Money to Lend on Land

Long time—Low rate of inter est, Vendor's lien notes bought taken up and extended. B. L. RUSSELL

"I'IS NEITHER BIRTH, NOR WRALTH, NOR STATE; BUT THE GIT-UP-AND-GIT THAT MAKES MEN GREAT.

VOLUME NO. 26.

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY, 2, 1913.

NO. 21

WE ARE OFFERING TO THE TRADE

The greatest opportunities ever offered to the people of Baird and adjoining country to buy their Spring and Summer needs in wearing apparel. Our store is full of the "New Things" for Spring, the very latest in style and fabrics.

Wonderful Showing of Dress Goods.

We have a beautiful line of Dress Goods in the newest fabrics in Wool Silk and Cotton, Crepe Meteor, Sat-in Striped and Ratine Striped Voiles and Chiffons, Brocaded Charmeuse, Foulards, Ratines, Voiles, Crepes and many other different styles of goods in the best shades and colors.

The Pretty New Parasols.

A pleasing assortment of the new things in Sun Shades, natural wood and fancy handles, latest novelty, Bell and Dame shapes in King's Blue, Green, Nell Rose, Linen with colored borders and black and white

Men's and Boys Straw Hats

We have the new things in straw Hats, Sailors and Novelty Shapes, Rough and Smooth straw

Corsets, Brassieres and Corset Waists.

For giving modish figures and graceful lines the American Beauty Corset excells all others. We also carry the Famous DeBevoise Bras-

Ladies. Childrens Underwear.

Ladies knit summer weight vests, union or combination suits in the large umbrella styles, both plain and lace trimmed. Price 50c, 75c & \$1. Children's summer weight union suits on sleeve and knee length. Price 50c and 60c. Also a nice line of muslin underwear, Princess Slips from 75c to \$2.50, Combination Suits \$1.00 to \$3.00. Gowns in Muslin and Rupplette, \$1.00 to \$2.50 Children's Drawers 25c to 50c

MEN'S, LADIES AND CHILDREN'S SHOES.

We have the best and most up-to-date tine of Shoes in Baird, the newest things in Button Oxfords, Pumps and Two-Straps in Black, Tans and White Buck and Canvass and the Blue Ribbon School

Men's and Boys Shirts.

In White and the dainty small pin stripes in neglige, collars detached and military detachable collars. The new and nifty things for spring.

Ladies' and Children's Bonnetts.

Made of good quality Chambray, Percale and Lawn. Ladies white bonnets \$1.25 grade for 85c

Ladies white bonnetts 1,00 " 85c to 1.50 only One lot " "85c to 1.50 only Children's white and colored bonnetts 65c and 85c grade only

Ladies and Childrens Ready-to-Wear Department.

In this Department, as in all others, we have endeavored to secure for our trade the best, newest and most up-to-date things the market would afford, for the money. Ladies dresses in Silk Crepes and Crepe Meteors in Copenhagen Browns and Blues. Price \$18.00 to \$22.50.

White Voiles in plain and Embroideried. Price \$6.00 to \$15.00.

Linens in Brown, Leather, Blue and Pearl, Price \$4,50 to \$6.50. Also a nice line of House Dresses

in Gingham, Percales, etc. Price \$2.00 to \$3.50.

Children's dresses in White Embroideried goods and in Ginghams and Percales. Prices from 60c to \$7.50.

Ladies Tailored Spring Skirts

The prettiest line of skirts in Baird' all this season's style and fabrics.
The wool Serges, Diaginals, Bedfords
Poplins, etc in the most popular
colors and black. We have them in Junior, Regular and Stout sizes. Prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$10.00.

Men's and Boys Clothing.

For Men: Hart-Schaffner & Marx and other grade suits in new snappy patterns. For Boys: The Widow Jones line is famous for fit, quality and style. The Blue Serges Brown and Gray Wool Mixtures in Norfolks and Double Breasted styles from \$3,50 to \$7,50.

Ladies Wash Waists.

This is the Shirt Waist season. Waists of Voile, Lingerie, Tub Silks in dutch and high necks, lace and embroideried trimmed and tailored, in prices from 50c \$3.50.

"FREE"

PURE ALUMINUM WARE

"FREE"

AN OFFER THAT SHOULD APPEAL TO HOUSEWIVES. Carrying out our policy of serving the Baird and Callahan County people with the "Very Best of Everything" we are now offering them "Pure Aluminum Ware Free of Cost." As e cry one knows Aluminum Ware is the only Sanitary Kitchen Utensil made and now is the time to equip your Kitchen with an up-to-date ware and do it "Free of Cost." UVESTIGATE THIS BIG FREE OFFER. All monthly customers, paying their bills by the 5th of each month will be entitled to this Free Distribution of Premium Goods. This offer is made only on Dry Goods and Groceries and for Cash or 30 days accounts if paid promptly.

SEE SAMPLES IN OUR WINDOWS

Dry Goods

B. L. BOYDSTUN

Groceries

FROM THE BIG SPRINGS HERALD. ed about the face when a can of oil

Mrs. J. Potton who has been quite proved in health.

Mrs. L. L. Freeman left Tuesday night for a visit with friends and relatives in El Paso.

Mattie, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Merrick, who has been dangerously ill, is now on the road to recovery

· L. C. Soldon of Chester Neb., is greeting old time friends in this city 27, by leader. Mr. S. was a resident of this city bers. for many years while in the employ of the T. & P. as engineer and has Mills host of friends here who would like to see him again a resident of Big Springs. Mr. Soldon's brother accompanied him to this city.

After receiving a general over-After receiving a general over-hauling in the T. & P. shops here Luke 6:38—Mr. Q. Mitchell. engine No. 2 of the Roscoe, Snyder to be in satisfactory shape. Tom Harris. Gentry an engineer of the R. S. & P. Ry., was here superintending the repair work.

R. V. Jones a popular T. & P. fireman left Tuesday for Dawson county and on Wednesday at the home of the brides parents he was May 2nd at 4 p. m. All members Hatchett. A host of friends here will be business to transact. tender congratulations and best

Henry Hoffman arrived the first of the week from El Paso to accept a position in the T. & P. shops here as a machinist. He was sent to Baird Wednesday night and will be at 10 o'clock. Prayer meeting every there during the time the regular Wednesday night at 7:30 o clock. man is on the sick list.

Geo. Hatch arrived Thursday from the T. & P. hospital at Marshall, where he has been since the accident at Baird in which he was badly burn-

exploded. Fortunately his eyesight was not permanently injured and he ill is reported as being much im- will soon recover from the injuries ning stock. For further informareceived.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Sunday, May 4th, 1913: Leader-Miss Verda Murphy. Devotional Meeting.

The Law of Increase and Decrease The Law of Increase and Decrease

1. Scripture Lesson, Luke 19:11-

2. The Law. - Mrs. A. B. Cham-The Law a Just One. - Mrs.

The Law in its Working .-Mr. Shanks.

5. The Law of Increase and Decrease Concerning The Use of Money

6. What Jesus says about this & Pacific Ry. was turned out Wed- law concerning Himself and us, John nesday and after a trial trip proved 12:24; John 12:25.—Miss Gertrude

7. Song, "Take My Life."

Mission Society

The Mission Society will meet at the M. E. Church Monday afternoon united in marriage to Miss Flora are requested to be present as there

Press Reporter.

Presbyterian Church.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m each Sunday. Sunday School at H. M. Peebles, Pastor.

For Sale.—A gentle buggy hors good buggy and harness, Phone No.

For Sale.

White Leghorn eggs, prize win tion phone or write me at my home east of Admiral. W. T. Burson. 18 TO ADVERTISERS To insure insertion copy for all display ads must be in this office later than Tuesday. No notices, or advertisin

LET US BE YOUR GROCERYMEN

We respectfully solicit your grocery trade. Give us your orders for the month of May and let us prove to you how well we can take care of same. We have a nice stock of staple and fancy groceries, which we take a pride in keeping clean and fresh and onr store in a clean sanitary condition. We have fresh vegetables, etc every day. Remember we sell the famous Peace Maker Flour. Phone us your orders, we will give them careful attention and make prompt delivery.

PHONE 114.

TIDWELL BROS.

"THE SANITARY GROCERY STORE."

MRS. ABERNATHY DIES.

Mrs. J. E. Abernathy was taken addenly ill Sunday morning and died in three hours with paralysis of the brain. Mr. Abernathy is connected with the water service of the T. & P. Ry and had only recently moved his family to Baird. Though among strangers everything possible was done for the family in their affliction. Physicians were hastily summoned but medical science could master Quinn. do nothing except possibly relieve the pain. The body was embalmed by H. Schwartz, undertaker, and taken to Fort Worth Sunday night for interment.

Mrs. Abernathy is survived by her husband and four children, two daughters and two little boys. We point. tender our sincere sympathy to Mr. Kowiey, our popular agent, is to be commended for his selection of Abernathy and family in the great affliction they have suffered.

ENTERTAINED.

Mr. and Mr. T. E. Powell enter tained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. Gray Powell on Tuesday evening with a most delightful Japanese party. Refreshments of salad and ices were served. Unique contests and games were enjoyed. At the close of the evening the guests were presented with artificial oranges and apples which contained fuses. After darkening the room they were instructed to light these unusal gifts which scintilated beautifully in the dark and finally exploded revealing very acceptable hitle souvenirs of the pleasant occassion. The guests were: Mesdames Powell, Jackson, Driskill, Parks, Misses Bowyer, Foy, Boydstun, Bell, Gılliland, Reagan, Brock, Wristen. Measrs Powell, Jackson, Driskill, Parks, Norrell, Young, Shackelford, Griggs, Hill, Franklin, Hall, Bell, Hart, Hadley.

LOCAL RAILROAD NEWS

Several changes have been made at the depot. Mr. Richards, express agent, has accepted a position with the Orient Ry. located at San Angelo. Walter Fraser has taken Mr. Richards place.

Swan Jones takes Walter Fraser's place as private secretary for yard-

Ollie Jones is assistant to Earl Beil, our popular night yard clerk.

