and held him until the robbery was committed. Locked in a boxcar by the men he heard them depart northward, and managing to get out of the car, he gave the alarm.

One robber was injured by the explosion, leaving a pool of blood on the floor and a trail to the railroad. After getting out of Asher they deserted the railroad, taking to the timber. The bank's loss is insured.

DUEL AND DEATH.

M. L. Bradford Was Either Killed or Committed Suicide.

Bristow, I. T., Dec. 14.—M. L. Bradford of Parson, I. T., was killed or committed suicide at the home of his brother-in-law, S. L. Clemons, after a duel over family affairs. Bradford came to Bristow to kill Clemons and his wife. He started to fulfill his mission, and the men exchanged shots. Then Bradford, according to the story of witnesses, turned his revolver to his own head and fired a fatal shot.

ENABLING ACT ADOPTED.

On Final Passage It Is Accepted Without a Dissenting Vote.

Guthrie, Dec. 14.—The engrossed or-

dinance accepting terms of enabling act was placed on final passage in the constitutional convention, and adopted without a dissenting vote. It is the first matter placed in the constitution of Oklahoma.

SHOT TO DEATH.

Junk Dealer Expires From Gash Cut In an Arm.

Enid, Okla., Dec. 14.—William Bronstein, a junk dealer, was found dead in bed. A gash about four inches long had been cut in his left arm and he bled to death. His body was lying in a pool of blood.

THREE MINERS KILLED.

Due to an Explosion, and One Hundred Men Had Close Call.

Chant, I. T., Dec. 15.—By an explosion in mine No 1 of the St. Croix Coal company three miners were killed. One hundred men left the mine just before the explosion.

Whisky Stolen From Car.

Muskogee, Dec. 15.—A man was arrested on charge of breaking into a freight car and stealing a large amount of whisky consigned to Dallas, Tex., which was passing through.

HORRIBLY MANGLED

El Paso, Dec. 14.—One man was instantly killed and his body cut in two and horribly mangled, another seriously hurt and several others painfully bruised near Grayton, 100 miles east of this city, Thursday by the breaking of a coupling on one of the tourist cars of the Southern Pacific-Sunset limited train. The dead man is William H. Farclaugh of Ridgeway, N. J., a retired capitalist, who with his wife and four children was on his way to California.

When the train parted Farclaugh, who was passing from one car to another, was thrown between the cars and ground to pieces. Another passenger, a Mexican, was brought to a hospital here. The other injured were able to continue their journey.

LOCKETT SUICIDED.

Verdict Is That He Ended His Life by Swallowing Morphine.

Texarkana, Dec. 14.—Justice Williams, sitting as a coroner in the inquisition held over the remains of Robert R. Lockett, who died suddenly in his office a week ago, returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death as a result of morphine poisoning self-administered and with suicidal intent. His bride of a week testified that her husband told her just prior to lapsing into unconsciousness that he had taken the drug, and would soon be dead. Several other witnesses gave corroborative testimony. The dead man was prominent as a lawyer and in local politics, and was for a time assistant attorney general under Hon. M. M. Crane.

TRAINS COME TOGETHER.

Two Texas and Pacific Locomotives Plow Into Each Other.

Donaldsonville, La., Dec. 17.—An eastbound Texas and Pacific passenger train and a westbound freight collided two miles above here. Both locomotives plowed into each other, the boilers of one blowing up. One tender was thrown against a section house, crashing through a wall, and the occupants had a narrow escape. The dead are:

T. D. Allen, mail clerk, of New Orleans.

John Rafeal, a negro. The latter was riding on a freight car's rods. Express Messenger T. C. Woodworth of Marshall was fatally injured and F. F. Teams, negro assistant mail clerk, of New Orleans, seriously hurt.

VAULT BLOWN OPEN.

Robbers Secured Cash From a Dallas County Bank.

Dallas, Dec. 17.—Some time Saturday night the vault of the Citizens' bank at Cedar Hill, fifteen miles south of here on the Santa Fe railway, was blown open with nitro-glycerin. The interior of the bank was demolished. About \$2,500 was secured. The bandits escaped on a handcar. Tools were stolen from blacksmith shops at Cedar Hill and Duncanville and these were used to get into the institution. They were found near the building.

MANY EMPTY CARS.

There Are Said to Be Four Thousand at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Dec. 17.—With coal selling in Tonopah at \$60 a ton, and the northwest unable to get fuel at any price because the railroads say there is a shortage of cars, there are more than 4,000 empty cars standing on sidetracks in Kansas City alone. Reports from various railroad division points in Missouri and Kansas indicate that the cars are plentiful throughout both states.

MEETING URGED.

Carden Asked to Convene the Executive Committee.

Hillsboro, Tex., Dec. 17.—Hon. M. Smithdeal, member of the

Democratic executive committee of this senatorial district, has addressed a communication to Hon. George Carden, chairman of the state committee, urging that the committee be called to meet before the legislature adjourns to consider and decide whether members of the legislature should be bound by the promise to support Senator Bailey for re-election.

JUGULAR VEIN SEVERED.

Student at Paul Quinn College Receives His Death Wound.

Waco, Dec. 14.—In a difficulty on Thursday night between students of Paul Quinn college, an institution for the education of negro youths, J. T. Robinson was fatally cut in the neck, the knife blade severing his jugular vein. Another student surrendered, and was jailed.

