

The Baird Star

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

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T & P Will Rebuild Lake

The T & P Ry will begin work of rebuilding their lake. The new lake will be located just below the one destroyed in the floodlast June and will be much larger.

Thirty-four acres of the Ben Halsted land below the old dam will be inundated and much of the bed of the old lake.

The dam will be of concrete and dirt, the railroad grade being used as part of the dam.

The project will cost around \$35,000.00. Work is expected to start within the next ten days and will be pushed to completion so as to get the catch from the spring rains.

Ernest Smith Loses Leg In Accident

Ernest Smith, 28, of Merkel an employe of the J. J. Willis Construction company of Odessa, suffered the loss of his right leg last Friday afternoon when buried beneath several tons of dirt while engaged in digging a water reservoir south of Clyde.

Smith's leg was crushed by the embankment of dirt which pinned it over a grader blade. Fellow workmen were more than 30 minutes digging him out. A physician from Clyde gave the injured man two hypodermics while efforts were being made to free him.

Smith was rushed to Hendrick Memorial hospital in Abilene. The attending physician found it necessary to amputate the crushed leg between the hip and knee. He was given a blood transfusion after the amputation and his condition was reported favorable this morning. Another transfusion was to be given today.

The construction company for which Smith was working is engaged in digging a large water well or reservoir for the Gulf Pipeline corporation at the company's pipeline station south of Clyde. The accident occurred at 4 p. m.

Hornsby Family Has Read The Baird Star 50 Years

W. J. Hornsby of Rowden was in Baird a few days ago and called at The Star office to pay his subscription it being the fiftieth year the Hornsby family have paid subscription to The Star. On Dec. 17, 1889 the Hornsby family, Mr. and Mrs. William Hornsby and family, three sons and one daughter, Allen, Dock, W. J. and Miss Sue, arrived in Callahan county from Lamar Co where they had located in 1886 coming from Tennessee.

The elder Mr. Hornsby bought a 160 acre tract of land in the Rowden community then being only thinly settled and on Jan 7 he and his family began building on the house and making other improvements on the farm Mr. Hornsby subscribed for The Star a short time after locating in the county his post office then being Belle Plain and has gone continuously to the Hornsby home. The father died in 1912, the mother in 1920, following their death Allen Hornsby continued to take the paper until his death in 1935 since which time the youngest son W. J. Hornsby has taken the paper Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hornsby Dock Hornsby and Miss Sue Hornsby continue to live on the farm purchased by their father fifty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hornsby have two sons Horton who is with the T and P Ry in Marshall and Alton with Sears and Roebuck in Abilene. Both sons with their families spent the holidays with their parents.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Rev. Willis P. Gerhart will hold services at the Episcopal Chapel of the Lords Prayer Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

Raymond Young Will Be Candidate For Re-election

Raymond Young authorizes The Star to announce that he is a candidate for reelection as District Clerk for Callahan county as which he is now serving his first term.

Mr. Young is well qualified for the duties of this office and he is serving the patrons faithfully and courteously and efficiently being at his office for the transaction of business at all office hours. He is a most deserving young man and seeks reelection on his qualifications and worthiness. His message to the voters will be found in next week's issue of The Star and other county papers.

The Star To Handle Finish Relief Funds Here

At the request of Ex-President Herbert Hoover, made to a large number of newspapers in the United States, and relayed through Capt. J. F. Lucey, prominent Texas independent oil operator, The Star will participate in the sponsorship of a nationwide move to raise funds for the relief of Finland.

Mr. Hoover's request that Eliza Gilliland accept the local chairmanship was received here a few days ago. Capt. Lucey was associated with Hoover in the Belgian Relief Drive in 1914 and advises that plans similar to the Belgian Relief Program will be used in raising funds for the present campaign.

The Baird Star will receive and acknowledge contributions from its readers and forward such contributions each week to the Finnish Relief Headquarters for Texas, which Capt. Lucey has opened in the Baker Hotel, Dallas. Funds so secured from all over the state, will be forwarded from the state headquarters to the national headquarters of the Finnish Relief Fund in New York.

Those desiring to contribute through The Star are requested to address their contributions to Finnish Relief Fund, care of The Baird Star, Baird, Texas. All contributions will be acknowledged in the columns of The Baird Star.

Mr. Hoover issued the following statement: "America has a duty to do as its part in the relief of the hideous suffering of the Finnish people. Our people should have an outlet in which to express their undivided and practical sympathy. I have consented to organize a nationwide Finnish relief fund for this purpose."

To The Citizens Of Callahan County

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor-Collector and my formal announcement will appear in next week's papers. Respectfully yours, B. O. BRAME.

JUDSON ATCHISON HOME FROM HAWAII

Judson Atchison who has spent the past four months in Hawaii playing football for the Hawaiian Polar Bears arrived home Tuesday having landed at Los Angeles on the SS Matsonia last Friday. He sailed from Honolulu January 5 and had rather a rough voyage.

MISS BERYL OWENS IS RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Miss Beryle Owens, employe of The First National Bank is recovering from major surgery which she underwent at the Griggs hospital Dec. 23. She has resumed her duties at the Bank.

Addison Teeple of Oklahoma City spent Wednesday in Baird looking after business interests here.

Olaf Hollingshead Will Not Be Candidate For Re-election

Olaf Hollingshead now serving his second term as County Tax Collector, informs The Star that he will not be a candidate for reelection.

Mr. Hollingshead has made a splendid county official and many friends will regret to learn that he will not be a candidate again. He is a young man of splendid business ability and whatever he undertakes we feel sure that he will make a success.

In announcing his decision Mr. Hollingshead makes the following statement.

TO THE CITIZENS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

In announcing that I will not be a candidate for public office this year I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the citizens of Callahan County for their many kindnesses afforded me in the past; having granted me in every request. It has indeed been a pleasure to serve you as your Tax Assessor-Collector for the past three years, and I trust that my services have met with your approval. I have endeavored to give you my best, and shall continue to do so throughout the remainder of this term.

Serving you the past three years has given me the opportunity of making many friends and acquaintances throughout Callahan County, which has been truly a pleasure.

I also wish to express my appreciation to the citizens for their splendid cooperation at all times in assisting me in carrying out the duties of the Assessor-Collector's office.

I also appreciate the many solicitations I have had to seek the office again.

Again thanking you, I remain, Ever Gratefully Yours, OLAF HOLLINGSHEAD.

Former Rowden Man Weds Van Horn Girl

S. H. (Slim) Bibb, a member of a pioneer family of the Rowden community now with the Highway department at Van Horn was married to Miss Dorothy Burman, teacher in the Van Horn school on Dec. 23rd. The marriage vows being taken at the First Baptist Church in El Paso with the pastor Rev. I. L. Yearby officiating.

The bridal couple were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bounds, Mr. Burman, father of the bride, and Miss Evalyn Burman, her sister of Alpine.

The newly weds have been honored with showers, social functions. They will make their home in Van Horn.

Rural Electrification Broadcast

There will be a broadcast over the Texas State Network, Tuesday, January 23, at 3:45. An in-view interpretation and report of the activities and progress of the Rural Electrification program in Texas.