Last but not least is the promotion agent. Freddie is always ready with his pleasant smile to answer question and sell you a ticket to any

Mr. Rowley, our popular agent, is home boys for the work at his sta. tion and let the good work go on. All the boys employed at the depot are well pleased with the changes, and are specially proud of the rapid promotion of Fred Wristen, and wish to see him succeed in his new position.

AMERICAN RED CROSS CAR.

American Red Cross Car No. 3, in charge of Dr. M. J. Shields, First Aid Lecturer, will arrive at Baird May 7th at 4:15 a, m. and depart on No 3. at 3:40 p, m. May 8th. It is earnestly desired by the T. & P. officials that all employes will take advantage of this opportunity to acquire useful information which is of vital interest to their own personal safety; and for the traveling public as well.

Better have that suit cleaned and pressed, it looks shabby. I guarantee satisfactory results or no charge. E. G. Keisses, manager of Cousley's cleaning and pressing shop. 21-1t.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE Constitution of this State Authorizing the Issuance of Bonds for Improvment of Public Warehouses for Storing, products. Handling, Classing, Measuring, Weigh. ing, Elevating and Loading Agricultural Products.

(S. J. R. No.4.) JOINT RESOLUTION. Article 3, of the Constitution of mation and election this State

Legislature of the State of Texas, that Section 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas. be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political for the University of Texas and also for corporation or subdivision of the Buildings of Various Institutions, and State, to lend its credit or to grant Authorizing Improvement Bonds for the public money or thing of value in aid Purpose of Navigation, Irrigation, of, or to any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, and which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of a majority of the resident vote of a majority of the resident taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in the aproved by the Governor for the purpose of purchasing additional ground and erect necessary buildings for the University of Texas, including a medical denominant.

and loading agricultural products. as the legislature may authorize and in such ma Provided the Legislature may establish such means and agencies as may be necessary for accomplishing the purpose of this amendment and if a State warehouse commission be provided for, their term of office shall

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting this area. ment to the Constitution to the qualified electors of the State of Texas on

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State for adoption or rejection at a special electric of the following. For amendment to Section 52 of Article 3, as above indicated, shall be voted upon separately.

Those favoring the amendment to authorize road or other public improvements by a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their public improvements by a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballost the following against its adoption shall have written or printed on their public improvements by a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballost the following. For amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballost the following. For amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballost the following. For amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballost the following. For amendment to authorize road or other public improvements by a vote of a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballost the following. For amendment to sections 49 and 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution at a special electric of hereby ordered for, the third Sapurday in July 1913, the same being the hir sale delection who favor its adoption shall have for amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Yexas, Agricultural and mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements are constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Yexas, Agricultural products. Those voting against its adoption shall have written or printed on their ballost the following:

Article 3, of the Constitution at a special electros of the constitution at a special elect by a vote of a majority, and those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority.

Those favoring the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses shall have written or printed on their ballot: For the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against said amendment shall have written or

printed on their ballot: Against the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of Districts, and also for the Operation public warehouses for agricultural

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5 000) 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 A Joint Resolution proposing an otherwise appropriated, to pay the amendment to Section 52, of expenses of such publication, procla-

JOHN L. WORTHAM, SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the (A true copy) Secretary of State.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE

State Constitution Authorizing the Is-Section 52. The Legislature shall suance of Bonds for the Purpose of the Construction of the Necessary Buildings

Construction of Bridges and the Maintenance and Operation of Public Warehouses.

(S. J. R. No. 18) SENATE JOINT RESOLUT

bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect taxes to pay the interest thereon, and provide a sinking fund for the redemption assecured by lie on the real property of the pendental property and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction maintenance and operation of public warehouses for storing, handling, classing, measuring, weighing, elevating, and loading agricultural products. Provided the Legislature may estab

(b) The construction and maintenance of pool akes reservoirs, dams, and canals and waterway for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or naviga-tion or in aid thereof.

State Constitution Prescribing Qualifications for District Judges of This State and Prescribing Their Tenure of Office.

olved by the Legislature of the Sta

SECTION 1. That Section 7, Article 5, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 7. The State shall be divided into as many judicial districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, one or more judges, each of whom shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, or a judge of a court in this State for six years next preceeding his election; who shall have resided in the district in which he was elected for two years next preceeding his election; who

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ave resided in the district in which he was elec-d for two years next preceding his election; whall reside in his district during his term of offic-who shall hold his office for a period of four year and shall receive for his services an annual sala-if three thousand dollars, until otherwise chang-y law. Court shall be held by a district judgey law. Court shall be held by a district judge a he county shat in each of the several counties a uch times and in such manner as may be prepried by law. The Legislature shall provide for he holding of the district court when the judge hereof is absent or disabled or disqualified from citigs. The district judges who may be in office then this amendment takes effect shall hold their likes out it is not the county of the ion this amendment takes effect shall non vinces until their respective terms shall expire until their present election or appointment.

SEC. 2. The Governor of the State of Texas is

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE State Constitution Providing all State. District, County and Precinct Officers Within This State Shall be Compensated by the Payment of a Fixed Salary.

(H. J. R. No. 41.) A Joint Resolution

If the Legislature of the State of Texas, propos

ing an amendment to the Constitution of th

State by adding to Article 16 thereof a new setion to be known as Section 58, providing for

the tangure and compensation of public officials

retary of State, the result ascertained and pr

NOTICE, SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of

Callahan. By virtue of an Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Stonewall County, on the 2nd day of April 1913, by the Clerk thereof, in the case A, W. Springer & Son, a corporation, versus R. H. King, No. satisfy a judgment amounting to 186 and to me, as Sheriff, director 167.20 at 10 per cent per annum and delivered, I will proceed to sell from date of judgment and \$6.80 for eash, within the hours prescribed original court costs, at 6 per cent per by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in May 1913, it being the 6th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Callahan County, in the City of Baird, the following described property, towit: First Tract, An 80 acre tract out of the W. G. Anderson sur., No. 777, Beg. at a stake for N. W. Cor. of J. G. Graham Sur No. 775 in prairie for cor. Thence W. 475 Citizen's National Bank of Abilene, ance.

vrs. stake from which a P. O. brs. vs Thos. Russell et al. N. 73 W. 37 1-2 vrs. Thence N.

Annie King, and from his brother J.

Lou King and Rosa King, all of

whom died intestate and is owned by

im now in common with his father

and sisters now living. The whole

property is known as W. M. King

annum from date of judgment, in

favor of A. W. Springer & Son, a

Given under my hand, this 7th

Joe Y. Fraser, Deputy. 18-3t.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

F. F. Rains, Sheriff.

corporation, and costs of suit.

day of Apr. 1913.

950 vrs. to S. line of R. R. Puckett issued out of the District Court of Sur. No. 770, a stake for cor. Thence Taylor County, Texas on a judg-E. with said Puckett line 475 vrs. to ment rendered in said court on the 4th place of beg. being same land con- day of March A. D. 1913, in favor veyed to W. M. King by C. P. of the said Citizens National Bank Osborn and wife by deed dated Feb. of Abilene and against the said and farm paper in Texas is The 25, 1887, recorded in Book L, Page Thos. Russell and J. E. Arnold No. Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News. It 382 Deed Records Callahan County, 3062 on the docket of said court, I is read by more people than any oth-Second Tract: The N. 1-3 of the did on the 10th day of April A. D. er publication in the Southwest. It J. G. Graham Sur. No. 775 Calla- 1913 at 9 o'clock a. m. levy upon is the favorite with men readers, ban County, Texas, beg. at a stake the following described tracts and women readers and boy and girl the N. W. Cor. of said Graham Sur. parcels of land siguated in the Coun. readers, because it has something from which a P. O. brs. N. 25 3.4 ty of Callahan and State of Texas for all of them, and the best to be W. 4 1.2 vrs., Another brs. 2 1-2 and belonging to the said J. E. Ar. had at any price. The BAIRD STAR W. 1 Vara: Thence E. 1013 vrs. nold, to-wit: Said land being a and the Semi-Weekly Farm News pass the S. E. cor of Sur. No. 770, tract of Seventeen and one-half will be sent a whole year to any adat 1344 vrs. the N. E. cor of said (17 2-2) acres lying and being in dress for \$1,75. We accept and re-Graham Sur. for N. E cor. of this Callahan County, Texas, and being ceipt for all subscriptions at this oftract, from which a P. O. brs N. 23 off the North Side of the Thirty-five fice. E. 5 3-4 vrs. another brs. N. 68 E. and 4-10 acre tract out of the S. W. 4 1-2 vrs. Thence South with E 1-4 of Section No. 74 B. B. B & C line of said Graham Sur. 448 a cor, R. R. Co land which was conveyed of this tract. Thence W. 1344 vrs. by plaintiff to the defendant Thos. Star office. Can be used for putting to the W. line of said Graham sur, Russell by its deed of writing of that under carpets, in shelves, et .. 25cts for S. W. cor, of this tract. Thence date. And on the 6th day of May per hundred, N. with W. line of said Graham sur. A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday No. 448 vrs. to the place of begin- in said month, between the hours of ning, containing 106 2-3 acres, being 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. the same land conveyed to W. M. on said day, at the Court House King by John F. Holt by deed dated door of said county I will offer for Nov. 2, 1889, Recorded in Book L. sale and sell at public auction, for Page 545 Deed Record Callahan cash, all the right, title and interest County Texas. The interest levied of the said Thos, Russell and J. E. upon by this writ is undivided and Arnold, in and to said property.

Groceries

WE WANT A SHARE OF YOUR TRADE

to be fresh. We have a competent corps of clerks, who are always glad to meet

you and promptly fill your orders. We make a special effort to keep just what

our customers want. We always have fresh vegetables and fruit in season. To

our friends in the city: Phone us your orders, it will be our pleasure to fill same

and make prompt delivery. To our friends from the county: Come to see us and

make our store headquarters when in town. We pay the highest market price

for eggs, chickens and country produce. We appreciate your patronage and en-

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Groceries, Feed. Etc.

deavor to prove it by always giving you full value for your money.