MORONEY RE-ELECTED.

Salary of Secretary Smith Was Also Considerably Increased.

Dallas, Dec. 15.—James Moroney, president of the State Fair of Texas, was re-elected by the directors. The salary of Secretary Smith was increased from \$3,600 to \$4,200, and authorized to employ an assistant. Next fair will begin Oct. 19.

Gusher Brought In.

Sour Lake, Tex., Dec. 17.—The Texas company has brought in well No. 66, and it is a gusher, having spouted over the top of the derrick when it came in. The well is at present flowing of its own volition 1,800 barrels of oil per day.

One Hundred Quarts Seized.

Denison, Dec. 17.—A wagon containing 100 quarts of whisky was seized by officers as it crossed into Indian Territory from Texas.

An overdose of morphine resulted at Kingfisher, Okla., in the death of William Wallace.

Bank at Lincoln, Ark., was robbed of \$1,400. The safe was blown with nitro-glycerin.

A boy named Raymond Klem fell ten stories down a Chicago elevator. He was badly hurt.

A train crashed into a buggy at Dallas, killing the horse and badly injuring two children.

At Clarksville, Tex., John Siveley sold a bale of long-staple cotton at 23 cents per pound.

Joseph Folger of Brooklyn won the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden, New York.

Alexander Gregor, a Russian diplomat, horsewhipped at Paris Count Rodellee du Porzics.

Will of the late Otto Young of Chicago disposes of \$20,000,000, \$1,000,000 of which goes to charity.

San Antonio Machine and Supply company has increased its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$150,000.

Bert Hollingshead, who terrorized the police at Mansfield, O., was shot through the heart by an officer.

For the last quarter the Wells-Fargo Express company paid into the Texas treasury \$17,000—tax on gross receipts.

A man was sold at auction at Elmhurst, Ky., under the vagrant law. He was bought by a blacksmith.

At his home in Ardmore an unknown person fired two shots at L. C. sure. Both bullets barely missed.

El Paso health officials this month phoid fever prevailing there is celery and other vegetables are being investigated.

By a dynamite explosion near Port, Tenn., Hamilton Sutherland Alfred Sutton was killed and others injured.

Captain McDonald of the forwarded to Senator Culberson a detailed report of negro soldiers at Brownsville, Tex.

In a football game at the Carpenter's Mate lverseship Louisiana was defeated. He is from Dallas, Tex.

At Oklahoma City captured a burglar. The man had stolen \$100 in jewelry from a

Dallas freight bureau complaint with the interstate lines discriminate agricultural implements.

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Take a course in the Roberts' Bu-
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Our house is crowded from floor
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The talk of the town—the line of
holiday goods on display at
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When you want drugs remember
Terrell the druggist dealer in drugs,
perfumery, Jewelry, periodicals and
agent for Dallas News.

Buy your Xmas Presents at R.
Phillips where you can find the
largest line of up-to-date gifts. 2-3t

That present you are wishing
Santa Claus to bring is at R. Phillips
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The largest and best line of holi-
day goods in the city now on display
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LOST—An Eastern Star bangle
pin between my home and K. of P.
Hall. Finder please return to
2 Mrs. Geo. B. Scott.

Just come and take a peep at our
Christmas goods. Hammans Bros.

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Come pay your bill, if you owe
me for coal. This means you.
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than another railroad. Cheap fuel
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Ben Allen, Prelate.
Geo. B. Scott, K. R. & S., M. of F.
J. E. W. Lane, M. of E.
Van Jones, M. of W.
Emil Lowe, M. at A.
A. J. Brawner, I. G.
H. Schwartz, O. G.

A. G. Webb, Trustee for 3 years.
District Deputy Grand Chancellor
B. L. Russell has called a district
meeting for this the 30th District to
be held here about the middle of
January 1907. Grand Chancellor
Geo. B. Griggs of Houston and
Grand Keeper Records and Seal,
Henry Miller, of Weatherford, will
both be in attendance upon the Dis-
trict meeting. A program will be
prepared and submitted to the lodge
tonight, Thursday, for adoption for
the meeting.

See Powell & Powell's display of
Xmas goods. 1tf.

FOR SALE.

We have several splendid bargains
in Baird residence property. Good
homes at \$300, \$625, \$750 and
\$1000, easy terms, also business
lots. Several 80 and 160 acre farms
and blocks of farm lands between
Baird and Clyde. Real bargains.
Also mesquite land at \$7.50 per acre
and up.

Horses. We pay cash for large
mares and horses and small mules.
We sell horses and mules on time to
farmers.

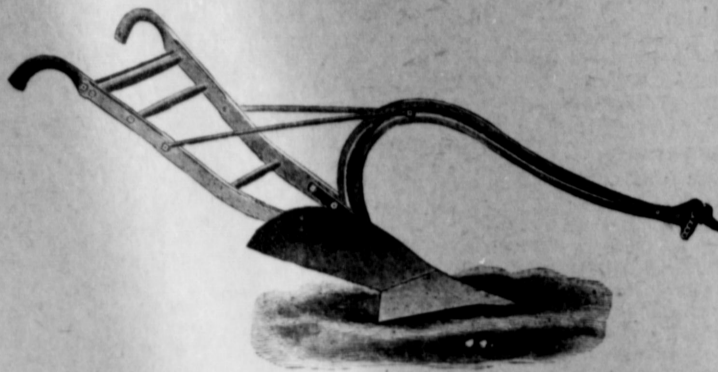
2-2t WEBB & WEBB.

