



...were unable to meet liabilities at that time.

It seems that all the war against jute bagging by the farmers was only chin music, for no cotton in western Texas is wrapped in cotton bagging. We did hope the farmers would throttle this jute business, but it seems that it was impossible to do so this year, but we hope by another year that the mills will be able to furnish cotton bagging and we hope every bale of cotton raised in the South next year will be wrapped in cotton bagging.

It is a significant fact that every independent newspaper and every so-called labor paper in the state, so far as we have noticed, are booming Hogg for governor. The rag-tag and bob tails are for Hogg, that is a settled fact. We are not alluding to Democrats, mind you, but to the sore-heads. Shall this class dictate the nominations of the Democratic party? Well, we hardly think they will. As they won't vote with the party they have no right to say whom the Democratic party shall nominate, and the best thing the party can do is to do just exactly what its opponents don't want it to do; that is, nominate a man that the sore-heads don't want. Them's our sentiments pointedly expressed.

THE STAR makes a prediction right here and now, and it is this: Not one of the suits brought by Attorney-general Hogg against the Central or any other railroad will ever result in returning one cent or one acre of land to the state. It is more than likely that the central road has received more land than its due, but the attorney should sue the railroad and not attempt to rob the people who have bought the lands in good faith. The attorney-general and some of his indiscreet friends think he did something grand when he treated the Panhandle delegation with such marked discourtesy. Has it come to pass that the right of petition is denied the people by one of our great (?) state officials. Upon what doth this great Hogg feed that he has suddenly grown so great? This Panhandle delegation evidently made a mistake and we believe a previous one, but that is no reason why this great hog in the attorney-general's office should insult them or treat them with discourtesy. By this one act, if nothing else, he shows himself unfit to be governor of Texas. And he never will be.

**Painful Boils.**  
About three years ago I was troubled with poison in my blood, very irritating and painful boils breaking out all over my body. For two years I suffered with them, trying all sorts of remedies, and doctor's prescriptions without avail. Becoming disgusted with doctors and medicines I had used up to this time, I concluded to try S. S. S. and the result was far beyond my expectations. A few bottles left me in better health than I had been since childhood. I consider S.S.S. the only medicine that will thoroughly purify poisoned blood. T. K. Mayfield, Horse Cove, Ky.

**Keep it as a Family Medicine.**  
Mr. J. J. Bradley writes from Harrison, Ga., under date of September 22, 1889: Swift's Specific (S.S.S.) has been freely used by my family with the best and happiest results. A half dozen bottles entirely relieved my sister of a severe case of scrofula. My wife has frequently found her blood purified and her health improved by S.S.S. I also had a scrofulous affection that has been entirely cured by taking a few bottles of Swift's Specific (S.S.S.).  
Treatise on blood and skin diseases mailed free.  
SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

**A NEW DEPARTURE.**  
THE STAR contemplates adding an agricultural and stock raising department, provided farmers and stock men would take sufficient interest in the matter. Our idea is this, to get farmers to write short articles, giving their experience in raising different crops, what is the most profitable crop to raise, methods of culture, etc. In stock raising, best breeds of cattle, horses, etc., to raise in Callahan county. Something of this kind would enable farmers and stock men to interchange ideas that would be of inestimable value, and worth a hundred times more to the people of the county than an agricultural paper published hundreds of miles off, whose editor knows nothing whatever of western Texas. We invite correspondence on either of the above subjects or any other that will be of interest to the farming or stock raising industry in any of its branches. Write plain and be brief as possible, as a short article would frequently get in when a long one would be crowded out—but if you will write we shall not quarrel with you about the length, so it will be of general interest to our readers.

**Money to Loan.**  
We are now prepared to loan money in sums to suit on county property. We take up and extend vendors lien notes. We have unexcelled facilities for doing business promptly. Lowest rates. It will pay you to call on or write us.  
HARRILL & WILLIAMS,  
Abilene, Texas.

Late last Friday night Joseph H. Brown, of Fort Worth, the largest wholesale merchant in the state, made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. J. H. Brown is as well known in Texas as Fort Worth, and he has many friends in western Texas who will regret to learn of his failure. Bad health and inability to attend to his vast business in person is given as the cause of his failure; but it is more than likely that the late drought in western Texas had something to do with it, because he had an enormous trade in this section and we know that he had to carry a great many

