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Our Motto; "'tis meither bibth, wor whalth, wor btate; but the git-uf-and-git that makeb men great.
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BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUGUST 22, 1924.

## COYOTES BEAT THE KILOWATTS

In Double Header At Cisco Sunday, 7 To 6 And 5 To 4---Possible Winners League Pennant

## The Baird Cayotes kicked the

 Uiseo Kilowatts into the cellar last Sunday, on the latter's field, by taking both ends of a double bill, Bsird Winning the first game seven to six,with Bennett on the firing line, while the second game went to Baird five to sour, with Bond on the nill.
This being the last time the Coy otes and the Kilowatto will wee this season, Baird's record is clean so far as Cisco is concerned, as the
Coyotes have been victorious in all Coyotes have been victorious
contests with the Kilowatts.
Bennett, for Baird, tas an envis ble record for this season. He ha worked in seven full games, winning sill of them. He also acted as re lief pitcher on two other occasions.
Baird is now one and-a. half games ahead of Moran, who is in second place, and three-and-a-half games ahead of Breckenridge in thir place.
The Coyotes oniy uave three more games scieduied for this season Next Sunday at Moran; the follow ing Sunday Moran will be here and the Putamm Spudders will be here Sunday, Snptember 7 th, for the las game of the season,
Baird can cinch the pennant by winning two of the three remaining games, regardiess of whether or not Moran and Breckenringe should win all of their remaining games.
Thursday, Auguet 21st, at Tee Pee Park, the Coyotes and the Moran team will lock horns, in an exhibition game, for the benefit of fered a broken ankle in the game at Ciseo, two weeks ago.
Unker was a very popular player and one of the best receivers in the West Texas League. All the players bemosn Coker's misfortune, and it behooves the Bairdites to support this game in a fitting manner, since the entire receipte will be donated to Coker. Baird and Moran shouid put up a atiff game, and it will give the Bard fans a line on the strength for the pennant.
Be sure and attend all these remaining games, as the Coyotes need your money and your enthusiastic cheers:
Eastland improved its position Sunday on its own grounds, when
it defeated the Putnam Spudders. 5 to 4 .
Breckenridge was practically eliminated from the pennant class on the field, why by Moran, on the formern for Moran in his uaual form, defeated Breckenridge by a score of 15 to four pitchers to stop the slaughter. Result of Last Sunday's Games: At Cisco: Baird 7, Clsco 6; Baird
8, Cisco 4, At Eastland: Eastland 5, Putaam 14.

Next Sunday's Games. num, Cisco at Breckenriang. League Standing:


## OLD BAIRD TEACHER <br> HERE ON A VISIT

Mrs. P. G. Huffman of Clarendon, is visiting her brother, Percy
Roberts and family, here. Mrs. Huffman has many friends in Baird, who are a
Mrs. Hulfman is the widow of the
ate Rev. P. G. Huffman, one of the解 men who have beld a pastorat in Baird
Brother Huffman was Pastor of he Methodist Episcopsl Church, South, here for two years, 1919-21. He died the year after leaving Baird and Mrs. Huffman accepted a position in Clarendon Coliege, whither be will return next Monday, to re ome her duties.
Mrs. Huffman taght two sessions in the Baird Publice schools, while her busband was pastor, and was one school.
banomaster julius martinez
to inspect the baird band
Bandmaster Juhus Martinez, late or San Antonio, but now connected with the Abilene Millitary Band, a panish musician with a nationas reputation, will, so Trombonist Kmerson Deliscus Merrill informs The
Star, be a visitor to Baird today, Star, be a visitor to Baird today.
and Mr. Merrill requests every mem. ber of the old Municipa/ Band and also members of the Band Committee of the Baird Luncheon Olub, to assemble at the Band Stand at $7: 45$ clock, to meet the talented visitior Senor Martinez has a national rep. cition as a musician, and io a prot His wife, the Senora Martinez, is also an accomplished musician, spec ializing on the esxophone and drums. They have toured the country to gether with therr own concert band,
and have a splendid reputation as entertertainets.