Don't wait until your house burns
down before you insure. See John
Trent. 51

Christmas will soon be here and
we have everything you want in the
line of presents, candies, etc.
Hammans Bros. 2-3

Thousands of dolls from 1 inch
to 12 inch high at Hammans Bros. 2

100 students of the Roberts
College are now drawing
series. How is that? 2-2t



Plows, Plows.

Walking Plows and Riding Plows.

Remember we carry everything in the Hardware and
Implement Line. Largest line in Callahan County.
Stoves of all Kinds. See us before buying.

BUCK'S Harry Meyer

NOTICE.

I have sold my residence and good
will to Dr. E. W. Tisdale, who will
be found at my old number, 29,
Where consistent, I would be glad to
know that my patron would em-
ploy him, for I can cheerfully and
heartily recommend him to you all.
52 E. R. SARTOR.

Bring your prescriptions to Terrell's
drug store for prompt, accurate ser-
vice. He wants your trade and will
treat you right. 51tf

HIDES WANTED

Wanted, every hide in Callahan
County. Will pay highest market
price C. S. BOYLES. 49

Finest line of lamps in the city at
Harry Meyes. 1f.

All kinds of Xmas goods on sale
at Powell & Powell's. 1

1600 acres grass land near Oplin
for lease at four cents per acre per
annum. Already fenced in govern-
ment pasture and watered. I. N.
Jackson, land agent. 1-tf

HOLIDAY GOODS

We have the most ex-
clusive line and larg-
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came to Baird and at a
price that our competitors
can't reach. We have
presents for the little fel-
lows, big fellows and all.

WE HAVE IT FOR LESS.

Come and see our line
Before You Buy. No
trouble to show goods
and if you will only come
and see you will surely
buy. We can save you
big money before you
buy. Come and See.

Yours To Please,

HAMMANS BRO'S
BAIRD, TEXAS.

GLAD TIDINGS

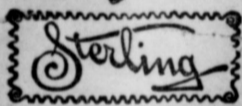
TO THE THOUSANDS

10 DAYS 10

Ten more days will the people enjoy the greatest bargains offered by any concern and the people will pass into the month of Yuletide with a saving on needed merchandise unprecedented in the history of merchandising anywhere.



Each and every article with such a saving as to afford a Christmas present to each and every purchaser, hundreds and hundreds of people have been in attendance and secured bargain after bargain. This must be the greatest sale ever known for 10 more days we will give still greater bargains. Listen, the past 16 days have recorded the greatest bargains you have ever seen but still greater price reductions shall mark these great continuation days you shall be the receiver of the benefit 10 more days. Dry Goods, Clothing, Millinery, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Groceries and Ready-to-wear Goods for men, woman and Children, New Bargains, New Displays. Like a mighty pageant a veritable glittering Gloria shall this great and long to be remembered 10 days pass and repass before your very eyes. Do not confuse this sale with the many so-called special sales you have seen, there is no comparison unless you can compare the tiny light of the lightening bug to the brilliant resplendent noon-day sun. compare the mastodonian Norman horse to the miniature Shetland pony, compare the mighty colossal circus to the struggling wagon aggregation, then and then only have you the difference, you must and you will be here, can you in justice remain away from this master event. No, you are the judge and the jury, come and be convinced. Read these silent messages of economy these testimonials of Bargains and come. Come expecting much and even then you will be surprised even almost dumfounded. The hour is set the date you know.



Dec. 17th to 24th.

GROCERIES.

Never again will the great buying public enjoy such master savings as these silent but convincing prices, the entire magnificent stock of matchless Groceries and necessities of every household will never again be sold at these prices as long as time lasts. NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY, ONLY TEN DAYS MORE.

Blankets and Comforts

11-4 extra heavy, full size Mutsieur grade Egyptian woven blankets, worth \$1.50, during this sale 98c per pair.

11-4 large white cotton blankets, very heavy, finely woven, beautiful borders, 100 pairs in the lot, bought to sell at \$2.25, only \$1.48

Comforts all large size, well made and quilted from those with Creton tops to near silk Eiderdown, very lowly priced, from \$1.63 on 89c down to per pair.

Ladies' Shoes.

Over 2,000 pairs of the very finest of this season's goods, hand sewed, lace or button, all weights of soles, French Kid, Patent Leather, and Russian Calf, etc. They are far the best of any shoe brought to this market, and they come in all sizes, and all widths, positively worth \$2.50 to \$5.00. Come and pick them out from \$2.98 to 98c

Ladies' fine Vici Kid Shoes, button or lace, Paris toes and patent tip, positively worth \$2.50 for \$1.47

All the new toes are represented in the line of shoes shown we are showing at \$1.19

So distinct effects in boys' ultra fashionable knee pants suits, in all the swiftest of novelties and style, sale price \$3.97

Men's Underwear.

A thousand Men's Shirts and drawers full ribbed winter weight, positively worth 35c during this sale per garment 19c

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28 for the murder of Grace Brown.