Texas' share of REA funds was given as \$20,304,685. With the assistance of REA, it was pointed out, 58 farmer-owned and farmer-operated rural electric cooperatives have been established in this state.

Approximately 1,800,000 farms or 25 per cent of the total for the United States-enjoyed the advantages of high line electric service at the beginning of 1940, it was stated. This is well over twice the number of farms having such service before the REA established in 1935.

Rural electric lines are being built from the Coleman center to the Oplin community.

Arthur Keele, manager of the B. Q. Store in Dallas and T. F. Keele, Math and Science teacher in the public school at Roosevelt. Spent the past week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Keele at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Johnson Honored With Gift Shower

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Johnson were honored with an informal shower Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence. Hostess for the occasion were Mrs. J. T. Lawrence, Mrs. Oscar Stiffler, Mrs. Donald Melton and Miss Jo Ruth Arvin.

Mrs. Donald Melton received the guests introducing them to the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Johnson and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, mother of the groom. Mrs. Roy Hamby sister of the groom presided at the guest book.

The guests were then invited to view the many lovely gifts by Mrs. Oscar Stiffler. Miss Arvin presided at the punch bowl, where the guests were served sandwiches, olives, coconut macaroons, and mints from a table covered with an imported Italian lace cloth. The base of the punch bowl was covered with lace fern and yellow rose buds. Placed at each end of the table were burning double green tapers.

Harold Wriston and Mrs. W. O. Wylie, Jr., entertained guests with piano selections. Songs were rendered by Miss Ivadell Mitchell.

Color scheme for the occasion was the selected colors of the bride, yellow and green. The bride wore a Colonel style evening gown of gold taffeta, her corsage was salmon colored carnations. Throughout the house were bouquets of yellow calandulas and yellow rosebuds.

Between the hours of five and nine on hundred and forty-three guests registered.

Marriage Announced

Announcement is made of the marriage in November of Miss Lorraine Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Brown, formerly of Baird to Mr. Cleo L. Sipe of Fort Worth. They were married at Weatherford Texas Nov. 26.

Mrs. Sipe has been a student nurse at St. Joseph's hospital in Fort Worth for the past 2 years. She is a graduate of the Moran High School having attended the Baird Schools until her Senior year.

Mr. Sipe is in the insurance business at Fort Worth where they will make their home.

Griggs Hospital News

Mr. and Mrs. Amos J. Morris of Baird are the parents of a girl born Wednesday night. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Albert Lee of Cross Plains underwent an appendix operation Wednesday. He is doing nicely.

V. H. Connell of Clyde a surgery patient of last week is doing fine.

Geraldine, 16 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Connell of Clyde is improving following an appendix operation last Friday.

Polly Settle of Baird, daughter of Mrs. Mrs. S. E. Settle, was a patient Tuesday for treatment of a lacerated ear received while playing at school.

The 5 months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bates of Oplin, is improving following treatment of burms.

Mrs. Bruce Bell and baby son are doing very nicely.

Robert Mac son of Mr. Poindester of Oplin was a patient Monday night for treatment of a fractured clavical bone received while playing foot ball at school.

MARTIE WEBB CHOSEN JUNIOR QUEEN OF CLYDE HIGH SCHOOL

Martie Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Webb of Midway was chosen queen by the Junior Class of Clyde High School recently.

Hospital Nearing Completion

The Callahan county's \$65,000 hospital is nearing completion and is being equipped.

The county hospital board: Ace Hickman, L. L. Blackburn, Baird Roy Kendrick, Denton; Earl Hayes, Clyde; I. G. Mobley, Pottam and Ode D. Strahan Cross Plains will meet this week end to name a manager for the hospital.

Some forty applications have been received for the place, most of them reside outside of the county.

A caretaker will also be employed. Insofar as possible Callahan county applicants will be given preference for those positions we understand.

Shackelford Reports Business Booming

Pierce Shackelford, Putnam John Deer Implement Dealer starts the new year with a booming business. The Putnam News last week reported the demonstration given by the John Deer Co., Jan 4 as a splendid success.

The company put on a show at the high school auditorium which was attended by five hundred people. People from all parts of Callahan county were present also from Taylor and Shackelford counties and some from Strawn.

The News states that Mr. Shackelford reported that he sold about six thousand dollars worth of machinery following the demonstration, which included seven tractors, two of which were cash deals, one man paying him eleven hundred dollars in cash at the time.

Mr. Shackelford says he believes 1940 the best year since he has been in the implement business.

Pierce Shackelford is the youngest son of the late F. P. Shackelford, pioneer lumber and hardware merchant who had much to do in developing Putnam and the Putnam section. Pierce Shackelford succeeded his father in business and is still doing business in the same location occupied by his father for many years.

Waste Paper And Old Magazines For Finish Relief

The Abilene Boosters Club has recently started a drive for funds for a Abilene and West Texas Finnish Civilian Relief Fund, proceeds of which will be sent to Finnish Relief Inc., New York City, of which Herbert Hoover is chairman.

The complete cooperation of motor freight lines and buses operating throughout West Texas has made it possible for most towns in this area to take part in this drive. The Greyhound Bus Lines have graciously consented to pick up bundles of old papers and old magazines at their station in Baird for delivery to Abilene free of charge. The only requirements that must be observed is that papers and magazines must be clean and dry, and bundled separately, newspapers in one bundle and magazines in the other bundles tied securely.

The plan, unique in that it is different from conventional drives for funds is to secure old magazines and newspapers in addition to cash donations! A ready and reliable market has been assured for the old paper.

JUDGE LEWIS ASKED TO EXPLAIN BEER CONTROL IN CALLAHAN COMPANY

Judge L. B. Lewis county Judge of Callahan county has been asked by the state liquor control board to prepare an article for general circulation of his ideal control of the sale of beer in Callahan County the article to be circulated in their counties where control is not satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton BROWN and daughter Mary Beth recently moved to Burnett County, where they will make their home on a ranch, near Marble Falls.

Raleigh Ray Named Member of Chevrolet Dealer Planning Committee

Raleigh Ray, sales manager of the Ray Motor Co., local Chevrolet dealers, has been notified of his appointment as a member of the Dealer Planning Committee of the Dallas zone of Chevrolet Motor Co. being one of eleven Chevrolet dealers named on this committee in the Dallas zone.

The dealers committee system of operation functions as the contact medium between dealer organization and factory in which suggestions and criticisms are incorporated into sales program. These suggested improvements are gradually incorporated into the make of cars and trucks with the result of continuous improvement in the Chevrolet cars and trucks.

Raleigh Ray has been in the Chevrolet business for many years. He began work with his father, the late W. J. Ray, who operated a blacksmith and repair shop, when a small boy, 25 years ago when his father took the Chevrolet agency he went into the work and has been with it since, being one of the ardent supporters of the business and is considered one of the best salesmen in this section. This being evidenced by his appointment to this important committee as one of eleven men in the Dallas Zone; and The Star congratulates him on his appointment.

