

# 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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## LEGIONAIRE RENAISSANCE

### Eugene Bell Post No. 82, American Legion, Will Start Campaign For Home

Eugene Bell Post, No. 82, American Legion, since it moved into its new quarters in the old Blackburn Building, on Market Street, between Wendell Russell and Eugene Bell Avenues, has entered upon its renaissance, and has taken on a life and vigor that is very gratifying to the victorious veterans of the World War who comprise its membership.

The first of last year, even the most optimistic of the Legionnaires was far from hopeful and looked on the future with jaundiced eyes. Lieutenant Cayle E. Hall was elected Commander. As everybody knows he is a go-getter and vibrant with vision. He stimulated his fellow Legionnaires with his "do or die" determination and the organization buckled down to its task of regeneration and rejuvenation. Eugene Bell Post faced a financial deficit of \$234, many of the members had lost interest in the organization, the future looked gloomy, and the Post was perilously near to the rocky reefs of dissolution.

But Commander Hall and a handful of his followers, as stout-hearted as himself, stubbornly refused to surrender, and shoulder to shoulder they blithely hiked on to victory. "Let's go!" was their battlecry, and with eyes set grimly to the front, "over the top" they went and never paused till the enemy line had been battered down and victory perched upon their banners.

At the annual meeting of Eugene Bell Post held Tuesday evening of last week, Finance Officer James C. Asbury reported that the Post had paid off all of its old indebtedness, had \$42 in its treasury and a membership of 47. The Legionnaires have revived the question of a permanent home; are working vigorously to accomplish their purpose. A general canvass will be made for new members and if they keep up the good work The Star confidently believes the Post will again "go over the top," and in the near future take up quarters in a new and suitable home. To set the building ball a-rolling the Legionnaires are now energetically at work arranging the preliminary details for a get-together banquet to be held about the first of February, when the new home project and a big membership drive will be earnestly stressed.

The following is the Post's roster of officers for 1923:

Commander: Cayle E. Hall (re-elected);  
First Vice Commander: L. Willard Green.  
Second Vice Commander: Joe Crutchfield, of Admiral.  
Third Vice Commander: Fred Heysler, of Putnam.  
Fourth Vice President: C. B. Harris, of Clyde.  
Adjutant: Vernon King.  
Finance Officer: James C. Asbury.  
Chaplain: Royce Gilliland.  
Sergeant-at-Arms: Randolph L. Williams.  
Historian: Claude Flores.

## BAIRD METHODISTS TO BUILD A NEW CHURCH

The congregation of the Baird Methodist Episcopal Church, South, has determined to build a new, modernly designed brick church building, to take the place of the old wooden structure, that has been in use for devotional purposes for thirty-eight years, and the following official action would indicate that they mean business:

Whereas, Ours is a growing church; and

Whereas, Our Sunday School and young people's work have taken on new life; and

Whereas, Our church building is old and altogether inadequate to our present needs; and

Whereas, It is impossible to move with the work of the church, with out a better building and equipment; be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Second Quarterly Conference of the present year, 1922-1923, Baird Charge, Abilene District, Northwest Texas Conference, now in session at Baird, Texas, January the 26th, 1923, 7:30 p. m.

That a Building Committee be elected and be invested with plenary power to formulate plans, raise fund and build a Modern Church Building, to cost approximately \$15,000.

Be it further resolved that said above committee be urged to begin this work at the earliest possible moment and press it to completion as rapidly as practicable.

T. J. Rea,

Pastor;

W. E. Gilliland,

Recording Steward;

J. E. Alexander,

Superintendent Sunday School;

V. E. Hill,

Steward;

Ace Hickman,

Chairman Official Board.

Building Committee: Ace Hickman, A. R. Kelton, Ed Alexander, Melvin Farmer, J. Brice Jones.

Brothers T. E. Powell and Will S. Hinds will assist this committee in every way possible.

## MACK WOULDN'T TEAR UP STREET

Manager Mack Brundage, of the Texas Company found that the company's gas pipes on Market Street from the Court House to the T. P. Station had rusted badly and were leaking. To replace these pipes with new ones, it would be necessary to tear up Baird's White Way.

Mack hated to do this, so he connected up the pipes running through the alleys on the east and west of Market Street with a new line of pipe, on Wendell Russell and Mac Bell Avenues, cut out the rusted pipe connection on Market Street and presto! the job was done. His workmen finished up the job Saturday night. To make the connection required 1200 feet of new pipe.

The Baird Boy Scouts have reorganized for the season of 1923, with George Nitschke as Scout Master and a membership of sixteen. The Scouts meet every night at Fire Hall, and every boy in Baird over the age of 12 years is invited to meet with them and join this splendid organization.

## ABUNDANT AGUA PURA

### Will The City Of Baird Have When Its Projected Water Supply System Is Ready

"Be sure you're right—then go ahead!" an aphorism attributed to the late Davy Crockett, of deathless Alamo fame, is a good one to keep constantly in mind when you are spending other people's money. It seems to have been and to be the guiding principle which has actuated and is still actuating His Honor John Iley McWhorter, Mayor of Baird, in his administration of the affairs of the municipality.

When the property tax paying citizens of Baird voted a water improvement bond issue of \$60,000 last March, the super-optimistic and unthinking ones declared: "Now we'll have water in abundance for our gardens next summer!"

These jubilant prognosticators, however, failed to grasp in its full measure, the psychology of Iley McWhorter, when he's spending money that belongs to somebody else. He's no whirlwind then. He goes slow and studies the proposition from every angle until he finds the best way. When he has solved the proposition so that he can repeat the whole financial plan from A to Izzard, forward and backward, he may still go slow, doling out the cash grudgingly and making every penny count.

That's why the wise one's picked him out for Baird's Chief Magistrate, and elected him by an overwhelming majority against a most determined opposition. He was going to spend their money, and they wanted a good square run for it. That's what he's going to give them. He has devoted his entire time and attention—or a good part of it—since his election, for a monetary compensation that wouldn't keep him in chewing tobacco, to the business of the City of Baird.

After a patient and thorough investigation of the water question he learned that its vested rights in its present water supply weren't worth a tinker's whoop, and could be taken away from the people altogether at the whim and caprice of the Texas & Pacific Railroad Company.

Then he began further investigations—still working slowly and with painstaking exactness—finally demonstrating, beyond the peradventure of a doubt, that there was just as much pure, potable water (in fact an almost inexhaustible supply) underlying the five acres owned by the city that adjoin the railroad right-of-way, where the wells are located that the caprice of the railroad company might take away from Baird at any moment, leaving the city as arid as it was supposed the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Enforcement Law would make America.

But pshaw! What was five acres? Baird was bound to grow, and five acres of underground water, though seemingly inexhaustible, was a mere bagatelle. The Dr. H. H. Ramsey farm was tested out. The subterranean lake extended under it, and he far-sightedly secured, by purchase at a fair price, one hundred acres of its fertile soil, making in all 105

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## OIL DEVELOPMENT WORK DRAGS BECAUSE OF RAIN

The bad weather and rain this week delayed new development work in the Baird field and retarded the work in other sections of the county. This is the week's record:

R. H. Frizzell is drilling on the J. A. Hutchison No. 1 at 560 feet.

G. S. Fry, Ross No. 1, casing at 625 feet.

Breckenridge parties have closed a deal for four wells on the Buster George ranch.

Jno. Kegans et al, James No. 2, spudding.

J. H. Holdeman et al have a 35 barrel well on the W. L. Park farm.

B. W. Owens et al, D. F. Harp, location.

Rio Grande Petroleum Co., Lones No. 1, gassing at 430 feet.