We carry a full stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries and guarantee them

is the interest inherited by defendant Dated at Baird, Texas this, the R. H. King from his mother, Mrs. 10th day of April A. D. 1913.

F. F. Rains R. King and from his two sisters 18 Sheriff Callahan Co. Texas.

Methodist Services.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 place near Cross Plains. This levy p. m. each Sabbath. Sunday School at is subject to the claim of N.R. Mor- 10 a, m. Prayer-meeting every gan to an undivided portion of said Wednesday night at 7:30. Teacher interest of defendant, and subject Study Circle every Friday at 7:30 p. to the interests of W. M. King and M. We invite all to attend these defendant's living sisters. Levied services and extend to you a warm on as the property of R. H. King to welcome.

A. W. Waddill, Pastor.

If you want to subscribe for two or more magazines I can give you clubbing rates on them.—Miss John Gilliland.

NOTICE.

I have arranged with the Home National Bank to issue receipts to information relative to fairs, accommembers of the Cemetery Association I earnestly request all members to pay their dues promptly as it is im-Cor. of J. G. Graham Sur No. 775 State of Texas, | pay their dues promptly as it is imand the beginning Cor. of said And-County of Taylor | In the District possibly to continue the work witherson sur. Thence S. 950 vrs. stake Court of Taylor County, Texas. The out funds. Please attend to this at Mrs. G. M. Hall.

Whereas by virtue or an execution EXTRA SESSION NATIONAL CON-GRESS, TARIFF REVISION, ETC.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

The most popular general news THE BAIRD STAR.

Baird, Texas.

Old Papers For Sale .- At THE

CLUBBING RATES.

THE STAR and Dallas News one year. \$1.75.

THE STAR and Houston Post one year, \$1.75. THE STAR and Fort Worth Record One year, \$1.75.

We have 3 Standard planters to close out at \$25,00—B. L. Boydstan 14.tf.

YOU SHOULD ATTEND ANNUAL REUNION UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS

CHATTANOOGA TENNESSEE. MAY 27-29, 1913.



Will provide special equipment and

THE OUICKEST SCHEDULE

Ask T. & P. ticket agents for full onations and routes, or write

> GEO. D. HUNTER. General Passenger Agent Dallas, Texas.

J. H. ROWLEY, Agent, Baird.

THE HOT DAYS



are upon us and the question soon will be, "How to keep cool and refreshed." Our Soda Fountain is the finest in West Texas and with it always the best and most refreshing drinks.

IN A FEW DAYS

We will start our Cream Department and as usual will that famous ALTA VISTA CREAM, which has no equal for purity, and coming from the most sanitary Creamery in Texas. That's saying a good deal, but Inspector's Reports show it to be true.

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OUR PRESCRIPTION DEPARTMENT

Noted for its accuracy still continues to increase. There must be a reason. Competent men, pure drugs and always what you want. Its sure to increase. Let us fill your Prescriptions.

OUR OPTICAL DEPART-MENT

Also shows an increase, which must be from the success we have had fitting the many eyes the past three years. If your eyes trouble you give us a trial and be convinced we do know how.

We Have a New Line of Whist Cards With the Jumbo Figures
Also a Fine Line of Playing Cards.

J. H. TERRELL

The Druggist and Jeweler. Phone 91. Baird, Texas.

ALWAYS REFERRED TO AS THE BEST

The Baird Star.

FRIDAY, MAY, 2, 1913

Entered at the postoffice at Baird, Tex., econd class mail matter.

W. E. GILLILAND,

Editor and Proprietor.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

Terms: Cash in advance.

Four weeks constitute a month, for display ads. When display ads run three months or longer the calander month is used. Locals 5cts per line each insertion,

President Wilson has made good so far, barring part of his tariff views.

If wool does not depreciate more in price than the amount of the tariff under the present price, probably the sheep raisers will not be very greatly damaged, but who can produce proof that such will be the case.

Silos are becoming more appreciated by the farmers. The impor- Texas, Fitzgerald was the Austin Japan to believe he will be able to tance and real value of silage has correspondent of that paper, and defeat the bill that is so obnoxious never been fully understood by the Texas farmers. All of which proves the 24th Legislature Fitz helped ble to blame the nation and not the that a farmer should use his brain THE STAR man represent the 107th state of California. They do not as well as brawn in farm work.

problems to deal with right in the meetings, etc as much as we could, beginning of his administration. position, is up for revision. Then from any one. there is the left-over Panama canal muddle with England. And in the last two weeks the Jap question in California that promises no end of demand for free grub via the tariff trouble with the Little Brown Man.

man" is the farmer, as proof of this we refer to the Underwood tariff bill. farmer receives only 46 per cent of The democrats remembered the farm- the price of his produce sold in the er at Baltimore, but forgot him large cities. The transportation when they framed the Underwood lines and middle men get the other bill, just as he is always forgotten 54 per cent, We noticed the other when a tariff law is framed by any day where cabbage was rotting on party, it seems.

Comptroller W. P. Lane says he is a candidate for governor; which proves that Texas is the greatest state in the Union. Were it otherwise a little tomtit like Lane would not be tolerated as a candidate for high freight rates and not the farmdog pelter in the squeedunk backwoods precinct. Yet it is not im- living. possible that, by some fluke of politics, or Divine wrath he might become governor of this great state.

ten referred to in the Payne Aldrich first time since the Baltimore con- the secret of the light cost of clothlaw is the prohibitive duty on woolen vention, when Bryan double crossed ing, it is the tariff, not the high price cloth and woolen clothing, and not Champ Clark. Mr. Bryan said he of either cotton or wool. The tariff on raw wool. In place of cutting off was sorry if anything he said there the head of the rascal the democrats had injured Mr. Clark and Mr. Clark made a miss lick and cut off the the replied that it was not in the power tail by placing wool on the free of Col. Bryan or any one else to re. Inbitive, so is the tariff on cotton list. The duty on wool was the pair the injury done him at that clothing. It is claimed that only only decent thing about schedule time, but for the sake of harmony in 3 1-2 lbs of wool is used in an aver-K., that is if there was anything de the party he was willing to forgive age suit of clothes, making the tarcent or fair about it, and was the Mr. Bryan, but made it plain that iff on wool in a suit about 19 cents. only part of it that produced any he had not forgotten, or was likely If, say the tariff experts, the tariff

farmers know that the tariff effects the two have made up because indi. them the 19 cents originally paid on them but little. Perhaps so; and cations are that there are lots of wool and reduce the tariff on a \$10. perhaps they know more about it rocks in the Donk's road ahead, and suit of clothes from 7-75 to 3-77 1-2. than The News thinks they do. The bickerings between Speaker Clark We contend that he could still pay Baltimore convention expressed and Secretary of State Bryan would much sympathy for the farmer be- add to the danger of a smash up on cause they had to sell their products the route. in free markets and buy in protected markets. The Underwood bill does not reflect that sympathy unless it got mixed up in the tariff quarrel is to add more farm products to the that has been going on for years be. free list and leave a tax so high on tween the Fort Worth Record and some manufactured goods as to jus- the Waco Times-Herald. The News tify the belief that it will prove just should be careful and not mix up in as prohibitive as the Payne-Alld- such scraps, lest it be obliged to rich bill,

have not got much to crow about; ered orthodox, as one exchange puts and those who were not original it, endorses the Underwood bill Wilson men have no room to grum. from a to z. The News, as we unble about the distribution of pie. To derstand it, regardless of said bill, the surprise of the O. W. M'. a is in favor of placing everything democrat is a democrat with Wilson. produced in Texas by the farmers, That is right. We are not all smart ranchmen, truckers and horticulturenough to jump into the successful ist on the free list, while it favors a band wagon at the start and if the tariff on manufactured articles. If

candidate before the nomination is to chew on this cud a while and remof the delegates to the Baltimore convention were opposed to Wilson. Bryan nominated Wilson and Roose velt elected him by splitting the republican party wide open, consequently if the democratic party is to hold together President Wilson must recognize all factions of the democratic party-and he is doing this. The school master is a better politician than some of his originals expected.

in harness again just as we all ex-

The cities are kicking about the high price of food stuff, hence the route. The claim is made that the high price of produce is not the tar-It is out at last, the "Forgotten iff but the belicits in marketing farm preducts. It is claimed that the the farms because the farmers were only offered \$3. per ton while cabbage was worth \$30.00 per ton in Chicago. The farmer is blamed for the high cost of living, but some of them can barely live at present prices. Poor market facilities and er is the real cause of high cost of

The imquity in schedule K so of. quet and spoke to each other for the

The old reliable Dallas News has tell just what it believes .- Kilgore

Chronicle. So far the original Wilson men The News, in order to be consid-

made, are elligible for office, there ocratic President's cabinet trying to remembered that another bill was would be no offices to distribute. It control the action of a soveriegn passed making it a criminal offense is well for the original Wilson men state don't appeal to an old time for a saloon to keep open after 9:30 tended to "Juan" a hearty welcome. ember too that more than two-thirds thing to do under the circumstances. 9:30 closing act will become a law travening any treaty made by the comptroller, who passes upon all apnational government with a foreign plications for saloon license, could nation. California has not indicat. make such modification as necessary ed that they intended to pass such a in the oath as to comply with the law-in fact Gov. Johnson emphati- intent, not the letter of the law. cally denies that they will do so, Lane made it clear that he would but because the Japs got their back would construe the law as it reads, up about it President Wilson wished which was nothing more nor less to avoid everything that would of than a play to the pro gallery for fend the susceptibilities of the Little votes for governor. Poor old Texas; Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald is back Brown Man, so he sent Col. Bryan she will be in a bad way if such a to California to confer with the gov- small potatoe as the present Comppected. He is now managing editor ernor and legislature. The chances troller should land in the governor's of the Fort Worth Record and is are that the California legislature chair, making good. Hugh Fitzgerald is will pass the bill just as though one of the brightest newspaper men Mr. Bryan was not there and then in Texas and his work on the Record the Japs will be madder than ever. shows that he is as full of vim and If it should turn out this way the push as ever. Away back yonder visit of Mr. Bryan which seems to in the days when Col. W. L. Malone have molified Japan, may prove to was making the old Fort Worth Ga. be the worst kind of a blunder, bezette one of the best daily papers in cause his visit seems to have caused ranked among the best of 'em. In to them, and if he fails they are lia. district in many ways and of course seem to understand that the national we reciprocated by helping him in government has no power to coerce President Wilson has some knotty gathering news items of committee a state so long as the state does not come in conflict with the national but Fitz is a born newspaper man laws. California don't want any The tariff, always a dangerous pro- and does not need much assistance more Japs and is determined to prevent them from gaining any further foothold in that state,

