

# The Baird Star

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## This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

**New Theory of the Universe  
The Sorrows of Wall Street  
The Wonderful Automobile  
200 Miles Hour, Low Fares**

The learned Prof. James Mac-lay of Dartmouth brings forth a new theory of the universe, pushing Einstein and relativity into the background.

The universe possesses a radiation of super-frequency and super-penetration, pervading all space.

The ether, which Einstein eliminated, returns, but it is a dynamic, not a static, ether.

That deep news interests a few. Secretary Mellon says 1930 will be a super-year, money abundant, interest rates low, business good.

That interests everybody, violently.

Infinite time, space and ether will take care of themselves; 1930 and business must be attended to at once.

Now that the "big wind" that swept through Wall Street, blowing away paper profits, has died down, there are sad hearts, but no real losses.

Apparent values, born of imagination and outrageous issues of watered stock, have shrunk by more than twenty-three billions of dollars in three months.

But our national property is all here, including the nicely printed watered stock.

When one concern assembles a few "public utility concerns" and prints 60,000,000 shares of wind and water, with 2,000,000 shares of preferred and heaven knows how many obligations of the assembled companies ahead of the 60,000,000 shares, something must happen. It did happen.

Among all the sorrows of Wall Street, however, bright spots stand out. Actual dividends declared in 1929 up to December 28 totaled more than \$4,462,000,000, an increase of more than a thousand million dollars over 1928.

We are really not poor, only a little discouraged, some of us, at the idea of beginning over again.

New York explodes gasoline in a big way. In the first six months of 1929, the state taxed 774,701.746 gallons of gasoline, not including gasoline used by farmers. It would have taken 968 freight trains of eighty cars each to carry that gasoline. Who would have believed that when Senator Connors was investing less than \$2,000 in the little Ford-car, taking out within a short time \$30,000,000 as his share?

A telegram from the "Stout Air Line" of Detroit tells of air rates from Detroit to Chicago reduced to only a little more than railroad fare, plus pullman charge.

Another telegram from the Universal Air Lines System of Chicago says: "Pilot Ray Porter, in a trimotored Fokker, carried 12 passengers and an assistant pilot from Chicago to Cleveland, 226 miles, in 97 minutes, 293 miles an hour." That trip is one leg on the proposed New York-Los Angeles route. The fare will be the same as by rail.

Against an airplane going 200 miles an hour, what chance will a railroad have, going 40 miles an hour, with fare the same? Americans are in a hurry.

Intelligent railroad men will take charge of passenger flying and control it. Ouths will fade away like the old stage coach drivers.

How the years drag for the young! How they fly for the old! A man past sixty knows that it is only a step to 1931.

A child cannot believe that another Christmas will ever come.

The earth, according to scientists, will last millions of millions of years. But a thousand years in thy sight are but as yesterday when it is past, and as a watch in the night.

But that is no excuse for not getting the best possible results from each of 1930's 365 days.

A great system of street car and interurban lines driven into a receivership in New York state is another reminder that the motor bus came to stay.

Railroads that ignored and despised the motor bus at first are now running busses of their own in many states.

Some roads, looking farther ahead, have started their own flying lines.

You have, gentle reader, about 119,508,999 American brothers and sisters.

The bureau of economic research puts our population at 119,306,000, including you.

We have increased 14,000,000 in ten years, while keeping out, largely, the "unfit European population that breeds crime," according to advocates of restricted immigration.

But we have not kept out crime itself. We have plenty of that.

## Mrs. M. E. Surles Buried at Putnam

Funeral services for Mrs. M. E. Surles, 91 years of age, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. L. Russell, on Thursday evening of last week, were held last Friday evening at Putnam, Rev. Joe E. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church at Baird, and Rev. G. W. Parks, of Roscoe, conducted the services and interment made by the side of her husband the late John Surles, who died a few years ago at the age of 88 years.