Overdose of Opium.
City of Mexico, Dec. 6.—Dr. L. L. Sherrod was found dead in bed from an overdose of an opiate.

Cut to Pieces.
Beaumont, Dec. 10.—Mary Maloney was cut to pieces by a Santa Fe train at Rivers.

Deficit Shown.
New York, Dec. 10.—Weekly bank statement shows a deficit of \$16,702,175.

BAILEY TO DAVIDSON.

Senator Makes Reply to the Open Letter of the Attorney General.
Austin, Dec. 7.—Senator Bailey on Thursday night gave to the press his reply to the open letter of Attorney General Davidson.

Senator Bailey declares that the attorney general prescribed an impossible condition. He reiterates his former statements that he has never directly or indirectly received any money from the Waters-Pierce Oil company, but says that he has frequently declared in his speeches that not only represented Pierce and his in the Tennessee railroad matter but had represented Pierce in other matters. He reiterates the effect of these employments and specifically answers the question the attorney general.

He is the voucher of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, showing that he had been paid \$3,300 upon a loan made by Pierce to him on April 25, 1900, Senator Bailey says that this was a personal loan to himself, and that he repaid every cent of it with interest. He stated the conversation between himself and Pierce with reference to the loan in Texas against the Waters-Pierce Oil company; his statement that he was obliged to give an important political favor to the oil company in return for his offer to give him a fee of \$50,000 for the fee, with the understanding that he practiced law, not politics. He adds that he informed Pierce, however, that he intended to go to Kentucky to sell some real estate money that he needed, and that he was afraid that the necessity of going to Texas for the political favor would make it impossible for him to do so, and that if he could make him a loan, upon which he would pay interest, he would pay the loan. Senator Bailey says this money was repaid him when he sold the real estate in the year.

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REPLIES.

Answers List of Copyholders.
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general counsel for the Waters-Pierce Oil company, says Senator Bailey was never in the employ of the company.

LOCKETT'S SAD END.

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CHAMPION SNAKE STORY.

This Narrative Easily Takes First Place in Serpent Lore.
El Paso, Dec. 8.—W. W. Arnold, agent of the El Paso and Southwestern railroad at Columbus, N. M., killed a rattlesnake which had swallowed a wildcat, which in turn gave birth to kittens inside the snake. He cut the snake open before the kittens died and is now raising the kittens on milk.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Happenings of the World That Are Presented in Condensed Form.

Dallas has eighty-five registered dairy men.

Mrs. T. M. Smith died suddenly at Ennis, Tex.

Seventy-five bales of cotton burned at Bartlett, Tex.

A rabid wolf was killed twenty miles from Paris, Tex.

Bert Caskey was shot to death at Georgetown, Tex.

Five business houses at Pecos, Tex., were consumed by fire.

T. E. Marcial was found dead in a hotel at Oklahoma City.

B. H. Smith, a planter, was brained at his residence in Luna, Ark.

While asleep on a train Vint Morris of Rogers, Tex., was robbed of \$800.

Local option vote in Delta county, Texas, resulted: Pro, 1,058; anti, 353.

At Tyler, Tex., Will Ford, a brakeman, had both legs broken by a train.

Beginning Jan. 1 the Postal Telegraph company will abolish all free business.

Expense of Oklahoma constitutional convention are estimated at \$1,000 per day.

Editor Bain of the Chattanooga Okla. News was robbed at Lawton of \$210.

A leg of John Dellahunt was cut off by a car at Chickasha, I. T. He died.

Treasurer Winthrop of the Equitable Life Assurance society will soon resign.

About 500 bales of cotton at Chickasha, I. T., were damaged 50 per cent by fire.

In a gin at Dublin, Tex., Harry Powell had a hand and arm torn into shreds.

Four mercantile establishments at San Saba, Tex., burned, entailing \$40,000 loss.

The safe in Newburn's store at Byers, I. T., was dynamited and \$500 abstracted.

Bill Delano was shot in the head and killed at Orange, Tex. Dave Craft was arrested.

New State Brewing Association will expend \$300,000 on its plant at Oklahoma City.

Dam at Brownwood, Tex., caved in. J. C. McCausland, a workman, was badly hurt.

A. O. Sharp, a bridge builder, fell from a trestle at Shreveport and died in an hour.

R. N. Matthews' gin at Ensign, six miles from Ennis, Tex., valued at \$4,000, burned.

A gray eagle measuring seven feet from tip to tip was killed near San Angelo, Tex.

By a dynamite explosion near Alta Pass, N. C., seven men were killed and six wounded.

Rev. J. C. Huntington, pastor of the Congregational church at Morrill, Tex., died at Dallas.

The Southern Pacific company has brought in at Saratoga, Tex., a 1,000-barrel oil well.

Adrian Wire Fence company of Adrian, Mich., will establish a factory at Fort Worth.

F. H. Manning, a negro, to be hanged at Dallas Feb. 1, says he will soon "loop the loop."

A Dallas traveling man named Westcott was robbed at San Antonio of a \$225 diamond pin.

A mold for making half-dollars was found at Ardmore in cottonseed shipped from Marietta.

Harry L. Reed, a Texas and New Orleans railway conductor, died suddenly Sunday at Dallas.