**SPECIAL MENTION.**  
All kinds of Salt at Lea's. The "756" cigar at Coppins'. New mangle straps, S. L. Ogle. Full line of collars, L. Gould. Mirrors at Moon & Crowder's. Bagging & ties, cheap at Lea's. Finest assortment of pipes, S. L. Ogle. New hats at Moon & Crowder's. Go to Coppins' for fancy candles. Boys suits \$2.25 at J. D. Boydston's. Shoe polish and brushes, S. L. Ogle. Pickles cheaper than ever at Lea's. New goods at Moon & Crowder's. Best nickle cigar in town, S. L. Ogle. Cheap cow and horse feed, at Lea's. Fresh pickles and kraut, S. L. Ogle. Cotton batting, Moon & Crowder. Best maple syrup you ever saw, at Lea's. Try our 10-cent canned goods, S. L. Ogle. Get your hams and bacon at Coppins'. Braid sets for dresses at Moon & Crowder's. Collars put up at short notice, L. Gould. Plain Hams and breakfast bacon at Coppins'. Furniture cheap at Gould's Furniture store. For dress trimmings go to Moon & Crowder's. Go to Coppins' for pure leaf lard, Warranted. Warner's health corsets at Moon & Crowder's. I will guarantee Dallas prices on all goods sold, H. Meyers. Fine assortment of soap, both laundry and toilet, S. L. Ogle. Hides and furs of all kinds wanted, J. L. LEA & Co. Just received a good supply of New Orleans molasses, S. L. Ogle. Get your full patent flour at Coppins'. Bran, Cotton Seed & other feed cheap at Lea's. Ed Coppins is receiving new goods every day. Cloaks very cheap at Moon & Crowder's. Finest line of pipes ever in Baird at Coppins'. All kinds of candles and nuts, cheap, at Lea's. Our prices are the lowest, Foy & Richardson. Cheapest gloves in Baird at Moon & Crowder's. Go to W. W. Ogle's for your saddles and harness. New crop sugar house molasses at Coppins'. Machine, engine and wagon oils at J. L. Lea & Co's. Cheap and good. We guarantee our prices to be as low as the lowest, Moon & Crowder. Just received a large lot of apples, cabbage, Irish potatoes and kraut at Coppins'. Old sewing machines taken in part payment for new ones at Moon & Crowder's. Car of flour just received from Fort Worth. Cheaper than ever, J. L. Lea & Co. The best boots in town for the money, \$1.50 per pair at Moon & Crowder's. Try the Meerschaum tobacco, good as Durham and only costs one-half the money, S. L. Ogle. We are informed that J. L. Lea & Co. are ready to buy oats and wheat at liberal prices for cash. J. L. Lea & Co. are selling stone-ware cheap 12 1/2 cents per gallon for jugs and 15 cents for jugs. You cannot afford to buy a bill of goods without first getting our prices; we can save you money, Moon & Crowder. Don't fail to see our 56 inch in suit, 50c, and 36 inch suit 30c per yard, Foy & Richardson. To sell cheap we buy cheap. The lady buying the largest bill between this and November 1 will receive a present of a dress to cost 19 per cent of the bill, at J. D. Boydston's. We see that J. L. Lea & Co. have in operation a wire picket fence machine. This fence, besides being ornamental and cheap, is an ingenious contrivance for keeping stock and chickens out of your yards, orchards, and gardens. It is absolutely rabbit proof. We are going to close out our stock of trunks and will sell cheaper than anyone, Foy & Richardson. Best axe handles in town, S. L. Ogle. We have the best ladies \$2.50 shoe in Baird. Every pair warranted, Moon & Crowder. O, there! Go to J. D. Boydston's for everything cheap in dry goods. Callahan county premiums at the Dallas fair. J. D. Boydston gets the premium in Baird for selling the cheapest dry goods, boots and shoes. We do not wish to gull anyone by the low racket, but will sell you goods for less money than any store in Baird. We only ask the people to come and see for themselves and take no man's word for it. Get our prices and that will tell the tale, J. D. Boydston. For Sale or Trade—One wagon and set of harness, John C. Greathouse, Baird, Texas. Wanted. One hundred to two hundred bushels of corn, A. C. DAVIS, Belle Plains, Texas. A Valuable Tonic. I have used Swift's Specific (S.S.S.) with good results. As a tonic, it is valuable; as a blood purifier, it is reliable. Rev. J. H. Jefferson, Winston, N. C. Shiloh's Cure will immediately relieve croup, whooping cough and bronchitis. For sale by R. Phillips, 14 Group, Whooping Cough and bronchitis immediately removed by Shiloh's cure. Sold by R. Phillips. IF YOUR BACK ACHES Or you are all worn out, really good for nothing if it is general debility. BROWN'S LION BITTERS. It will cure you, and give a good appetite. Sold by all dealers in medicine. LADIES Needing a tonic, or children that want building up, take BROWN'S LION BITTERS. It is pleasant to take, cures Malaria, Indigestion, and biliousness. All druggists keep it. FOR THE BLEED. Weakness, Malaria, Indigestion and biliousness. BROWN'S LION BITTERS. It cures quickly. For sale by all dealers in medicine. Get the genuine.

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**THERE IS NO DEATH.**  
 There is no death! The stars go down  
 To rise upon some fairer shore;  
 And bright in heaven's jeweled crown  
 They shine forevermore.  
 There is no death! The dust we tread  
 Shall change beneath the summer  
 showers  
 To golden grain or mellow fruit  
 Or rainbow tinted flowers.  
 The granite rocks disorganize  
 To feed the hungry moss they bear;  
 The forest leaves drink daily life  
 From out the viewless air.  
 There is no death! The leaves may fall,  
 The flowers fade and pass away—  
 They only wait through wintry hours  
 The coming of the May.  
 There is no death! An angel form  
 Walks o'er the earth with silent tread;  
 He bears our best beloved things away,  
 And then we call them "dead."  
 The bird-like voice, whose joyous tones  
 Made glad this scene of sin and strife,  
 Sings now an everlasting song  
 Amid the Tree of Life.  
 He leaves our heart all desolate;  
 He plucks our fairest, sweetest  
 flowers—  
 Transplanted into bliss they now  
 Adorn immortal bowers.  
 And when he sees a smile too bright  
 Or heart too pure for taint of vice,  
 He bears it to that world of light,  
 To dwell in Paradise.  
 Born into that undying life,  
 They leave us but to come again;  
 With joy we welcome them—the same,  
 Except in sin and pain.  
 And ever near us, though unseen,  
 The dear, immortal spirits tread;  
 For in the boundless universe  
 Is Life—there are no dead.