Raleigh Ray is associated with his two brothers, Lonnie Ray and Harold Ray in the Chevrolet business which they have carried on successfully since the death of their father some two years ago who was among the first automobile dealers in this section being a most successful dealer and the firm continues to sell Chevrolets faster than they can get them.

Mr. Ray attended a meeting of the committee in Dallas Tuesday Jan. 9, the meeting being held in the Baker hotel. The committee will meet once a month in Dallas.

George Biggerstaff Of Putnam, Hurt In Car Wreck

George Biggerstaff of Putnam is recovering from injuries received in a car wreck some two weeks ago according to the Putnam News. Mr. Biggerstaff had been in the Cottonwood community on business, and in returning, he was about a half mile east of the Wilcox farm and in turning a curve he saw another car approaching, he was on inside of the curve and he cut his car to the right to avoid a head on collision, and in some way his steering gear, hung and he turned his car over Mr. Biggerstaff was picked up and brought to Putnam by a passerby and carried to Graham's hospital for treatment. It was found he had a broken nose, two long cuts on his head and his neck was injured in some way after he was treated he was brought home, and is recovering; but it will be several days before he will be able to attend to business again.

PREACHING AT MIDWAY

At 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon Rev. Hamilton Wright will preach at Midway community church. It is his regular monthly appointment. Midway has installed new pews and crowds have increased at Sunday School and at church. Everybody cordially invited to attend the afternoon service.

DR. BICKLEY WILL PREACH HERE WED., JAN. 24

Dr. C. A. Bickley, district superintendent, will preach at 7:15 p. m. Wednesday, January 24. Immediately afterward he will conduct the first quarterly conference for the church. All Stewards are urged to be present. Members and friends are asked to hear Dr. Bickley's message. This is the first conference for the year 1939-40.

Road Association Being Organized For Improvement Of Bankhead Highway

The movements which originated in Sweetwater a short time ago for the modernization of Highway 89- the Bankhead Highway is gaining momentum. The leaders is the widening of highway 80 improvement of underpasses and other modernization of the route from Ranger to Van Horn.

The Nolan county representatives were in Baird Wednesday conferring with Callahan county and Baird city officials regarding the proposed plan of improvement which is enlisting all other cities and counties along the transcontinental highway between the Ranger and Van Horn.

Members of the Nolan county party were Mayor C. C. Johnston of Sweetwater, Nolan Co., Judge Charles Lewis, Co. Commissioner Thompson and George Barber, secretary of the Sweetwater board of city development.

\$97,000, To Be Spent On Highway 191 In Shackelford County

The Albany News says work on highway 191 south of Albany will resume; \$97,000 being designated for 4.3 miles of grading, drainage structure and surfacing of highway. The completion of this project will bring the Shackelford highway to Hromas corner several miles from the Callahan county line. Callahan Co has approximately 9 miles of highway 191 to build to connect with the highway in Shackelford county.

All construction grading and building of drainage of 191 has been completed between Baird and Coleman. Work on the underpass and the crossing of Highway 80 is being rapidly pushed and it is expected to have Highway 80 open for traffic within the next two months.

\$50,000, has been set aside for the construction of a bridge across Hubbard creek on South main street Albany on Highway 80-A. The new bridge to be given a 54 foot span for traffic with new approaches and a circular junction just west of the bridge where Highway 191 meets 80-A. This is the second section of highway 191 to be designated for Shackelford county; the first project 8.4 miles completed some years ago.

The Star is glad to see work in highway 191 designated for Shackelford county because Col. Dick McCarty, veteran owner of the Albany News has worked hard for and dreamed many day dreams of the completion of this highway, and we hope that Col. Dick and Judge B. L. Russell of Baird who has also worked long and faithfully for this road, will travel many miles over the new highway.

Cecil Lotief May Enter Race For State Senator

Hon. Cecil A. Lotief, former member of the legislature from the 107th Floterial District and a former merchant of Cross Plains was in Baird Tuesday and in a short visit at The Star office said he was contemplating entering the race for state senator of this district, which office is now held by Hon. W. B. Collie of Eastland.

Mr. Lotief is now located at Rotan, where he is engaged in the dry goods business. He was enroute to Eastland to attend a K of P banquet. Mr. Lotief was accompanied by his wife and little son, Rudolph and Miss Louise Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boatwright and Mrs. Lenora Boatwright returned Tuesday from a months visit with Mr. Boatwright parents Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boatwright at Mission.

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AROUND TOWN

With OTTO B. GRATE

Okay Gang, ready to ring up the curtain on this week's bit of banter! Are all of yod present and in your places? Then there is no logical reason why we shouldn't get things to swinging and by "things" I dont mean your reporter, and whoever gave that cheer should be ashamed of himself.

First lets settle a little matter with a young man in Clyde who dropped me a letter last week in regard to the football item in this column. The letter comes from Clark Tabor, football captain for the Clyde Bulldogs in 1926. Mr. Tabor states, in no uncertain terms, that in the two skirmishes between Baird and Clyde that year the first game ended in a 6-6 tie and the other, the one we made the mistake in giving Baird credit for winning, went to Clyde in a big way of 43-0. Statistics show Mr. Tabor to be perfectly right on this point, but the fact still remains that our Mr. Dickey did chalk up 3 hundred yards during the game. In checking this we also found out that Mr. Dickey gained sixty yards in one punt but that yardage was verticle instead horizontal and if our hero hadn't done a fancy back step his punt would have returned to konk the kicker on the dome. Most of this dope I am quoting, by the way, comes from Short and Elliott at the City Hall and since you and I, Mr. Tabor, both know the knucks these boys carry in their pocket for just such a occasion when someone doubts their word, let's don't quibble over their statements here. Also in looking up all of this I found out, from Mr. Dickey as well as the others, that Tabor was no grid-iron wall flower, in fact he was greased lightning itself and if it hadn't been for his foot work the game would have been Baird's. In closing his letter Mr. Tabor added a note which I am passing on to Dickey, "I do not intend to dishonor the good name of Mr. Dickey, he was a good football player, but not quite good enough."

In case you youngsters want to settle this once and for all please remember that your commentator specializes in "coat holding" and my services are at your disposal. From where we sit it looks like both Tabor and Dickey gifts to their backfield. Thanks for the letter, Bud, and drop in again. It is a satisfaction to find that there is an Around Town in Clyde and we appreciate your interest, yeah honest.

One of our favorite enemies, John Risinger, has announced the organization of a "Callahan County Camera Club" for people interested in photography. The purpose is to arouse interest in this hobby and have a lot of fun on the side. Plans are to sponsor contests and offer prizes for the best pictures and so on. If you are interested just get in touch with Mr. Risinger.

Have you noticed the coin collectors which have been distributed throughout the town for donations to the Infantile Paralysis fund? Help 'em out a little. Any thing you give will be appreciated.