DAREDEVIL AUTO RACERS TO
take up stunt aeroplaning
Robert Stevenson, late of Passadena, California, and Floyd Andrew of Douglas, Arizona, are spending short but pleasant vacation in Baird. Mr. Stevenson, who is a nephew of A Dawson, prominent Chicago busi ness man, is well known as a dare
devil automobile racer in Loas Ange. es motion picture circles.
The two young men will go from ere to Kelly field, to attend the fly ing sehool and will change their vo atunt aero flyere.

## not indorsed by the klan

The following ticket is not orsed by the Ku Klux Klan
For Governor-Mrs. Miriam
For Lieutenaut Governor-Barry Miller.
For Attorney General-Dan Moo
For Comptroller-s. H. Terrel. For Railroad Commissioner, ear Term-O. E. Gilmore.
For Railroad Commissioner, year Term-Lon A. 8mith.
For Ohief Jusitice Supreme Cour
Take this to the polls with you Yolitical advertisement.
The Baird Yerguson Club has 25
nembers and at last accounts th
ne at Oross Plains had over 100.

## ACTIVITIES IN OIL FIELDS

Particularly Those Engineered By L. D. Prewitt, In New And Promising Dudley

## D. Prewit, expects to bring

 the Betcher No. 1, within the next week or ten days, casing has been ake care of a big well.L. D. Prewitt, Orane No. 1, drill og at 175 feet.
L. D. Prewitt,, White No, 1, drillng at 340 feet.
D. Prewitt, Tom Windham No drilling at 275 feet
I. D. Prewitt, Bailey No. 1, drill L. D. Prewit.
L. D. Prewitt, Loven No. 1, drilling at 560 feet.
L. D. Prewitt, Hugh Moore No. 2, timber on ground.
L. D. Betcher No. 1, rig on ground. A. S. Goodloe has brought in W. barrels from the 453 feet sand. Junior Oil Co., Isenhower No. 1 igging up.
Junior Oil Co. and A. S. Good* oe, Huntington No. 1, drilling a 200 feet.
The Texas Co., W. H. Isenhower rilling at 1310 feet.
Guy Oakes et al, C. B. Snyder Vo. 1, drilling at 1640 feet. I John Sheerin has sold his Cathey 1640 feet.
Juo. Sheerin has sold his Cathey ease in the Putnam field to Wiley Blair and Frank Kell. They have made two new locations, on which drilling will commence within the
next week or ten days.
C. L. Meek or ten days.
C. L. Mount et al, Chas. Allen No. 1, drilling at 1540 feet.

The open season for doves begins next Monday, September 1, and will close December 15. Hunters will be allowed to kill a maximum of 1 doves a day.
The following Baird Masons visit. ed Tecumseh Lodge at Oplin last Saturday night: R. E. Bounds, J
J. Laman, W. J. Evans, J. C. Baringer, Walker Jones, H. Schwartz,
Jr Y. Gilliland and Clyde White. Jr Y. Gilliland and Clyde White.
Otis Perry, Section Foreman, on The T. \& P. Ry. st Roscoe, is visit
ng his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perry. In company with his father and brother, Vestal, he made The Star office a pleasant call.
Mrs. W. B, Dodd and daughter, Mrs. W. A. Thomas, and children, of Graham, are visiting, Mrs. Dodd's
sisters, Mesdames Andrew Jackson, sisters, Mesdames Andrew Jackson,
and W. K. Boatwright, and other relatives in Baird, this week.
Mrs. T. A. Rosson (nee Ophelia
Vineyard) and baby son, Donald Uraig of Winters, are here tor an ex lended visit with her mother and the baby's grandmother, Mrs. Kather ine Vineyard, and her old friends, the A. Nitschkes.
The mail auto for Cross Plains, Wostoffice at $7: 30$ ore left the Baird
$0^{\prime}$ clock. m., bas been placed on a new achedule and Will heren


## FLIRTED WITH DEATH but luckily escaped

An slarm of fire, at 5:15 o'elock, Wednesday evening, resuited in an dent might have proved fatal.