**THE TOWN.**

W. H. Gilliland was in town Tuesday.  
 B. F. Williams was in town yesterday.  
 Concert at the court house Monday night.  
 Movers still pass through town going west.  
 Low prices always gets there. T. E. Powell.  
 New furniture to arrive at L. Gould's this week.  
 Frank Rettig is clerking for the drug Co.  
 B. Ellis, of Eagle Cove, was in town this week.  
 McWhorter was up from the over us this week.  
 for it if we oranges, apples, bananas and as well as green, an old time Callahanite.  
 NORTH TOWN this week.  
 and east T. E. Ogle, of Tecumseh, was in Texas will fry or two this week.  
 Texas Hogg just paper than anybody's cost. T. E. Powell.  
 "Old Throck" Powell, of Putnam, was in this is both days this week.  
 O YES, it was laughter, of Tecumseh, was sat down on several days this week.  
 don't laugh until you see a yard. Powell.  
 same Panhandler Callahan and family spent out of this same line of clothing and best who laughs at seen in Baird. Powell.  
 The Breckenridge Windham's children, in Colorado City last Hon. J. N. Brown sewing machine from Sam Lanham is stider. The best in the and has given no has any notion deal of sickness politics.  
 THE Weatherford worth 10 cents estimate that Taylor could be banner unfairly at formerly of this Affavits published in completely refute the nations that there were bers for every- in getting up Taylor court last down home, reg. Cattle Trail railway these Powell's. Cattle Trail towns have been into Gap this while other towns have been to parties about their natural advantage. Richardson's absent. He is in Mis- Georgia. t line of H. Meyer. disagree- let court it seems. t Foy & Georgia with a go for ats at on a the come ar- hem see

P. D. Norton, of Cottonwood, was in town several days last week and this attending court. He paid THE STAR a visit while in town.  
 My stock is complete in everything and can suit you in both price and quality. T. E. Powell.  
 We notice that T. E. Powell, Ph. Schwartz & Bro., Foy & Richardson, J. D. Boydston and Moon & Crowder all have new and splendid stocks of dry goods.  
 Keep it in your mind when you want to buy that we now have displayed an elegant, varied and very cheap line of fancy stationery. Baird Drug Co.  
 T. E. Powell went over to Ballinger last Saturday after Mrs. Powell and the children, who have been over there on a visit for some time. They are expected home to-day.  
 Subscribe for stock in the Building and Loan Association and DOUBLE your investment in seven years. 46-3 N. T. Tucker, Solicitor.  
 Suit of clothes worth \$20 for \$10. T. E. Powell.  
 W. J. Power's familiar face was seen in town this week. We are sorry to learn that his little girl, who was so badly burned while he lived in Baird, died a few months ago.  
 Don't you never forget that we will sell you a good lamp cheaper than anyone in Texas. Baird Drug Co.  
 Mrs. E. M. Norton, of Cottonwood, who was reported very low last week, died last Sunday morning, and Mr. Cal. Walker came up Sunday after a coffin. From him we learned of the death.  
 Paddle blue, bag blue, sifter blue and liquid blue. S. L. Ogle.  
 Rev. E. F. Dunn and family left last Saturday for Belton, where Brother Dunn goes to attend the annual session of the Northwest Texas conference of the M. E. Church (South), which convened at that place yesterday.  
 New crop molasses at S. L. Ogle's.  
 John Barleycorn made an assault on Jeff Dean's barber shop Monday night. It looked like a wild Texas steer had ran through the glass door from the amount of broken glass lying around. The damages were promptly paid.  
 Bring in your wheat corn and oats. J. L. Lea & Co.  
 The ladies of the Cumberland Presbyterian realized something over thirty dollars from their dinner and supper last Friday. Proceeds of Wednesday and Thursday amounted to about ninety dollars gross, seventy-seven net. They return thanks to the public for their liberal patronage.  
 A nice newmarket worth \$10 for \$5 at Powell's.  
 Maj. Stanley M. Jones, chief engineer of the Cattle Trail railway, made a hurried trip to Fort Worth last week. The major received a ceneleg in that city from some parties, that is, he was presented with a fine gold-headed cane with his monogram engraved upon the head, which, by the way is a beautiful piece of work.  
 A big line of flannels cheap at T. E. Powell's.  
 Court adjourned yesterday at 12 o'clock for the term, and Judge Conner left for home on the noon train. The grand jury adjourned the first week. We learn that there were only fourteen bills found in all, one felony case and the balance for misdemeanors. Callahan is strictly a law-abiding county.  
 I have the largest stock of all kinds of dry goods, clothing, boots & shoes in Baird, and I will sell cheaper than any one. T. E. Powell.  
 The damage suit of J. N. Rushing against the town of Baird for false imprisonment was thrown out of court last week. The court held, so we were informed, that he had no cause for action, and the case was thrown out. We understand the case will come up in a new form to-day, when the validity of the town incorporation will be tested.  
 Get your Trunks from Powell  
 R. A. Corbett left last Friday for the San Antonio fair. He takes some of his fine chicks, and he is also one of the commissioners at a salary of \$3 per day. Mr. Corbett will no doubt be as successful at the San Antonio fair as he was at Dallas, where he received ten premiums on his poultry.  
 Clothing, clothing at Powell's. Hamilton & Brown shoes. Powell.  
 We will give proceedings of district court in full next week. Since our last issue the case of W. C. Powell vs. Virginia Land and Cattle Company was tried and decided in favor of the defendant. Henry Blair was acquitted. The Reeves case was continued. Rushing vs. The Town of Baird, continued. James Leeper was granted a new trial and case continued. Court adjourned Wednesday.  
 Fruit of the loom domestic, 10 cents. Powell.  
 A big line window shades cheap Powell.  
 J. L. Clark and wife, living in Coleman county, were in town trading last Thursday. J. L. Clark is one of the most successful farmers in the west. He owns one of the best farms on Pecan Bayou, and says his cotton crop is splendid. He brings his cotton to Baird because he says he gets better prices than at other places, and can buy goods just as cheap in Baird as other railroad towns. Baird will get several more bales of cotton from Mr. Clark's neighborhood.  
 Don't be gulled by the cost racket, ut call and see my prices; lower than yours' cost. T. E. Powell.