Show tip for the coming week is "Remember" which may sell because Robert Taylor is in the east, but I doubt it. "Remember" is a stushy story of a triangle love story where the best friend runs off with his pal's fiancée and then when the marriage is seemingly on the rocks the sacrificing friend gives the couple a drug which brings on amnesia and they fall in love all over again. Its one of these 'un-funny' comedies but you may like it. I know someone who likes cheese and pie together. This is just a-

about the same combination. While we are talking about shows I want to thank two very good friends of mine, Mrs. W. O. Miller and Mrs. Murray Harris, who told us last week that they want to see a show because the column had recommended it, I appreciate that.

On Baird Campuses

P A E

Next week will make the beginning of the second term of school work. The first half of the year has been tucked neatly away along with the other memories of 1939, and only the first terms grade sheets (coise the rotten luck, keeds) shall be left to rise against you on judgment day. The second term lies ahead with more opportunities than you'll ever believe until someone points them out to you. Plenty of time to make up faulty grades, iron out the crinkles in your most bothersome subject and still time left over to have fun on the side. Track meet, publication of the annual, and commencement are just a few of the things which the next few month hold in store.

The Third Year Home Making Girls rounded out a recent course of study on furniture and interior decoration with a field trip to Abilene where they were visitors in the Barrow Furniture Store and the Hicks Furniture Company. The girls also visited the West Texas Utilities Company where they were shown through the Modern Electrical Kitchen. The Singer Sewing Machine Shop was another place of interest the girls included on their field trip. Here they witnessed a demonstration in making coverings for furniture in the Home Economics sewing room. Patterns have been made and the slip covers probably will be finished by the first of the month.

The second year Home Making Girls have completed their dress projects and the frocks will be ready for modeling this month. Miss Helen Willard, Home Making Supervisor, plans a style show for assembly soon where the tailored dresses will be displayed.

"The Headlight", school annual, according to John Risinger whose job it is to see that the year book is in best possible form and to the press at an early date, is shaping up nicely. The first fourteen pages will be completed and ready for printing by the last of next week. The Annual this year will be something over twice as large as last years publication and will contain pictures of all phases of school activity. The Annual will be completed sometime in the last of April or the first of May.

Track meet preparations are under way. Students are responding to the "call for volunteers from which to shape the best possible teams to carry the Red and White to victory in the coming Fields Day conflicts. Jane Stephens, volley ball instructor, reports that sixty girls are out for that team, and in the other divisions the response is just as good, so it looks like that Baird is a cinch to take all the honors this year, that is, if spirit is any indication, and everyone knows that this is half the battle.

Student spotlight goes to Cuelle Loper because she is such a very good sport under any circumstance and because she is never to busy or in too much of a hurry to be courteous and thoughtful of fellow students and outsiders. Miss Loper typifies the treatment visitors and new students, as well as the "regular" receive from hands of Baird students.

POSTED: All lands owned or controlled by me is posted. No hunting or fishing allowed. Tom Windham, Opin, Texas.

Nobody's Business

By JULIAN CAPERS, Jr.

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Cheers for both President Roosevelt and Vice-President Garner at the two big Jackson Day dinners in Houston and Dallas, and various smaller ones elsewhere, were about equally divided, observers, indicating a strong following for both men among the Texans who interest themselves in the political goings-on.

LEGISLATIVE RACES WARMING

Interest in the legislative races throughout the State continue to warm up, with a record crop of candidates for House and Senate in sight, according to early announcements. Announcement came this week from Clint Small, dean of the Senate with a 12 years' service, that he will seek re-election from the Amarillo district. John Redditt, of Lufkin, his friends report, will not seek re-election, but all the remaining 14 Senators whose terms expire, are expected to stand for re-election. A seventeenth Senatorial contest may be staged in the Palestine district, as Clay Cotten has indicated he will resign, and accept an appointive place with the Railroad Commission, if his health improves.

Because Gov. O'Daniel has attempted to place the blame for failure to deliver on his promises of \$30 pensions to the aged on the legislature, the contests for the lower house places are expected to attract many candidates.

One former House member, John A. Long, of Crockett, has announced he will seek a comeback, on a platform including liberal pensions, aid for teachers, children, blind, crippled children for farmers and "economy in government." His platform is typical of that of many candidates who favor governmental aid for almost every group under the sun, and by some strange political ledgerman, also are in favor of "economy in government."

LANDRUM WRITES A PLATFORM

Lynn Landrum, the militant columnist of The Dallas News, who frequently does some pretty sound thinking out loud that is not always popular, this week brought out a two-point platform which Nobody's Business predicts will not be adopted by any successful office-seeker this year. Landrum proposes to

(1) Pension only paupers.
(2) Disfranchise pensioners
"If these two things are done, the present pension revenue would almost certainly cover all legitimate pension demands", he adds. There is pretty good precedent in the Texas constitution for it, too, which provides that paupers, dependent upon any county for support, shall not vote. In the days when that provision was written, the counties fed the paupers, and nobody dreamed of the Federal and State governments going into the pension business.

WATCH GOVERNOR'S RACE

With Harry Hines, Highway Commissioner, "almost persuaded" to make the race for governor, and Jerry Sadler still a strong possibility, there are interesting possibilities of a real contest for Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel in his second term aspirations. If Sadler ran, he would most certainly attract a lot of the more radical O'Daniel support, including many liberal pension advocates. Hines, a lay worker in the Christian church for years, is highly regarded by churchmen of all denominations, and he also has the confidence of a large group of business interests, including the oil industry, in which he has been engaged as an independent operator and drilling contractor for years. Any man who enters the lists with the highway department's political influence behind him is not to be laughed off, and Hines also has many friends among county officials throughout Texas. What Col. Ernest O. Thom might do if Hines and Sadley both get in is problematical but if Thompson and Hines both ran would split a big group vote.

Healing Dimes and Dollars



Dimes and dollars contributed at the 1940 President's Birthday celebrations to fight infantile paralysis, January 30, will help heal thousands of American children afflicted with the crippling disease. Cities and towns throughout Texas are sponsoring balls and "March of Dimes" solicitations to aid such youngsters, as depicted by Bressler in one of his noted cartoons.

Proper Heating Safeguards Health

Heating habits are as important in safeguarding the family's health throughout the winter as eating habits, the gas company warns its costumers. "Winter presents a threat to the whole family's health, using the common cold as an advance guard to open the door for pneumonia, influenza and other serious respiratory ailments," the company points out. "Doctors generally urge plenty of rest, sensible eating habits, evenly heated rooms and avoidance of draughts as allies in warding off colds." An overheated room can present as serious a health hazard as an unheated one, according to the gas company which urges its lustomers to heat their-entire homes only to a comfortable, even temperature.

"Children in school enjoy the even temperature provided by automatically controlled heating deplible to colds if they school in deplible to colds if they spend their time out of school in a home where the whole family congregates in one overheated room, running out into unheated rooms or halls. Instead of shutting the family up in one or two rooms heated to 80 or 82 degrees, let them enjoy the whole house and keep the temperatures around 72 to 74 degrees," the company suggests.

Ventilation is another important factor in heating, particularly where unvented heating equipment such as open flame room heaters is used. Opening a window slightly from the top will prevent headaches by condensation of moisture in the air of the room, which is increased by water vapor formed by the combustion of fuel.