Near Lillian, Tex., a negro convict named Bennett was killed by another convict with an ax.

Commercial bank of Brady, Tex., with capital stock of \$100,000, is a new financial enterprise.

David Burkhead sold at Clarksville, a bale of long-staple cotton at 12 cents per pound.

J. McIntyre was crushed to death in an elevator and a floor in a building, O., building.

New York May Garlick got judgment of \$24,000 for injuries sustained in a car accident.

A sore throat is a dangerous malady but you don't need to tie a sock around your neck to cure it.



BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT

will cure that throat in short order. Ballard's Snow Liniment penetrates the pores, promoting free circulation, giving the muscles more elasticity.

CURES RHEUMATISM, CUTS, SPRAINS, BRUISES, WOUNDS, OLD SORES, STIFF JOINTS, BURNS AND ALL PAINS.

GAVE INSTANT RELIEF.

Henry Stone, Provo, Utah, writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment for Neuralgia, Tooth-ache and Sore Throat, which upon application gave me instant relief. I can recommend it as being the best Liniment I have ever used in curing pain caused from Neuralgia, etc."

PRICE 25c, 50c AND \$1.00

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Free Delivery in the City.

NOTICE!

I have opened up my hotel again and am prepared to serve my friends again. I thank you for past favors and hoping to serve you in the future.

MRS. E. S. GAL.

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One of the Largest and Oldest Banks in the West. Capital Stock \$50,000. Surplus \$17,000

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From Europe Through the Port of New Orleans.

Our Foreign Immigration Office, No 407 Carondelet Street, New Orleans, in charge of Mr. F. M. Welch Foreign Immigration Agent, is now equipped for the handling of all matters pertaining to Foreign Immigration. Mr. Welch will give special attention to the filling of orders for labor for the "Home Seekers" arriving on each ship. Orders placed with him should state the number wanted, the kind of work, and the wages with a statement of the cost of board, etc. E. P. TURNER, Gen'l Pass'r Agent, T. & P. Ry., Dallas, Texas.

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Place in city to have your barber work done in first-class order is at

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The only three chair shop in the city.

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Laundry Basket leave Tuesdays and returns on Saturday.

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♦ FIRE ♦ AND ♦ TORNADO ♦

Insurance in either town or county. Office just north of postoffice, Baird, Texas.

JOHN TRENT.

It is a mistake to use violent cathartic to open the bowels. A gentle movement will accomplish the same results without causing distress or serious consequences later. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are recommended. Sold by R. Phillips.

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Wagon. Harry Meyer
When in need of a Car
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ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR
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The Protective Stock
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any horses or cattle be
any member of this Ass
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Sold by J. C. Jones, Baird, Texas.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE AT STAR
OFFICE Just the thing to put under
your carpets, 25c per hundred.

If you want a plain gold or fine
set ring go to Terrell's. 51st

E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago,
at whose laboratory Kodol is prepared,
assure us that this remarkable
digestant and corrective for the
stomach conforms fully to all provisions
of the National Pure Food
and Drug Law. The Kodol laboratory
is a very large one, but if all
the sufferer from indigestion and
stomach troubles could know the
virtues of Kodol it would be impossible
for the manufacturers to keep up with
the demand. Kodol is sold here by R. Phillips.

LOST:—A seal watch fob. Will
reward finder. Double chain, gold
seal with topaz in it. Finder return
to E. P. TURNER, Dallas, Texas.
51 Care T. & P. Ry. Co.

FRISCO STORM SWEEP

Terrific Gale From Southwest Hits
City and Harbor.

GREAT DAMAGE DONE

At One Time the Force of the Wind
Was Terrific and Both Shipping
and Buildings Sustained
Considerable Injury.

San Francisco, Dec. 12.—A southeast
gale sweeping along the coast at a
registered velocity of forty-eight miles
an hour Monday resulted in the death
of one man in San Francisco and in
the severe injury of several others.
Shipping in the harbor was damaged
considerably, and in all quarters of
the city tottering walls were hurled
to the ground, blocking streets and
interrupting traffic. Owing to the danger
from falling walls street car service
was entirely suspended.

John R. Mynehart, a laborer, employed
at the corner of Stockton and
Broadway, was caught under a falling
wall and killed. One of his companions
was so severely injured that his
life is despaired of. In every section
of the burned district ruins were
toppled over.

Two frame houses at Washington
and Leavenworth streets and another
at Leavenworth and Broadway were
levelled by the gale. The Burnett
school was unroofed and blown away.

On the bay the storm was terrific.
The ferry boats, proceeding with
extraordinary caution, were tossed about
until scores of passengers were made
sick. The lower decks were awash
most of the time, and occasionally a
crest of a wave leaped upon the hurricane
deck. What threatened to result
in a serious panic occurred in the Kay
route boat San Francisco, when an
unusually large wave struck the vessel
carrying her to leeward. Women
screamed and fainted, men rushed for
the lifeboats and only the advice and
command of the cool-headed prevented
injury, and perhaps loss of life.