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**SHIRTS**  
 and Gents'  
**UNDERWEAR**  
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Gov. Ross at Baird.  
 He reports that S. L. Ogle keeps the best stock of groceries and sells cheaper than any house in western Texas. He keeps no shoddy goods and never misrepresents goods to make a sale.  
 I have more goods than I have room for. Come quick and get bargains. T. E. Powell.

**Musical Entertainment.**  
 Oh Tuesday night at the court house Prof. A. J. Bell & Bro. gave a musical entertainment, which was the best of its kind ever rendered in Baird. These young men are very remarkable musicians and deserve well of the public. They play solos and duets, and one of them plays the bass violin very well with his feet; he also arranges six instruments in such a way as to play upon them all at the same time. This feat has rarely been attempted, but is successfully accomplished by Prof. Bell.  
 They will give an entertainment at the court house Monday night next, when we think the house will be crowded. The admission is only 25 cents, children 15 cents. One-third the proceeds will go to our cemetery fund.

Every person who heard Bell Bros. last Tuesday night say they are musical wonders and merit a crowded house; besides, they divide the receipts with us to aid in paying for the fence around our graveyard. Let everybody be at the court house Monday night at 7:30.  
 If you want cheap goods go to Powell's.

The best shirting in Baird, 15 yards \$1, worth 10 cents a yard. Powell.  
 Finest and largest line of gents' underwear ever seen in Baird. Powell.

**Improve Your Stock.**  
 Twenty-five dollars offered for a half grade Holstein calf two weeks old owned by Capt. W. C. Powell, and same offered to Col. Frank Dorsey for a half grade Hereford calf ten days old; both offers refused. Both calves sired by bulls owned by Ellis Richardson.

The grand jury has adjourned, and it seems that they have it in for Powell for selling goods so cheap.

**Important Decision.**  
 In the case of the State of Texas against S. L. Ogle for selling groceries cheaper than anyone else in Baird, Judge Conner instructed the jury in his ruling that if they found it was for the welfare of the community at large they should render a verdict of acquittal. If they found he bought his goods from first hands, viz: his bacon and lard from the packer, his molasses and sugar from the planter, his starch from the factory, etc., and that he bought in large quantities and discounted his bills, thereby enabling him to buy cheaper and save by discount, which he was willing to divide with his customers. If his expenses were less, not having to pay big rents and not having a large corps of hands at heavy salaries, thereby saving in another direction, which he is willing to divide with his customers and that the charity is all to his customers, putting money in their pockets. Besides, they will be treated with politeness and courtesy they would bring in a verdict of acquittal. The jury retired, and on the first ballot, found him not guilty and so rendered their verdict.

A nice suit for \$6.50 at Powell's. Braid dress sets at Powell's. Ten per cent lower than any one's cost. POWELL.

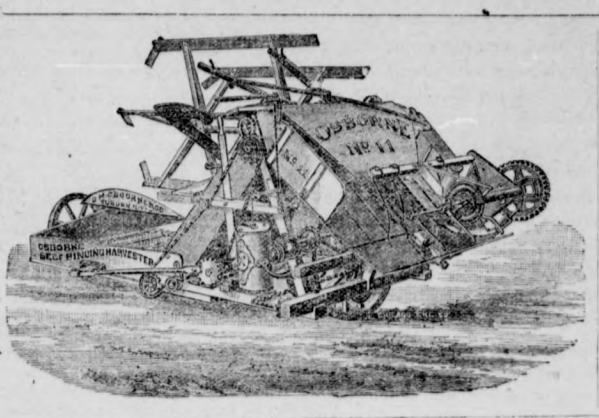
**For Sale.**  
 Full blooded and registered Hereford bulls from nine to eighteen months old. These cattle have been in the state about six weeks and have been pronounced by every good judge that have seen them to be the best lot of cattle ever brought to this part of Texas. These bulls were sired by Wildeyes, a son of Lord Wilton, and by Star Grove 9th, a son of Grove 3d, Lord Wilton sold for nearly \$20,000 at 9 years of age, and Grove 3d sold for \$7,000 at 11 years. These cattle, twelve bulls and five heifers, have won prizes in the Northern states and won four prizes at the Dallas fair. These cattle are now on Maj. Richardson's place at Baird, and everyone should see them. The Hereford cattle are without doubt the best range cattle for western Texas, standing both heat and cold and maturing as early, or earlier than any other class of cattle. Prices and pedigrees given on application. **ELLIS RICHARDSON.** Baird, Texas.

While at court call on Powell. He sells cheaper than anyone.  
 Newmarkets and wraps of all kinds very cheap at Powell's.  
**Dentistry.**  
 Dr. J. E. Hempstead, dental surgeon, will be in Baird Tuesday, October 22, to remain during court. Office at the Whitley House.

**REMEMBER**  
**J. D. BOYDSTUN**  
 is still selling the S. L. Robertson stock  
**AT COST.**

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 A look through our various departments will delight the best dresser in the country and satisfy the most limited buyers that there is excellent value within their reach.

Cotton Checks, - 5 to 7 1/2 c. a yd. Dress gingham, from 7 1/2 to 10 c. per yard.  
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 We also carry a full line of  
 Silks, Satins, Henriettas, Worsted, Corsets, Laces, Ribbons, Hose, buttons, and in fact everything kept in a first-class dry goods store.  
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 We can sell you a suit of clothes cheaper than any house west of St. Louis. We can fit a boy 3 years or man as big as a giant.

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 We carry a complete line of HAND-MADE Boots and Shoes. All warranted.

**HATS AND CAPS.** We carry a complete line of hats made by the leading manufacturers, including the J. B. Stetson, "Tiger" and "The Lion." Call and examine goods and prices.