Norman Oil Co., Harris, has resumed drilling.

Byron-Union Oil Co., Hennessey, under-reaming.

Thos. B. Slick, E. L. Finley ranch, location.

Holdeman & Kubelemer have a location on the Martin Eubank farm.

## B. LOUIS BOYDSTUN FILES PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the office of the Clerk of the United States Court here Monday afternoon by Benjamin Louis Boydston, merchant, of Baird, liabilities being given at \$188,240.24, and assets at \$366,031.71.

Property to the amount of \$24,150 is claimed to be exempt. The petition shows that unsecured claims total \$169,074.24 and secured claims \$8,975; real estate is valued at \$43,190 and machinery, tools, etc., at \$15,983.53.—Abilene Reporter, January 24.

While close friends of Louis Boydston are not surprised at this announcement, but none the less all regret the conditions that compelled it. Louis Boydston has been continuously in business longer than any merchant in the city, about 34 years.

He has, perhaps, accommodated more people and helped them over hard years than any other merchant who ever did business in Baird, and we know that some of his customers did not appreciate his favors.

We sympathize with Louis Boydston because we know something of his efforts to help the farmers and stockmen of Callahan County as well as others. He did an enormous business, and had branch stores at different towns, Denton, Clyde, Putnam and Cross Plains, the last named three being included in this petition.

For the present business will go on as usual.

## MARRIED

Mr. Jack Walker and Miss Madge Eubanks, two of Baird's popular young people, very quietly stole away to Cross Plains last Sunday morning and were united in marriage. They will make their home in Baird.

That inch and a little over of moisture, comprising both rain and snow, that precipitated itself on the parched soil of Callahan County Saturday night, Sunday and Monday did a mort of good, revivifying and stimulating as it did the fall planted grain crops.

Postmaster M. J. Holmes has been on the sick list this week with a cold, grip, flu, or something. Mrs. Holmes is also sick.

## CRIMINALS HIDE OUT

### Or The Law Enforcement "Big Three" Gilbert, Russell And Youngblood'll Get You

The voters of Callahan County made no mistake when they elected Victor B. Gilbert County Judge, Ben F. Russell, County Attorney, and those in Precinct No. 1 picked a regular Sherlock Holmes when they selected Frank Youngblood as Constable.

This trio is cleaning up things, and they vow that they will make Callahan County as free from crime as Ivory Soap is free from deleterious impurities—a county to be shunned by all criminals as a place anathema.

Early in their official career the "big three" got together and mapped out a plan of campaign against crime—result:

A 1923 model Ford car was stolen from a school teacher, near Stith, in Jones County. The thieves were believed to hail from Callahan. Forthwith Constable Youngblood was dispatched into the Clyde country and after several days of "Sherlocking," recovered the car, which had been disguised, and arrested or caused the arrest of three men, charged with the theft. One of the trio established an alibi, but one is in jail at Anson awaiting trial and the third, who hails from Clyde, after lying in jail here for several days, made bond and is at liberty awaiting trial.

A saddle and auto were stolen from Earl Hays and some harness from Bill Dugan, both of whom live in the Clyde section. Constable Youngblood "sleuthed" this case, arrested his man, whose home is in Ranger and had him locked up in the jail there. Later the suspect made bond and was released.

Another resident of the Clyde section was arrested by Youngblood, charged with the theft of cotton. He was arraigned in Justice of the Peace George E. Printz's court, plead guilty to the charge and gave bail for appearance at the next term of District Court.

Three Baird lads, charged with the theft of T. & Railroad meal script from the Hotel Mac and cigarettes from Chambers Brothers, were arrested by Constable Youngblood, and arraigned in County Judge Victor Gilbert's Court. They plead guilty, but sentence was suspended and they were released on the solemnly reiterated promise that they would enter school, keep off the streets and sin no more. Constable Youngblood will see to it that they keep their promise.

This is only an epitomized history of the "Big Three's" cleanup work so far. The trio is deserving of great credit, and the members declare that this is only the beginning.

Ex-Sheriff George Houston Corn left Saturday night for Austin to meet with a committee of the Texas State Sheriff's Association, which has been appointed to go before the Legislature in the interest of important legislative measures. He returned home yesterday evening and reports that the committee's work will be felt.



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## FRENCH USE FISTS IN STARTING "WAR"

Deputy Charged With Conspiracy  
Against State Relative to His  
Alleged Attempt.

Paris.—After what is said to be the wildest rioting in the history of the French Parliament during which fifty deputies engaged in a free fist fight on the floor, the Chamber of Deputies, by a vote of 371 to 143 decided to suspend the parliamentary immunity of Marcel Cachin, the Communist member.

A commission of the chamber which investigated charges that Cachin recently had been engaged in the communistic activities in the Ruhr recommended that the Deputy's parliamentary immunity be lifted so as to permit the prosecution of Cachin by the Government on a charge of conspiracy against the security of the State in connection with plans to call a general strike in the Ruhr and in French cities in protest against France's seizure of the Ruhr.

Paris.—Dignified members of the Chamber of Deputies limped from the hall with the black eyes, bleeding noses, scarred faces, cracked knuckles and cauliflower ears.

Someone on the Government side of the house said: "move that we consider lifting the parliamentary immunity from Deputy Cachin so that he may be brought to justice for conspiracy against the Nation."

The fight was on. One hundred Deputies—fighting, kicking and yelling—made pugilistic rather than national history for three-quarters of an hour.

A Conservative member looked over at Cachin and accused him of "cowardice," because the latter went into the Ruhr to organize the communists to resist France's invasion. "Couchen, Sale Couchen!" retorted Cachin.

A Congressman from Podunk might be able to yell that right out in the House of Representatives at Washington and get away with it—but not so in France.

The translation is "Pig dirty pig!" This would scarcely be considered a compliment in America. But in France it's about the nastiest crack one can take at a person.

When the Republicans, Royalists, Conservatives mobilized against Cachin, Socialists and Communists started to run toward the President's rostrum to protest.

Barthe, a Socialist, and Baron, a communist, got invited right out by the Chamber—head first. Several opponents grabbed them by the nape of the neck and sent the radicals down a long flight of stairs.

## DEMANDS COMPENSATION FOR MAN FRENCH KILLED

First German Dignitary Seized By  
French for Passive Resistance  
to Ruhr Invasion.

Bochum, Germany.—Compensation for the death of one German and injuries to several others when French troops fired into a crowd here has been demanded by the Mayor of Bochum.

The Mayor, in a letter to French authorities, also urged that those responsible for the incident be punished.

Authorities allege that General Houllier gave the command to fire. According to reports, Houllier has been ordered back to France and his detachment is to be transferred elsewhere in the occupied territory.

Dusseldorf.—The first arrest of a German official for passive resistance of the French invasion of the tax office here was taken into custody. Schlutius was charged with refusal to deliver books and records of his office when they were requisitioned by the French.

More Pay for Senate Pages.  
Austin, Texas.—Although some opposition developed to the proposal, the Senate adopted a resolution to increase the pay of the Senate pages from \$2 to \$2.50 a day. Senator Darwin from Lamar County introduced this resolution.

France At Last Gets Coal.  
Essen, Germany.—France has received her first tangible fruits of occupation since she started the occupation of the Ruhr a week ago to collect reparations. French authorities seized fifteen barges containing 10,000 tons of coal at Duisburg.

Water Scarcity at Lancaster.  
Lancaster, Texas.—Owing to the continued dry weather, there is a scarcity of stock water. Farmers are hauling water, secured at the city waterworks.