Double anchors did not prevent some
of the larger vessels in the harbor
from slipping their moorings. The
Chinese war junk Whand-Ho, which
lay at the mouth of the K ferry slips,
dragged her anchor until she rested
in the channel immediately in front
of the ferries. The British ship Palgrave
slipped her moorings and drifted
on the rocky shore of Alcatraz
Island where, for a time, it seemed
she would be beaten to pieces. Two
tugs went to her assistance and towed
her into deep water. The Palgrave
was pulled off Alcatraz Island. Having
lost all her anchors when driven
ashore, she was towed to Sausalito for
shelter. The damage to the ship is
not thought to be serious.

The large building at the corner of
Polk and Van Ness avenues gave in
before the fury of the storm, and all
the valuable merchandise housed there
in was destroyed. The building was
occupied by the Mann Trunk company,
the Hahnemann pharmacy and the
Hiege Art company. The loss is said
to be in the neighborhood of \$200,000.
The building occupied by the
California Notion company collapsed
just before noon and the larger portion
of the stock was destroyed. The
underwriters saved what they could, but
the firm will suffer to the amount of
nearly \$100,000.

It will take days, perhaps weeks, to
restore the street car system.
At Point Reyes and at Mare Island
navy yard the wind reached a velocity
of fifty miles an hour.

Three hundred thousand dollars is
the estimated loss of four of San Francisco's
largest firms by reason of the gale.

NEVER DREW DRAFT.

Bayley Says He
If This Can Be Proved,
Will Resign.

Dallas, Dec. 10.—Senator Bayley, replying
to Attorney General Davidson, denies that he
ever drew a draft in favor of Henry & Stribling
for any sum upon either the Waters-Pierce Oil
company, H. C. Pierce, J. D. Johnson or any
other individual, and says that he never heard
of the purported telegram relating to that matter,
and that neither Henry nor Stribling ever spoke
to him about the loan in question, and that he
never heard of it.
The senator further asserts that if the attorney
general can prove by a single bank that he ever
drew a draft in favor of the parties mentioned,
or any other individual, he will resign his
senatorial seat and retire forever from public life.

AGAIN HONORED.

Mrs. Dibrell Is Re-Elected President
of the Daughters.
Bryan, Tex., Dec. 8.—Daughters of the
Confederacy selected Austin as the next
meeting place. Over \$1,000 was added to the
fund for the Confederate Woman's home. Dixie
land was adopted as the official organ.
Mrs. Joseph B. Dibrell of Seguin, re-elected
president; Mrs. G. W. Sholars of Orange, first
vice president; Mrs. J. B. Beatty of Houston,
second vice president; Mrs. J. D. Quinn of San
Antonio, third vice president; Mrs. J. D. West
of Bryan, fourth vice president; Mrs. Lee Hamill
of Longview, secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth Houston
of San Antonio, corresponding

ing secretary; Mrs. M. Wheeler of Victoria, re-elected treasurer; Mrs. Margaret L. Watson of Galveston, historian; Mrs. R. C. Shindler of Nacogdoches, registrar; Mrs. L. J. Storey of Austin, custodian; Mrs. W. P. Lane of Fort Worth and Mrs. B. G. Binwell of Weatherford, members of the board of trustees.

Noted Lady Passes Away.
Nashville, Dec. 11.—Countess Eugenia Bertinatti, aged eighty years, is dead in this city. She was born in Sumner county, this state, and a niece of the late Senator Bate.

PREAMBLE REPORTED.

Document as Agreed Upon by Standing
Committee Handed In.
Guthrie, Dec. 11.—The standing committee reported the following preamble to the constitution:
"We, the people of the state of Oklahoma, invoking the guidance of the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, in order to secure and perpetuate the blessings of civil and religious liberty, to secure just and rightful government and to promote our mutual welfare and happiness, do order and establish this constitution." The committee of the whole accepted the ordinance according to the terms of the enabling act.

C. N. Haskell, a delegate, submitted a bill to print journals for \$1,500, saying he was not after the printing, but wanted to give the committee on expense a basis to work upon.

Williams of Durant introduced a proposition for a 2-cent railroad fare.

A proposition by President Murray prohibits the leaving of more than \$50,000 to one child by a deceased parent, citing examples of the colossal fortunes of the Rothschilds, Vanderbilts and Astors. President Murray also wants the constitution of the United States amended so the legislature may recall United States senators.

The Oklahoma constitutional convention opened its third week by adopting a resolution which formally accepts the enabling act, imposing certain conditions on the new state. Monday's session was marked by a lively run of business. Planks having for a disposition of the prohibition, railroad and labor questions were among the most important submitted.

Peter Hanratty, an Indian Territory delegate, district president of the United Mine Workers of America looked after labor's rights by preparing an eight-hour law on public works, a fellow servant law and ordinances affecting the laboring man in general.

The resolution calling for a separate submission of the prohibition question was disposed of without discussion, being referred to the committee on liquor traffic.

CHURCH DEDICATED.

Erected In Memory of the Late Mrs. Kate Brownlee Horton.

Shawnee, Okla., Dec. 11.—The Horton Memorial Reformed church, just completed at a cost of \$12,000, was dedicated Sunday. Rev. Walter Roe of Colony, Okla., and Rev. M. T. Conklin of Arapaho delivered the dedicatory sermons. Mrs. John Bussing of New York read a sketch of the life of the late Mrs. Kate Brownlee Horton, who endowed the church. The new church is one of several for which she provided funds. Her husband established two large memorial windows in the building.

MILLER UNDER BOND.