Mrs. Surles death came as a shock to her family for notwithstanding her advanced age she enjoyed fairly good health and on the day of her death she spent the morning piecing some quilt patterns and after dinner in company with her two daughters, Mrs. B. L. Russell and Mrs. C. C. Andrews and Mrs. B. L. Russell, Jr. started to Cisco to spend the afternoon with relatives. When out of town a few miles Mrs. Surles was taken slightly ill and while there was nothing alarming about her condition they thought it best to return home which they did and called Dr. Powell, who gave her something to ease her and she seemingly was resting well, and only a few minutes before she died she told her daughters that she was perfectly easy and did not think it necessary to take any more of the medicine and these were the last words she spoke for as gently as the falling of a dew drop; the Death Angel touched her sleep eternal—thus closed the long and useful life.

Mrs. Surles whose maiden name was Hill was born in Alabama, Sept. 30, 1838. She was married in that state to John Surles in 1857. They came to Callahan county in 1880 and settled near Putnam, the district now being known as the Atwell community.

Mr. Surles, a Confederate veteran, died a few years ago at the age of 88, after the couple had passed their 65th milestone of married life. Although Mr. Surles received a wound from which he never recovered, as he followed the stars and bars of the Confederacy, neither he nor his widow ever accepted the pensions to which they were eligible.

Mr. Surles was one of the first Callahan county citizens to establish a stock farm and one of the first to introduce Jersey cattle into the county.

Surviving Mrs. Surles are two daughters, Mrs. Russell and Mrs. C. C. Andrews, of Baird; a son, M. R. Surles of Dothan; 25 grandchildren, 55 great-grandchildren. She had been a church member since girlhood.

Grandsons of Mrs. Surles were the pallbearers. They are: B. F. Andrews and B. L. Russell, Jr. Baird; O. J. Russell, Cisco; Floyd Leonard and Carroll Surles of Dothan, and Russell Surles of Wichita Falls.

Relatives from a distance who attended the funeral were: Mrs. Gussie Surles, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Surles, Wichita Falls; Mrs. John Surles, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Surles, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Russell, Cisco; M. R. Surles and family, Dothan.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Rev. R. C. Bell will hold services at the Church of Christ next Sunday at 11 o'clock and at 7 p. m. Rev. Bell preaches regularly here on the 2nd and 4th Sundays in each month.

Mrs. J. L. White, has returned from Stamford, where she spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Bertie Newcomb, and family.

The head of a New York drug ring included in his private telephone list the number of the distinguished judge whose welcome home dinner was attended by many well-known criminals and convicts by a holdup.

In Lancaster, Ohio, Mrs. Vincent Kemp had two sets of twins in 1929. The first pair came on January 4 last. The second on the last day of the year. That is the crop that counts and neither bootleg liquor nor drugs will ruin it.

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## L. M. Hadley Laid To Rest Saturday

Funeral services for L. M. Hadley, whose tragic death occurred last Friday morning at his ranch southeast of town, were held at the Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. S. F. McCafferty, pastor of the church.

The church was filled and many people stood in the rear of the building and many more stood on the outside, so large was the number of friends who had come to pay a last tribute to Mr. Hadley, whose friends were limited only by the number of his acquaintances. Friends came from many miles from other cities to attend the funeral, the entire central section of the church being reserved for the family, relatives and close friends. Following the services at the church the remains were conveyed to Ross Cemetery for interment. The floral offering were many and beautiful, silent tokens of the love and esteem in which the deceased was held by friends and loved ones.

Active pallbearers: Ed Alexander, Ode Berry, Fred Cutbirth, Ace Hickman, Rupert Jackson and John Asbury of Baird.