Doc" Dubberly hopped into his
ato, and with little Uscar Jones Mac Bell Avenue. As he turned orth on the first street west another car, driven by C. M. Mills, contain ing two male passengers, dashed north just as Doe's car made the corner turn.
Seeing that a collision was imminent, Docstepped oin the gas, but ist a momont too late.
The Mills car crashed into the side glancing off and plunging into the yard of the house occupied by Ticky Albin, smashing the fence and burying its nose under the gallery, which had to be prized up before the car
By a miracle the occupants of the two cars escaped with only minor injuries.
Miss Bess Holmes, who has been visiting her cousins, M. J. and C. B. Holmes and families, left Monday for Cisco, where she will visit
friends before returning to her home friends before returning to her home
in Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pippin and lit
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yippin and hit
the daughter of Dothan, visited rel atives and friends in Baird Sunday, Mr. Pippin is an army buddie
Robert Eistes and Joe Arvin, Baird, sll three belcaging to Co. C. 111th Engineers, and saw some a
tive service in the World War. ive service in the World War.
Mrs. Corrine Driskill and Miss Pensie Work returned the first of
the week from an suto the week from an automobile trip to
EI Yaso, Ft. Stockton and other points in West Texas. They were accompanied by Mrs. Gordon Phillips, of Big spring.
Mr. and Mrs. Wade Harding and little daughter, Margie Wade, spent the latter part of last week with Mra. Hardings grandparents, Mr. and
Mrs. W. E. Gilliland. They left on Mrs. Sunshine Special Sunday even ing for Van Horn to visit Mra Harding's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price for a short time before going to Brawley, Californis, where they will make their home.

Henry Lambert recetved a mes-
sage Friday that his nephew, Baxter Lambert, had died that morning in a
asnitarium in Dallas. The body was taken to Roby, the home of the deceased, for burial. Baxter Lam. bert was serving his fourth term as sheriff of Fisher county. The Com. missioners Court has appointed the the unexpired term.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones, of Amarillo, and their daughter, Mrs. Lane Dupree, of Midland, made a
short visit to Mrs. J. W. Jones and W. E. Gilliland and family Wednes. day morning. They had spent sev eral days with Oscar's sister, Mrs. Tom Windham, at Oplinand were on
their way back home. Oacar want their way back home. Oscar want-
ed to get home in time to vote Saturday. He voted for Lynch David sou in the first primary, and will
vote for Mrs. Ferguson vote for Mrs. Ferguson tomorrow.
Mrs. Windham, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan and Mies Zula Jordan, ac
companied them to Baird,


Indications are that the anti-Klan ticket will oweep Callahan County like a prairie fire tomorrow, but don't
take anything for granted. Vote and get your neighbor to vote.

ABUSE NOT ARGUMENT

Is Like A Kicking Gun Liable To Damage The Shooter More Than The Target
The joint debste at the Taberas ele Wednesdas night was the largest have had in this section during this campaigo.
Rev. L., N. Stuckey of Abilene, supporting Judge Felix Roberteon, challenged Attorney J. M. Wagg taff, sliso of Abilene, supporting Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, to meet
bim here in joint debate, and the challenge was accepted.
The Tabernacle will seat 1200 people comfortably, but all seats were taken, the aisles were crowded, many found vantage points on the big stage and there was as large assemhiage outside unable to gain admittance. A total of two thousand was the number estimated as