If the price of wool will not effect the price of cotton as some claim we would like to ask these questions Suppose with free wool the price of wool should decline in the United States so that we could buy a good woolen suit of clothes for the same price we now pay for a cotton suit, won't the people prefer wool to cotton clothing? Will not the cheapening of woolen clothing then cause decrease in the demand for cotton clothing and force the price of cotton clothing down. If the price of cotton goods decrease in price won't it force the price of raw cotton down? That we have for several years been paying more for cotton clothing than we could once buy woolen clothing is a well known fact. What is the cause, high tariff on wool? Certainly not; the high tariff on clothing, both cotton and woolen is the cause of the high price. The duty Champ Clark and William Jen. on woolen clothing under the Paynenings Bryan recently met at a ban. Aldrich bill is 79:56 per cent. cotton clothing 50 per cent. Here is on some woolens is nearly 100 per cent, ranging from 60 to 99-70 per cent. The tariff on woolens is proto ever forget the trick Bryan played on raw wool is retained the manuhim on that memorable occasion, facturer must have a compensatory The Dallas News says that the Well all democrats will rejoice that duty to make it up, so they give the 19 cents on wool and beat the much better than I expected to see Englishman in the market because the Englishman would have to pay again, glad to have you with us

> Gov. Colquitt spoiled Comptroller disapproval of the bill. Lane saw in this bill a chance to put every sahad observed the law. The law required a saloon keeper in applying mentally. for a renewal of license to swear

The idea of a member of the Dem- to correct the error. It must be things so pleasant, any legal right to pass any law con- Looney rendered an opinion that the vert at the throne of matrimony.

BURNT BRANCH LOCALS.

April 21st .- Uncle "Juan" the 'Juan' for The Review, he cannot would be well fixed. us often in person or by pen. - Cross old Thee Morgan ranch.

the Review man for his high compliment and high opinion of us as a Cutbirth says, "it is just like this," You see, my friend, there are two listed. men, and only two, who can read P. M. Gen. Burleson says the our handwriting since we went blind present P. M's, are not to be reon one side. Bill Gililand and moved at present only for cause. referred to and thus we know it: Re. the victor belongs the spoils. cently we had occasion to communicate with some of our friends by means of the "faber." Will Boyd. needed work has been done and done stun, the Baird prince of merchants, out in God's universe was "my promise to pay, etc." Otis Bowyer, my lawyer friend, said "Good Lord!" another good friend and lawyer, said and we say thanks. "it may be a letter, if not, what?, but deponeth saith not and consigned waste basket. Charley Mahan, the music man, looked and fumbled and fumbled and looked, "I would as soon undertake the job of tuning a tin pan as to attempt to read that. And Doctors Powell, Griggs and Fraser with one accord decided they would just as soon attempt to cure a fellow of that dreaded disease, Pellagra, and in reality they thought that attempted communication would cure and be the only cure for the aforesaid and the same But Blanton and Gilliland came to the rescue and read it off without a bobble and replied accordingly. Now, you see I have a good excuse for not writting you, you would have to employ B or G to read the blamed stuff for you, and as they are high priced men you would find the investment too expensive, so we will compromise, you come to see me and we will go fish-

Visited Baird the past week, found all O. K. and was pleasantly greeted with hearty handshakes by my many good friends in said city, "How are you making it "Juan" looking so you." "Glad you are on your pegs freight. The "Infant industry" is again," and many other kindly exbut it takes grit, grace and greenbacks to successfully tide a hard Lane's little play to the prohibition galleries by vetoing the 9:30 closing law because of a clerical bust in the bill fare is a clerical bust in the bill. Lane is so infinitely small stand the bodily afflictions visited upon you, grace to sustain you himself he imputes an unworthy mo-tive to the governor because of his backs for a blamed doctor, and as posess this combination to a limited loon keeper in Texas out of business, no matter how faithfully they had observed the law. The law re-

Many thanks to Hon. Ben Russell Uncle Bill and a host of others for that he had not kept his saloon open after 12 o'clock at night or opened kindness shown me while at Baird, band wagon at the start and if the policy of the democratic or any other party is to be that only those who advocate the cause of the successful corrected if it will "show us."

before 6 a. m. since 1909. The present law permits the saloons to open at 5 a. m. Gov. Colquitt will ask the legislature at the called session gentleman and Mrs. Russell makes

Drs. Griggs and Fraser were on hand like counterfeit dollars and exdemocrat, yet it may be the best p. m. or open before 6 a. m., so the My other medical friend, Powell had gone to Gray County on business. Every lawyer, and many who are July 1 regardless of what the called Dr. Poindexter looked young and not lawyers, know that no state has session may do. Attorney General spry as ever. He is a recent con-

> Thanks to Judge Ely, our efficient County Judge, for kindness shown. to Baird, but must desist for this and a grander generation never time, with love and good will for the existed as that from which they whole push.

the stock. Many are streaking later planting when it rains you own. know

Wristen & Johnson have opened charge and seem to be doing a land office business. The above firm now have houses at several points.

reading his letters in The Star. Visit a string of nice young steers at the were full sized and the other two

The Mahair seems to have been We kindly thank our young friend on a big tare and as the Mexican would say: agua bus tan ta. The draw at Callahan School House got scribbler of the local happenings of up to the foothills. But Finch and the Burnt Branch country. But as Brown seem to have been "God's my cld friend and neighbor, J. B. forsaken" as they get no rain, like visitor Monday. the Burnt Branch they are "black-

Judge Blanton are the gentlemen You are not like "old hickory" "To

On the Cross Plains road at Turkey Creek at the old town some well, also some work on the new road says the only thing he could make leading north from said city, which is always ready to respond freely on all road improvements. Road matters are in good shape in these Mrs. S. B. Thomason this week, and passed it up. Hon Ben Russell parts to the credit of all concerned

The school at Burnt Branch under the able management of Prof. Julian that place. the aforesaid and the same to the Mauldin, closed Friday with an entertainment at night to the great Gray were united in marriage at Eula satisfaction of all.

large tank.

I was once sent post baste for a Charlie Bradley has a broken doctor to see a fellow and during my shoulder which is the result of his absence the fellow turned up his getting off of a moving freight train toes. On our arrival the doctor, the other day. Mr. Bradley was somewhat under the influence of down to Baird and decided to come booze, called the man by name, felt home on a freight. The freight of his heart which had ceased to didn't happen to stop at Clyde but beat and said: "dead as h-, by Charley did,

jing." This is the present condition

of grain in the Burnt Branch country Thanks "Uncle Jimmie" you could not wish me better than a big tank of water. "Juan "

April 26th-We note with sorrow the death of Grandma Malthy, relic of the late Capt. Maltby an old frontier man and Indian fighter of early Texas times. We knew the family in Burnett County before I could write all day after a visit they came to this county to reside sprang. One by one these grand Martin Jones & Bros. are out old landmarks are passing to the grazing the grain and watering great beyond. We will never see their like again, but a just and the grain land off prepatory to a righteous God will take them to His

"Juan "

A discovery of seven skeletons of up a house at Admiral with Sam in human beings has just been made in Senator H. P. Brelsford's pasture, about two miles northwest from Eastland, Texas. The skeletons My old friend, John Walker has were found among great cliffs of inimitable county correspondent of received a very good rain, and is rock. From indications, two seem The Baird Star, was a pleasant stirring the ground and doing around to have been old men, one nearly Terminal caller Friday last. Though right shary. I told John if I had seven feet in height, and having a we cannot secure the services of his rain and he had my wealth we chin and jaw bone the inside of which can easily fit over an ordinary deny us the privilege and pleasure of I see Lou Hadley is feeding quite man's chin. Three of the skeletons appeared to have been about three years old. -Coleman Voice.

FROM THE CLYDE ENTERPRISE.

Frank Woodward was a Baird

Mrs Bowman, widow of Warren Bowman, is visiting relatives in Clyde this week.

Harry Willson and sister, Miss Minnie, were in Baird on business Monday.

Mr. Wheeler of the Clyde Drug

Store visited home folks in Baird Sunday. Misses Chlorisee Adams and Kizzie Dobbins visited Mrs. John Prew at

Baird Sunday. Eugene Melton and family, of Cross Plains, are visiting his sister

Ben Halsted of Baird, was in town Wednesday evening trying to buy some Jersey cows for his dairy at

Mr. Tom South and Miss Ester last Sunday, Rev. Hudson perform-We learn that Sam Long of the ing the ceremony. The Enterprise Dressy country purposes to build a wishes them a long, happy and use-

THIS BANK Wants Your Business

We confess it. On the other hand, we know we are justified in thus asking your patron-'age. We not only offer our depositors every facility to be found in a modern institution, together with courteous consideration and the best of service, but we also assure you of Security for your money, Strength and Stability in management and methods. : : : We will appreciate your business.

The First National Bank of Baird

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS.

J. F. Dyer, President. W. S. Hinds, Cashier

Henry James, VicePresident. J. W. Turner, Asst. Cashier.



LADIES READY-TO-WEAR GOODS.

We desire to call your special attention to our Ladies Ready-to-Wear Department. Summer clothes are now the topic of the hour and we can supply you the best of everything needed. We have received several shipments recently that have placed us in the lead as Ready-to-Wear dealers The variety, price, style and quality of our goods merit your closest inspection and consideration. In connection with Summer needs, we also remind you that our store is spacious, cool and a pleasant place to shop.



Ladies Dress Department.