Honorary pallbearers: J. E. Beggs, Ben Young, P. B. O'Connell, E. P. Van Zandt, W. B. Callan, Geo. Beggs, Claude Marrett, Geo. Scalling, Jim Todd, Geo. C. Dupree, Frank Powell, Oscar Jones, Frank Allen Claude Allen, Fort Worth; W. R. Ely, Ike Brown, J. N. Ferguson, Henry James, I. N. Jackson, E. L. Finley, H. H. Ramsey, P. G. Hatchett, Felix Raines, Abilene; Henry Green, W. C. Goodwin, Breckenridge; C. B. Snyder, Sam Dillar, Jim Cottle, Moran; Arch Ratliff, Joe Carr, Ben Stone, John Yantis, Geo. Kidd, L. J. Hana, Good Woodridge, E. B. Johnson, W. P. Edds, R. P. Nunn, Brownwood; B. L. Russell, W. R. Hickman, W. P. Brightwell, Rod Kelton, Thomas Owens, M. G. Frammer, A. E. Young, Dr. R. G. Powell, H. A. McWhorter, G. C. Berry, H. W. Ross, J. S. Hart, W. E. Melton, John Kenard, Homer Kenard, Ernest Hill, Bob Norrell, Tom Windham, J. F. Dyer, H. H. Shaw, Wylie James, J. R. McFarlane, E. C. Fulton, W. D. Boydston, H. Schwartz, C. B. Holmes, B. L. Boydston, Walter Fraser, T. E. Powell, Dr. V. E. Hill, M. Barnhill, H. C. McGowan, John McGowan and Otis Bowyer, Baird.

Mr. Hadley's tragic death occurred at his ranch six miles southeast of Baird last Friday morning when he and Grover Berry, had gone out into the pasture to look at some cattle. Mr. Hadley took his shot gun along to hunt some quail and as they drove along he saw a covey up along the fence a short distance and got out of the car to take a shot at them. Grover drove on and presently heard a shot and the strands of barbed wire on the fence ring. After a short interval he noticed that Mr. Hadley had not gone into the pasture and upon investigation found him where he had started to climb over the fence when his foot slipped from a rock on which he had stepped throwing him across the fence the gun being discharged, the charge striking him in the neck severing the jugular vein. Grover hastily summoned Dr. R. L. Griggs, who with Sheriff Ev Hughes and others hurried to the scene of the tragedy, but Mr. Hadley was dead. Dr. Griggs finding that death had been instantaneous. The body was brought to the Wylie funeral home and prepared for burial.

Mr. Hadley had returned only a few days before from Fort Worth where he had spent the holidays with his family in their home in that city. His brother, Seth had accompanied him and had remained for a few days longer. Mrs. Hadley, son and daughter, Hall and Margaret and Seth Hadley and Charlie Hadley, who makes his home in Fort Worth, with a number of close friends came to Baird immediately upon receipt of the sad news.

Lew Hadley, as he was familiarly known among the pioneer ranchmen of this section where he has lived for nearly 50 years, was 63 years of age. He came to this

## Everett Hughes Seeks Re-election As Sheriff

Everett Hughes, announces this week as a candidate for Sheriff to succeed himself, his announcement being made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. Mr. Hughes has made one of the best peace officers Callahan county has ever had and he has, we believe, given general satisfaction to all in the discharge of his duties as sheriff. He is cool headed, kind hearted, but very positive in dealing with violators of the law. During his term as sheriff he has handled some bad criminals, but he has never had a jail break or lost a prisoner. He is always on the job, answers promptly all calls in the discharge of his duties as an officer and has been very successful in controlling law violation in the county and has had a minimum of law infractions, which is credited to his activities and faithful cooperative work of his deputies.

He solicits and will appreciate the support of the people of the county, pledging them a continuation of faithful and efficient service in this important office.

section from Grimes county when a boy in his teens and worked on Hashknife and other ranches. He came to this county in 1885 and some years later established his ranch here, where he has since made his home. He was one of our most progressive and prominent ranchmen.

He was married June 6, 1894 to Miss Maybelle Summers, daughter of M. Summers. He is survived by his wife, a son, Hall Hadley and a daughter, Margaret Hadley. Two Brothers, Charles G. Hadley, Vice-president of the National Livestock Commission Co., Fort Worth and Seth Hadley of Baird and one sister, Mrs. Sallie Mayfield of Florida survive him, all being present at the funeral except Mrs. Mayfield.