For safety as well as health, the gas company warns its costumers against sleeping in a tightly closed room where a gas heater is burning. The heater must take air from the room atmosphere in order to burn, and unless this is replenished by fresh air, asphyxiation may be the result.

Bargain Day Still In Effect

Subscribers of The Star are taking advantage of our bargain rates; many renewals are coming in and several new subscribers have been added to our subscription list, the past few weeks. To all new subscribers and those who have renewed their subscription we extend our sincere thanks. To our subscribers who have not yet renewed their subscription or taken advantage of our offer to "Clean The Slate" giving a full years subscription in advance for only \$2.50 will express the sincere hope that you will do so before our bargain days close. Printing material of all kind has advanced sharply the past year and we must collect past due accounts to enable us to meet our obligations. Please remember The Star when "paying up."

Political

The following announcements for office are made subject to action of the Democratic Primary, to be held Saturday, July 27, 1940. For Sheriff: C. R. NORDYKE For County Commissioner Pre 2: H. B. STRALEY, (Oplin) For County Clerk: MRS. S. E. SETTLE For County Treasurer: MRS. WILL McCOY For Justice of Peace, Pre. No. 1: J. W. FARMER For District Clerk: RAYMOND YOUNG For Tax Assessor-Collector: B. O. BRAME

Announcement Fees

The Star announces the following fees for political announcements, this year:

Congress	\$10.00
Legislature	10.00
District Judge	10.00
District Attorney	10.00
District Clerk	10.00
County Judge	10.00
County Clerk	10.00
Sheriff	10.00
Assessor-Collector	10.00
County Superintendent	10.00
County Attorney	10.00
County Treasurer	10.00
County Commissioners	10.00
J. P.—Counstable	5.00
City Marshall	5.00

Personal

Albert Gill of Golden, Colo. is spending the winter with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Magill at Tecumsh.

Tod Windham of the CCC Camp Brownwood visited his mother, Mrs. Callie Windham at Tecumsh the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley and little daughter, Virginia Pearl of Rowden were in Baird Wednesday.

Miss. Ollie Faye Parker, popular student in Bayou school is reported seriously ill at her home there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Jones are on an auto trip to the Rio Grande Valley.

Victor Krogl who spent two weeks here visiting relatives and old friends has returned to his home in Freeport Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams of Putnam went out to Monahan Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Asbury who are the happy parents of a baby boy born Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kemmill of Cinc. Mrs. B. F. Ballard and daughter of Fort Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson Wednesday.

Mrs. Wely Briscoe has returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Brown at Marble Falls. She was accom-

NORVELL'S GROCERY AND MARKET

BARGAINS IN Quality Foods

FOR SATURDAY, JANUARY 20

FLOUR, OUR SPECIAL	48Lbs.	\$1.29
PINTO BEANS	10 LBS.	50c
PURE CANE SUGAR	10 LBS.	48c
GALLON PEACHES		39c
GALLON PRUNES		29c
FOLGERS COFFEE	1 LB.	27c
	2 LBS.	48c
MOTHERS OATS	With Plate	25c
RICE	5 POUNDS	25c
CRACKERS	2 LB. BOX	13c
RIBBON CANE SYRUP	GAL.	50c
MEAL	20 POUNDS	38c
LETTUCE LARGE HEADS	2 For	5c
CABBAGE	PER POUND	1c
APPLES & ORANGES	2 Doz.	25c
SLICED BACON	Per LB.	16c
ROUND STEAK	Per LB.	23c
MARGARINE	Per LB.	18c
SLICED CURED HAM	Per LB.	25c

PHONE 297—WE DELIVER

panied by her Sister Mrs. Cleo Snipe, of Ft. Worth. Mrs. Snipe also spent several days in Baird visiting relatives.

Miss Jane Patton Hall was in from her Ranch at Rowden Wednesday. Miss Hall is convalescing from a severe case of flu.

FOR SALE—Five burner coal oil heavy range, good condition Mrs. Laura Evans, West Baird

FOR RENT—Large front bedroom nicely furnished, connecting bath room. See Mrs. A. R. Kelton.

FOR RENT—New Bicycle Basket, never been used. See Dorothy Estes. Phone No. 6.

FOR SALE—Bed dresser and bassinet. Mrs. D. O. Cummings, Baird

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Baird, Texas

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Authorized Philco Radio Dealer

Agency for this locality. Come in and see our New 1940 Models, now on display, or call us for a demonstration of one of these beautiful new Radios in your own home. No obligations, Easy Terms.

Sheet Metal and Plumbing, Sinks, Bath Tubs, Gas Heaters Perfection Oil Heaters and Ranges, Beautiful New Norge Gas Ranges, Electrolux Refrigerators (Gas and Kerosene)

SAM H. GILLILAND

Baird Sewer Office—Phone 224

**Timely Information
Regulating Voting**

In every election year I have a great many inquiries concerning the election, residence, etc., and since I expect the same inquiries to be made this year, I thought it best to give my opinion on some of these questions before the time for payment of poll taxes and securing of exemption certificates has passed.

Every person between the ages of 21 and 60 is required to pay a poll tax, unless he be blind, deaf and dumb, or have lost a hand or a foot, or is totally disabled. To entitle one to vote, such tax must be paid before the first day of February to entitle one to vote during 1940. Persons who became 21 years of age during 1939 must secure an exemption certificate from the tax collector to be entitled to vote. Those who become 21 years of age during 1940 may vote in any election in 1940 provided they are 21 years old at the time they offer to vote, and no exemption certificate is required of them.

While the law is not very plain on the subject, it is my opinion that if a person has reached the age of 60 years before he offers to vote, he may vote without an exemption certificate; and even if he was subject to pay a poll tax in 1939 and has failed to pay he same, nevertheless, he would be entitled to vote.

In regard to disabilities, the law construes these provisions very strictly, and the blindness or deafness must be total. Also, in the case of loss of hand or foot, the loss must be total. Also, in the case of loss of hand or foot, the loss must be complete; that is, the member must be severed from the body; loss of use is not sufficient, and for total disability, the person must be unable to do any kind of work. Persons able to oversee projects, keep books, run drink stands etc., are not considered as totally disabled.

If the voter lives in a city or town which levies and collects a city poll tax, the payment of this city poll tax, in addition to the payment of the State and Coun-

ty poll tax, is necessary pre-requirements to vote in any election in this state, including primaries. The Supreme Court of the State very definitely settled this question during the past year. I have had several inquiries regarding the method of payment of poll taxes. They may be paid in person, or the husband and wife may pay each others poll tax without written authority. If you wish to pay your poll tax in any other way, you are advised that there has been no change in the law and your poll tax may be paid by filling out the authorized slip furnished by the tax collector just as you have done in the past. It is not necessary to swear to the facts stated on the slip or card. This provision for swearing to such statements applies to persons living in a city of ten thousand inhabitants or more.

As to residence, one must have been in the State one year, in the County six months, and be a bona fide resident of his precinct. No time limit is placed on residence in the precinct. One

could move into a precinct and vote there the next day, provided he had lived the required length of time in the State and County. Trusting that these few instructions will be of service to the voters, and that you get a great kick out of the coming elections, I am,

Sincerely yours,
F. E. MITCHELL,
County Attorney.

