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VOL. 20.

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEX., THURSDAY.

Big Shirt Waist Sale

AT B. L. BOYDSTUN'S

For all the ladies who will need a new Shirt Waist or Shirt Waist Suit for the revival, we are going to offer all next week our entire line of Waists and Suits including over 150 Shirt Waists received this week, at greatly reduced prices. Here are a few prices:

All our 65c Shirt Waist this week	.50
" 1.25 " " " "	1.05
" 1.75 " " " "	1.50
" 2.50 " " " "	2.20
" 3.50 " " " "	3.10

We carry the largest line of Men's and Boy's Suits, Hats, Caps, Shirts, Underware, Shoes and Hosiery of any store in Baird.

We are offering special prices during this sale on Ladies Collars, Purses, Combs, Belts, Etc.

B. L. Boydston.

NOTICE.

EDITOR STAR:—Many of your readers will want to know why the petition for a local option election was not presented to the Commissioner's Court last Saturday as was expected by a number of people throughout the county. We were advised by our attorneys that an order at this time would be perfectly legal, but it was thought best to wait for official notice from the Court of Appeals as to the decision holding our former election void and of no effect. The Commissioners' Court will meet again on June 17th when an order will be asked for, the election to be held early in July.

LOCAL OPTION COMMITTEE.

Mrs. J. R. Pratt, left Wednesday for Ferris to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flores, of Belle Plaine, are in town today.

Miss Mable Daniel, after spending sometime with friends in Baird, has returned to her home at Fort Worth.

Brother Harris Loses An Eye.

Rev. W. L. Harris has returned from Amarillo, where he had been to have his eye treated. Sometime ago Brother Harris was pruning a peach tree and hurt his eye so severely that he was compelled to consult a specialist, who let the sight out with the hope that it would relieve the sufferer, but later found it necessary to take the eye out. Brother Harris is now getting along all right. His many friends sympathize with him in the loss of his eye. No minister was ever held in higher esteem by all denominations than is Brother Harris. Long may he live to break the bread of life to dying men and women.—McLean News.

Miss Charlsie Sartor is visiting friends in Baird.

Mr. J. R. Pratt is building a nice residence in North Baird.

M. W. Uzzell is spending this week with his brother at Eula.

Miss Alma Glover spent Sunday with her mother at the ranch.

A MARRIAGE CONTRACT.

One of the peculiar laws of Texas in the old days, and while a part of the Mexican republic, was the solemn and legal manner in which the young people of that day made love and entered into an engagement to marry. In this enlightened age a young man engages himself to a young lady in the most lighthearted and jocular manner, or he may be engaged to half a dozen at the same time. He proposes, or at least some of them do, as easily and as carelessly as he changes his collar, but along back in '36 it was no laughing matter, and a young lover must have acted with some feeling of anxiety if not actual dread, the approaching proposal and the technicalities attendant thereon.

Here is a copy of a marriage contract entered upon by one of Angelina county's pioneer citizens. This old couple have numerous descendants in Texas, and among them are some of Lufkin's and Angelina's best people, James and Eli Gilliland, of the eastern portion of the city being their sons, besides there are numerous other descendants in many parts of the state.

Know all men by these presents that I, Sam'l Gilliland, of the State of Texas and Municipality of Nacogdoches, am held and bound unto Alley Coldwell, of the state aforesaid and Municipality of San Augustine, in the full and complete sum of five hundred dollars of good and lawful money, for the payment of which said sum I bind myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assings firmly by these presents. Sealed with my seal and dated this Fourteenth day of January, A. D. 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the said bonded Sam'l Gilliland do on or before the first day of December next ensuing the date of the above written bond espouse and lawfully marry the said Alley Coldwell, daughter of — Coldwell, if she, the said Alley Coldwell will thereto consent and agree and with him live, and he towards her faithfully discharge all and singular the duties appertaining to and devolving upon him as her husband during his natural life, then the above obligation to be null and void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law and equity.

Done and passed before me, Robt. C. McDaniel, the day and year aforesaid.

SAM'L GILLILAND,

Attest:

ROBERT C. MCDANIEL.

Young Mr. Samuel Gilliland was not likely to conclude negotiations with any other lady while Miss Alley Coldwell held that bond, although he had a whole year in which to consider the matter, but he was true to his promise and his bond and they lived to a ripe old age and were blessed with many children and a goodly share of this world's goods.—Lufkin Tribune.

Meeting Closed.

The union protracted meeting closed last Sunday night. It was announced that there had been about 130 conversions during the meeting. About \$400 was raised to pay the preacher and singers.

This was probably the most successful revival ever held in Baird.

Meeting of the Board of Medical Examiners for the State.