We have the finest line of white and colored shirts, underwear, neckties, collars and cuffs, scarf pins, cuff buttons etc. To price our goods is to buy them.  
**GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.**  
 We have a large variety of  
**Trunks and Valises.**

...do not pass one with ob-  
...ous features.  
All of the immense power wielded  
by the administration is to be brought  
to bear upon congress this winter for  
the purpose of getting rid of the sur-  
pluses. One of the first schemes to be  
pushed is that of government aid for  
several lines of steamships that are to  
run to South and Central American  
ports, and which, in return for a lib-  
eral subsidy, are to realize Secretary  
Blaine's Utopian ideas regarding the  
commerce of those countries. This  
idea of government subsidies to pri-  
vate individuals or corporations has  
always been antagonized by the  
Democratic party, and I see no reason  
for supposing that our Democratic  
leaders will allow any such measure  
to pass the house.  
Swell society circles are all torn up  
because the new Chinese minister has  
announced that he will take no part  
in the winter's entertainments. This  
is all the more disappointing, because  
the former minister made the old  
Stewart castle a center for all that  
numerous class of diplomat-worship-  
ing Washingtonians. The new min-  
ister has his wife with him, and as she  
is the first high caste Chinese woman  
ever to visit this country, he probably  
fears to turn her loose in Washington  
society.  
The last meeting of the cabinet was  
very long and stormy. The president  
submitted a rough draft of his first  
message to congress, and the members  
of his official family took turns in  
jumping on it with both feet. The  
thing has of course been kept very  
quiet, but such matters always get out  
some way or other. According to  
the informant of your correspondent,  
Secretaries Blaine and Windom were  
the principal kickers. Windom ob-  
jected to the financial part of the mes-  
sage as outlined, and Blaine had de-  
cided objections to the stand taken on  
certain matters within the province of  
the state department. The arguments  
were long and somewhat heated, and  
finally when it was agreed to submit  
the matter to a vote of the cabinet, the  
president was defeated, the only votes  
he received being those of Attorney-  
general Miller, Postmaster-general  
Wanamaker and Secretary Noble. The  
President then expressed his willing-  
ness to change the disputed matter,  
and peace reigned once more. But  
for how long?

THOSE THAT suffer from that  
dangerous and loathsome disease,  
catarrh, have at last a remedy that  
will never fail to permanently cure,  
and it is in the reach of all; for bron-  
chitis, ozona, asthma and catarrhal  
consumption it has no equal, and  
therefore can't be excelled. For sale  
by R. Phillips. 25

IF YOU WILL get a bottle of  
Thurmond's Lone Star catarrh cure  
you can cure that bad case of catarrh  
you have been suffering with so long.  
Will cure in thirty days. For sale by  
R. Phillips. 25

LETTER LIST.  
The following is a list of advertised  
and unclaimed letters remaining in  
the postoffice at Baird, Tex., for the  
month of October, 1889:  
Adams, Charley.  
Archer, R. A.  
Black, Mrs. Mattie.  
Bullington, W. W.  
Bust, Henry.  
Bain, J. H.  
Craft, M. W.  
Cummings, Prof.  
Davidson, Geo.  
Davis, Mr.  
Davis, Miss Lucy.  
Dickson, H. H.  
Harris, Mrs. Annie.  
Hanon John (2).  
Johnston, G. A.  
Jones, Mrs. Lily.  
Kendall, S. K.  
Kinney Kelly.  
Luker, Mrs. Ellen.  
Laper, Mrs. Elou.  
Moore, W. H.  
Matthews, James H.  
McDowell, Jas.  
Osman, C. L.  
Phillips, Mrs. Maggie.  
Pool, D. L.  
Rogers, Glen.  
Rainbolt G. E.  
Richards, J. C.  
Russell, G. W. (2).  
Scott, Tate.  
Sullivan Louis.  
Thomason, J. T.  
Tierce, Mrs. Emma.  
Terrell, W. C.  
Wall, L. F.  
White, D. J.  
Williamson, Mary R.  
WM. McMANIS, P. M.

Why will you cough when Shiloh's  
Cure will give immediate relief. Price  
10 cents, 50 cents and \$1. For sale by  
R. Phillips. 11

Notice.  
For any information about property  
advertised by this company apply to  
the secretary, Judge E. E. Solomon.  
Office at court house. Star Land Co.

Are you made miserable by indig-  
estion, constipation, dizziness, loss of  
appetite, yellow skin? Shiloh's Vitalize-  
r is a positive cure. For sale by  
R. Phillips. 10

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so  
quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We  
guarantee it. Sold by R. Phillips. 11

THE COUNTY.  
TEKUMBEH.  
November 2.—November is here  
and introduced himself yesterday with  
a brisk norther.  
Chris Johnson returned from Gra-  
ham, where he went a fortnight ago  
to attend the Federal court as a juror.  
R. M. Thomas and H. Smith began  
work Monday on a new pasture fence  
for H. Windham.  
There are now twenty-eight scholars  
on the rolls of Prof. Kirksey's class,  
and Mrs. Kirksey's class numbers  
thirteen.  
Let me congratulate you, Mr. Edi-  
tor, upon your last issue, October 24.  
It was a daisy. No stale patent mat-  
ter, no dull clippings, but you touch  
nearly all the live issues and vital  
questions of the day in a masterly way  
and are not afraid to handle them in  
your sharp and pointed manner. THE  
STAR is an honor to Callahan county  
and to its editor. Now every regular  
subscriber who appreciates his paper  
should show it to his behind-the-times  
neighbor, and try to introduce it into  
every household of the county. The  
county paper is a county institution  
and does for the development of our  
home interests more than a dozen in-  
dividuals combined. Nobody can do  
without it, or he shows that he takes  
no stock in the goings and doings of  
his community. Just remember the  
very liberal and kind-hearted offer of  
the editor to furnish his paper free to  
widows and orphans—don't you feel  
like doing something for him, too?