Methodist Church
HAMILTON WRIGHT, Pastor

Sunday School attendance Jan. 14 was 127. Leagues well attended. We need more to attend evening services. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7 at Methodist parsonage. Next lesson 7th chapter of Hebrews. Dr. Bickley preaches however next Wednesday evening in the auditorium and conducting quarterly conference.

In the Men's adult classroom much improvement has been made. New ornamental indirect light, hat

case furnished by Ross Brison. The entire room and kitchen repainted. Hot coffee served right out of urn before and after recitation period.

Get the habit of attending church. Services 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.

DENTON HOME DEM. CLUB.

The Jolly Workers Club met Tuesday afternoon Jan 16 at the Methodist church with 15 members and (two new members). The date was changed for our club meeting; instead of meeting the first and third Mondays the club will meet the first and third Tuesdays. Miss Clara Brown home demonstration agent, will meet with the club on the 3 Tuesday.

Good breeding, good housing, good equipment and plenty of ventilation are four of the essentials in poultry raising said Miss Brown in a lecture of poultry raising and egg production. A display of chicken feeders drinking fountains and a miniature

chicken house was shown. Those present were; Miss Clara Brown, H. D. Agent, Mrs. Joe King, Mmes. E. J. Kendrick H. W. Caldwell, E. J. Barton, Jake Jones, Gordon Ford, Lloyd Jones T. M. Allen, A. L. McIntosh Perkins Galbreath, Dora Galbreath, H. L. Browning, Calton Crawford, Oscar Shrum, J. T. Gibson and Miss Anna M. McIntosh.

TECUMSEH H. D. CLUB

The Tecumseh H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. J. P. Tunnell Monday Jan 15. The business meeting was presided over by the president Mrs. J. P. Tunnell. Mrs. Lewis Mrs. Hawton and Mrs. Sarah Magill gave readings.

The club planned to have meetings twice monthly with certain members being responsible for each program. Each member presented Mrs. Brown, H. D. Agent with a jar of canned food. Miss Brown gave ademonstration on poultry house and equipment,

good housing, good breed and good feed plenty of fresh water are essential if one is to make a profit from poultry says Miss Brown. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. E. J. Neal Monday, Feb. 5 at 2 p. m. Mrs. Sarah Magill, Reporter.

Roses, Trees and Shrubs

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Clyde, Texas

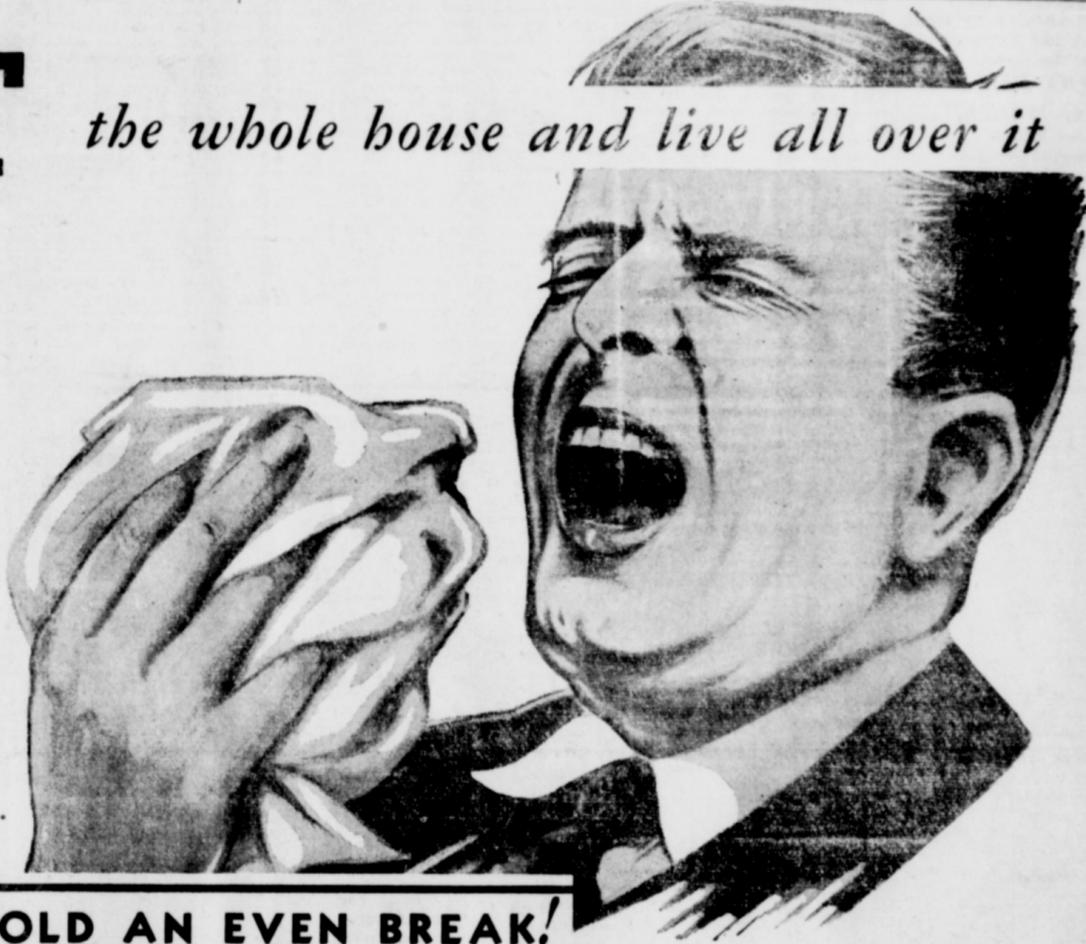
HEAT

the whole house and live all over it

A recent bulletin of the Texas State Department of Health warns against the danger of the common cold, which often leads to pneumonia and other serious winter illnesses.

In 1939 the number of Texans stricken with pneumonia ALONE was equal to one out of every ten homes located on the lines of Lone Star Gas System. Guard against the dangers of sudden changes of temperature by heating your entire home for your health's sake during the short winter season.

Lone Star Gas System



•DON'T GIVE A COLD AN EVEN BREAK!

Only a cold—but serious disease may follow. Don't give a cold an even break.

According to government statistics, diseases of the breathing apparatus are responsible for about one death in every four.

If you do catch cold consult your family doctor before it undermines your health.

HEAT your ENTIRE HOUSE and provide ADEQUATE VENTILATION for your HEALTH'S SAKE.

The cold germ is responsible for two hundred million illnesses each year.

Your good health and that of your loved ones is your most desirable possession. Don't give a cold an even break.