## A PLEA AND AN OFFER OF REWARD

In the fulfillment of its service, this Company is often seriously interfered with in various ways.

Long periods of lack of electric service are experienced by our customers through no fault of the Company, but through thoughtless and oftentimes malicious actions by individuals.

Hunters frequently shoot the insulators on our cross arms, causing a line to burn down. The burning down of a line throws out a switch in the Central Power Station at Abilene, putting in darkness for several hours the territory served by the damaged line.

Identical consequences are suffered by our customers, and the Company is put to similar trouble and expense when pieces of barbed-wire are thrown across our lines.

This Company appeals to the fair-mindedness of West Texas Citizens for their co-operation in eliminating these annoying, costly unnecessary and constantly recurring acts of vandalism.

An exceedingly Liberal Reward will be promptly paid to anyone causing the arrest and conviction of parties caught destroying our property, and violating the service we strive faithfully and sincerely to maintain.

## WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY

K. K. FRANCIS, Mgr.

BAIRD, TEXAS

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Car and Truck Sales  
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Ford

December 1922  
Car and Truck Sales  
105,799

## Everything Points to the Greatest Spring Demand for Ford Products in Company's History

1,202,517 Ford Cars and Trucks were delivered to retail purchasers in the United States alone during 1922

Actual deliveries for last month greatly exceeded any previous December in the history of the Ford Motor Company

It was the ninth consecutive month in which more than 100,000 Ford Cars and Trucks were retailed—keeping the Ford Plants working at capacity to meet dealer's requirements

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We have given you these facts as they actually exist so that if you are planning to purchase a Ford Car, Truck or Tractor for use this Spring or Summer, you can list your order now and take advantage of our dealer's first opportunity to make delivery.

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Commercial users, business houses and farmers, anticipating their future requirements, are placing orders and taking delivery of Ford Cars, Trucks and Fordson Tractors to insure against delay

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### FRENCH GAINING IN ECONOMICAL BATTLE

SEVERAL VICTORIES ARE RECORDED IN PROGRAM IN RUHR.

### COAL MINERS GO ON STRIKE

Those of Confiscated Mines Decline to Be Forced to Work by Bayonets of French

Dusseldorf.—France is engaged in fighting its economical battle of the Marne along the lines of the River Ruhr and the Rhine Canal.

Seven arrests, the extension of the Rhineland penalties to the Ruhr, the requisitioning of 21,000 tons of coal, the re-opening of branches of the Reichsbank and private banking institutions after a half-day's shutdown, and failure by the railroad men to strike as they had been ordered to do by the Berlin Government, are successes which a French communique might record was a communique issued.

The directors of the Bernadengleuck, Westernhold and Rhine and Baden works in the region of Bochum and the director and sub-director of the Mollerschechte mine in the region of Gladbach, who refused to turn over their records and assist the French in operating their plans, were arrested and joined Dr. Schlutius, president of the Dusseldorf State Finance Department, and Mine Director Rochstein in the Dusseldorf central jail, where the French say they will be treated as political prisoners.

General Degoutte, the French Commander, has lost no time in extending the inter-allied commission's Rhineland penalties to the Ruhr. The decree promulgated goes into effect at once. French, Belgian and Italian customs officers are arriving in Dusseldorf, ready to proceed with the collection of coal and other taxes.

Bauer, Germany.—The miners' strike against the French invasion is under way. Workers in the Moeller mine have walked out; those in other colliers have suspended work, awaiting orders from their union leaders.

Technical experts of all mines in the Buer district has left their posts, vowing never to return as long as the French soldiers occupy the area.

The crisis was precipitated in this district when French forces, with fixed bayonets, loaded rifles and machine guns, swooped down on the Zwickel and Gladbeck mines, property of the State, and seized them in the name of France.

One industrialist, President Ahrens of the mine management at Reibelsen, was put through a third-degree examination by the invaders, and then they were arrested. Later ten train dispatchers were taken into custody.

### HERRIN DEFENDANTS ARE ACQUITTED BY JURY

Williamson County Farmers Are Jurors—No Sign Of Demonstration.

Marion, Ill.—After nearly twenty-seven hours of deliberation, a jury of Williamson County farmers delivered a verdict of not guilty in the first case resulting from the killing of twenty-one nonunion workers during the Herrin riots last June.

The end of the long trial came with such unexpected suddenness that both the spectators and the five defendants who were charged with the murder of Edward Hoffman, one of the victims of the outbreak, appeared dazed. As Judge D. T. Hartwell finished reading the last verdict, the only sound that broke the silence in the court was a half-smothered sob from the wife of one of the defendants.

Word that the jury had reached a verdict was received by Judge Hartwell at his office. He immediately notified the attorneys and ordered the defendants brought from the jail, a block away. The news spread among the crowd, which has stood patiently about the square watching the courthouse ever since the jury retired and the courtroom quickly filled.

The verdicts were read in the following order: Leva Mann, Joe Carnaghi, Peter Hiller, Bart Grace and Otis Clark. All are union miners except Hiller, who is a taxicab driver. Clark showed the most signs of emotion during the reading and slouched deeper and deeper into his chair until his name, the last one

reached, was read. His wife across the courtroom, sobbed as the words "not guilty" reached her ears.

### French Provide Ruhr Needs.

Paris.—The French Government will be ready to provide for the needs of the Ruhr district in currency on the next pay day in case the German Government remains obdurate and withholds the needed facilities for payment, it was said in official circles. A special issue of local currency is in view with the resources of the Ruhr Valley as a guarantee

### NEFF AND DAVIDSON ARE INAUGURATED

All For Texas and Texas for All Should Be Our Consuming Thoughts.

Austin, Texas.—"The Eyes of Texas," long familiar as the anthem of the University of Texas, took on significance as an anthem of the State. Sounded forth by the veteran 142 Infantry Band of the Thirty-Sixth Division as the Governor, and Lieutenant Governor-elect entered the House to take their oaths of office, it was sounded forth again by the Governor in his inaugural address.

Crowded galleries and a House floor in whose aisle and corridor space had been brought all chairs possible, held a throng of Texans to witness the ceremonies with which the Governor renewed his pledge to the people, and the third of the name of Davidson swore to faithfully perform the duties of Lieutenant Governor.

Governor Neff spoke in part as follows:

"No one can take the oath of office of Governor and seal and sanctify it by kissing the leaves of God's book without a deep consciousness of the responsibility that goes with it, and without an abiding realization that he plights his best for his country's good.

"Your presence here as lawmakers is typical of the presence of all the people of Texas. You have been selected by your constituents in accordance with the provisions of our Constitution. They have deposited all their power in your hands. I

commend and congratulate you that you have seen fit to lay aside for a time personal affairs and the private pursuits of life and gather here as the representatives of five million people who can only be heard and can only be represented by your voice and by your vote. What a broad and ample field you have in which to serve.

"A sacred trust is that of a lawmaker. His function is the highest known to man. He is clothed with the power and the duty to act for the people. What he commands they must do. He gives direction to their conduct and to their activities. The people place their burdens and their problems in his hands. They look to him to protect them in life and property; they look to him to expend their money judiciously; they look to him to safeguard their interests; they look to him to strengthen their Government, to lift high their ideals and to keep at all times unsullied and untarnished the honored commission which they, with full confidence, placed in his hands. Thus to serve is a noble ambition.

