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# The Baird Star.

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

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NO. 50

## Individual Coat Suits, Coats and Serge Dresses AT MODERATE PRICES

We are showing a large number of new and individual Suits, Coats, and Dresses made in the latest styles, which are selling for very moderate prices, considering their quality

### Ladies Skirts, Coats and Serge Dresses

A new showing of Skirts in fancy Plaids, Stripes, Solid These Skirts are all wool and made for service. See these Skirts. Priced at \$4.50 to \$12.50

Ladies Coats	\$8.50 to \$65.00
Ladies Coat Suits	\$15.00 to \$32.50
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### SPECIALS FOR THE WEEK

#### MILLINERY SPECIALS

We have two dozen assortment of beautiful trimmed hats embracing all the new fall colors in small and medium shapes Prices \$3.50 to \$12.50

ONE-THIRD OFF REGULAR PRICE

#### Shoes

One lot of broken sizes in Ladies Shoes, regular price \$3.50 to \$4.50. Special price for one week \$2.45 to \$3.15

Get Our Prices and You Will Buy

### Neckwear

Collars in a big variety of Lace, Silk, Satin and Bead Cloth 75c to \$1.50  
Jabots moderately priced from 50c to \$1.50  
Skating Sets, big assortment \$1.25



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SHOES FOR SCHOOL  
WEAR  
NONE BETTER



## B. L. BOYDSTUN

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The Place Where Most People Trade

BAIRD, TEXAS

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Sunday, Nov. 11, 1917.

Baptist Sunday School	
Number present	147
Collection	\$ 4.60
Methodist Sunday School.	
Number present	127
Collection	\$ 4.05
Presbyterian Sunday School	
Number present	107
Collection	\$3.75
Christian Sunday School	
Number present	63
Collection	\$7.31
Chapters read	302
Total Attendance	444
Total Collection	\$19.71

#### RED CROSS

The Red Cross, of Callahan County has secured the required number of members and has received its charter which makes it an independent Chapter. Each town in the county is urged to organize Auxiliary Chapters. These chapters must report each month to the Chapter at Baird, giving a list of garments made, and money collected and send them in as fast as made, so they can be sent to Headquarters, at St. Louis. Auxiliaries have been organized at Cross Plains, Clyde, Putnam and Admiral.

Two weeks ago a request came from Houston, to send as many helmets, abdominal bands and socks as

possible by the 15th. of this month and the following have been sent: 14 pair socks, 5 bands and 4 helmets. Putnam sent in 11 pair socks, 1 helmet and 2 bands of those sent.

Mrs. F. S. Bell  
President, War Relief Council.

#### LIST OF PETIT JURORS

For the December term of the County Court of Callahan County.

Joe Glover, J. C. Black, J. A. Howell, R. F. Mayfield, G. T. Baum, Chas. Allen, Graham Meyers, Harry Ebert, T. E. Bush, S. B. Stansbury, C. M. Peak and F. M. Willett.

#### WEDNESDAY CLUB

The Club met on November 14 with Mrs. J. F. Boren as the guest. The following program was rendered: Lesson—Mrs. V. E. Hill. Paper—The Cid and Cervantes—Mrs. H. W. Ross. Talk—Spanish Amusements—Mrs. H. Schwartz. Paper—A. Tour of Spain's Moorish Cities—Mrs. J. R. Jackson. Duet—Mrs. V. E. Hill and Miss Alice Gilliland.

After being served with delicious refreshments the Club adjourned to meet on Wednesday, November, 21 with Miss Edith Collier.

#### DIED

Mr. John Wesley Loven, a prominent ranchman died at his home, the old Denton Ranch, last week. His two sons in the army at Camp Travis, Paul Larmar and John W. were allowed to come home to see their father, but whether or not they arrived before he died, we did not learn.

He was only sick a short time. Mr. Loven has lived on the Denton Ranch for some time, but we never met him until last September when his sons, Paul and John left with the second Callahan County Contingent of the National Army for Camp Travis.

We record his death with sorrow. We are informed that Mr. Loven

died from an acute attack of pneumonia. Mr. Loven passed through Baird on Nov. 1 on his way home in his auto from Dallas and stopped a few minutes at THE STAR office and he seemed to have a severe cold then.

#### TEACHERS EXAMINATION

Examinations will be held at the Baird High School Building on Friday and Saturday, December 7 and 8, 1917, at which time all grades of certificates may be taken.

Write the State Supt. or County Supt. for Bulletin No. 61 which outlines examinations fully.

S. Ernest Settle,  
Co. Supt.

# CHRISTMAS

NOW LESS THAN TWO MONTHS

You should come in and look at our Christmas Gifts now. We are always glad to show goods, if you buy or not. By making a small payment on goods, we will gladly set them aside for you until Christmas

Our Ladies Gold and Gold Filled Wrist Watches in the odd and conventional shapes are the most popular in demand, \$15.00 upwards  
Diamond Lavellers, Beautiful Designs, set with Pearls, Rubies or Jet. A large assortment from \$10.00 upwards.  
Diamond Rings, nicely set Tiffany or Fancy Mountings \$25.00 and upwards.  
Cameo and Diamond set Scarf Pins, \$2.00 and upwards  
Beautiful Black Onyx Ring, Diamond set in Platinum, inserted in Onyx, only \$14.00  
Reconstructed Ruby Rings, Tiffany mountings \$3.50 and upwards

A new line of Diamond Cuff Links, plain or fancy, \$3.50 and upwards  
Silver Thimbles 50 cts and 75 cts each. Sterling Silver, Gold Band Thimbles \$2.00 upwards  
A large assortment of Signet Rings, all sizes from \$2.50 upwards  
Diamond Ear Screws, Pure White Stones, \$25.00 upwards.  
We still have a beautiful line of Hawkes Cut Glass and have many new patterns.  
Waldemar Watch Chains with Gold Filled Knife attached, \$2.50 and upwards.  
Solid Gold, Diamond set Tie Clasps \$2.00 and upwards  
Sterling Silver Belt Buckels with Belt Engraved free. \$3.50 and upwards.