The last meeting of the Medical Examiners for the State of Texas (regular) for examination will be held in Austin, Texas, 29th and 27th, 1907. The examination will be held in accordance with the old medical law of Texas, the one now in effect will be the last meeting of the board for examination, as the new law of Texas, the one now in effect comes effective on the 13th of July and under the provisions of that law applications will only be admitted to appear for examination if they are graduates from medical schools of not less than four terms of study each. For further information concerning this examination address the secretary.

S. R. BURROUGHS, M. D.,
Buffalo,
T. T. JACKSON, M. D.,
Hicks Building, San Antonio.

Mrs. R. C. Dawkins spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. Monroe Dawkins, and wife.

Show In Town.

W. I. Swain's tent show was held yesterday. It is a good show and the attendance was very good last night. They will show again tonight.

The largest line of infants' clothing is now on hand at Baird, at Mrs. A. M. Miller's.

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perly digested the entire system is
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For Indigestion and Dyspepsia not
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the stomach and adds strength to
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IN MEMORIAM.

The following verses written by
 Mrs. R. C. Dawkins since the death
 of her husband, who died July 14,
 1906:

Like the beautiful flowers
 And the roses that adorn our homes;
 Beautiful, today in full bloom,
 Tomorrow will have faded and gone.

Oh, were they real, or were they
 delusions?
 My realization seems to have gone
 astray,

With home and loved ones,
 All, like the roses, have gone away.

An humble cottage, not by beauty
 charming,
 Not for costly adorning,

Not by beauty of situation made
 to charm,
 Not for flowers that bloomed without
 in the morn.

Yes, we will meet on yonder shore;
 Never again with tears to say "Good-
 bye."

Yes, we will meet on yonder shore;
 Then we will forget a life of so much
 pain;

A life in which realities move not;
 A life that knew the pangs of a
 bleeding heart.

Then pain, sorrow, sin and death,
 Will all have faded and gone
 And he will meet me at the door
 And say, "My Dearest," forever-
 more.

He will love me still, I know,
 Such love can never die;
 Nor lives of such bliss, I know
 Can never in the cold grave be made
 to lie.

He has gone, the flower of my
 home,
 The rose of my life's dream,
 The one who loved me most,
 To wait for me beyond the stream.

And with him all my life went
 away;
 As I kissed his cold lips
 My heart went, and in death's
 cold chill
 With him all my happiness lies.

No more can I look for the sweet-
 est welcome
 Of loved ones at our home;
 No that Celestial resting place
 across the way,
 Where vanities have ceased to come
 forevermore.

But now I plod along through a
 dreary life,
 Devoid of all earthly bliss,

Living in the hopes of meeting him
 Beyond this veil of mourning tears.
 'Tis hard to part with a loved one;

'Tis, oh, so hard to say farewell to
 one so dear;
 To one whose love has known no
 bounds,

To one who, for me, was so ready
 cheer.

Gone, dearest one, yes, gone to
 wait for me,
 But not forgotten, no not forgotten,
 The memory of thee will ever be
 fresh to me,

As though it were a day allotted.
 Thou hast come as a thief in the
 night

And taken from me my joy and pride
 And transformed to darkness that
 which was light,
 And made gloom and despair over
 me ride.

Oh, tell me, is this death's cold
 hand
 That has silenced him forever on
 earth to me?

Or is it Heaven's triumphs over
 Death's land?

O tell me that he is free and all of
 the sorrows are alone for me.

Dearest, couldst thou tell me
 That my loss was thy gain,
 I could suffer all for thee,
 Then I could overcome all for
 Heaven's reign.
 Admiral Texas, Sept. 10, 1906.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
 (REAL ESTATE.)

By Virtue of an Execution issued
 out of the Honorable District Court
 of Tarrant County, on the 16th day
 of April A. D. 1907, in the case of
 H. M. Fickinger versus E. P. Turner
 No. 25343, and to me, as Sheriff,
 directed and delivered, I have levied
 upon this 1st, day of May, A. D.
 1907, and will between the hours of
 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.,
 on the first Tuesday in June A. D.
 1907, it being the 4th day of said
 month, at the Court House door of
 said Callahan County, in the City of
 Baird, Texas, proceed to sell at pub-
 lic auction to the highest bidder, for
 cash in hand, all the right, title and
 interest which E. P. Turner had on
 the 11th, day of February A. D.
 1907, or at any time thereafter, of,
 in and to the following described
 property to wit: Situated in Calla-
 han Co. Texas, and being one-half
 interest in and to the following lands,
 to wit: 1st. Tract; the W. 1-2 of
 S. W. 1-4 of Sec. No. 80, as surveyed
 for and Patented to Bayland Orphan
 Home, being Abst. 1000, containing
 80 acres, Pat. No. 331. Vol. 1, dated
 May 23, 1884. 2nd Tract; The S.
 E. 1-4 of Sec. No. 79, as surveyed
 for and Patented to Bayland Orphan
 Home, being Abst. No. 999, contain-
 ing 160 acres, Pat. No. 330,
 Vol. 1, dated May 23rd, 1884. 3rd.
 Tract: The W. 1-2 of the N. E.
 1-4 of section No. 220, as surveyed
 for and granted to the Deaf and
 Dumb Asylum and Patented to B.R.
 Webb, assignee of Early Hart, being
 Abst. No. 1474, containing 80 acres,
 Patent No. 322, Vol. No. 2, dated
 Oct. 14th, 1891. 4th Tract: The
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 640 acres of land, situated abo
 miles east from Baird.