"Nothing short of wholehearted allegiance on our part to the people of Texas will suffice. Many grave and serious problems confront you. The educational life of the State is counting on you; the live stock interests covet your counsel; the fortunes of the farmers await your action; the barometer of business rises and falls as you vote; the eyes of Texas are upon you. We legislate for 5,000,000 people. Let us not place over against the interests of Texas selfish considerations, personal animosities or immaterial issues. Let us forget discords and differences, and begin our work with the one thought, that of serving faithfully and efficiently the best interests of Texas. For this high purpose, I pledge to you my best efforts. I earnestly solicit your cordial cooperation.

"You and I together have a big constructive legislative program. Through written messages already submitted by me to your honorable body, you are familiar with my views on certain phases of legislation, and it shall be my pleasure to submit to you from time to time other recommendations for your consideration. As we work together may charity characterize our thoughts; may tolerance temper our tongues; may moderation mark our conduct; may intelligence inspire our councils, and may justice jealously guide ever,

legislative act. All for Texas and Texas for all should be the consuming thought and the constant slogan of both you and me as we think and work together in an effort to make this Commonwealth the best place in all the world in which to live. Members of the Thirty-Eighth Legislature, as the twenty-seventh Governor of Texas, I salute you."

### 22,000 Volts Pass Through Body.

Sweetwater, Texas.—Dewey Geer, lineman in employ of West Texas Electric Company here is none the worse after receiving 22,000 volts through his body, due to prompt resuscitative methods applied by a fellow-workman, George Musiek, who worked over him for more than an hour.

### \$376,148 For Highway Construction.

Austin, Texas.—Allotments of aid for highway construction made by the State Highway Commission at its January meeting just concluded totaled \$376,148. Allotments not heretofore reported were made as follows: Tarrant County, \$26,443, highway 40; Zan Zandt County \$2,292, bridge on highway 15; Val Verde County, \$13,000, highway 12; Brazoria County, \$13,000, highway 12; Brazoria County, \$49,913, highway 19.

### Sun Expects to Recapture Canton.

Shanghai.—Sun Yat-sen, deposed President of the South China Republic, who fled here for refuge last summer, expects his army, which recently captured Wuchow, to retake Canton within two weeks and restore him to power in the South, he recently announced.

### Asks That McAdoo Address House.

Austin, Texas.—The House adopted a resolution reciting that William G. McAdoo, former Secretary of the Treasury, will soon be in Texas, and inviting him to address that body.

### New York Brushes Off Snow.

New York.—Prepared for trouble by warnings of the Weather Bureau, New York City shook off a heavy fall of snow as a man brushes flakes from his overcoat and transportation lines were kept open for the usual rush. The principal railroads were hard pressed to keep ahead of the quickly flying drifts, but only the New Haven, running up into New England, where the snowfall was heaviest, had serious delays to report.



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### GENERAL ROBERT EDWARD LEE

Last Friday, January 19, 1923, was the one hundred and sixteenth anniversary of the birth of General Robert Edward Lee, Commander-in-Chief of the Confederate Army.

General Lee was born at Stratford, Westmoreland County, Virginia, January 19, 1807. He died at Lexington, Virginia, October 12th, 1870. He graduated at West Point, second in his class, in 1829 and entering the Engineer Corps, became a Captain in 1838; was Chief Engineer of Wool's Brigade in the Mexican War; won three promotions in that war, Major, Lieutenant Colonel; Colonel; Supt. of West Point Military Academy 1852-55; latter year was made Lieutenant Colonel of Cavalry, later became Colonel of the Second Cavalry and served on the Texas frontier at Fort Phantom Hill. He resigned his commission when his State seceded from the Union, and was made Commander-in-Chief of the Confederate Army.

General Lee justly ranks among the great military commanders of all time. We are told that in the defenses on the battle front in the late World War, both sides used the plans General Lee used in the defense of Richmond, that withstood the assaults of the Federal armies for four years and never were captured. Lee was not only a great general but he was a good man, and devoid of the egotism so often affected by great men. His private character was above reproach, and a model that the youth of our country should emulate.

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### MR. BOWYER FIRST DEPOSITOR IN THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Baird, Texas, 1-26-'23.

Editor of The Baird Star:

Mr. Editor In your write-up of The First National Bank of Baird, in your last issue, you failed to mention the very "mainest pillar." I was the first depositor and have been its attorney from the beginning.

From this fortunate circumstance must be ascribed the bank's subsequent luck, prosperity and prestige.

Yours truly

Otis Bowyer.

### CALLAHAN BANKS SHOW GAINS

Callahan County's seven banks show material increase in deposits subject to check and in material resources, in their last reports, made December 29:

The gross total of deposits is \$2,124,405.44, distributed as follows: First National Bank of Baird, \$534,944.67; First Guaranty State Bank of Baird, \$331,076.43; First Guaranty State Bank of Cross Plains, \$319,317.68; Farmers National Bank of Cross Plains, \$293,764.32; Farmers State Bank of Pat-

nam, \$255,065.21; Clyde National Bank of Clyde, \$214,592.66; First Guaranty State Bank of Clyde, \$175,644.47.

### IN LOVING MEMORY OF LATE MRS. HAZEL FOSTER WALKER

Life is filled with mysteries. It brings to all seasons of most blessed sunlight and happiness. Scattered along its pathway are times of shadow and suffering. Our Father has fixed it so for us all. In it all His will is acting for our good, whether we understand it or not. And "some day, some time, we'll understand it all," and see then, fully, that "all things work together for good to them who love the Lord."

The subject of this sketch, was one who, from babyhood, sent rays of sunshine across the pathway of those she knew. Her life was filled with gladness and joy. No child could be more obedient to the wishes of parents, nor considerate of the happiness of loved ones and friends, than she.

As a young wife and mother she was devoted and true, tender and thoughtful for her loved ones of the home.

As a Christian she was loyal to her Saviour, and faithful to her church. In her days of intense suffering she was so patient and bore bravely, through it all, her cross, without a murmur or complaint. Seldom is such fortitude and resignation seen, as she revealed. That she was upheld by Divine grace, no one who ministered to her, can doubt.

She was loaned of the Lord, for truly she was His: First, to her parents, to make home brighter and life sweeter to them; and then to her devoted husband, to give to him the blessed assurance of what real Christian womanhood and wifehood and motherhood means, and to bring to him, in all its sweetness and joy, Heaven's conception of life's greatest happiness; to her friends the memory of a true and lasting friendship.

Thank God! for her life among us. She will greet us all, at the Gateway and give glad welcome in that Land that knows no shadows! To her loved ones, I would repeat the words of one who has passed through similar sorrows:

"Yet must we part, and, parting weep;

What else hath earth for us in store?  
These farewell pangs, how sharp and deep!

These farewell words, now sad and sore!

Yet we shall meet again in peace,  
To sing the song of festal joy;

Where none shall bid our gladness cease,  
And none our fellowship destroy.

There, hand in hand, firm linked at last,  
And heart to heart enfolded all,  
We'll smile upon the troubled past,  
And wonder why we wept at all."

—Her Pastor.

### "DOC" DUBBERLY IS BAIRD'S MYSTERIOUS SANTA CLAUS

"Doc" Dubberly, of the Baird Drug Company, has become metamorphosed into a regular Santa Claus perpetual (or almost so) gift headquarters, without the accompaniment of the white-whiskered, jolly old Santy.

A big sign outside, explains and yet don't disclose the joker, and invites everybody, young and old, big and little, to enter and "register." The first week 1140 persons availed themselves of the privilege, and wrote their names in the big book provided for the purpose.

A very small child drew three numbers from a box that corresponded to the numbers in the box. The lucky holders were the little Misses Lula Faye Perriman, Ella Louise Sheridan and Opal Williams, who were respectively awarded a pearl necklace valued at \$20.80, a diamond bar pin, worth \$17.50 and a \$2.50 box of candy.