Our Ladies Dress Department is complete. A recent shipment of Charmeuse and Messaline and Silk Dresses for evening wear gave us the best stock in town. These dresses are of the most popular designs, trimmed in the most up-to-date materials, and of the latest shades. We show them in Black, Brown, Nell Rose, Copenhagen and French Blue. Price \$10.00 to \$16.50. Besides these we have many pretty dresses in Pique, Linen, and Flaxon, which are excellent for street wear. Prices \$3.00 to \$5.00. Then we have a nice asssortment of House and Street dresses shown in the most popular materials. Price. \$2.25 to \$3.00. We also have a pretty showing of Children's dresses, of all sizes and kinds. Be sure to see these little frocks. Price 65c to \$3.00.

Summer Parasols.

A parasol is really a necessity, and we are offering beautiful line. See them before you buy a parasol.

Ladies Skirts, and Underwear

If you need a new skirt, we are featuring many pretty designs in Linen, Piques, Gray, Champagne, Blue and Black Serges, also the Shepard Checks in Black and Tan, which are the most popular weaves of the day. Besides many Gray and Tan novelty designs. Price \$3.00 to \$8.50.

We are carrying a larger stock of Ladies Underwear than ever before. We have for your inspection six different kinds of Ladies' Union Suits, these are both in the mesh and plain fine ribbed styles. They will be mighty comfortable for the hot days soon to be in evidence. Price 35c to \$1.00. We also have a large assortment of Ladies underwear at Bargain Prices.

Summer Waists.

This summer, as always, we have by far the largest assortment of lingerie waists to be found in Baird, Both high and low neck styles are shown in lawn, voile and other sheer Summer fabrics. Moderately priced.

Millinery Department.

Our stock of Ladies hats is still very complete, a recent shipment including two dozen shapes places us in position to offer you a very wide variety for you to select from. Because we have the only millinery store in Baird is no reason why we should let our stock run down, but during the entire season we intend to keep the latest in Ladies Hats, and always offer our customers the best and latest to be had without them having to go to other towns to get what they want. My Milliners are ever ready to help you plan and design your Summer hat. Be sure to call and see our Millinery if you need anything in that line.

Long Linen Coats.

We also have a nice line of long Linen Coats, which are just the thing for the lady who drives or motors, or if you are going away this summer you will need one Price \$1.50 to \$3.50.

THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE. WILL D. BOYDSTUN

Millinery

Dry Goods

T. & P. TIME TABLE.

9:10 a. m. 12:20 p. m. 1:10 a. m. West Bound. No. 7 arrives - 2:40 p. m. - 4:00 p. m.

- 4:15 a. m. Trains No. 7. and 8. stop at Trains No. 3. 4. 5. and 6, are through trains to El Paso.

J. H. Rowley, Agent.

PERSONAL MENTION

See change in Tidwell Bros, ad.

Miss Jennie Harris of Admiral, was in town yesterday,

Sheriff F. F. and Mrs. Rains visited in Abilene Wednesday evening. Walter Gray of Coleman, spent

Tom Young and Dan McCollister from the Bayou country, spent several days in Baird the past week.

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Mrs. Belle Lowe, of Rockwall, 18 visiting her sister, Mrs. J. D. Boydstun and other relatives in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Crutchfield visited Mr. Crutchfield's parents at Admiral, Sunday.

J. C. Jones, Sr. of Admiral, was in Baird Friday, Mr. Jones paid

Mrs. Graham, nee Miss Frankie Oliver, of Dallas, is the guest of Mrs. L. M. Hadley.

Tuesday from a visit with relatives all stockmen. The sale was made at Mingus.

Mrs. Louis Williamson returned Sunday from a three week's visit with relatives at Dallas.

Capt, and Mrs. J. W. Jones were in from the ranch on Clear Creek vesterday

Haynie Gilliland accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Lowery Blakley, was in from Clear Creek, Sunday,

Farley Bell, of Dallas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bell, the latter part of last week.

J. R. Black, county attorney, is reported quite sick with typhoid feer at the home of his parents at

"Colonel" Dyer with the assistance of Bill Ray, boat builder, recently constructed a boat with which he will navigate the Hubbard.

Mr and Mrs. O. L. Phillips, of Rotan, spent several days in Baird Fort Worth, were the guests of Mr. ast week with Oris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Green a few days and Mrs. R. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Powell, after spending sevaral days with Gray's Miss Lens, left last Friday night for parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Powell, Okarche, Oklahoma, where they will went to their home at Cross Plains Friday of last week.

New Autos.

Four new Buick machines were re-Ars. L. M. Hadley.

Mrs. J. F. Greenrock returned

J. I. McWhorter, and C. B. Snyder, by Walter Grav of Coleman County
assisted by Seth Hadley of Baird
for the Buick people.

Of our old customers and to make
new friends. Call and see him.

21 Holmes Drug and Jewelry Co.

hands are busy at the dipping vats the Holmes Drug Co., has returned

yesterday from Fort Worth, where she has been spending sometime with her danghter, Mrs. Crossley.

came up from Cross Plains, Sunday Cutbirth, Sr., for several weeks. to visit the home folks. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hutchison have moved to the "Virginia Ranch" day night accompanied by his little which they recently purchased from nephew, Master Charles Caylor, W. D. Boydstun

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walker returned Monday from a prospecting trip to Balmorhea, and other points in the Pecos valley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. George, of

Mrs. J. H. Beck and daughter, spend the summer with Mr. Beck, who is farming there.

Watch Repairing, Engraving and General Jewelry Work.

Our Mr. Nixon has returned to Baird and will be pleased to meet all

Stock Inspector Parker and all Jeweler, who formerly worked for and will again make his home in Baird. He will be found at his old place in Holmes Drug Store.

Mrs. Jasper McCoy returned Monday from Stiles, Reagan county, where she has been visiting her fath-Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Boydstun er and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam

> Lee Estes went down to Ft. Worth Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. P. C. Caylor. He returned home Sun-

> Mr. and Mrs. Rusk Williams reurned the first of the week from Roscoe, where they spent several weeks. Rusk has been running the engine on the road from Roscoe to

Harry Meyer, A. W. Sargent and A. H. Crawford attended the reunion of the Dallas Consistory, Scottish Rite Masons last week. They had a splendid time and the largest class ever initiated, about 250 at Dallas. Saturday night the Shriners had a three ring performance at the Coliseum when 500 candidates were marched across the burning sands.

Our Responsibility.

We feel that our bank is worthy of your trust and confidence. Will you listen a moment while we tell you why? This bank takes pride in its reputation of carefully safeguarding the interests of its depositors. Every dollar of our capital and surplus stands ready to protect the depositors, to insure them that we are sound. Every stockholder stands liable for double the amount of his stock as a further quarantee that all is well. Every officer, director and stockholder is proud of the record this bank is making, and feels personally responsible for the confidence reposed in this bank by its patrons. We invite your confidence We hope to continue to merit your friendship and es-

YOUR ACCOUNT WILL BE APPRECIATED.

The Home National Bank of Baird

S. L. Driskill, Pres. Harry Meyer, V. P. H. Ross, V. P. T. E. Powell Cashier

F. L. Driskill, Asst. C. Will C. Franklin, Aust. C.

Young Women

Read what Cardui did for Miss Myria Engler, of Faribault, Minn. She says: "Let me tell you how much good Cardui has done me. As a young girl, I always had to suffer so much with all kind of pain. Sometimes, I was so weak that I could hardly stand on my feet. I got a bottle of Cardui, at the drug store, and as soon as I had taken a few doses, I began to feel better.

Today, I feel as well as anyone can."

Woman's Tonic

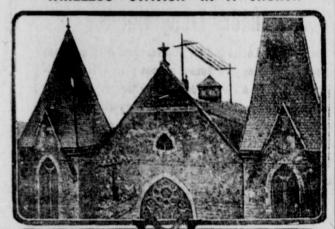
Are you a woman? Then you are subject to a large number of troubles and irregularities, peculiar to women, which, in time, often lead to more serious trouble.

A tonic is needed to help you over the hard places, to relieve weakness, headache, and other unnecessary pains, the signs of weak nerves and over-work.

For a tonic, take Cardui, the woman's tonic. You will never regret it, for it will certainly help you. Ask your druggist about it. He knows. He sells it.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanoogo, Tenn., ecial Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. J 59

WIRELESS STATION IN A CHURCH





Rev. Horace K. Holtzinger of Philadelphia has installed a complete wire-less outfit in the Fifth Street M. E. church, where he will have classes in wireless telegraphy as an inducement for the boys and young men to come to church. The upper picture shows the roof of the church with the posts and wires of the wireless; the lower picture shows the clergyman in the study of the church receiving a message.

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Phone 239.



RALPH

My English Shire Drafthorse, Ralph, will make the senson at my place in north Baird, Thursdays excepted. Will be at Clyde on Thurs day of each week. I will not be responsible for accidents.

John G. Hancock

DALLAS COUNTY MAN REPORTS \$5,000 LOSS

E. SCHEPLER, NEAR GRAND PRAIRIE, SAYS "CONFIDENCE" MEN VICTIMIZED HIM.

TWO FRENCHMEN DISAPPEAR

Negotiated with Him About Taking Girl Into Home and Switched Boxes When Money Appeared.

Grand Prairie, Texas.-A. E. Schep ler, a well-to-do Frenchman and a far mer, advices the authorities that he was a victim of two "confidence" men here when \$5,000 in gold and currency was taken from him.

was taken from him.

According to reports the men had been negotiating with Schepler for placing in the farmer's care "a 7 year-old niece, whom the pair were desirous of placing in a good home that she might be educated." The girl was supposed to have been in Fort Worth.

As an avidance of good faith, and

As an evidence of good faith and to As an evidence of good faith and to show the strangers, who declared they were very wealthy, that Schepler was able to provide a good home for the little girl, the strangers aksd Schepler, he says, to show them \$5,000 so they might become satisfied they were making no mistake in placing in Schepler's hands "\$10,000 which they were going to leave to pay for the girl's care and education."