The editor of The Star did not atlend the Taberacle meetiag, but he had a reporter present, he internewed many who were present and from all accounts, it was sbout the inveliest crowd ever assembled in Baird at a polltical meeting, not exepting the Hogg. Clark campaign in 1892 or several gatherings here in he bitter probibition campaign durog the ten years' fight over the county.
Rev. Mr. Btuckey was accompan. ed from Ablience by a number of riende, some say two hundred or more. troduced Rev,
our and fluckey opened in an anwer Wagateff had one hour and half hours' speech, with fifteen minates' rejoinder for Rev. Mr. Stuck-
Several amusing incidents oc. curred. One was the return of a Klan hood to Rev. Mr. Stuckey, aid to have fallen out of the latter's automobile, on the way from Abilene Baird.
Rev. Mr. Stuckey followed the sual lines of Robertson's support ers, repeated sll sorts of charges made agsainst Ferguson for the past ren years, and dodged the real issue of the Klan in this campaign.
Judge Wagstaff neatly smashed these charges by replying that any vensible man knows that if Ferguson were guilty of these charges be viet in the penitentiary today.
As to the one about the Kaiser's money, if the Government had the
proof, Ferguson would have been proof, ferguasn would have been
hanged as a traitor during the war, anged as a traitor during the war,
and Wagstaff insisted that his reverend antagonist should apologize or there mistatemente. No doubt the reverend gentleman believed them, but every one of them were false.


| Notice By Guardian Of Application For Mineral Lease of Real Estate of Earnestine Otelia Cundift. |  |  | 23, total tax $84.40{ }^{\circ}$. <br> 23. total tax 84.40 . <br> Unknown, Oplin, iot 1 , block 6 , total <br> tax 56 cent | total tax 79 cents.Unknown, Putnam, lot 10, bloek 38, totai tax 79 cents.Unknown. Putnam, lot 4, block 39 , tal tax 65 cents. |
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| In re: Guardianship of the Estate of Earnestine Oleila Cundiff, a Minor. |  |  |  |  |
| No. 662. In County Court of Callahan County, Texas. <br> Notice is hereby given that I, E. B. | tal tas 72 cents. <br> Unknown, Baird, lot 11, block 3, total tas 72 cents. |  |  | , |
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| Book 88, page 332, Ded Records of Callahan County, Texas. $\qquad$ |  |  |  |  |
| Said lease is being execoted withour any cash bonus and is beigg contribu-ted for the purpose of securing the drilling of a Deep Test Well for oil and gas on the 1 ए Stephenson Sur- | Unknown, Clyde, 8 1/2 lot 2, block <br> 17, total tax $\$ 26.40$. <br> Unknown, Clyde, lot 16, block 17, total tax 87.04 . |  |  |  |
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## SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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(Payable in Advance)
If Brother Stuckey thought that he had smashed the Ferguson forces here, in his speech Wednesday
night, he will have another think coming Sunday morning,

In many past campaigns in Texas religion has been dragged in the dirty cesspool of politics, but never to the extent that it has in the past
four weeks. We are glad that this is the last day of the campaign, and bope that Texss will never again witness such snother slanderous,
dirty campaign as this one. Some of the language used in this cam-paign-principally by Robertsonought to be barred from print.

Robertson, the Kian anoointed candidate for Governor, in
speeches denounces Ferguson's supporters as mostly bootleggers and other kinde of disreputable characters. Grest campaigning for a man who thinks be is big enough to be Governor of this great State!
You are regaled dally with stateguson villifies and sbuses his opponent. If be can bold a light to Robertson io this runoff campaign, we have failed to see it.
Robertson's speeches are made up of villifications of Ferguson and his
supporters. Every act of Ferguson's life, public and private, is used-twisted and distorted by slanderous tongues-chief of which is Felix D. Roberton.
Why don't some of Robertson's good friends inform bim that it in Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson and no didate for Governor. Felix does not seem to know who is his opponent.