Chickasha Legislature Offers Reward For Collier's Murderers.

Ardmore, Dec. 11.—Habeas corpus proceedings in the case of J. B. Miller, a citizen of Hobart, charged with complicity in connection with the recent assassination of Indian Policeman Collins, were heard before Federal Judge Townsend and the defendant was allowed bail in the sum of \$5,000.

LOADED WITH LIQUOR.

Six Hundred Pints of Wet Goods Are Found In Foshee's Wagon.

Ardmore, Dec. 6.—J. A. Foshee was arrested Wednesday night en route from Gainesville to Ardmore. He had 600 pints of whisky, it is alleged, in his wagon.

Chicago Man President.

Muskogee, Dec. 8.—The National Good Roads association in annual convention here elected W. H. Moore of Chicago president. C. N. Haskell of Oklahoma and M. T. Herrick of Ohio were elected as members of the executive board.

Crandall Pardoned.

Guthrie, Dec. 11.—Governor Frantz has pardoned John Crandall, who was sentenced by Judge McAtee in 1900 to serve eight years in the penitentiary for killing a man named McCoy, whom Crandall charged with ruining his home.

For Sunday Performance.

Shawnee, Okla., Dec. 11.—Mamie Becker of the Becker theater fined \$50 by the city court for admitting a minstrel company there Sunday. The minister church-goers are insisting that the company be fined. Theaters a rigid anti-Sunday theater

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our competitor
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All our No. 1 Lumber—over
best boxing and heavy timber
A good boxing, as good as
grade per hundred feet

A fair price
low price
Other

NTY COAL IN CALLAHAN COUNTY.

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that the coal field itself was divided by a strip of Cretaceous formation south of the line of the Texas & Pacific Ry. The two divisions thus formed, named after the principal rivers which cross them, the Brazos Coal field or Northern, and the Colorado Coal field or Southern. In the Brazos Coal field both of the workable seams of coal is found. In the Colorado Coal field only No. 7 is found. The coal measures of Callahan county are in both coal fields.

Now Mr. Editor as this article has become quite lengthy I would if it pleased you and your readers, like to explain in another article, "How the Geologist determined and traced the line of this limit of the coal measures, as no working developments had been made to guide him in his work and what methods will have to be pursued to develop, if any, the workable seams in this county. The object of this letter being to show that the Geologist places us in the coal measures, the object of the next will be "How to take advantage of this knowledge?"

Yours very truly,
W. C. POWELL.

BAIRD ON COAL BED.

Since the above was put in type Capt. Powell has discovered a four inch vein of coal in the creek in south part of town. This is a free burning coal as shown by a test made in the stove at THE STAR office this morning. It is almost certain that coal is in paying qualities lower down right under the town. Capt. Powell and others noticed the out cropping at the creek but all supposed it was late as it had become discolored by years of exposure to the sun and

house is crowded from floor with bargains. See our line of Christmas goods. Hammans Bros.

McWhorter was in town with a bale of cotton, the price raised. He admitted he picked very little of

students of the Roberts college are drawing pictures. How is that? 2-2t

of the town—the line of goods on display at Hammans Bros.

When you want drugs remember Terrell the druggist dealer in drugs, perfumery, jewelry, periodicals and agent for Dallas News.

GRAPHS.

without you have already begun to think for your family or

involved, and As you at best

pleasure is it,

See Powell & Powell's display of Xmas goods. 11f.

Don't wait until your house burns down before you insure. See John Trent. 51

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Christmas will soon be here and everything you want in the presents, candies, etc. Hammans Bros. 2-3

of dolls from 1 inch high at Hammans Bros. 2



Plows, Plows.

Walking Plows and Riding Plows.

Remember we carry everything in the Hardware and Implement Line. Largest line in Callahan County. Stoves of all kinds. See us before buying.

BUCK'S Harry Meyer

GUARDIANS' NOTICE.

The State of Texas, No. 235.
County of Callahan.

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

J. M. Philley, guardian of the persons and estate of J. P. Philley, Geo. Philley, Miles O. Philley, Uleric S. Philley and Mary C. Philley having filed in County Court his application for leave to resign the guardianship and has accompanied the same by an account of the condition of said minors for the final settlement thereof together with an application to be discharged from said guardianship you are hereby commanded that by publication of this writ for three consecutive weeks in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Callahan to give notice to all persons interested in said guardianship to file their objections, if any they have, at or before the March term 1907 of said Court, commencing the first Monday in March 1907 and to be holden at the Court House of said county in Baird, Texas, when said account and application will be considered by said Court.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the County Court at office in Baird, Texas, this the 4th day of December, A. D. 1906.

Geo. B. Scott,
Clk. Co. Court, Callahan Co. Texas.

A true copy I certify.
T. A. IRVIN,
Sheriff of Callahan County, Texas.

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NOTICE.

I have sold my residence and good will to Dr. E. W. Tisdale, who will be found at my old number, 29. Where consistent, I would be glad to know that my patron would employ him, for I can cheerfully and heartily recommend him to you all.
52 E. R. SARTOR.

Bring your prescriptions to Terrell's drug store for prompt, accurate service. He wants your trade and will treat you right.
51tf

HOUSES WANTED.