Schepler says he went to the bank

Schepler says he went to the bank Schepler says he went to the bank at Grand Prairie and drew out \$5,000, taking it home, where he was met by the visitors. The money was shown to them, and immediately the two men produced a roll that appeared to Mr. Schepler to be the \$10,000. It was all placed in an iron box. Mr. Schepler understood that the box was to be left in his care, and after it had been placed in a grip the men agreed to leave the gold and currency at the farmer's house.

at the farmer's house.

It appears that there were two boxes both alike, and an act of deception was executed when the first box was was placed in the grip, the one hither-to hidden having been placed in the farmer's hands.

The two visiting Frenchmen left the Schepler home about 7 o'clock. About bedtime the Scheplers became suspicious, opened the box and found it contained some rubbish.

COTTON OFFICES TO DALLAS. Headquarters of Southern States Or-

ganization Moved from Macon. Dallas, Texas.—The general offices the Southern States Cotton corof the Southern States Cotton cor-poration will be moved from Macon. Ga., to Dallas, by vote of the stock-holders, in session here Monday, and upon motion of George Dole Wadley, president of the corporation, that the offices be so moved.

Part of the change has already been effected the commany now having

effected, the company now having quarters in the Slaughter building. The vote of the stockholders author-izes the complete move of the general offices to Dallas from Macon, Ga., where heretofore they have been lo

stockholders of the Southern States Cotton corporation, in connection with which a cotton growers' convention lasting three days was held

MEXICAN OUTLOOK SERIOUS.

Huerta and Diaz Declared to Be Draw ing Up Troops.

Washington.—A rapidly growing sit uation in the City of Mexico, fraught with friction between the Huerta and the Diaz factions of the provisional government is reported in confidential advices and these reports are aug-mented by agents of the Carranza con-

ed camps. Huerta has added to the infantry at the National palace and Diaz has camped much of the artil-lery on his estate, Hacienda del Cristo, about thirty miles away. Mondra-gon, minister of war, is in practical possession of the citadel where other Basket leaves Mondays and Wed. possession of the citadel where artillery forces are quartered.

El Paso, Texas.-Ex-rebel troops under Gen. Jose Inez Salazar mutinied at Casas Grandes, refusing to proceed in the campaign against the constitutionalists of Chihushua. Salazar, with his staff officers, is reported to be held prisoner by his own men. The Salazar, with troops, whose leader had accepted the Huerta national government, were dered to proceed to Chihuahua to ter the active campaign against the insurgents threatening the state capital. The order met with refusal by a majority of the men.

Federals Occupy Reata.

Washington.—Reata, south of Mon-clova, stronghold of the Carrancista forces, has been occupied by Huerta according to official

Duchess of Connaught Very III.

London.—Grave anxiety is caused by the condition of the Duchess of Connaught, wife of the governor-gen-real of Canada, who underwent an operation for appendicitis on April 10.

Jewelers of Texas to Meet in Dallas. The State Retait-Jewelers' association will hold its annual convention in Dallas May 5 and 6. About 200 or more retail jewelers from all parts of Texas are expected to attend.

ONE DEAD, 5 INJURED IN FIRE

Auto Party Discovers Flames and Awakens Sleeping Family.

Richardson, Texas.--Five members of the family of Luther Terry were

of the family of Luther Terry were more or less seriously injured and one child, an infant, was burned to death as the result of a fire which destroy-ed the house occupied by them, a half mile south of Richardson. The seriously injured are Mrs. Ter-ry, probably fatally; Mr. Terry and Miss Marie Terry, aged 17 years. It is believed that Mr. Terry and Miss Marie will recover. The slightly in-jured are two girls of the family, aged

jured are two girls of the family, aged 5 and 11 years. The family were all asleep when the fire was discovered by an autor bile party that chanced to be passing dlong the road near the house. The members of the auto party stopped to nvestigate and awakened the sleepers on the first floor, who endeavored to rescue the other members of the famly who were sleeping on the se

CHINESE INTERESTED IN BILL.

Legation so far Has Refrained from Protesting at State Department.

Washington.-Secretary Bryan is not expected to spend more than a week at Sacramento conferring with Gov. Johnson and the state legislature over the proposed anti-alien land laws. From semi-official sources it was said that Mr. Bryan expected to present the views of President Wilson and do all possible to relieve friction betwe the United States and Japan over that legislation in time to be back in Wash-

ington May 7.

In official circles it was suggested that the energy with which Japan had protested against the enactment of the pending alien land-holding legislation in California had served to obscure the fact that many Chinese would be affected by such laws, though not in proportion to the Japanese residents. The Chinese legation, though noting the facts, has refrained from lodging any protest at the state department while awaiting instructions from Pe kin as well as the issue of the nego tiations between America and Japan regarding the question of alien land

HUERTA FORCED TO MAKE FIGHT

Dozens of Battles Have Occurred Dur ing Week in Various Parts.

City of Mexico.-Further evidence of the Northern rebels was given day when several hundred of them well armed and mounted, captured the town of Vanegas, on the National railway, in the state of San Luis Potos They cut the railway to the north and then moved over to Matehuala, a min-ing and smelting center.

Dozens of engagements have occur-red during the last week in various parts of the republic. The majority of these have been victories for the federals, according to reports here but in no case have the rebels los heavily. The greatest rebel losses were at Reata, where their casualties are said to have numbered 150.

The rebels continue to cover new territory and cripple transportation facilities. More than 2,500 miles of the National railway system are out of commission. To this is added a long stretch of the Southern Pacific, south of Guaymas, and other short independent lines.

The inability, up to date, of the government to float a loan is a serious handicap but, notwithstanding this, President Huerta is doggedly forcing the campaign.

BULGARIA AND GREECE QUARREL

Serious Controversy Over Possession of Saloniki-Armies Are Mobilized.

rapidly drifting toward war over the possession of Saloniki, according to reports from that town. The Greeks have mobilized every

available soldier and concentrated one army in the neighborhood of Saloniki, while another is being landed at Or-fani, in the Gulf of Orfani, to watch and Kavala. The victorious Epiru army from Janina is being distribute

strategical frontier

along the new strategical frontier from Saloniki to Orfani. In the meantime, adds the correspondent, the Bulgarians have sus pended passenger traffic between De-deaghatch and Saloniki and are utilizing the railway for concentration of troops in the neighborhood of Drama. close to the Greek position. They have already brought one division each from Adrianople, Chatalja and Bulair and it is estimated that the Bulgars now have 90,000 soldiers facing the Greeks and a Servian force, supporting the Greeks, which is assembling along the railway north of Saloniki and on the right side of the Vardar

Ruling on Post-Cards

Washington.—Postmaster General Burleson has ordered that unpaid, mis directed, unmailable and unclaimed postal cards as well as post-cards deposited for the local delivery be returned to the sender when they bear card address. Twelve million post cards annually, it is estimated, will be returned under the order.

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Murry Hill Club 1.50	"	5.50
J. C. W	. 44	4.00
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Hill & Hill Quart \$1.00	Gallon	\$3.75
International	"	3.75
Parker Rye	"	5.00
Stone River Bourbon 1.00	44	3.50
Pure White Corn	**	3.00
Arkansaw Apple Brandy 1.00		4.00
Maryland Peach Brandy 1.25	**	5,00
Black Berry Brandy		3.00
Apricot Brandy	10	3.75
Grappa Brandy 1.00	"	4.00
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AGREEMENT SIGNED FOR 5-POWER LOAN

CHINESE GOVERNMENT HAS AF SUM OF \$125,000,000.

DISSENSION IN THE CAPITAL

Spokesman for Senate and House Explains That Parliament Considers Loan Illegal.

Pekin.-China's day of prayer di not prove entirely peaceful, due not prove entirely peaceful, due is dissension over the five-power loar. The loan, which is for \$125,000,000 was signed Sunday.

A delegation from the senate and house of representatives gathered outside the British bank, where the rejugation of the senate and the senate and

resentatives of the government and the five-power group met. The vice president of the senate acted a spokesman for the delegation, when an opportunity was given him to confer the majority in the parlis

ment considered the loan illegal.

Since the dynastic days the quetion of a loan has been discussed i various forms and it threatens now bring about another revolution similar to that caused by the Hu Kuan loan. The situation is about as fo

Chinese government have arranged the loan practically for Yuan Shi Kai' cabinet, which Yuan Shi Kai com pletely dominates, the cabinet con-tends that the government has a right to conclude such a contract because the permanent assembly has not ye the permanent assembly has not ye been constituted, and therefore ap proval of the six power loan by the provisional assembly holds good. It addition to the withdrawal of the Uni-ted States from the combination, oth er alterations have been made in th ntract since the assembly approve

The Kwo-Ming-Tang party, which i the dominating political party, would remove Yuan Shi Kai by parliamen-tary means or force, but neither is possible, while the president controls the army at Pekin. The adherents of the Kwo-Ming-Tang party to not desire to withdraw to Kanging for the purpose of establishing a parliament there, because such action would re sult in disruption between the north and south. The deadlock at presen

INSURANCE COMPANIES SUED.

Attorney General of Missouri Files Anti-Trust Suit in Court.

Jefferson City, Mo .- Attorney Gen eral Baker has filed in the supreme court quo warranto proceedings against a number of fire insurance companies on a charge of violating the anti-trust law in combining to with-draw from the state. The attorney general asked that the companies be

against 109 companies belonging to the Western Insurance Union. The information charges that the

companies have entered into an un-lawful combination to refuse to write insurance in Missouri, thus leaving the people of the state without ade quate insurance protection and to can-cel policies hereafter written, which would cause a financial calamity

The attorney general asks that the supreme court issue an order restraining agreeetacmfewtacmfetacmfecmfff ing the companies from carrying out their agreement to quit the state and to impose such a fine as the cour may deem necessary to prevent them from again entering into a similar unlawful combination.

Austria Issues Ultimatum.

London.-"Take immediate combin ed action to turn the Montenegrins ed action to turn the Montenegrins out of Scutari or we shall do it alone," declares a circular note sent by the Austro-Hungarian government to the powers. The note is virtually an ultimatum. Austro-Hungary declares the prestige of the powers has been violated, and Austro-Hungary demands that the powers decide promptly on steps to be taken to restore that press to restore that pres tige, adding that if the powers should be unable to reach a speedy decision she will see to it herself that the will of Europe be respected.