The week that passed into history last Saturday night, marked the entry of 1890 names in the book, and the lucky ones were little Miss Sena

### SMILES

BY MRS. H. E. FOY.

When I go to school of mornin's  
An' teacher smiles an' bows at me,  
I begin to wanta study  
An' be just as good as I can be.  
Jim says he can study just as good  
ag'in'

When the teacher's smilin'  
When he first comes in.

An' Ma says: "Smiles is ketchin',  
"Jest the same as measles is,  
"An' when a feller's smilin'  
"He can allus learn his quiz."

There's ole Bill Benton—  
He's alluz growlin', like,  
'Cause teacher makes him study  
When he's dyin' for a hike;  
An' when his Pa he sends him off to  
school,  
He jests cries an' cries  
To go to the swimmin' pool.

He'll know pretty near nothin'  
By the time he gits up grown,  
An' kids'll all makes fun o' him  
Like they do at Tommie Sloan.

Now there's little Nellie Thompson  
(She's as pretty as a peach)  
An' she's allus smilin'—  
Bet some day she'll teach.

Somebody said to me, today:  
"Nell's the smartest girl in school;"  
But let me whisper somethin' to you:  
"She's follerin' that smilin' rule!"

Come boys! le's all be like Nell,  
An' be allus smilin' 'round,  
'Cause a feller can learn a 'hole lot  
more,  
Then when he's full o' frown!

### STAR DUST

#### SIFTED INTO JINGLES BY THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

##### Remember!

Go hear the Klansman lecturer, this  
Friday night one week;  
Weigh well his words—but don't forget,  
Mer Rouge and old Goose  
Creek.

##### Vigor!

The blessed rain came down at last, a  
slow but steady drive;  
And now, the winter grain—and grass  
—will vigorously thrive.

##### Wedded!

"Tom Thumb" was wed with stately  
pomp, the kids played well their  
parts;  
It was a well-worth spectacle—God  
bless their childish hearts!

##### Fluey!

The Flu is here, that fell disease,  
which spares ne'er young nor old;  
Just watch yourself, your feet keep  
dry, and you'll contract no cold.

##### Atheistic!

Learned clergyman—Episcopal—denies  
the Son Divine;  
This "higher thought" is dang'rous  
cult—I'll none of it for mine.

##### Creamy!

A Corsicana farmer man, for oil  
lease traded cow;  
Three thousand plunks this leasehold  
brought—beats creamery, I vow!

##### Borean!

Old Boreas, I fain believe, is march-  
ing on this way;  
I fail to hear the sparrow's chirp, at  
dawn or close of day.  
The Man About Town.

Belle Forrest, who was awarded a  
\$40 gold wrist watch, while little  
Miss Edna Sanders got a \$15 vanity  
box.

The registry book has many en-  
tries this week and tomorrow night  
there will be another drawing of  
numbers, but if your registry num-  
ber happens to be drawn and you  
are not in the store in propria per-  
sona to receive it—blooey! it will go  
to some other registrant who is  
there. "Doc" announces that he's  
going to keep up this Santa Claus-  
ing another week, four weeks of  
puzzling largesse in all. Maybe on  
the last gift distribution "Doc" will  
tell the crowd where the "joker"  
comes in and then, maybe, he will  
not.

The Baird doctor's are kept busy  
day and night. There are many  
cases of flu and some pneumonia in  
the city.

# GROCERIES AND FRESH MEATS

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fords in Groceries, Vegetables,  
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### BRIDGE PARTIES ARE THE FAVORITE WITH YOUNGER SET

Auction Bridge, as a social func-  
tion, has become a favorite with  
Baird's younger set, and the popu-  
lar Beau-Not Club is setting the  
pace, as the following record of re-  
cent meetings of that popular organ-  
ization will testify:

Members of the Beau-Not Bridge  
Club and a few other guests were  
entertained Thursday afternoon,  
January 4, by Mrs. James Ross, at  
her home north of town.

Miss Leota Powell won the club  
score and the guest score went to  
Mrs. Clifton Harville.

Miss Lua James was hostess to  
the Beau-Not Bridge Club on Thurs-  
day of last week. High score was  
awarded to Miss Lucille Hawk and  
Mrs. Elmer Norman as member and  
guest of the club.

A meeting of the club was held  
that afternoon, the hostess be-  
ing Miss Irma Powell.

The Beau-Not Bridge Club was  
entertained Friday night of last  
week by Bonnie Cutbirth, at the  
home of Mrs. Mike Cooke. High  
score went to Mrs. Hal Ramsey as  
guest and Hazel Magee as member.

The following were guests of the  
club: Mesdames W. S. Hinds, C.  
E. Walker, Elmer Norman, George  
Hall, R. L. Griggs, Lonny Ray, Hal  
Ramsey, Otho Lidia, Mike Cooke,  
Fred Cutbirth.

Miss Lucille Hawk entertained  
Tuesday evening of last week with  
a bridge party from eight until ten.  
No score was kept.

Dainty refreshments of coffee,  
salad and sandwiches were served to  
Misses Lua James, India Mae Ram-  
sey, Irma Powell, Mamie Morrison,  
Bonnie Cutbirth, Nell Ball and Mrs.  
Bill Works.

"Experience!" See the garden  
where dreams begin—the revels of  
the Primrose Path—the corridors of  
chance—place of forgotten hopes—  
the house of lost souls—the land  
that love calls home. Run the  
whole gamut of life in an hour and  
a half! In a great simple, human  
story, throbbing with the heart-beat  
of the world. Photoplay by Walde-  
mar Young, at Sigal Theatre, Mon-  
day and Tuesday nights.

On account of the inclement  
weather last Sunday, there was no  
program given at the Church of  
Christ last Sunday afternoon, and  
next Sunday the program printed in  
The Star last week will be pre-  
sented.

### U. B. Thrifty says



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to figure out  
a  
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choose a bank such as  
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M. Barnhill C. B. Snyder

## PERSONALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Browning on Friday, Jan. 19, 1923, a daughter.

John Clements, colored, of Tecumseh, was in town, Wednesday, paying his taxes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Grantham Mr. and Mrs. Cody, of Tecumseh, were in town the past week.

A. G. Hobbs, of Rowden, was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, of Burnt Branch, were in town the first of the week.

Mrs. G. C. Bloom and children, left last Saturday for Weatherford to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight L. Purdy, of Briscoe, Oklahoma, are visiting Mrs. Purdy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sigal.

Joe Fraser, assistant postmaster at Colorado, who has been visiting his brothers, John and Walter Fraser, for the past three weeks, will return to Colorado, Sunday.

Howard La Londe, who is thirteen years old is in the 9th grade of the Baird High School. He is a bright boy and the son of Engineer S. H. La Londe, of the T. P.

Postmaster Holmes and his brother, C. Boone, received a telegram early in the week that their father had suffered a stroke of paralysis at his home in Coryell County. C. B. left at once to attend his father.

Met Buster Harris on the street this week. Did not know him, as he had his face hidden behind a pair of big glasses. Buster is working for the T. & P. at Fort Worth, and came out to visit his father, R. J. Harris, at Admiral, and other relatives.

Mrs. Willie Barnhill and daughter, Miss Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cook and little daughter, all of Baird, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Scott last Sunday. While here they visited the Pioneer Oil Field.—Cross Plains Review.

Messrs. R. F. Mayfield and Cayle E. Hall, of Mayfield & Hall, dry goods and men and boy's togery, left Saturday night for Saint Louis, to select and purchase new goods for the spring trade. They will be absent ten days.