Said lands conveyed to said
 Turner by Bruce Knight as ap-
 from the Deed Records for Call
 County, Texas on pages 572
 in book 37. Said property
 levied on as the property of
 Turner to satisfy a judgment a
 ing to \$1194.80, in favor of
 Fickinger and costs of suit.
 Given Under My Hand th
 day of May, A. D. 1907.

T. A. IRVIN
 23-2 Sheriff, Callahan Co.

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DISTRICT COURT.
 and Jury adjourned after
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SPARKS FROM AN ANVIL.

BY J. MARVIN NICHOLS.

Written specially for THE STAR.

Professional politics is the great American game.

At last, character never rises above the plane of thought.

Both are evils, but the moneyless man is better than the friendless man.

Work is as essential as breathing, and under normal conditions, is as joyous.

The shadow reports true of the substance. There are no undoubtful foreshadowings of your inner self.

Down with the muck-raker who defames in order that he may create a market for his goods.

Don't be so fussy about your life-plans. The electric plant is ponderous and powerful, yet noiseless.

Love demands some sort of secrecy. Otherwise it shrivels to the mere play of passing acquaintance.

Self-confidence keeps all the finer forces, as the blacksmith's keep the flames burning on the forge.

Age softens the heart and transmutes everything into neglect. One finds himself longing for the touch of a vanished hand. Let's love these lingering spirits more. We shall someday reach their estate. Someday we ourselves are going to sit in a twilight that's full of dreams and longings.

The "fast life" always kills. One of the season's most terrible wrecks was the "Twentieth Century Limited." The New York Central wanted the eighteen-hour schedule. The train running between that metropolis and Chicago must run seventy miles an hour. It was the speed that killed. The hands of modern commercialism are stained with blood. The strenuous existence is making men old before their time. The mad race for wealth is breaking the wings of happiness. It makes impossible the development of intellectual and spiritual life. There is a speed that kills.

Put on the brakes! slow down! Some day the reverse-lever will lose its cunning. Some day, by its awful momentum, the splendid machinery will go to the junk pile. The men of this age have become dazed with the vast resources. He toils 'till his eyes are sunken, and his countenance is all pinched with care. Its the common story of the mad rush for wealth. He chooses immolation for a cross of gold. He is a stranger among his children, a vampire among his friends, a prisoner before the bar of his conscience, a source of distress to his wife, a victim of frenzied finance. No man can amass a fabulous fortune and at the same time hold in tact the finer virtues of the soul. Extreme wealth, like extreme poverty, is an atmosphere laden with deadly poison. Happiness is not generally at either extreme. And yet we enter the race, the last one of us.

This is the era of the lightning express. Distant places must be quickly reached. "Nothing succeeds like success"—that's a false philosophy. Some men's real success is but the story of their appalling failure. Get there! that's the shibboleth now. The daughter in the parlor grinds off some Hungarian rhapsody with the crank of a piano. Boys quit our public schools even in graduation to round out a three months' course in college. They call it education. We want our classic courses strictly interlinear. Get-rich-quick has crept into everything. Life is only a surface disturbance. It looks like a rich vein now but you come to find its terrible de-

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ception. Some gold is only a pocket deposit; other gold is found more and more as you follow the little to richer depths. We're living in the age of toppishness and illusion. Thought and action are nothing until they demonstrate an earning power. This is the Rome to which all roads must lead. But to build that Rome means dissolution and oblivion. Oh for the golden age when thought is the aristocracy and the kingdom of brains shall be the realm for which we sigh.

No full report of the Criminal Court of Appeals in the J. B. Seay case has been received.

It is understood that the Pros will ask for an election at the June term of Court, if granted an election will be held in the early part of July. Some lawyers are of the opinion that no election can be legally held for two years as the civil courts have held that the last election was valid, while the higher Criminal Court holds it void, a direct conflict of the two courts. There may or may not be anything in this, but this entire case has been peculiar; different in some respects from any local option case that has gone to the higher courts. The people of Callahan, judging from opinions expressed, are becoming weary over the continued fight over local option. Most people would like to see the question settled and be done with it. If it is decided to hold another election let us settle it without any wrangling and ill-feeling about it. Ill temper and ill-tempered talk will not settle the matter any quicker or better than a fair honest fight without personalities. The former makes enemies of some who would otherwise remain friendly. Keep cool and let the voters decide that is the only way out. THE STAR is willing to abide by the result whatever that maybe.