Wanted, every hide in Callahan County. Will pay highest market price.
C. S. BOYLES. 49

Finest line Harry Meyer

All kinds at Powell &

1600 acre for lease at

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Jackson, la

agent. 1-tf

in Callahan highest market

of lamps in the city at

of Xmas goods on sale

grass land near Oplin

our cents per acre per

and watered. I. N.

HOLIDAY

We have the most exclusive line and largest assortment that ever came to Baird and at a price that our competitors can't reach. We have presents for the little fellows, big fellows and all.

WE HAVE IT FOR LESS.

Come and see our line Before You Buy. No trouble to show goods and if you will only come and see you will surely buy. We can save you big money before you buy. Come and See.

Yours To Please,

HAMMANS BRO'S
BAIRD, TEXAS.

Musical instruments of all kinds at R. Phillips. 2-3t

Buy your Xmas Presents at R. Phillips where you can find the largest line of up-to-date gifts. 2.3t

Grant Bowlus sold his new place last week to J. C. Jones and is building another house in the flat north of the Methodist Church.

Reports from Big Springs say Howard County went pro, Tuesday, by 90 majority.

You will find the largest line of Jewelry and silverware in Baird at R. Phillips. 2-3t

Mrs. W. G. Bowlus and children arrived from McLean a few days ago. The family all expressed themselves as pleased to get back to their old home town.

Our Holiday goods are now ready for your inspection. Call and see the new attractions for Xmas at R. Phillips. 2-3t.

Basil Graham, engineer at the Light plant, leaves tonight for Greenville, Texas, where he will spend Christmas with the home folks.

Hon. T. W. Perkins, editor of the Democrat-Gazette, McKinney, Mayor of McKinney and President of the Texas Press Association, surprised us with a visit last week. We thought he had got lost but he informed us that he was just taking a spin around in the west to see the country and incidentally work up more interest in the Texas Press Association. He informs that he had already received about sixty applications for membership at next meeting. Tom is a hustler at anything he undertakes and we look for the largest turn out at the Galveston meeting next summer that we have ever had, unless the railroads refuse to give the boys rates to the convention as some of them threaten to do.

We have a new line of bracelets, hat pins, waist sets, fobs, combs, parasols and Jewelry for Xmas gifts. R. Phillips. 2-3t.

Mrs. John Estes has returned from Cisco where she carried her little son J. C. to have an operation performed by Dr. Britton. He is doing well.

Presents for all at Hammans Bros.

NOTICE

Come pay your bill, if you owe me for coal. This means you.

2 C. S. BOYLES.

Old Santa Claus will be found at Hammans Bros. 2-3

Rev. G. H. McAnnally, formerly of Putnam, had to retire from the ministry in the M. E. Church, South, on account of failing health and has located at Baird where he has purchased a home. Mr. McAnnally is a jeweler and will work at his trade.

Just come and take a peep at our Christmas goods. Hammans Bros.

Mr. Louis Williams and Misses Bridgies and Robbins, who have been working at D. W. Wristen & Co. during the special sale, have returned to their home at Abilene.

Our holiday goods have arrived. Come and see them. Hammans Bros. 2-3

Uncle Billy Smartt, of Admiral, was in town yesterday. Uncle Billy has just returned from a visit to relatives out near Colorado City, but think he skipped out from there as soon as he got a tip that Big Springs was going pro.

LOST—An Eastern Star bangle pin between my home and K. of P. Hall. Finder please return to Mrs. Geo. B. Scott.

Call and see our new goods, we will show them to you with pleasure. Hammans Bros. 2-3

Rev. Foster, Missionary for the Episcopal Church, with headquarters at Dallas, made THE STAR a pleasant call yesterday. Rev. Foster says he is always at home in a print shop as he has had some experience in printing and journalistic work. Rev. Foster held services at the Episcopal Church last night.

That present you are wishing Santa Claus to bring is at R. Phillips Drup Store. Come and make selections. 2-3t

The largest and best line of holiday goods in the city now on display at Hammans Bros. 2-3

CHANGES AT THE DEPOT.

Mr. J. B. Harmon for years Agent for the T. & P. here has been appointed Train Master, a new position created by the Company. Baird is headquarters, but Mr. Harmon's territory extends from Abilene to Cisco, and anywhere on the line when needed. The object in creating the new position is to expediate shipping and prevent blocking trains at different points that have occurred so frequently at Baird and elsewhere along the T. & P. Baird has several miles of side track but more will soon be built, we learn, to accommodate the increased business.

A. L. (Dolph) Tisdale has been made Agent in Mr. Harmon's place. G. S. Harden will probably take Dolph's place in the office; though other arrangements maybe made. Whether these appointments become permanent we are not advised. If the position to which Mr. Harmon has been promoted is continued we presume they will.

NEW ADS.

See Terrell's half page holiday ad on 2nd page.

See change in B. L. Boydston's ad.

See change in J. C. Jone's ad.

See Wristen & Co, page ad.

See Hammans Bros. holiday ad.

See new ad of Parlin-Orindoff Implement Co., of Dallas. This is an old and well known implement company and do an immense business in farm machinery,

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Ebert Sunday, Dec. 9th, 1906, a girl.

Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says: "I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

Kodol Digests What You Eat.

Bottles only. Relieves indigestion, sour stomach, belching of gas, etc.

Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., CHICAGO.

Sold by R. Phillips.