A boy Tuesday night at Tom  
Stuart's and a girl Thursday morning  
at W. F. Avery's. The interested  
parties, including the happy fathers,  
are doing well.  
You wish to hear from the country  
about a county fair. In answer I  
would say: Let us have one by all  
means, and I flatter myself that I am  
able to tell something in that direction  
from my own experience. Ten years  
ago I worked hard and long with the  
people of Gillespie county for the  
same purpose; but since that first fair  
showed a surplus of \$1,800, the annual  
fair is there now an established fact.  
Also four or five years ago I sug-  
gested the same thing to some gentle-  
men of Abilene, and without success;  
now I reckon the people of Abilene  
will stick to it. There is no danger of  
a failure if properly managed, but we  
will need at least a dozen public-  
spirited men, who will go for the work  
solid and body. It would be a great  
help if there was in the county a pro-  
perly organized agricultural society,  
and with your permission, I will give  
my views about such societies next  
week.  
H. BUCHER.

WONDERFUL CURES AND STRONG TESTI-  
MONIALS.  
Primrose, Tarrant Co., July 16, 1889.  
S. P. Tucker, Agent Charles Alf's  
Germ Exterminator.  
Dear Sir—My wife has been sick  
for two years with chronic sores on  
her limbs and health otherwise broken  
down, during which time she has tried  
various remedies as well as the best  
medical aid at a cost to me of over  
\$800, and the physicians finally pro-  
nouncing her incurable. I finally tried  
Radam's Microbe Killer, and later on  
Charles Alf's Germ Exterminator,  
which I pronounce a superior remedy,  
as it has entirely cured the chronic  
sores and her general health is greatly  
improved. We cheerfully recommend  
Charles Alf's Germ Exterminator as  
an invaluable medicine in every family.  
George W. Blandon and Wife.  
At home, near Decatur, July 20,  
1889.—R. M. Reid, Agent Alf's Germ  
Exterminator, Decatur, Texas, Dear  
Sir: My daughter, Mrs. C. M. Ed-  
wards, has not only been afflicted with  
disease of her lungs, but a general  
breakdown in her health from a serious  
complication of female diseases. She  
was prevailed upon to try Alf's Germ  
Exterminator, and as a result she is  
not only cured of the cough, but is re-  
stored to good sound health, and can  
eat bacon and beans and everything  
that a person in good sound health  
may wish to, having used just three  
quarts of the medicine.  
Yours truly,  
A. B. Foster.  
Fort Worth, Texas, July 5, '89.  
S. P. Tucker, Agent Charles Alf's  
Germ Exterminator.  
Dear Sir—This certifies that I have  
been afflicted with ozona, or nasal  
chronic catarrh, for thirty years, and  
have tried various patent medicines  
and physicians without any benefit.  
I finally decided to give your medi-  
cine, Germ Exterminator, a trial. Af-  
ter using about two gallons, am able  
to say that I am better than I have  
ever been since I first took the disease  
—in fact, about cured. It is beyond  
doubt the most wonderful medicine I  
ever saw and heartily recommend it to  
all similarly afflicted. For further in-  
formation call on  
T. P. Kirk, 211 Hays street.  
Austin, April 20, 1889.  
To those afflicted with female com-  
plaint, I, Mrs. Vina Washington, think  
it a duty I owe to a suffering people,  
as well as Mr. Chas. Alf, to let all  
know of the benefit I received from  
his wonderful medicine, now being  
put up under the name of Germ Ex-  
terminator. I have suffered for years  
with a complication of female troubles  
and tried all the doctors of Austin

who failed to give me relief. After  
using your wonderful Germ Extermi-  
nator for some time I can truthfully  
state I am gratefully benefited, and  
have better results than from all the  
doctors who have treated me. My  
sleep and appetite are once more good,  
and I cheerfully recommend it to all  
suffering with similar complaint.  
Very respectfully,  
Mrs. Vina Washington.  
Austin, Texas, May 9, 1889.  
BAIRD DRUG COMPANY,  
Sole Agents for  
CHARLES ALF'S GERM EXTERMINATOR,  
—BAIRD, TEXAS.

The Real Discoverer of America.  
A correspondent of The New York  
Sun writes to know who really did dis-  
cover America. It seems that it was  
discovered fair and square no less than  
five times before it "took," as they say  
of the chair. The gentleman who fills  
the chair of mediaval history in The  
Sun office replies as follows:  
Well, if you want to know exactly, how  
Buddhist monks from China discovered  
the west coast of America in the summer of 422 A. D.  
in 44 more Chinamen came over, and in 469 still  
more. The aborigines did not exclude them. In  
753 monks from Ireland settled in Iceland. In 800  
Hjarnm, from Norway, sailed along Nova Scotia  
and Labrador, being the first European to see the  
shores of the continent. Left the Icelandic, made  
a settlement in Rhode Island in 1000 A. D. In 1175  
Bladac, Prince of Wales, made a settlement some-  
where in the west, and in 1492 Columbus discov-  
ered the country. Columbus made the first prac-  
tical, business discovery.

Forestry.  
Without making too much fuss, the  
forestry congress has accomplished great  
good since its organization, some ten  
years ago. At the session just ended in  
Philadelphia, reports from all sections of  
the country showed how deeply interest  
in the subject is growing. Profoundly  
interesting were reports of young forests  
from the treeless plains of Illinois and  
Dakota. So much attention is paid to  
the subject that in some part of the tree-  
less west, within the lifetime of some  
old enough to recall this congress, there  
will grow luxuriant forests.  
The congress has done valuable work  
in ascertaining what trees can be ac-  
climated in given localities. Among  
other valuable achievements too much  
cannot be said of the interest it has  
aroused among the school children on  
the subject of tree planting. Many  
school yards that fifteen years ago were  
as desolate as Sahara have been trans-  
formed into bowers of beauty under the  
kindly influence of members of the  
forestry association. Children have learned  
to love the beautiful and beneficent trees.