LOST:—Small black male pig, two old months. J. C. CHUMNEY, 24

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EAST BOUND	
No. 6. arrives.....	12:55 a. m.
departs.....	1:05 a. m.
No. 8. arrives.....	9:45 a. m.
departs.....	9:55 a. m.
No. 4. arrives.....	11:15 a. m.
departs.....	11:35 a. m.
WEST BOUND.	
No. 5. arrives.....	3:20 a. m.
departs.....	3:30 a. m.
No. 7. arrives.....	3:45 p. m.
departs.....	3:55 p. m.
No. 3. arrives.....	6:00 p. m.
departs.....	6:20 p. m.

A. L. TISDALE, Agent.

Mrs. Z. Mullins is visiting relatives in Big Springs.

100 bed room suits at right prices to select from. Halsted & Ramsey.

Miss Hattie Mann has returned to her home at Big Springs.

Miss Beulah Adams, who has been working in the millinery department of Wristen & Johnson's dry goods store, returned to her home at Cross Plains Tuesday.

Miss Bernice Foy is visiting her sister, Miss Roma Foy, at Stamford.

It is reported that there is a case of small-pox in the Mexican railroad camp.

600 or 800 iron and wood bedsteads from \$1.00 up. Halsted & Ramsey. 25-1

Several young people from Clyde attended church at Baird Sunday night.

Stoves, stoves, stoves at any old price. Come and get what you want. Halsted & Ramsey. 25-1

Rupert Jackson and Gray Powell, who have been attending Carlisle's Military School at Arlington, have returned home.

Married.—At her home in Abilene on Sunday, May 12, 1907 Miss Minnie Welch to Mr. Olin Welborn, of Stamford.—Clyde Progress.

If we have what you want we will make you a price that you will be bound to buy. Halsted & Ramsey. 25-1

Miss C. Maude Summons, formerly kindergarten teacher of Baird, writes that she is delighted with her work and the country of New Mexico, where she is engaged in organizing the ladies circle of the Woodman of the World.

2000 chairs of all kinds, shapes and designs at prices that will please you. Halsted & Ramsey. 25-1

Judge W. H. Chitt says he has a letter from some northern parties who wish to locate a lot of Russian emigrants in Texas who wish to engage in farming, and want to purchase 3,000 or 4,000 acres. There is plenty of such land in Callahan county.

Rev. John P. Hardesty, Baptist Missionary, at Clyde, is in the city today.

We are over crowded and must have room and will sell these goods cheap for cash. We have more furniture any house in West Texas. Halsted & Ramsey. 25-1

On the evening of the 11th inst, the 52 Juniors of the North Texas College at Sherman entertained their Senior classmates at their annual reception. Miss Mary Speer, formerly of Baird, is President of the Junior class, which gave the reception, and is justly proud of the brilliant occasion.

In buying this stock of goods we had to take a car load of coffins. These we want to close out, and while we hope you will not need one, if you should see us, We will sell them cheap. Halsted & Ramsey.

Mrs. F. Egge and little son, Master Fidell, of Coleman, after spending several days with her brother, J. R. Reed, and family left last week for El Paso to visit her daughter, Mrs. T. L. Denning.

Mrs. A. W. Howell has gone to Greenville to visit her daughters, Mrs. Virgil Jones and Miss Girlie Howell, and attend the closing exercises of the High School where Miss Girlie has attended school the past term. Mrs. Howell will visit relatives in Collin county. Miss Girlie will return home with her mother.

F. P. Shackelford returned last Thursday from El Paso, where he has been the past sixty days for the benefit of his health. He looks hale and hearty now as a result of his rest and the high dry atmosphere of that western town.—Putnam News.

NOTICE.

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

Fencing.

We now have all kind of fencing material. Come quick as it is going fast, and hard to get. 25-1 R. B. SPENCER & Co.

Old Catholic Mission Burns.

The old Catholic Mission Ysleta, twelve miles from El Paso, was destroyed a few days ago by fire, which caught from candles burning before the altar, a ceremony which had been continuous for 350 years. Everything except a few relics, was destroyed. The church was built in the last half of the sixteenth century and was one of a string constructed by Spanish priests from the Gulf of Mexico to Santa Barbara, Cal. It was one of the few which have been used continually until the present day.

Methodist Church.

On next Sabbath at 11 a. m. all who have given their names for Church membership to the Methodist Church will please meet us, to be received. Let every body come praying for a great time. C. B. MEADOR, Pastor.