Essad Pasha Claims Throne of Albania

Cettinje.-Essad Pasha, the defender of Suctari, who surrendered the town to the Montenegrins and was permitted to depart with his troops has proclaimed himself king of Albania at Lessio.

A good roads organization has been perfected at Van Alstyne, and it is planned to drag the streets and roads near there after each rain with the split-log drag.

Bryce Bids Farewell to America.

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New York.—James Bryce, on the eve of his departure for home after six years as ambassador to the United States from Great Britain, said his farewell to the American people Friday night in an address here before the Pilgrims' Society of the United States. He referred with feeling to his cordial relations with the three presidents who had been in office during his service in Washington and said he had no words to convey his sense of the kindness with which he had been received during his travels

MISS HAMILTON



Miss Hamilton was the favorite grandchild of the late J. P. Morgan and was with him when he died. She and was with him when he died. She was prostrated for several days after her grandfather's death.

HUERTA-DIAZ BREAK OUTLOOK.

President Makes Military Preparation When Latter Withdraws Candidacy.

City of Mexico.-Gen. Felix Diaz has withdrawn from the race for the presidency of the republic at the elections which were to have been held in July. Tension in the capital runs high and e withdrawal of Diaz is discounted

at far more than its face value.

Huerta, too, shares with the public foreboding of serious eventualities.

Shortly after the announcement of the withdrawal of Diaz military preparations were begun and a special meeting of the cabinet called.

The action of the chamber of deputies in declining to set a date for the elections in July has produced a cabinet crisis which threatens to rupture the Diaz-Huerta alliance and which may result in the resignation of Minister of Foreign Relations De la Barra, Minister of War Mondragon, Minister of Justiec Rodolfo Reyes and Minister of Finance Esquivel Obregon.

SHIP TO BEAR GREWSOME CARGO.

Bodies of 6,000 Chinese Will Be Sent From California to Relatives.

Los Angeles. Cal.—Some time in the next month a ship will leave San Pe-dro with the most grewsome cargo that ever left Southern California. The cargo will consist of the bodies of nearly 6,000 Chinese who have died in this country in the last 50 years. It will be the largest single removal of human remains in the world's history.

The bodies are carefully wrapped, each in a separate piece of soft cloth; are then placed in boxes and carefully sealed. When the cargo reaches China the bodies will be taken in charge

y the relatives and friends.

The Chinese believe the eyes of th dead never close as long as they are buried in a foreign land, which ex-plains the reason for the strange transportation. When the work of exhuming and preparing all the bodies has been completed a special ship will be chartered.

INCOME TAX CLAUSE APPROVED.

Amendments Adopted to Make Clearer as to Insurance.

Washington.—The Democratic cauincome tax provision of the tariff bill and the net result was the adoption of three amendments, clearing up the intent of the bill in regard to insurance companies and policy holders. These three amendments were as follows:

That the proceeds of an insurance policy resulting from death of the in-sured shall not be included in the income to be taxed.

shall be included in the taxable in-That no tax shall be assessed against

That no tax shall be assessed against reserve funds of insurance companies. All attacks on the income tax provision of the bill, seeking to lower or raise the rates, or seeking to increase or decrease the exemption failed, the committee in each instance being overwhelmingly sustained.

Florac, France.—The crest of Mount Rochefort, above this town, fell of. An enormous mass of rock rolled for a mile and a half into the valley, de-stroying fields, gardens and orchards. It stopped at the outskirts of the village. No one was killed.

Chinese Five-Power Loan.

Pekin.—Negotiations between the ministry of finance and the representatives of the five power "consortium" have been in progress for some days, and it is understood that a loan contract is on the eve of signature. This is the long delayed "reorganization" loan for \$125,000,000 in which the American group was interested until it withdrew from the China field, follow President Wilson's announcement of the Democratic administration polley.

HUNDRED OR MORE MINERS LOSE LIVES

IN MINE AT FINLEYVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA.

35 BODIES WERE RECOVERED

Cause of Catastrophe Not Definitely Determined, but Charged Fire Damp.

Pittsburg, Pa.—The lives of 100 miners, possibly 120, paid the toil shortly after noon Wednesday of a disastrous explosion in the Cincinnati mine of the Monongahela River Con-solidated Coal & Coke Company at Finleyville, Pa. Over three score of workmen in the mine made thrilling escapes, crawling most of the time on their hands and knees through deadly gas fumes and over debris. Up to Thursday night 35 victims

had been recovered.

Many other bodies have been found, but so far it has been impossible to remove them because of wreckage. Rescuers have not been able to pene-trate many of the workings because of fumes and gases, and it is feared the death list will total 115. The reticent attitude of both res-

cuers and mine representatives has re-sulted in an absence of details. It has been ascertained, however, that rescuers have only been able to reach point one mile undergroundine is four miles in length

Only a few of the miners who reach ed the surface could talk. Suffering from burns or fright, the miners only new that an explosion had occurred and that a large number of men weither killed by the explosion or phyxiated by the after-damp.

Several hours after the explosion seven foreign miners crawled from one of the entrances of the mine. All were seriously burned. They could They all said, "The

mine is full of dead people."

A gas explosion is thought to have caused the disaster, although this fact has not been exactly determined. Fire damp, it is said, may have been

The Cincinnati mine, it is alleged, has been known as being gaseous. Thirty years ago there was a gas exby which nine cars blown through the tipple and half way across the Monongahela river. The mine is among the oldest in the Monongahela valley, having been in opera-tion at least 80 years.

Conditions in the mine, as far as it

could be penetrated, indicate that most of the men were not killed by the explosion, but were caught by after-damp. None of the dead was found in the rooms where the men usually work. The bodies were found scat-

tered in the entrance, where death by asphyxiation overtook the victims. Of the 90 men who entered the mine for work 38 made their escape through what is known as the Mingo entry of the mine, and 38 or 40 miners also escaped through the Courtney en-At least 100 men are unaccount-

REJOICE AT FALL OF SCUTARI.

Austria-Hungary Sets Out to Make Montenegrins Evacuate City. ondon.—News of the fall of Scu-

tari to the Montenegrins has been re-ceived with extraordinary demonstra-tions of joy in all of the allied capi-tals, notably Belgrade, and the Bulga-rian premier has sent effusive congrat-ulations to the Montenegrin premier.

The first effect of the fall of the

The first effect of the fall of the fortress has been the extension of the international naval blockade to Durazzo, but what will be the next step of the powers in facing the new situation is difficul; to foretell. According to the view prevailing at St. Petersburg, the coercion of Montenegro would not

e an easy matter.

Austria-Hungary already has made definite proposals to the powers with a view to compelling Montenegro to evacuate Scutaria, but it is not certain that such proposals will be welcon

Gives \$200,000 for Study of Cancer the cancer germ that has been reported since George Crocker gave Columbia university \$1,500,000 for that purpose three years ago was made known through the filing of the will of Henry Rutherford. Disposing of an an es tate estimated at more than \$2,000,000. Mr. Rutherford directed that \$200,000 be turned over to the Rockefeller In-stitute for Medical Research as a fund for the investigation and cure of can-

Miner's Home Dynamited.

Cripple Creek, Colo.—The home of James T. Bacon, a miner and former member of the Colorado legislature, was blown up with dynamite, killing Mrs. Bacon and her 5-year-old daughter. Bacon was rendered unconscious.

Bulgarians Leaving Saloniki.

Saloniki.—On urgent order from the Bulgarian commander at Seres, the Seventh Bulgarian artillery regimen left here for that place. The Four teenth infantry regiment is to follow

Cost of Belgium Strike

Brussels.—Competent economics with the money loss cause the recent strike for equal suffrat \$20,000,000. This, Socialists there, has been well lost if the co

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GREGG OF TEXAS ABOARD

Projectile Weighing 800 Pounds Cuts Rope in Rigging in Passing Over Dolphin.

Washington.—Eleven members of the senate and house naval affairs committees, including Representative A. W. Gregg of Texas, came within inches of being blown to pieces while witnessing naval target practice at Judith sound, 90 miles south of Washington, according to a sensational re-port here. Attempting to shoot while port here. Attempting to shoot write a thick haze hung over the water, the gunners on the monitor Tallahassee mistook for the target the yacht Dolphin, on board of which were most of the members of the official party. The 800-pound shell propelled from a 10-inch gun passed directly over the stern of the Dolphin, so close as to cut one of the ropes attached to the

cut one of the ropes attached to the yacht's rigging. The shell exploded just before striking the water and the Tommy's committee members, while thoroughly frightened, suffered nothing more se-rious than a drenching from the spray.

The old ram Katahdin, with white painted side and red flag, was being used for the target and was stationed about 14,000 yards, or seven nautical Blesse miles, from the Tallahassee. The members of the naval affairs commit-tees were on the Dolphin and on a tug which were lying at anchor about a mile away from the Katahdin.

REBELS GIVE HUERTA 30 DAYS.

Carranza Names Time in Decree to Yield or be Prepared to Leave.

San Antonio, Texas.—A decree is sued from Piedras Negras on April 25 by Venustiano Carranza, military leader of the Mexican constitutionallists, gives the officials of the Huerta have lived in and around Baird for civil and military government a period of thirty days in which to change feeling of regret we are leaving but er to the side of the constitution

The decree declares that after the expiration of the period of grace the Huerta adherents will not be given any consideration if captured. The offer of amnesty, however, does not apply to the slayers of President Francisco I. Madero and Vice President to meet in the great beyond Pino Suarez.

The decree is one of a set of three just issued by the constitutionalist The other two make provis ions for the recognition of Carranza as "President ad interim" after the "victorious constitutionalists shall have entered the City of Mexico in triumph," and for the repud'ition of all acts of Huerta and the men appointed by him or those who shall recognited by him or those who shall recognite by him or the recognited by him or the recognition of all acts of Huerta and the men ap-pointed by him or those who shall re- you will want to come and see the

Any loans contracted by Heurta or is official, the manifestos declare, will not be recognized.