### MRS. O. A. JARRETT DIED IN ALPINE

Mrs. O. A. Jarrett, who died at Alpine Wednesday, January 3d, was a sister-in-law of O. B. and Ed Jarrett, of Baird and had many friends and acquaintances here.

The deceased was 34 years of age last July and has been a wife for sixteen years. She is survived by her husband, four children, two boys and two girls, two brothers and three sisters.

The Jarretts formerly lived in Ballinger, where Mr. Jarrett owned and operated a barber shop and has a home, to which he and his motherless children have returned, their sojourn in Alpine and the Davis Mountain country having been for the benefit of the dead lady's health and only temporary.

Although among strangers, Mrs. Jarrett's last days were made as pleasant as possible by the sympathetic ministrations of these new big-hearted and hospitable friends, who sent many floral offerings on the day of the funeral, which took place two days after her death.

Interment was made in the Alpine Cemetery. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. M. Smith. Mrs. Jarrett was a member of the Church of Christ.

A man upon being accosted and asked how his family stood politically, advised that matters were very badly mixed, "that he was a Republican, his wife a Democrat, the baby 'Wet,' the cow 'Drv,' and his dog just sat around and howled and was no doubt a Socialist."—Guymon Tribune.

### \$50.00 REWARD

The City Council and Fire Department of Baird will pay a reward of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons unlawfully removing any property from the premises of the Fire Station.

J. I. McWhorter, Mayor,  
S-4t B. M. Brundge, Chief.

### THANKS FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

We wish to very sincerely thank our friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses and words of cheer and consolation, and also those who contributed the beautiful floral offerings during our recent bereavement in the loss of our baby boy.

J. D. Barron and Family.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERVICES

The church is for all. It was designed to function to the needs of all. Do you go to church? If not, why not? Will your excuse stand before God? Are you a sporadic, occasional, impulsive or loyal church goer? We would like to see you out.

We will have services next Sunday. Morning theme: "The Price of Power." Conditions must be met to acquire any sort of power, whether physical, mental, moral or spiritual might.

At 7:15 the ladies will have an open meeting of the Missionary Society. A number of slides will be thrown on the screen, illustrating work among the Indians. You are invited. Come.

Cordially,  
Gerald Fitzgerald, Pastor.

**OIL STOVE FOR SALE**—Picnic Wickless Oil Burning Stove. For description see Montgomery-Ward Catalogue No. 92—last one. Price \$4.25, postage 15c, total \$4.40. Will sell for \$3.75, cash. This stove is alright. Instructions how to use it go with stove. Was ordered to use in cellar during winter, but decided we did not need it. Coal oil is the cheapest fuel we can get. This stove suitable for picnic parties or campers or heating small room. Call at Star office and see it.  
6-1f The Baird Star.

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### SEALED BIDS WANTED

I will receive sealed bids from this date until 10:00 A. D. Feby. 12, 1923, from any Banking Corporation, Association or Individual Banks in Callahan County, that may desire to be selected as a depository for the funds of Callahan County for the next two years.

7-3t Victor B. Gilbert,  
County Judge, Callahan Co., Texas

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# List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1922 for the Taxes of 1921 in Callahan County, Texas:

## CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONER'S COURT

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Callahan

IN COMMISSIONER'S COURT

We certify that we have examined the within report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Callahan County, Texas for the year 1921, which are delinquent for the year 1921, and find the same correct and that W. P. Ramsey, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

Given in open Court this, the 13th day of November, 1922.

J. R. BLACK, County Judge  
A. R. KELTON  
H. WINDHAM  
G. H. CLIFTON, County Commissioners

Attest: GRADY G. RESPESS, County Clerk.

## ABSTRACT AND SURVEY PROPERTY

Owner	Abst.	Sur.	Original Grantee	Acres	Taxes
John Anderson Est.	523	758	M. Vigil	100	17.48
S A Black	11	6	John Barton	125	
S A Black	955	1	B. O. H.	1	41.07
A B Booth	411	2050	E. & L. Co.	160	23.51
P H Clinton	300	61	John Seyre	183	31.08
C M Edwards	1669	2	J W Barker	160	22.11
S W Ensor	126	751	J. Dyson	30	11.35
D A Endaley Estate	376	761	J. Trask	124	19.47
A Gary	221	6	W. Hickman	25	
A Gary	318	3	S. P. Ry. Co.	240	
A Gary	320	1	S. P. Ry. Co.	96	
A Gary	1692	4	W Cresswell	120	
A Gary	1303	2	H H Hight	100	95.53
C O McKeethan	220	2	W. Hickman	70	27.25
Mrs. A. Nessmith	673	Pre.	V H Nessmith	1.44	24.97
Onweiler Estate	34	61	B. B. & C.	10	7.54
W E Reed	150	37	J W Denton	160	54.68
T A Robins	1890	7	B. B. & C.	45	14.70
W M Rose	1634	15	M Wristen	2	4.14
Mrs. A E Shelley	638	Pre.	M Boydin	50	9.19
Marshall Thomas	659	12	L Henry	80	9.04
G W Williams	1123	4	P. Ry.	2	18.37
W Williams	1692	4	W Cresswell	40	
W Williams	1761	45	J W Weeks	133	40.73
Mrs. Harve Jobe	978	18	B. O. H.	160	24.25
E D Jones	126	751	J. Dyson	52	13.84
Mrs. Chas Lisman	234	35	Geo. Hancock	155	22.13
E M Long	2	777	G Anderson	37	22.74
Mrs. E A Long	263	50	Joseph Lavine	80	26.45
L D Morgan	86	61	B. B. & C.	20	13.19
E L Jackson	1868	13	H Jackson	240	27.99
L Jackson	180	75	G Graham	47	9.74
J. U. Johnson	1625	Pre.	W Black	55	7.54
J P Martin	412	300	E & L Co.	160	23.52
C H Morgan	163	850	Joseph Lavine	102	19.47
Mrs. H J Musick	351	15	S. P. Ry.	80	11.02
G C Osburn	1773	18	D Wright	136	15.57
T H Pinkston	108	771	Geo. Chick	25	4.99
Fred Reese	332	7	P. Ry.	103	18.37
J H Smith Estate	1290	8	H Smith	124	14.70
Southern Trading Co.	723	42	J Harris	3	12.06
C A Stone	88	77	B. B. & C.	80	
C A Stone	1505	12	M Parrot	213	56.95
Mrs. Ella Wasson	263	850	Joseph Lavine	27	7.50
G W Wheeler	1634	150	M Wristen	2	.29
D A Wolverton	34	6	B. B. & C.	5	6.49
E G T Yarbrough	2	77	G Anderson	45	9.70
John Yarbrough Est.	2	771	G Anderson	34	3.89
J J Bennett	156	757	A L Eaves	102	19.47
H M Bonskin	1893	92	E. Sigal	80	14.40
Mrs. Inez Blackman	105	151	B. B. & C.	16	1.21
John Bowyer	352	17	S. P. Ry.	640	92.23
Mrs. A C Brashear	221	6	S. P. Ry.	160	32.47
Mrs. Noah Brooks	364	465	W. Hickman	160	24.97
Joe Elliott	320	7	S. P. Ry.	100	18.37
Joe Elliott	321	9	S. P. Ry.	160	
Mary Gordon Gamble	329	27	S. P. Ry.	130	12.86
Eugene L Harris	74	23	B. B. & C.	178	37.03
W J Harris	67	9	B. B. & C.	640	
W J Harris	69	13	B. B. & C.	745	
W J Harris	1098	20	V P Roberts	371	
W J Harris	1101	1	S P Roberts	317	427.87
Mrs. L. Hearn Estate	94	129	B. B. & C.	190	
Mrs. L. Hearn Estate	588	130	E. Huffman	10	24.11
Mrs. J L Robins	157	778	R. Edwards	240	49.65
Unknown	2	2777	W G Anderson	63	11.68
Unknown	11	6	John Barton	144	34.96
Unknown	35	67	B. B. & C.	19	3.91
Unknown	38	73	B. B. & C.	58	10.09
Unknown	60	55	B. B. & C.	33	3.67
Unknown	85	6	B. B. & C.	10	1.51
Unknown	88	77	B. B. & C.	18 1/2	3.90
Unknown	114	1	A. Clements	128	31.42
Unknown	122	35	A. Cherry	17	3.89
Unknown	150	370	G W Denton	14	2.81
Unknown	221	6	W Hickman	70	12.49
Unknown	263	850	Joseph Lavine	128	33.49
Unknown	274	846	D. Millican	49	9.56
Unknown	280	36	E. Moorehouse	35	6.10
Unknown	285	14	V. Paddillo	481	62.45
Unknown	317	1	S. P. Ry.	18	1.84
Unknown	326	19	S. P. Ry.	8	1.51
Unknown	339	Scr.	S. P. Ry.	90	16.54
Unknown	393	63	T. & P. Ry.	69	12.86
Unknown	450	2299	T. & P. Ry.	16	3.01
Unknown	444	2293	T. & P. Ry.	9	8.34
Unknown	602	Pre.	A J McGowen	70	12.86
Unknown	611	Scr.	O. T. I. Co.	104	12.34
Unknown	629	35	T. & P Ry Co.	212	37.03
Unknown	675	120	W C Powell	47	15.07
Unknown	774	32	S. Russum	10	1.84
Unknown	738	83	F. Russum	41	7.35
Unknown	938	Pre.	A. Wyatt	10	1.84
Unknown	856	2	B. O. H.	10	4.66
Unknown	963	5	B. O. H.	232	32.91
Unknown	1099	118	I E Ross	88	13.47
Unknown	1151	4	B R Webb	140	18.37
Unknown	1233	10	S. McCoy	7	1.84
Unknown	1847	Pre.	R. Y. Scott	42	7.39
Unknown	1270	2	A. G. Webb	198	24.68
Unknown	1634	150	E. M. Wristen	29	3.48
Unknown	1646	88	J B Willman	20	6.18
Unknown	1654	Pre.	T S Motley	16	2.79
Unknown	1682	32	J M Chandler	110	20.21
Unknown	1787	24	J H Crow	106	12.47
Unknown	1808	74	B. B. & C.	32	7.54
Unknown	1834	14	J J Suttle	120	11.05
Unknown	1839	Pre.	G O Cresswell	20	4.00
Unknown	1878	62	E H Newland	10	1.51
Unknown	1914	74	B. B. & C.	40	7.54
Unknown	1924	47	T L Terry	22	3.01