We will trade furniture for horses and cattle. Come see us. 24-tf Halsted & Ramsey.

John Castles Jeweler

I am still here and propose to do all kinds of watch and clock repairing. Bring in your work. At Wristen & Johnson's, Harry Meyer's old stand.

Change in Ice Business.

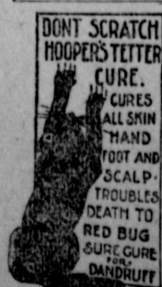
I have bought out the Seay ice business and would be pleased to have your orders for ice. Phone 150. 21-tf MOSE FRANKLIN.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the P. O. at Baird, Texas, for the week ending May, 18, 1907. Parties calling for same please say advertised.

Duncan, Geo.
Donalson, Vance
Hallford, A.
Johnson, A. C.
Knight, F. W.
Lewis, R. C.
Lehew, Mrs. Bell
Maxwell, Julia A.
Sanford, Addie
J. V. McMANIS, Act. P. M.

Mrs. L. A. Rudmose has returned from a visit to Ft. Worth.



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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO the State Constitution Providing for the Establishment of a Home for Confederate Widows.

JOINT RESOLUTION to amend Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, so as to authorize the grant of aid in the establishment and maintenance of a home for the disabled and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors and such women as aided the Confederacy, and making an appropriation.

SECTION 1. Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3, Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, associations or individuals municipal or other corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1880, and who are either over sixty years of age or whose disability is the proximate result of actual service in the Confederate army for a period of at least three months, their widows in indigent circumstances who have never remarried and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since March 1, 1880, and who were married to such soldiers anterior to March 1, 1880; provided said aid shall not exceed eight dollars per month, and provided further, that no appropriations shall ever be made for the purpose hereinbefore specified in excess of five hundred thousand dollars for any one year. And also grant aid to the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law; provided the grant to aid said home shall not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for any one year, and no inmate of said house shall be entitled to any other aid from the State; the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home; and provided further, that the provisions of this section shall not be construed to prevent the grant of aid in case of public calamity.

SEC. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas on the first Tuesday in August, 1907. The sum of \$5000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

[A true copy.]

L. T. DASHIELL,
23-4 Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO the State Constitution Authorizing the Establishment of a State Printing Plant.

JOINT RESOLUTION authorizing the submission to a vote of the people of the State of Texas of a proposed amendment of Section 21, Article XVI, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to printing, publishing, stationery, paper and fuel, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 21 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as

to hereafter read as follows:

Section 21. All printing and publishing, and all stationery, paper and fuel for the various departments, and for all offices, whether created by this Constitution or by law, shall be done and supplied as may be provided by law, and for the accomplishment of these objects and purposes the Legislature may provide and establish all requisite means and agencies, invested with such powers as may be deemed adequate and advisable.

SEC. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday in August, A. D. 1907, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "For the amendment to Section 21 of Article XVI of the Constitution, relating to stationery, printing, paper and fuel," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the amendment to Section 21 of Article XVI of the Constitution, relating to stationery, printing, paper and fuel."

SEC. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

SEC. 4. That the sum of two thousand (\$2000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

[A true copy.]

L. T. DASHIELL,
23-4 Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO the State Constitution Creating the Office of Commissioner of Agriculture.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 27, providing for a Department of Agriculture, with a bureau of labor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding thereto Section 27, when a majority of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature of Texas at an election for that purpose shall vote in favor of the amendment, shall read as follows:

Section 27. The Legislature shall provide for the office of Commissioner of Agriculture, who shall be either elected by the qualified voters of the State, or appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of two-thirds of the Senate, as the Legislature may provide; whose term of office, duties and salary shall be prescribed by law; in which department there shall be established by the Legislature a bureau of labor, when required by the public interest.

SEC. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this resolution to the qualified voters for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas, as an amendment to the Constitution of Texas, to be voted upon on the first Tuesday in August, 1907. All persons favoring said amendment shall have or printed on their ballots, as follows: "For the amendment to the Constitution, providing for a Department of Agriculture and a bureau of Labor." And those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, as follows: "Against the amendment to the

Constitution, providing for a Department of Agriculture and a Bureau of Labor." And the sum of (\$2000) two thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publications, proclamation and election.

[A true copy.]

L. T. DASHIELL,
23-4 Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO the State Constitution Authorizing the Levy of a Road Tax.