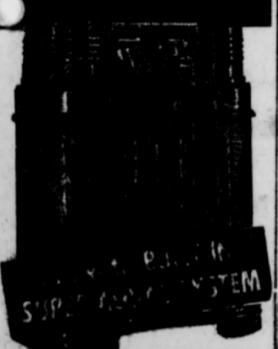


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Robert TAYLOR
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"REMEMBER"

TUESDAY ONLY

30 REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD BE HERE
—GUEST NITE—
(On The Screen)
"TOO BUSY TO WORK"
Jed PROUTY
Spring BYINGTON

WED and THURS
Franchot TONE
Ann SOTHERN

—in—
"FAST & FURIOUS"

CITY ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BAIRD, TEXAS, A CITY DULY AND LEGALLY INCORPORATED UNDER THE GENERAL LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, REGULATING AND IMPOSING DUTIES AND RESTRICTIONS ON CERTAIN PUBLIC UTILITIES NOW ENJOYING OR WHICH MAY HEREAFTER ENJOY ANY FRANCHISE OR PUBLIC PRIVILEGE IN THE CITY OF BAIRD, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR PERMIT TO BE ISSUED PROVIDING THAT IT SHALL BE UNLAWFUL WITHOUT FIRST SECURING PERMIT TO MAKE ADDITIONS, ALTERATIONS, OR RELOCATIONS, PROVIDING SAID PERMIT SHALL BE MADE IN WRITING; PROVIDING THE FORM AND SUBSTANCE OF SAID APPLICATION, PROVIDING SAID APPLICATION SHALL BE MADE FIVE DAYS BEFORE WORK IS TO BE PERFORMED DEFINING AN EMERGENCY, PROVIDING FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ORDINANCE, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, PROVIDING FOR PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BAIRD, TEXAS,

ARTICLE 1.

That any person, firm or corporation joint stock company, or business trust enjoying or owning any franchise or public privilege and alleys and public grounds of said City in connection with said franchise or public privilege shall from and after the passage hereof secure from said City Council of the City of Baird, Texas, a permit before making any additions, alterations reconstructions or relocations which shall include any of the following: poles, lines, conduit lines, cross arms, insulators, transformers, street lights, cut-outs, signal circuits,

guy lines, anchors, pins, racks, or any other material or hardware or appliances used in the operation, construction, of said lines.

ARTICLE 2.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, joint stock company or business trust to perform such work without first securing said permit.

ARTICLE 3.

Said application for said permit shall be made in writing and addressed to the City Secretary of the City of Baird, Texas.

ARTICLE 4.

Said application shall set out substantially the following:

a. Name of street nearest to or along which construction is to be done.

b. Numbers of the nearest lot and block according to the official Townsite plat, with subsequent additions, or approximate location of any undivided acreage included within the corporate limits of the City of Baird, Texas.

c. Reason or necessary for work or construction to be done.

d. Inventory of actual materials to be used in such work or construction, this shall list the number of poles length of poles, depth of holes, type of ground, amount and list of hardware, such as cross arms, brackets clevises, braces, pins insulators, guys, dead end fittings, or any other materials hardware or fittings, amount in feet of any wire to be erected, as well as the size of the wire, and number of wires to be strung and list all such material whose use is discontinued.

e. Purpose for which such work or construction is intended setting out if same is for electric lines, telephone lines, telegraph lines, and stating whether said lines are of trunk or transmission type, or intended for local distribution of services.

f. Approximate time required to complete such work or construction, stating time said work is to be started.

g. Approximate cost of work

or construction.

h. Said application shall be filed with the City Secretary five (5) days before work contemplated to be done or construction to be started. Said five day period to be waived by said City of Baird and permit granted instantaneously in case of public disaster or great calamity or rise of an emergency. Any such person firm or corporation may proceed to make temporary repairs without said permit, but any such temporary repairs shall be reported to said City within twenty-four (24) hours from the time such repairs are made, and such temporary repairs shall not become permanent without the consent of said City and permit issued therefor.

i. No printed or pre-prepared forms must be used for making application but application must be accompanied by affidavit of agent or duly accredited representative of any such person, firm or corporation duly attested by the proper authority.

ARTICLE 5.

An emergency as intended in this ordinance shall consist of one or more of the following: Fires, Strikes, explosions, riots, insurrections, acts of a third party not employed or controlled by either of said City of Baird, Texas or public Utility or utilities so affected, windstorms, tornados, sleet or ice, floods, and no other acts, omissions, deeds or circumstances shall be considered as an emergency under the terms of this ordinance.

ARTICLE 6.

Should any section or provision or any part of this ordinance be held and declared to be unconstitutional, or to violate the Statutes of the State of Texas and void by court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall in no wise affect the validity of any remaining parts of this ordinance, unless the part held void is indispensable to the operation of the remaining parts. The City Council of the City of Baird, Texas, hereby declares that it would have passed those parts of this ordinance which are valid

and omitted any part or parts which may be unconstitutional, or in violation of the Statutes of the State of Texas, if it had known or been advised that such parts were unconstitutional or in violation of the Statutes of the State of Texas, at the time of the passage of this ordinance.

ARTICLE 7.

The City Council of the City of Baird, Texas, believing that the existence of this ordinance is very necessary for the preservation of the public safety and the public health, and the preservation of the well-being of the inhabitants of the City of Baird, hereby declare the passage of this ordinance to be an emergency measure, and that this ordinance shall take full force and effect immediately with and after its passage, and that any rule or rules that ordinances be read in more than one meeting of the City Council be declared without force and effect with regard to the passing of this ordinance.

ARTICLE 8.

Penalty.

a. Any public utility, person, firm, corporation or joint stock company coming under the provisions of this ordinance, or any manager, servant or employee of any public utility, failing or refusing to subject itself or himself to the jurisdiction of the City Council as provided for in this ordinance, and failing or refusing to obey any order or ordinance of said City Council legally promulgated hereunder, after reasonable notice and opportunity to do so, shall be liable to a penalty as hereinafter provided.

b. Any person or corporation who violates any provision of this ordinance or who fails, omits, or neglects to obey or comply with any lawful order or ordinance or any part of its provisions thereof, legally promulgated by the City Council, involving any of the matters herein contained, upon conviction in a court of competent jurisdiction, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed \$100 for each offense; and each day of such violation omission or neglect to obey or comply with such order or ordinance so promulgated shall be deemed a separate offense.

c. In construing and enforcing the provisions of this ordinance relating to penalties, the act, omission or failure of any official agent or employee of any corporation or other person acting either in the scope of his employment, or on his own initiative, shall in every case be deemed also the act, omission or failure of such corporation.

d. All penalties shall be cumulative, and suit may be brought by the said City in any court having jurisdiction of the cause of action against the offending utility for the recovery of such penalties, and a suit for the recovery of one penalty shall not be a bar to or affect the recovery of any other penalty or forfeiture, nor shall it be a bar to any criminal prosecution.

e. Action to recover penalties under this ordinance shall be brought in the name of the City of Baird, Texas, and all criminal prosecution shall be brought in the name of the State of Texas.

Passed and approved this 18th day of January A. D. 1940.

H. Schwartz, Mayor
The City of Baird, Texas

EPWORTH LEAGUE

Between 125 and 150 Epworth League members from the Lighted Cross area, including Abilene churches, will hold their next meeting at Baird church. Last week a representation of 12 local Leagues secured the monthly meeting. A program is now being arranged by Lee Loper, president and members of the local chapter. Refreshments will be served and games played at the meeting scheduled for February 8.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

The State of Callahan,
County of Callahan.