## TOWN PROPERTY

BAIRD	Owner	Lot	Block	Addn	Taxes
	F H Pratt	E 1/2 7, 8, 9	19		11.96
	Mike Sigal	1 to 3 & 11	10		
	Mike Sigal		6		
	Mike Sigal		45		
	G M King		6, 7		46.46
	G M King		3, 4		
	G M King		5, 6		
	G M King		13		48.22
	G M King		16		1.51
	Mrs. J C Snow		4	7 N.	1.51
	J K P Wright Estate		4		1.51
	Arthur Lee Ady	1/2 10 & 11	49		1.51
	E H Dunlap		12		2.56
	Unknown		12		1.51
	Unknown		3	2 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		10	3 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		11	3 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		12	3	1.51
	N O Burson		1	82	27.18
	C R Cook	Part 1	63		7.54
	John Deaton	7 & 1/2 6	49		10.64
	V W Foster		4	66	10.55
	Fred Frazier	1&2	5	K-G	3.47
	Ed Frazier		10	50	3.03
	W C Smartt	5, 6	4	K-G	7.54
	Unknown		1	4 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		2	4 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		3	4 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		4	4 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		8	4 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		9	4 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		10	4 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		3	5 K-G	1.51
	Unknown		4	5 K-G	1.51
	CLYDE	Lot	Block	Addn	Taxes
	C. H. Bradley	9, 10	26		21.05
	G E Eager	16, 17	27		11.58
	M P Smith		9	2 S	9.13
	Mrs. S A Watts	5, 6	1	K	8.72
	Annie Bannan		12	24	1.12
	Unknown		1	6	4.51
	Unknown		4	18	1.51
	Unknown		5	18	1.51
	Unknown		7	18	1.51
	Unknown		4	19	1.51
	Unknown		18	24	3.01
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	Unknown	All	59		1.51
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	Unknown		1	C	13.59
	Unknown		2	M	26.73
	Unknown		19	S	3.89
	Unknown		1, 2	C	6.81
	Unknown		19, 20	C	49.65
	Unknown		1, 11	C	
	Unknown		1, 10	C	
	Unknown		1	C	
	Unknown		1	C	
	Unknown		1, 6	C	6.39
	Unknown		1, 2	C	16.33
	Unknown		1, 2	C	13.11

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LIST OF LANDS AND LOTS DELINQUENT

Name	Part	Lot	Block	Addn	Taxes
J J McCord		4	1	H	
J J McCord	Part 21 to 24	44	44	C	13.63
McCrary & Chandler		11, 12	43	C	3.89
J H McDaniel		3	71	C	.98
W B Williams		1, 2	21	C	
W B Williams		3, 4	58	C	
W B Williams	½ 8 & 9	43	43	C	36.95
Wilson & McGregor		7	14	C	.98
R E Wilson	3, 4, 5	34	4	C	27.71
T G Wilson		6	17	C	12.32
R W Wolf			8	C	4.83
P M Wood	1, 2, 3	3	3	M	10.67
L P Wood		12	8	M	.98
M A Briscoe	Part	4	4	S	5.85
Unknown		7	2	C	1.95
Unknown		8	2	C	1.95
Unknown		5	4	C	9.74
Unknown		6	4	C	1.95
Unknown		3	5	C	1.95
Unknown		1	6	C	1.95
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Unknown		9	13	C	1.95
Unknown		10	13	C	1.95
Unknown		13	21	C	1.95
Unknown		9	23	C	1.95
Unknown		10	23	C	1.95
Unknown		9	29	C	1.95
Unknown		10	29	C	1.95
Unknown		11	29	C	1.95
Unknown		12	29	C	1.95
Unknown		3	40	C	1.95
Unknown		4	48	C	1.95
Unknown		5	48	C	1.95
Unknown		6	48	C	1.95
Unknown		1	52	C	1.95
Unknown		3	8	H	1.95
Unknown		4	8	H	1.95
Unknown		5	8	H	1.95
Unknown		6	8	H	1.95
Unknown		4	3	IM	1.95
Unknown		5	3	IM	1.95
Unknown		6	3	IM	1.95
Unknown		7	8	IM	1.95
Unknown		8	8	IM	1.95
Unknown		2	52	C	1.95
Unknown		4	52	C	1.95
Unknown		4	55	C	1.95
Unknown		5	55	C	1.95
Unknown		6	55	C	1.95
Unknown		1	57	C	1.95
Unknown		2	57	C	1.95
Unknown		3	57	C	1.95
Unknown		5	58	C	1.95
Unknown		7	70	C	1.95
Unknown		8	70	C	1.95
Unknown		7	71	C	1.95
Unknown		3	73	C	1.95
Unknown		4	73	C	1.95
Unknown		8	84	C	1.95
Unknown		7	85	C	1.95
Unknown		8	85	C	1.95
Unknown		9	85	C	1.95
Unknown		10	85	C	1.95
Unknown		11	85	C	1.95
Unknown		12	85	C	1.95
Unknown		3	86	C	1.95
Unknown		4	86	C	1.95
Unknown		3	87	C	1.95
Unknown		4	77	C	1.95
Unknown			½ 13	S	1.95
Unknown			½ 13	O	1.95
Unknown		13	43	C	1.95
Unknown		13	75	C	1.95
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Unknown		10	5	H	1.95
Unknown		3	6	H	1.95
Unknown		4	6	H	1.95
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Unknown		12	6	H	1.95
Unknown		All	14	O	1.95
<b>COTTONWOOD</b>	Lot	Block	Addn	Taxes	
J C Murdock		37		9.74	
W R Robbins		34		5.85	
Unknown	1	11		1.95	
Unknown	2	11		1.95	
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Unknown	10	11		1.95	
Unknown	1	12		1.95	
Unknown	5	12		1.95	
Unknown		35		1.95	
<b>OPLIN</b>	Lot	Block	Addn	Taxes	
Unknown	4	5		2.01	
Unknown	2	5		2.01	
Unknown	3	17		2.01	
<b>PUTNAM</b>	Lot	Block	Addn	Taxes	
Henry Orr	8	27		19.83	
A N Leverette	7, 8	31		1.72	
J E Murray	3, 4, 5	36		18.66	
Unknown	2	2		2.33	
Unknown	8	2		2.33	
Unknown	12	2		2.33	
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Unknown	6	8		2.33	
Unknown	5	9		2.33	
Unknown	6	9		2.33	
Unknown	10	10		2.33	
Unknown	9	13		2.33	
Unknown	10	13		2.33	
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# ANNOUNCING