JOINT RESOLUTION amending Section 9, of Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 9a, increasing the amount of tax that may be voted for the purpose of improving public roads, and to allow counties or political subdivisions of counties by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county, or subdivision thereof, voting at all elections, to be held for that purpose to adopt same.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 9a, which shall read as follows:

Section 9a. A majority of the property tax paying voters in any county or one or more political subdivisions thereof, in this State, voting at an election held for that purpose may vote a tax for road and bridge purposes not to exceed 30 cents on the \$100 valuation of property subject to taxation in such county or political subdivision of such county, or may issue bonds not to exceed 20 per cent of the assessed value of the real property in such district, for such road and bridge purposes, provided that such tax, or proceeds of such bonds, shall be expended in the territory in which it is voted and no other, and this provision of the Constitution shall be self-enacting without the necessity of further legislation.

SEC. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State, or in case any previous election shall be had in the State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified tax paying voters. And the sum of \$2000, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the treasury of the State of Texas for the purpose of submitting this proposition to a vote of the people of the State of Texas.

[A true copy.]

L. T. DASHIELL,
23-4 Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO the State Constitution Fixing the Salary of Members of the Legislature.

An Act to amend Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to the compensation of members of the Legislature.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 24. The members of the Legislature shall receive from the Public Treasury such compensation for their services as may from time to time be provided by law, not to exceed one thousand dollars for each year in which a biennial session of the Legislature is held under the

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stitutional Amend- ments.

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lection.

[A true copy.]

L. T. DASHIELL,
Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO the Constitution Providing for the Creation of Improvement Dis- tricts in Certain Cities.

JOINT RESOLUTION amending Sec-
tion 9, of Article 8, of the Con-
stitution of the State of Texas,
providing for the creation of im-
provement districts in cities of
more than five thousand inhabi-
tants, and charging the cost of
certain improvements made there-
in against the abutting property.
SECTION 1. Be it Resolved by
e Legislature of the State of Texas:
at Section 9 of Article 8 of the
ate of Texas, be so amended as to
reafter read as follows:

Sec. 9. The State tax on proper-
y, exclusive of the tax necessary to
y the public debt, and of the taxes
rovided for the benefit of public
e schools, shall never exceed thir-
five cents on the one hundred dol-
rs valuation; and no county, city
town shall levy more than twenty-
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r roads and bridges, and not ex-
eding fifteen cents to pay jurors,
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ent September 25, A. D. 1883, and
r the erection of public buildings,
treets, sewers, water works and oth-
er permanent improvements, not to
xceed twenty-five cents on the one-
undred dollars valuation, in any
e year, and except as in this Con-
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qualified property taxpaying voters
of the county voting at an election
to be held for that purpose shall vote

such a tax, not to exceed fifteen
cents on the one hundred dollars val-
uation, of the property subject to
taxation in such county. And the
Legislature may pass local laws for
the maintenance of the public roads
and highways, without the local no-
tice required for special or local
laws.

In addition to the foregoing, cities
of more than five thousand inhabi-
tants may lay out within their cor-
porate limits, improvement districts
in which they, by and with the con-
sent of a majority of the taxpayers
owning real estate therein, may build
sidewalks and charge the cost thereof
against the abutting property, and
build sewers and pave streets and
charge one-third of the cost thereof
against the abutting property on
either side of the streets upon which
such improvements are made in such
district, and the amount charged
against all such abutting property
shall be deemed and held to be a tax
against and a lien upon such abutting
property, and the Legislature is re-
quired to enact laws prescribing the
means for ascertaining the amount
properly chargeable against each
parcel of abutting property, and pro-
viding for the enforcement of its
collection.

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby
directed to issue the necessary pro-
clamation for submitting this amend-
ment to the Constitution to the qual-
ified voters of the State of Texas, on
the first Tuesday in August, A. D.
1907, at which election all voters fa-
voring this amendment shall have
written or printed on their ballots:

"For the amendment to Section 9 of
Article 8 of the Constitution, per-
mitting property owners in cities of
more than five thousand inhabitants
to create improvement districts, one-
third the cost of which to be charged
against abutting property on either
side of the street." And the voters
opposed to said amendment shall
have written or printed on their bal-
lots the following: "Against the
amendment to Section 9 of Article 8
of the Constitution, permitting prop-
erty owners in cities of more than
five thousand inhabitants to create
improvement districts, one-third the
cost of which to be charged against
abutting property on either side of
the street."

Sec. 3. The lateness in the ses-
sion, the crowded condition of the
calendars of both houses, and the
importance of this proposed amend-
ment, create an emergency and an
imperative public necessity demand-
ing that the constitutional rule, and
Senate Rule No 37, requiring bills to
be read on three several days be
suspended, and the same are hereby
suspended.

[A true copy.]

L. T. DASHIELL,
Secretary of State.

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fish or trespass in any way in any of
my pastures. Dynamiting the holes
of water is a violation of the law at
any time of the year. Take warning
and save court case. W. B. ELLIS.
24-12p Denton Ranch.