Who Would Be President?  
The question is often asked, Who would  
be president in case of the death of both  
the president and vice president? In  
January, 1886, after the death of Vice  
President Hendricks, a law was made  
fitting this case. If President Cleveland  
had died and been succeeded by the pres-  
ident of the senate, the spectacle would  
have been witnessed of a change of ad-  
ministration from Democratic to Repub-  
lican, contrary to the will of the people,  
who elected a Democrat president. To  
obviate this awkward difficulty, to pro-  
vide that the highest officer in the coun-  
try should be of the political party that  
prevailed at the last election, a special  
law was passed.  
It declared that, in case of the death or  
removal of both the president and vice  
president, the secretary of state should  
be president. In case of his death or re-  
moval, the chair will be filled by the sec-  
retary of the treasury, then by the sec-  
retary of war, and after him by the at-  
torney general, postmaster general, sec-  
retary of the navy, secretary of the in-  
terior, in the order named. In case of the  
disability of all these, there would still  
be the secretary of agriculture, who was  
not a cabinet officer at the time the law  
was made. If, therefore, Harrison and  
Morton should both be removed, Secre-  
tary Blaine would be president. The  
nearest the country ever came to realiz-  
ing the condition to be met by this law  
was in 1865, at the time of the assassina-  
tion of Lincoln. If the plans of the con-  
spirators had succeeded, president, vice  
president and secretary of state would  
have all been removed by the plot that  
failed.

Neuralgic Persons  
And those troubled with nervousness resulting  
from overwork will be relieved by taking  
Brow's Iron Bitters. Genuine  
has trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

FOR DYSPEPSIA  
Use Brow's Iron Bitters.  
Physicians recommend it.  
All dealers keep it, \$1.00 per bottle. Genuine  
has trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

Many Persons  
Are broken down from overwork or household  
care. Brow's Iron Bitters  
rebuilds the system, aids digestion, removes ex-  
cess of bile, and cures malaria. Get the genuine.

Ex-Governor Hartranft.  
One of the busiest men of his time,  
and one of the most useful in his day  
and generation, was the late ex-Governor  
John Frederick Hartranft. His brilliant  
record as a commander during the war  
is part of the history of his country, yet  
it is to be observed that he was not a  
West Point graduate, any more than  
Forrest or John Morgan, two of the  
ablest generals in the southern army.  
Governor Hartranft's life was crowded  
so full of work and honors that it will  
require a volume to record them. It  
was he who stopped the Confederate advance  
at Chantilly; he led the soldiers of Bur-  
side's Ninth corps that captured the  
bridge at Antietam. At Fredericksburg  
a third of his regiment were left dead on  
the field. Later he earned the name of  
the hero of Fort Steadman. In peace he  
served as governor of Pennsylvania from  
1873 to 1879.  
He will always be remembered in his  
civil capacity for the active interest he  
took in the state militia, and the high  
state of efficiency to which it was  
brought. At his death Gen. Hartranft  
was major general of the Pennsylvania  
National Guard.  
Finally, we note once more this melan-  
choly fact: Few of our generals in the  
late war live to be old men. Ex-Gov-  
ernor Hartranft was not yet 60.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable  
by that terrible cough. Shiloh's cure  
is the remedy for you. R. Phillips. 3

For lame back, side or chest, use  
Shiloh's porous plaster. Price 25 cents.  
For sale by R. Phillips. 5

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy—a positive  
cure for catarrh, diphtheria and canker  
mouth. For sale by R. Phillips. 12

WILL YOU SUFFER with Dyspepsia  
and Liver complaint? Shiloh's Vitalize-  
r is guaranteed to cure you. For  
sale by R. Phillips. 2

Lord Faulstich's Brother.  
It may not have been just the thing,  
but it is certainly very amusing, that  
newspaper reporter's interview with the  
oldest son and heir of Mrs. Frances Hodg-  
son Burnett on the subject of Little Lord  
Faulstich. The boy is 15 now, and tells  
of the efforts of his mother to make him  
and his brother Vivian live up to their  
high vocation as Lord Faulstichs, both  
of them. Vivian was the original of  
Faulstich, the untrifled Lionel says.  
Lionel hates little Lord Faulstich.  
"Viv," he said, "was as much of a boy and  
a nuisance as I am until my dad 'Faulstich' pub-  
lished. We both had orders to appear in our vel-  
vet suits and to behave like little lords. Viv is 13  
and immediately assumed down and posed ac-  
cording to orders. I rebelled, wouldn't wear my  
eyes or my velvet suit, and decamped, leaving  
the whole fiasco to Viv.  
"I never took much stock in books, except dime  
novels. There's 'Lone Jack, the True Hero of  
the Rocky Mountains.' It's a dandy, no drift  
and nonsense about that. Lots of blood and thun-  
der, and a fine detective in it.  
"My books have ruined Viv. Before they were  
published he was a first rate rascal, and liked a  
good, big spree as much as I do now."  
"My books have ruined Viv," is deli-  
cious.