WHEREAS, by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1939, wherein H. T. Wagley is Plaintiff and H. E. Worrell is Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said court against said Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff of the sum of Five Hundred and twenty five Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 6th day of February A. D. 1940 between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of H. E. Worrell in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit: That certain oil and gas mining lease which is described in a certain instrument executed by B. L. Russell as grantor to H. E. Worrell as grantee, dated September 8, 1937, recorded in Vol. 153, page 464 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas; and said oil and gas lease covering the following described lands; The SE 1-4 and S W 1-4 of the NE 1-4 of Section 2282 T E & L Co. Lands, reference heremade to said instrument for a more particular description of said oil and gas mining lease, together with all personal property used or obtained in connection therewith.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for \$525.00 in favor of Plaintiff, together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction thereof.

C. R. NORDYKE, Sheriff
Callahan County, Texas.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—7 1-2
acres of land, 5 room house, barn smoke house, etc. Close to Denton Store on highway 36 and Baird-Oplin road. J. S. Gamble, Rt. 2, Clyde, Texas.

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J. T. Loper, Manager.

NOTICE—I will take care of your children while you visit, shop or attend clubs, day or night, Mrs. Ethel Warren, 1st door south of Wylie James residence.

B. F. RUSSELL
ATTORNEY AT-LAW
(Office in Miller Building 2nd door north of City Hall)
Baird, Texas

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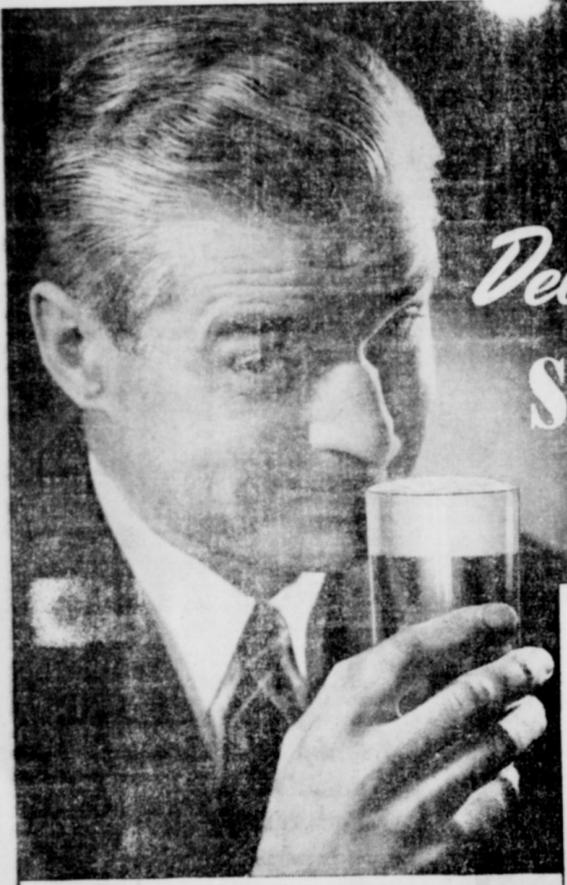
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Baird, Texas



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The Clean Delicate Aroma of
SOUTHERN SELECT

THOUSANDS PICK THEIR BEER BY THIS DRAMATIC TEST!

Here's a way lots of folks judge a beer before they sip it: They test the aroma and if it has a faint, delicate fragrance which is clean and not mixed up with heavy off-odors, then it's a high quality beer in perfect condition. Southern Select is one beer you can be sure passes the aroma test! Its all-grain ingredients—plus distilled water—go through the costly low-temperature fermentation process. Then come months of slow aging. The result is crystal clear, delightful, clean-tasting brew that's protected by sterilized bottles and removal of air before filling. This is the reason more folks drink Southern Select each year! Why not join them yourself!

IT'S COSTLY—BUT IT PAYS!

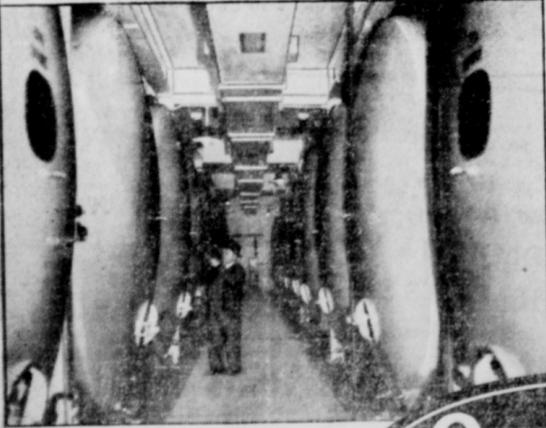
Time and equipment cost money in a brewery. Yet Southern Select is lavish with both in brewing this fine beer. Extra time in fermentation and aging, thousands of dollars worth of storage vats tied up while the brew is getting good! But we don't care if it does cost us more! More folks drink our beer, and that's what pays us to make Southern Select the costly way. It's good business to make good beer!

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Galveston, Texas



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OLD-FASHIONED—BUT IT MAKES GOOD BEER



You can speed up brewing, like anything else. But what happens to the beer? Well, we do it all the slow, old-fashioned way so we're sure every brew of Southern Select is going to be good. And the public drinks more and more of it every year. We'll stay old-fashioned, thanks!

GEO H. JEWELL, DISTRIBUTOR
823 N. Breckenridge, Breckenridge, Texas

Attest:
R. L. Elliott, Jr.
City Secretary.
(SEAL)

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CALLAHAN } ss
CITY OF BAIRD

I, R. L. Elliott, Jr., City Secretary of the City of Baird, Texas do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed by the City Council of the City of Baird, A. D. 1940, and that it has been properly enrolled, placed in the office of the City Secretary, and approved by the Mayor, and that the above and foregoing is true and correct copy of such ordinance, said ordinance having been recorded in Volume E. Page 135, et seq., of the Minutes of the City Council of the City of Baird Texas.

Executed under my hand and the seal of the City of Baird, Tex as this 18th day of January, A. D. 1940.

R. L. Elliott, Jr.,
City Secretary.
(SEAL)

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Callahan County, Texas, will, on the 12 day of February, 1940, at 10 o'clock a. m. in its usual meeting place in the court house at Baird Texas, proceed to receive and consider competitive bids for the purpose of the following described road machinery:

One or more Road Maintainers equipped as follows: gasoline motor of not less than 45 H P; Mechanical controlled leaning front wheels, cab starter and lights, and will at such time let a contract therefor if any bid be accepted; all such bids to be made as required by law; and if any bid accepted it is the intention of the Court to issue time warrants against said County in payment of all or part of such proposed contract, in the maximum amount of \$9000.00, to bear six per cent guarantee. 30-day treatment for interest per annum, the last mat-\$150 by Holmes Drug Company.aturity date of such warrants to be not later than the year of 1948.

L. B. Lewis,
County Judge; by Order of
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