My pastures on the Bayou and
Rough Creek are posted and all
hunting, fishing or trespassing in
any manner therein is hereby posi-
tively forbidden. W. J. HARRIS,
24-12 Eagle Cove.

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the first to fade. The boy that runs
the fastest is the one to soonest jade.
The brightest of the evening sees
the gloomiest of the dawns. The
man who buys the biggest yard
must cut the biggest lawn. The ap-
ple that is the biggest has the fat-
test worm of all. The fellow who
gets on in life is sure to have a fall.
The soup that is the clearest is the
first to show the flies. He who would
sell the goods must pay to advertise.
The hen that lays the largest egg will
be the first to set, and things we
always hanker for are the last of all
we get. The simplest way is always
best and yet we pass it by to dabble
with the tinsled things that fool and
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horses, mules or cattle belonging to
any citizen of Callahan County.
2-tf T. A. IRVIN, Sheriff.



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DIED.

Lillian, about 2 years old, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris, died last Saturday morning at 2 o'clock. The little child had been sick for about a week with pneumonia following an attack of measles. Funeral services were held at the home by Rev. Bryant, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Saturday evening at 5 o'clock. The remains were interred in the City cemetery. Quite a number of relatives from Cisco and Dothan came up to attend the funeral. We extend sincere sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Mrs. Fritz Gartner, one of the oldest residents of Callahan County, died at her home near Lytle Gap, Friday, May 10, 1907. She leaves two sons, one daughter and a sister, Mrs. Baumann, of Baird, several grand-children and many friends to mourn her death.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitley, old residents of Baird, now making their home at Douglas, Arizona, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Frank McGraw. Mr. Whitley looks as spry and young as he did ten years ago. The climate out west must agree with him. Mr. Whitley says Douglas is the biggest little town in the west and growing rapidly. Copper mining is the chief industry of the town. Mr. and Mrs. Whitley have many friends in Baird, where they spent the best years of their lives, and all are glad to welcome them back to the old home.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Public Library has been moved from Miss Maud Simmons's school house to the room back of Mr. F. S. Bell's law office and will be open every Tuesday and Saturday from 4:30 to 6:30 o'clock in the afternoon. We would be pleased to have renewals from all those whose subscriptions have expired and would also be glad to have new subscribers as our only means of buying new books is from the subscriptions and fines. Donations of either books or money would also be most thankfully received. All those who are interested in the welfare and upbuilding of our town should come forward and lend a helping hand in our work for the library. Nothing helps more in inducing people of culture and refinement to locate in a town than the advantages of a good library, so let the whole town work together to make it a success. It is not for a select few as some seem to imagine, but for the benefit of the public at large, and deserves the support and encouragement of all our citizens.

We regret very much that the library had to be closed for a short time, but it was unavoidable as we were compelled to move out of our old quarters before we had the new room in readiness for the books.

Will all those who have books out kindly bring them in as soon as possible and thus assist us in getting everything in working order again. ***

Lane Barton, of Tecumseh, was in town Tuesday.

Alex McWhorter and little daughters, Ada and Balah, were in town last Saturday.

Miss Mamie Hart left Tuesday for Robert Lee, Texas, to visit her uncle, T. B. Lyster and family.

Mrs. Jules Alvord and daughter, Miss Nora, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to their home at Fort Worth Monday.

Cale Hall has accepted a position with the T. & P. Ry., as clerk for Chief Engineer B. S. Wathan at Dallas, and left last Friday.

TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT.

IN THE MATTER OF COUNTY FINANCES IN THE HANDS OF W. E. MELTON, COMMISSIONERS' COURT Callahan County, Texas, In Regular Quarterly Session, May Term, 1907.

Treasurer of Callahan County, Texas. We, The Undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Callahan County, and the Hon. B. L. Russell, County Judge of said Callahan County, Constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 17th day of May A. D. 1907, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of W. E. Melton, Treasurer of Callahan County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 20th day of Feby. A. D. 1906, and ending on the 17th day of May A. D. 1907, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 17th day of May A. D. 1907, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Article 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an Act of the Twenty-fifth Legislature of Texas, at its regular session, approved March 20, 1897.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of said Treasurer belonging to Callahan County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 17th day of May A. D. 1907, and find the same to be as follows, to wit:

	DR.	CR.
JURY FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 20th day of Feby. 1907.....	\$ 981 73	
To amount received since said date.....	147 18	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		\$ 135 98
By amount to balance.....		992 93
Total.....	1128 91	1128 91
Balance to credit of said Jury Fund as actually counted by us on the 17th day of May A. D. 1907, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 16th day of May A. D. 1907, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		992 93
ROAD & BRIDGE FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 20th day of Feby 1907.....	3194 63	
To amount received since said date.....	248 31	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		2040 09
By amount to balance.....		1402 85
Total.....	3442 94	3442 94
Balance to credit of said Road and Bridge Fund as actually counted by us on the 17th day of May A. D. 1907, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 16th day of May A. D. 1907, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		1402 85
GENERAL FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 20th day of Feb. 1907.....	5091 29	
To amount received since said date.....	147 29	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		2353 74
By amount to balance.....		3484 84
Total.....	5838 58	5838 58
Balance to credit of said General Fund as actually counted by us on the 17th day of May A. D. 1907 and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 16th day of May 1907, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		3484 84
COURT HOUSE FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 20th day of Feb. 1907.....	5786 51	
To amount received since said date.....	91 48	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		441 18
By amount to balance.....		5436 81
Total.....	5877 99	5877 99
Balance to credit of said Court House Fund as actually counted by us on the 17th day May of A. D. 1907, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 16th day of May A. D. 1907, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		5436 81
JAIL FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 20th day of Feb. 1907.....	1110 68	
To amount received since said date.....	11 32	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		74 82
To amount to balance.....		1047 18
Total.....	1122 00	1122 00
Balance to credit of said Jail Fund as actually counted by us on the 17th day of May A. D. 1907, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 16th day of May A. D. 1907, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		1047 18
ESTRAY FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 20th day of Feb. 1907.....	319 64	
To amount received since said date.....	15 29	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		334 84
By amount to balance.....		334 84
Total.....	334 84	334 84
Balance to credit of said Estray Fund as actually counted by us on the 17th day of May A. D. 1907 and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 16th day of May A. D. 1907, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		334 84
POLL TAX FUND.		
Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 20th day of Feb. 1907.....	382 34	
To amount received since said date.....	40 24	
By amount disbursed since said date.....		8 79
By amount to balance.....		413 79
Total.....	422 58	422 58
Balance to credit of said Poll Tax Fund as actually counted by us on the 17th day May of A. D. 1907 and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 16th day of May A. D. 1907, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of.....		413 79

DATE	RECAPITULATION.	AMOUNT
May 17, 1907.	Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day.....	992 93
" " "	Balance to credit of Road & Bridge Fund on this day.....	1402 85
" " "	Balance to credit General Fund on this day.....	3484 84
" " "	Balance to credit of Court House Fund on this day.....	5436 81
" " "	Balance to credit of Jail Fund on this day.....	1047 18
" " "	Balance to credit of Estray Fund on this day.....	334 84
" " "	Balance to credit of Poll Tax Fund on this day.....	413 79
" " "	School Fund on hand.....	4479 24
	Total Cash on hand belonging to Callahan County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us.....	\$17592 48

ASSETS.
In addition to the actual cash as above, we find the following assets belonging to the said County, and to the credit of the following funds, which is also in the possession and custody of said Treasurer, to wit:
4 County Jail Bonds, each in the sum of \$500.00 and bearing 5 per cent. int. running 10 years amounting to \$2,000.00, maturing June 1st, 1908, held by Callahan County, for the Court House Sinking and Interest fund..... \$2,000.00

Purchase money for Callahan County School lands..... 1,000.00
1 Vendors Lien note belonging to Permanent School Fund..... 93.00
1 Bond belonging to the said Permanent School Fund for 293.76 making a total to the Permanent School Fund of..... 95.00

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

The bonded indebtedness of the said County we find to be as follows, to wit:
20 Callahan County Court House bonds each in the sum of \$1000.00 bearing 4 per cent int., payable April 10th, and Oct. 10th of each year at Austin, Texas, and running 20 years amounting to... \$20,000.00

1 R. & B. Bond issued to Permanent School fund of Callahan County in the sum of \$293 76, bearing 5 per cent int., and running ten years, maturing April 1908, interest payable April 10, of each year.....

4 Co. Jail bonds each in the sum of \$500 00 bearing 5 per cent int. and running 10 years, maturing June 10th 1908 interest payable April 10th and Oct. 10th of each year, amounting to \$2000 00, owned by Callahan County Court House Sinking Fund and payable at the Treasurer's office in Baird, Callahan County, Texas..... 2,000.00

Total..... \$22,000.00

Witness Our Hands, officially, this 17th day of May A. D. 1907.

B. L. RUSSELL, County Judge.
W. A. HINDS, Commissioner Precinct No. 1
A. E. KENDRICK, Commissioner Precinct No. 2
J. H. BURNAM, Commissioner Precinct No. 3
C. S. KENADY, Commissioner Precinct No. 4
Sworn to and Subscribed before me, by B. L. Russell, County Judge and W. A. HINDS, and A. E. Kendrick, J. H. Burnam and C. Kenady County Commissioners of said Callahan County, each respectively, on this, the 17th day of May A. D. 1907.
GEO. B. SCOTT,
County Clerk, Callahan County Texas



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