Don't mistake the issue. It is Viaible Repablic agsinst an Invisible Empire!
That is the issue, regardless of What you think of either of the candidates. In fact, the issue is so great that the masses of Democrats, like the editor of The Star, are orced to choose between having trolled by secret political con rolled by a secret political cabal; shown to be in a bopeless minority in Texas, that has fastened its ten lacles upon the machinery of the Democraric party.
For one we do not hesitate to vote for a good Christian woman againat man, no matter bow good he may be, but controlled by a secret political machine that owes allegiance to a self-styled Imperial Government, located far away from Texas, who care nothing for our State or people only for the rich picking they gather from its members in the Imperia Province of Texas-just a Province in the Invisible Empire-not a Free
State in the greatest Repablic on earth.
That will be the result if you fil the State Capitol at Austin wit Klansmen.

POLItical Straws
Political atraws show which way
be wind is blowing, so political letters show the trend of political ought in Texas just now.
The Dallas News of Monday reported that it had received such a flood of letters boosting the two impossible to publieh them, but publisheds list of the letters and the name and address of each writer. Yor Robertson there were 26 ; for Ferguson 42. Thirteen of the Robertson letters were from recognized Klan centers, such as Dallas, Waco Austin, $\operatorname{San}$ Antonio and Beaumont. Strange to ssy none were from either Fort Worth or Houston, two of the strongest Klan towns in Texas outside of Daliss.
For Mrs. Ferguson the letters were from small towns, but seven of them were from Dallas, the home of the Klan nominee, Robertson, while onIy six were for the Klan Kandidate. Mrs. Ferguson bad two from Fort Worth and one each from Wichita
Yalls and Austin. Nearly all the Falis and Austin. Nearly all the others were from small towns.
Bere is another straw: Jim Ferguson has the largest crowds to hear other campaign in the past twenty other campaign in the past twenty
years. At Waco, the native town of Felix Robertson, Ferguson spoke to an sudience of nearly ten thouand persons.
Felix came along a week later and they gave him an uproarious wel come, but he bad only four thousand to hear him, despite all the ef forts of the Klan.
Ferguson, in some small East Texas town, the name of which we do not recall, had six thousand to hear hum. The population of this town was given at 700 , but the
crowds came from surrounding counties.

At Greenville Ferguson had a crowd of ten thouspand gathered to hear him. Four thoussand is Felix's limit, and that was at his, native town, Waco. That crowd was equaled so far only at Temple, the home town of Ferguson, and at Austinall three Klan towas.
Of course, old stagers know how an organized minority can work up crowds, but when Ferguson, who
has no money, except what his friende voluntarily donate, and has no State organization to boost for him, can draw bigger crowds than Felix Robertson, with an organiza. tion in nearly every county in Texas and nouney galore to help him, it shows that Texse sentiment against the Klan, no matter how the election turns out
This campaign also shows that sentiment against the Klan in Texas is growing in Dallass, Fort Worth, Waco, Austin, Houston, Galveston, Beaumont and other lesser Klan centers, whife in the country, in most counties away from Klan influence, the voters seem to be almost solidly against the Klan, the modern successor of the secret Know Nothing Party, that the Democratic party smashed in 1856.
A Mr. Olsen of Waco, spoke in Coleman for Robertaon last week. He denied that the Ku Klux Klan was in politice. In view of the notorious fact that the Klan is in politics and has been in politics in Texas for the past two and a half years, we wonder if this man really does
not know the meaning of the not know the meaning of the word
potitics, or did he take the potitics, or did he take the Coleman people for a eet of chumps?
The Klan may
The Klan may not be in politics, but the Klan fs chuck full of politicisns and-49. What is the difference? If the Klan is bot in politics, then Texas has no pofitical parties and the Democrate, Republicans and Ku Klux Klansmen are only members of benevolent societies and all the politics they indulge in is to elect their members to offlce.