The Continuance of Business  
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And Our Plans For  
Immediate Restocking the Store  
With New Spring Goods

Buyers Now on the Way to New York and  
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tion of the Store.

The announcement that this store is going to "carry on" under the same owner-  
ship and management, tho in a larger way, will be welcome news to thousands of its  
patrons as well as the public at large in this city and the country around.

Our efforts to dispose of the store have not been met by an offer which we con-  
sidered at all reasonable, thus leaving us but one course to pursue in the premises—  
restock the store and continue business.

When we announced our intention of going out of business, we planned to reduce  
the stock to about its present proportions, and then sell it in a bulk to some one who  
would continue the business. The first part of the plan was successfully carried out  
However, we were unable to secure a satisfactory offer for the stock and fixtures,  
therefore we have decided to buy new stocks for all departments and resume our ac-  
tivities with renewed zeal.

And now there is a brighter picture: while our plans could not be carried out to  
their logical conclusion, the benefits resulting from the attempt have been beyond  
calculation. We refer to the recent successful sale, which has been of untold advan-  
tage to the thousands who attended, and who secured their winter needs at a tre-  
mendous lowering of prices. To us it means the almost complete clearance of winter  
merchandise, thereby placing our stock in the best possible shape for the arrival of  
new Spring goods which are soon to take the place of the old.

In continuing the business we pledge anew the service of satisfaction which our  
patrons know so well and have learned to depend on at all times. To those who be-  
come our customers, dealing with us for the first time, we offer our record of the  
past and a pledge of service and value never excelled, bending every effort to offer  
you the best possible values always.

Our ledgers will be opened tomorrow and we solicit all prompt paying 30-day  
charge accounts. Merchandise charged during the remainder of this month will ap-  
pear on February bills. However, in the future all accounts will be due the first of  
the month following date of purchase.

With unwavering faith in the policies we have pursued and which are in a large  
measure responsible for the success of this store, we feel justified in announcing the  
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acres of sub-aqueous land which the City of Baird owns in fee simple.

Thus set, Mayor McWhorter moved rapidly. He secured the services of Engineer J. E. Ward, of Lampasas, who made a four-day's survey of Baird's water supply and distributing system, and is now making a profile map of the contemplated improvements, the proposed pipe-laying scheme being staked off every one hundred yards, so that prospective bidders for the construction contract can tell at a glance how much the work is going to cost and cut their figures to the bone.

In a few days advertisements calling for bids on the construction will be prepared and published, and Baird will by the coming of summer, have a water supply system that will give us an abundance of water, for all purposes, for many years to come.

And when the contract is let and construction work really begins, Mayor John Hey McWhorter will be on the job in a supervisory capacity from start till finish. With his expert knowledge of such work, municipal taxpayers can rest assured that the job will be well done and that they will get value received for every dollar of their money that is spent.

The Star regrets to learn that its good friend Frank E. Stanley, of the T P Cafe has been compelled to establish a regular hospital at his home. Flu—prevalent all over the country—has smitten his loved ones hard. His four children are all in bed with the pernicious malady, but are convalescing. But, direct of all these afflictions, the patient, gentle mother of these kiddies, was also stricken with the universal malady, and her system, being weakened by many weary days and nights of patient nursing, pneumonia set in; but, Mrs Stanley is a plucky and determined fighter and Dr. Griggs, aided by her courage, hopes to pull her through all right, and it is to be hoped that the victory will be accomplished.

## CITATION BY PUBLICATION

No. 678.

The State of Texas  
County of Callahan  
To the Sheriff of Callahan County  
Texas, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cite all persons interested in the estate of Josie Turner, a person of unsound mind, by causing to be published in the Baird Star, a newspaper published weekly in Callahan County, Texas, for three consecutive issues before the return day hereof, a true copy of this citation, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof in the City of Baird, Texas, on the First Monday in February 1923, the same being the 5th day of February, 1923, and contest if they see proper to do so, the application of Mrs. T. B. Hadley, which has been filed in said Court for the guardianship of the estate of said Josie Turner, a person of unsound mind.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court at the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of office in the City of Baird, Texas, this 18th day of January 1923.

Gady G. Respess, Clerk  
Callahan County, Texas.

I certify that this is a true copy.  
O. E. Bray, Sheriff  
Callahan County, Texas.

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Secretary: Martin Barnhill.  
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Vice Chancellor: W. H. Smith.  
Prelate: L. W. Green.  
K. R. of S.: Lee Estes.  
M. of E.: George B. Scott.  
M. of W.: Herman Schwartz.

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M. of R. C.: Mrs. Lee Estes.  
M. of T.: Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

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Advisory Commander: Royce Gilliland.  
Clerk: J. R. Black.

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Advisor: Mrs. Della Perdue.  
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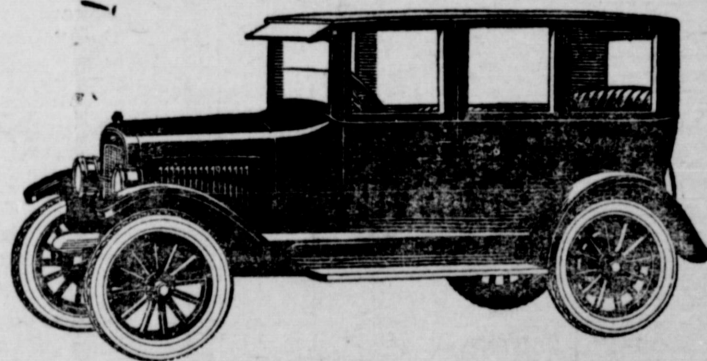
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