FLOOD AREA 900 SQUARE MILES. Big Break in Main Line Levee of Mississippi in Upper Louisiana.

Natchez, Miss.—The long threatened break in the main line of the Mississippi river levees along the west bank in upper Louisiana came Sunday morning when the Lake St. John levee went out, turning the floow waters loose upon the fine farming lands and villages of lower Tensas, practically all of Concordia and parts of Catahoula and Franklin parishes. ter will flow back into the Mississippi through Black and Red rivers.

Residents of the affected territory had ample warning that a break was imminent and it is not believed that there has been loss of life. Practicattle to stock the ranch. eally all livestock had been moved to the hills on the Mississippi side of the river steamers and a score of

Natchez and Vicksburg to aid in rescu-pight of last week. His left arm ing those who might be caught in the might of last week. His left arm Hall.

fied in Passing Alien Land Law.

New York .- That the state of Cali-

land in that state, he said

and in that state, he said:
"The attitude of California, I think, is perfectly just and in accord with legislation that has been enacted in Japan. An anti-alien land bill has passed the diet in my country."

He decried the possibility of war between the two countries.

Roosevelt Takes a Hand.

Sacramento, Cal. — Col. Theodore Roosevelt, it is learned, has sent Gov. Johnson a telegram in which he argues in strong terms against the state legislature passing an alien land owning bill that will discriminate against the Japanese. Gov. Johnson has not made the telegram public, but the Progressives seem to be informed of the contents of the message.

CLASS RALLY.

The Hesperean Class of the Presbyterian Sunday School will give s Class Rally at the church next Sunday night, May 4th, 1913, beginning promptly at 8:15 o'clock. Follow. ing is the program to be rendered:

The Cross.

When His Salvation Bringing. I Ain't Afraid .- George Thomas

Glory to the King .- Carmine Oliphant.

People Will Talk.

Glad Hosannas.

The Telegram. - Beatrice Ander-

Gentle Words.

When Over The Hills .- Agnes Nitschke.

Praise The Lord With Singing. How the Organ Was Paid For. Beatrice Anderson and Norma Lee

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hamilton.

Street Carnival.

John Blakley of Belle Plaine was in town yesterday. John is com-plaining of feeling under the weather. rheumatism and so on. We how to sympathize with him.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jesse James left Tuesday for their new home on the ranch near Stiles, Reagan county. Jesse went out about ten days ago

Walter Morgan, employed at the before he can do any hard work.

Wilson Fraser, after spending a bills is the opinion of Capt. Uyene of the Imperial Japanese army, Japanese military attache at the Japanese embassy in London, who arrived here on his way to Tokyo.

When most loved.

Wilson Fraser, after spending a way to a foreign bimself in music. and Mrs. Fraser, left yesterday for Galveston, from where he will sail little grant Mr. and Mrs. J. Saturday. Saturday for Breman, Germany, little granddaughter, Clyde Griffith, left Wednesday via Sweetwater for Dalbart, where they will make their When questioned upon the attitude of Japan regarding the California proposition to bar Japanese from holding Wilson goes to finish his studies in future home. music under Leopold Godowsky, the ton have lived in Callahan county for famous instructor, and may be absent six months or longer. . Wilson began the study of music when a Hamilton, have made their home at mere boy, and then went to Polytechnic, where for four years he was a pupil of the late Wilbur McDonald and for the past two years he has been a teacher in the piano depart. A good front like a good line of ment of that institution and now hot air is worth as much to a man goes to Vienna to finish his studies as a line of steamships. Open your day night. under one of the most famous com- eyes, look prosperous and the world posers of the old world. THE STAB will be yours. Let us hear from you wishes Wilson the success he de- soon. E. G. Keisses, manager of subscriptions to The Ladies' Home success that hard study can achieve. shop.

SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES

Are you interested in the new styles for Spring and Summer? You may not be ready to buy yet, but surely you want to know what is going to be worn. Pay us a visit; we will be glad to show all the new creations for Spring and Summer and we'll not pester you to buy. We are only too glad to have you know how complete and upto-date our merchandise is and when you are ready to make your purchases you will not forget us. Our duty lies in knowing and showing the very latest in such a way as to satisfy the most critical shopper. This is why we have such a beautiful line of Woolens, Ratine, Bedford Cords, Suits, Dresses; also 1913 Materials for Wash Suits and Dresses, such as Linene, Crashes, Corded Weaves, Crepes and Mercerized, etc---THE VERY LATEST.

Spring and Summer Dress Goods.

Never in our history have we been enabled to show so varied and beautiful assortment of Dress Goods-Woolens, Linens, Ratines, Cords, Crepes, Voiles, Crashes, pretty Foulards, Silks, etc Also a nice line of Spring Ginghams in fast colors, Dainty Checks and Stripes.

Trimmings.

Our line of Laces and Embroideries will please you. We have Dainty Valencines, Elaborate Heavy Laces, Edges, Bandings and Madallions. Boautifu' Shadow, Edges, Banding, and Yokeing.

Neckwear. Etc.

The New Creations in Collars, Jabots, Bows and Ties for Spring are dainty and attractive. Our line of Novelties is complete in Bondeaus, Barretts, Collar Supports, Belts and Belting. Mesh and Leather Purses.



Dresses for Spring and Summer

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Summer Footwear.

Our stock of Spring and Summer Footwear is very complete. When you hold these shoes in your hand for closer inspection and note the character of the leather, insole vamp and top, and see how they are made, then you will appreciate their worth. For Women, Misses and Children, Men and Boys.

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EVERYTHING IN DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, ETC.

THE STORE THAT WANTS YOUR BUSINESS

from Cross Plains Sunday. Eldon says he broke the record for speed and breakdowns. They started from Cross Plains in an auto; broke down in town, got another; broke down near Cottonwood; got Lee Champion with his auto and got to the Mexia Creek south of town, and broke down. A friendly teamster brought them to town. Three break downs and seven and one-half hours time. That's going some, but not fast as to speed.

On Monday evening Wilson Fraser entertained the members of the round house, fell off the coal chute, O. W and W. C. with a delightful a distance of 30 feet, Thursday musical program at the K. of P. motor boats went to the crevasse from Natchez and Vicksburg to aid in rescuing those who might be caught in the overflow.

The condition of the Mascot levee, abdly bruised. It seems like a mirriacle that he was not instantly killed. We are sorry for Mr. Morgan, who has to depend on his daily labor for sustenance for himself and family, and at best it will be several months before he can do any hard work.

In sustenance of 30 feet, Thursday musical program at the K. of P. Hall. It was the regular meeting night of the Woodmen and Wilson was initiated into the order and after the close of the meeting the ladies were invited to the hall. More than an hour was spent in listening to the beautifully rendered music by sustenance for himself and family, and at best it will be several months before he can do any hard work. Circle present and the best wishes of them all go with Wilson as goes away to a foreign country to perfect

> Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hamilton and Mr and Mrs Hamilmore than thirty years and we regret to have them leave old Callahan, but

serves, and that is the very greatest Cousley's cleaning and pressing Journal and Saturday Evening Post. success that hard study can achieve. shop.

21.1t. —Miss John Gilliland.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

The following list of letters re. main unclaimed in the postoffice at jurors for the May Term of District Baird, Texas, for the week ending Court in Callaban Bounty to be held April 26, 1913. When calling for May 12th, 1913: same, please say "advertised,"

C. M. Andrews Sr. Bentma Lubia, Mrs. J. S. Mullen. Mrs. E. B. Taylor. Mrs. M. J. Wade. Geo. R. McManis. P. M

Pasture Posted.

prohibited in my pasture, north-east of town. All permits granted previous to this date is hereby revoked. C. B. Snyder, Baird, Tex., April 23, 1913 20-4p

Poultry Wanted.

will pay highest market price all kinds of market poultry. I will buy your old and young roosters. Bring your poultry to me and get Rhode Island Red and Indian Run-ner Duck Eggs \$1.00 per setting. J. R. Reed,

Baird Phone 128.

Mrs. F. L. Driskill was hostess to the Question Club Friday. Bridge was played at four tables. Guests: the Question Club Friday. Bridge was played at four tables. Guests: Misses Nan Bell, Marguerite Seale, Maude Wilson, Bernice Foy, Dora Buckels, Edith Collier, Mattie Scott Lillian Schwartz, Mesdames H. D. Driskill, Elmer Walker, W. S. Hinds L. M. Hadlny, Reynolds, Statman C. E. Walker, Graham of Dallas.

B. L. Boydstun returned from Dallas Monday night. Farley Bell went to Dallas Sun-

Wanted .- Your new or renewal

The following is a list of grand

B F Austin T E Powell S B Thomeson W P Miller Will Motley J M Jones L L McBain Sam Long H L Breeding W E Melton S F Breeding W E Pruett R. B. Harris N A Smedley

W R Williams U A Bowman The following is a list of the Petit urors for the first week of District Hunting and fishing is absolutely Court to be held May 13th, 1913, Tuesday.

> W O Gunter Walter Miller J E Cutbirth H L Willeford I N Jackson W J Stewart V T Nordike T J Hollingshead J H Appleton J S Gamble W H McGary H S Jones

J L Cavanaugh Leonard Farmer S B Edwards Roy Kendrick W A Bush L Scott F E Alvord T H Emmons J M Shelton H B Tatum

G W Dodd G P Holland S M Dunlap Walter Williams T J Havens J D Mitchell J A Clements C C Seales G E Saunders E J Kendrick Jack Wright Price McFarlane

Otto Betcher

F. F. Rains, Sheriff.

Mrs. L. M. Hadley entertained the Question Club Monday night in honor of Mrs. Graham of Dallas. Five hundred was played and at a late hour refreshments were served to Messrs and Mesdames: W. C. Powell, H. D. Driskill, Elmer Walker, F. L. Driskill, W. S. Hinds J. R. Jackson, Mrs. Graham of Dallas. Misses Bernice Foy, Nan Bell, Maria Bowyer, Margueritte Seale, Lefan Wheeler, Messrs Hill, Shackelford, McClure, Griggs and Hadley.

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