Eight Hours a Day.  
An attempt was made in 1886, by the  
Federation of Trades and Labor unions,  
to establish the eight hours working day  
throughout the country. The effort was  
successful among the cigar makers and  
German printers. Furniture workers  
compromised with their employers on  
nine hours. Carpenters obtained also  
important concessions. In eighty-four  
cities their working day was reduced to  
nine hours, while in seven cities they ob-  
tained their full demand for eight hours.  
These were the substantial results from  
the effort of 1886.  
The two organizations named have  
since been merged into the Federation of  
Labor, with a membership of 620,000. It  
embraces all the most powerful trades  
unions in the land. With this power be-  
hind it the Federation proposes again to  
take up the fight for the eight hours la-  
bor day. As a beginning they have  
asked Mr. Powdery to present the sub-  
ject to the general assembly of the  
Knights of Labor at Atlanta in Novem-  
ber. It is expected this will be done.  
Then, with the moral support of the  
Knights, the Federation will make its  
fight. The general adoption of the eight  
hours working day is set for May 1, 1890.  
Eight hour leagues will be formed  
among working people throughout the  
country, literature and statistics will be  
scattered broadcast, and all means of  
peaceful agitation taken to arouse the  
labor element to the occasion. A national  
day will be set apart to win adherents to  
the cause. Strikes will only be resorted  
to as a last necessity.  
The Federation of Labor believe that  
with wise management, the movement  
will succeed this time. Mr Samuel  
Gompers, president of the Federation, re-  
minds doubters that not the first, or even  
the second attempt of any movement for  
improving the condition of a whole  
people is successful, though it be carried  
at last. Among arguments for the eight  
hours labor day Mr. Gompers adduces  
these:  
We feel today that the working people of  
the country are forced upon either one or the other  
horn of a dilemma, the acceptance of low wages  
or the going without employment by reason of  
the vast army of unemployed. It seems to me  
to be not only a consideration of humanity to find  
employment for those who are willing to work  
and cannot find it, but a consideration of  
the most material of our interests, that of making  
our money more wisely and rendering our  
saves more ample and less liable to reduction.  
These considerations demand of us that we re-  
duce the hours of labor to eight per day.  
Certain things are accomplished by sixteenth  
century, with all the implements of machinery,  
science and knowledge contributing toward  
the production of wealth, we have arrived at that  
stage when eight hours per day is more than  
sufficient to produce all the necessities and  
luxuries that any people can reasonably want.

Grubbing the Cronin Jury.  
"It has no parallel in history," said  
Lawyer Luther Mills, speaking of  
the attempt to bribe the jurors in the  
Cronin murder trial. The attempt came  
within a hair's breadth of succeeding,  
too. The stupendous audacity of the  
move is what strikes one most forcibly.  
It is clear there is somebody intensely  
interested in clearing the prisoners, no  
common person or persons, either, but  
those who have money in plenty. Their  
agents meet a criminal bailiff in the  
spot usually selected for plotting and  
crookedness, a drinking saloon. The  
bailiff, one of the guards of the very  
prison and court itself, had "several  
rounds of drinks" as long ago as last Au-  
gust, with a stranger whose name was  
Grabam. The stranger proposed that  
the bailiff Hanks assist in "fixing" the  
Cronin jury to prevent conviction of the  
prisoners. For every juror thus influ-  
enced Hanks was to get \$2,000, half  
for himself, half to the bribed juror.  
Various ways of "fixing" the jurors  
were agreed on. Hanks waited not long  
to begin his unlawful work. He let a  
fellow bailiff into the secret, who agreed  
to help him. Thence on the two scound-  
rels worked together. They did not  
succeed because some of the men they  
ought to bribe revealed the plot.  
That in brief is an outline of the story.  
But there are points of especial inter-  
est to be looked into. We observe that  
the sworn officers of the law were ready  
enough to take the large bribe and lay  
themselves liable to the penitentiary.  
Who were these infamous bailiffs? The  
citizen who recommended Hanks to the  
sheriff for appointment said he recom-  
mended him because he knew him as a  
"politician and ward huster." Another  
officer of the law—a justice  
of the peace—recommended the  
other guilty bailiff to the sheriff. Being  
questioned as to the ground of his recom-  
mendation, this model justice of the  
peace replied: "I knew nothing of him  
except as a politician." Neither of the  
two seemed to have any trade or honora-  
ble support.  
The men they sought to bribe were  
ordinary working men. One was a me-  
chanic, another a bookkeeper. The po-  
litical officers of the law could be bought  
and sold. The men who earned an hon-  
est living respected their own manhood,  
and could not be.

LEGAL NOTICE.  
Tax Notice.  
I will meet the tax payers at the  
following places for the purpose of  
collecting the state and county tax for  
1889: Cross Plains, November 20 and  
21; Cottonwood, November 22 and 23;  
Putnam, November 25 and 27; Clyde,  
November 27 and 28; Windham,  
November 29 and 30; Belle  
Plaine, December 2 and 3.  
J. W. JONES,  
Tax Collector Callahan County.

"Blackneck," a lasting and frag-  
rant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents.  
For sale by R. Phillips. 13

WHITLEY HOUSE,  
FRONT STREET, BAIRD.  
The table always supplied with the best of  
the market affords, board and lodging. Rates  
reasonable.  
W. C. WHITLEY, PROPRIETOR.  
FOR SALE.  
FARM FOR SALE—  
One of the most desirable farms in  
Callahan county for sale, situated 4  
miles from Baird, 560 acres in tract  
75 acres in fine state of cultivation,  
balance in pasture. Good buildings,  
stock water lasts the year round.  
For further particulars write to  
THE STAR, Box 93, Baird, Tex.

PROFESSIONAL.  
D. J. WILSON,  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.  
(Local surgeon for Texas & Pacific Railway  
company). Office with Baird Drug Co. Office  
days Tuesdays and Saturdays.  
R. G. POWELL,  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.  
Office third door south of the post office,  
Baird, Texas.

LAND  
FOR SALE BY  
STAR-LAND CO.  
LAND FOR SALE—  
10 acres of land at Belle Plaine; 40 acres  
in fine state of cultivation; good or-  
chard, house with 6 rooms and out-buildings,  
good fences. One tract cost \$200; plenty of  
good best bargain in the county; only half a  
mile from Belle Plaine village; price, \$2,000;  
will trade for cattle, horses or sheep; improve-  
ments worth the money.  
Apply to  
STAR LAND CO.

Two dwellings in block 29, lots 7  
and 8, Baird, Tex. Will sell separately  
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