Some years ago Mr. Hadley established a home in Fort Worth, but he spent much of his time on the ranch with his brother, Seth. Many expressions of sorrow were heard and many beautiful tributes paid the deceased who was a big-hearted man, always ready to do anything to help his friends and many will miss him as the days go by and we see him no more, nor hear his pleasant voice as in the days gone by.

Among the many out of town friends who attended the funeral were:

Ben Young, president National Live Stock Association; Jim Young, manager National Live Stock Association; Herbert Graves, Bert O'Connell, Jack O'Connell, Frankie Means, Pony Starr, Max Bion, Martin Gray, F. W. Gregory and mother, Mrs. H. H. Gregory, L. A. Frazer, Joe Wilmet, Mrs. Bessie Dance, Owen Dupree C. C. Marrett, Kelley Wright, W. B. Callan, all of Ft. Worth; Ed Hayden Sam Dellar, Lewis Waters, Jim Cottle, Jr., Rufe Hale, C. B. Snyder and sons, C. B. Jr., and Faye of Moran; P. W. (Phen) Reynolds, Lewis Hill, Albany; John Allen, Claude Allen, Strawn; D. C. Woodledge, Noah Woodledge, Good Woodledge, Mack Woodledge, Dan Woodledge, Arch Ratliff, Brownwood; Clint Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Finley, Judge and Mrs. W. R. Ely, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Turner, J. N. Ferguson, Ike Brown, Felix Raines, Jake Rathmell, Jack Paramore, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, and Mrs. Geo. B. Scott, Cross Plains; Arthur Young, Will Young, Ed Horn, Will Rice from the Bayou, Dick Hickman, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Woodham, Mrs. John Jordan, Henry Preston, Oplin; J. H. Carpenter, Dudley; Harry Berry, John Kennard, Homer Kennard, John Harry, Clyde; R. P. Stephenson, H. E. Jones, Eula.

Mrs. J. E. Malin, of Amarillo, spent the holidays with her parents at their farm, also her brothers, S. E. Webb, Jr., Frank Webb of Abilene and Mrs. Henry Webb of Baird, returning home last Sunday morning.

## Mrs. Will McCoy Seek Re-election as County Treasurer

Mrs. Will McCoy announces this week as a candidate for re-election as County Treasurer, which position she is now holding for the first term. Mrs. McCoy has given entire satisfaction in this office. She is always at her post. She is competent and courteous in the discharge of her duties. This being Mrs. McCoy's first term she will not likely have an opponent at this time. She solicits and will appreciate the support of the people, promising a continuation of the faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

Mrs. McCoy's announcement is made subject to the action of the Democratic primary. See her message to the voters in this issue.

## Lambert Family Have Reunion

Mrs. Henry Lambert had all her children at home for dinner last Sunday. Those present being Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lambert and daughter, Doris Jean, of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Evans and children of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lambert and children of Chautauqua, Miss Jeffe Lambert and Lem Lambert of Baird. All of her grandchildren were present except two, Charlie Frank Lambert, of Chautauqua and Miss Donna Carter, of Big Spring.

## THE SICK

Mrs. W. L. Capps, who has been seriously ill for sometime is now improving.

Mrs. Perry Hughes was seriously ill for several days the past week but is improving.

Bertha Joyce, baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ogilvy Jr. has been quite ill with Pneumonia is reported much better.

Alex Ogilvy, of Cross Plains, one of Callahan county's old time residents has been quite sick, but at last report he was able to be up.

Joe Fielder, who was accidentally shot by playmates on Christmas eve, is reported doing nicely. He is still confined to his bed at the Griggs hospital.

Mrs. Coward, who was a patient for a week, in the Griggs hospital, has returned to her home in Clyde.

## COTTON REPORT

The number of bales of cotton ginned in Callahan county according to last report from the Bureau of the census as furnished by B. L. Russell, Jr., is 6,514 bales prior to Dec. 13, 1929 as compared with 10,084 bales for the same period last year.