## ANTI-KLAN TICKET

If you want toswat the Ku Klux Klan, vote the following ticket: For Governor: Miriam A. Fer suon.
For Lieutenant Governor: Tb Wo candidates for Lieutenant Gov ernor, Barry Miller and Will U. Ed
wards, are neither of them Klansmen.
For Attorney General: Dan Moo For Comptroller: Sam Houston Terrell.
For Chief Juatice the Supreme Court: C. M. Cureton.
For Railroad Commissioner, six year term: Clarence E. Gilmore present incumbent
For Railrosd Commissioner, fourear term: Lon A. Smith.
Save this list tor reference and be ure and vote the right ticket.

The only man regularly stumping the, State for Robertson is! Cyclone Davis. We always kinder liked Cy . lone, but, like Atticus Webb of the Anti-Saloon League, who has had ne picking for years as a Prohibi ion spelibinder, he just can't see anything but Probibition in any poitical scrap and, furthermore, neithare in this scrap for their health Cyclone is the only speaker of ut, like Robertson and all other Klansmen, he is doing his level best o fool the people by telling them hat Prohibition and not the Klan is

## the issue

The Klan in politics is the rssue and Klan speakers know it, and that s why they dodge the issue-the -and yell "Prohibition!"

Tom Love, Democratic National Committeeman from Texas by the grace of the Texas Klan, says that the success of the anti-Klan ticket n Texas will injure the National Democratic ticket in the general election.
Tom Love is talking through his hat and he knows it. He is only rying to carry out his bargain with the Klan for Texas's vote for McAdoo and to elect himself National Democratic Committeeman from Texas.
The defeat of the Klan ticket will do more to help the National Democratic ticket North than anything that Texas can do just now. If the Ku Klux Klan nominates their tickit it means heavy Democratic lossen
in the East and North. The Demoin the East and North. The Demo-
crats to win must carry New York, New Jersey and Margland, and with out these it seems now that it is im possible for our party to win.
The anti-Klan sentiment in thes three States named is so strong that Kian success in the greatest Demo
cratic State in the Union means diass ler to the Democrats north of Maso and Dixon's line.
With lig Folette in the race we can resily expect little from the Middle West, but must look to the Eastern States.

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Klux Klan, but the question tomor row is: "Shall a secret political shall the unhooded and unbridied Democrats of Texas rule?
No unprejudiced man denies that Klan. We many good men in the Kan. We are satisfled that there Ke many good, consclentious men in them joined it with the ides that it was or would ever become a secret political party.
That the Klsn is in politics is unKuestioned, despite the denials of ticket in the first primary, from Unied States Senator on down the line. Klansmen know this is true, so why a the Klansmen deny it?

Abusing Ferguson is the only dope Robertson and his frienda have. Remember, that Mrs. Yerguson, not im Ferguson, is the candidate. Remember, too, that Robertson bossted before the first primary, that he was endorsed by the Klan; in fact, he was brought out by the K lan, but dids't tell you that, snd now he does not mention the Klan,
because he knows that if the voters ever wake up to the real danger of complete domination of the State by the Klan, that tomorrow night, when the polls close, his name will be Dennis, not Felix D. Robertson, by thee of the Democratic Party, Wizard grace of B. W. Evans, Grand travels at Atlanta, Georgis, who travels over the country like a real
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 Antenio. Texas.-Major bavid Doole, who plotted the National Cem-ctery at For: Sam Houston, a veteran of the Civil War, the Indian Wars est Mason in Texas in point of serv-
ice and for a half century a rcs. dent of Southwest Texas, died Sun-
day at his home in Mason, Mason County, 91 yearb and eight montus
old.
Major Doole was born in Belfast, Ireiand, Nov, 25,1832 , and came to The United States with his parents
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vears he enlisted in the army and served throughout the war as a mem-
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Arizona where he participated in Arizona, where he participated in
some of the early fights with the
Apale Apaches and other tribes of the Southwest. He also aided
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should be assembled for patriotic and informational purposes all those citizens bf the several States who are qualified for military service. Sep-
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Nation as a peace-time test of our national mobilization law and as an indication of the part each com
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