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Diamond Setting

Engraving



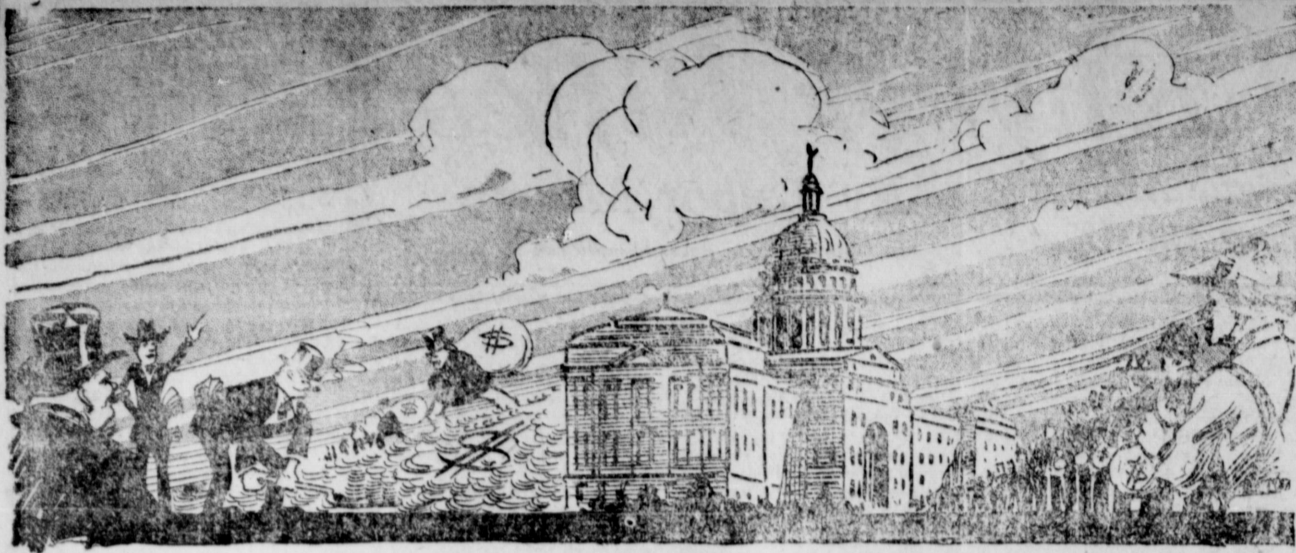












## Which Side are YOU On?

Are you one of the many thousand taxpayers of Texas who *think* they govern this state and who every year send in their hard-earned money at the front door of the state capitol to defray the cost of government?

Or, are you one of those sleek, well-fed, superbly dressed and leisurely gentlemen who take money out of the *back door* by the bagful and shovelful, and who are the ones who *really do* govern the state?

Of course if you belong to the latter class you will not be interested to know that the number of state employes increased from 1567 in 1907 to 4379 in 1917. You will see no necessity for publishing the fact that the "traveling expenses" of state employes increased from \$23,609 in 1907 to \$210,000 in 1917, or about 800 per cent.

But if you belong to the taxpaying class you will be mightily interested to know the why of these facts. The place to find out is in the pages of

# FARM and RANCH

The Farm Paper of the Southwest

The time to find out is *now*. Senator John G. Willacy's eye-opening serial "The Heavy Hand of Invisible Rule" is now running. It contains more straight facts about the Invisible Forces that are the REAL governing power in Texas than have ever been published before about this state or any other.

If you want to know where the dollars you pay in taxes actually go, here is your chance. Here is your chance, too, to learn something about the value of your vote. You thought it as good as the next man's? Yes, but what show does it stand against the 30,000 mobilized, irresponsible votes that are voted every year, many of which come from the cemeteries?

All of this is now being shown in FARM AND RANCH

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Today FARM AND RANCH is publishing "The Heavy Hand of Invisible Rule" to show the farmer what the situation actually is, for it is a well known fact that most of the graft and padded legislation that goes through our state capitol is put through under the guise of "helping the farmer."

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## NOTICE

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G. M. KING  
Prop and Mgr. T. P. Cafe

### CITATION ON APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to publish for ten days, exclusive of the day of first publication before the return day hereof in THE BAIRD STAR, a weekly newspaper which has been regularly and consecutively published in Callahan County, Texas for at least one year, the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the estate of W. R. Emmert deceased:

M. J. Emmert has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said W. R. Emmert deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary, of the estate of W. R. Emmert deceased, said M. J. Emmert being named Executrix in said will, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in December, A. D. 1917, the same being the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1917, at the Court House thereof in Baird, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so. Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said First day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of

said Court at my office in Baird, Texas, this 13 day of November, A. D. 1917.

Chas. Nordyke,  
Clerk, County Court,  
50-4t-adv. Callahan Co., Texas.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the estate of Katie Davison deceased:

J. S. Davison has filed in the County Court of Callahan County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said Katie Davison deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary, of the estate of Katie Davison deceased, said J. S. Davison being named Executor in said will, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in December, A. D. 1917, the same being the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1917, at the Court House thereof in Baird, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest

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