## L. B. Lewis Offers For Re-election as County Attorney

L. B. Lewis, who is serving his first term as County Attorney, announces this week as a candidate for re-election subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. Mr. Lewis has been a resident of the county for the past several years. He was assistant county attorney under B. F. Russell, during his last term as County Attorney and was elected to the office at the last election. Mr. Lewis is well qualified and is very conscientious in the discharge of his duties. He is careful in keeping a correct record of all cases coming in his care and this expedites the work of the grand jury at each term of District Court, which is quite an item in economy to the county. This being his first term, Mr. Lewis will not likely have an opponent. He solicits the support of the people upon his qualifications and past record and pledges himself to discharge the duties of the office in the same efficient manner in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reynolds spent the week-end in Dallas visiting relatives.

## R. M. Lovell Died At Cottonwood

R. M. Lovell, 45 years of age, and prominent citizen of the Cottonwood community, died suddenly at his home there Monday morning, Dec. 30th, and was buried in the Cottonwood cemetery at 10:00 a. m. Tuesday, funeral services being conducted at the Baptist church by Rev. Howell. Burial rites were conducted by the Oddfellows Lodge. Deceased is survived by a wife, mother and a number of brothers and sisters. His sudden death was attributed to heart failure.

## Eula Happenings

By Patsie

Well, how is The Star force? We are all well here at this date.

We are needing rain. Small grain was almost killed by the last freeze, most farmers are plowing and getting ready for another crop and here's hoping we will make a sure enough good crop for 1930.

Most farmers are milking a few cows, and raising a bunch of chickens and this is helping to hold down expenses.

I was down at Baird the other day and had a nice time. Met so many of my good friends. I was invited to eat dinner with the Lions Club by my good friends W. D. Boydston and Bob Norrell. I had a real good feed and a wonderful time being with such a fine bunch of men. You know I am proud of Baird and her people.

I was in Baird again last Saturday and that was a sad day. H. E. Jones and I went down to attend the funeral of our good friend Lou Hadley, whom we have known for 35 years. L. M. Hadley was a big hearted man and always had a good word for all. Mrs. Hadley, son and daughter, and Seth and Charlie have my sincere sympathy. One by one, we will join the number.

Was glad to see Mrs. H. H. Gregory and son, Forrest, of Ft. Worth, and Judge and Mrs. W. R. Ely, of Abilene.

Nunnalley Stephenson has returned to A. & M. College after spending the holidays with home folks.

Well Christmas is over and the children are all back at school. Now lets all get down to work and try to make 1930 a real good year.

Best wishes to The Star force and all the readers.

## B. C. Chrisman a Candidate For County Judge

B. C. Chrisman, announces this week as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. Mr. Chrisman is at present County Superintendent, which office he has held for several years. Probably no county officer has given more universal satisfaction in office than has Mr. Chrisman as County Superintendent. He has been untiring in his efforts to help the schools of the county, giving longer terms, better school buildings and equipment and our schools now compare favorably with the best in the state. Mr. Chrisman has studied law for a number of years and is thoroughly competent to discharge the duties of the office of county judge, should he be the choice of the people of the county, of which he has been a resident for more than thirty years. See his message in this issue.

## DELPHIAN PROGRAM FOR JAN. 14, 1930

1. Preliminary Survey—Mrs. James Ross.
2. George Peele—Mrs. Alexander.
3. Robert Greene—Miss Eliska Gilliland.
4. Tragic Drama of Kyd—Mrs. Royce Gilliland.
5. Christopher Marlowe—Mrs. Brightwell.
6. Doctor Faustus—Mrs. Gus Hall.

## S. S. Harville to Run For Commissioner Precinct No. 2

S. S. (Sidney) Harwell, of Oplin announces this week as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 2. A "Straw Vote" was taken at Oplin on the day of the county wide Road Bond Election recently in which Mr. Harwell with three other citizens of that precinct were voted on to determine which one should enter the race for county commissioner and Mr. Harwell received a large majority over all others, hence is the choice of the voters of the Oplin precinct, where he has lived for the past 9 years. Mr. Harwell has lived in the county since boyhood. Living on Deep Creek and at Admiral. Readers of The Star some twenty years ago will remember him as "The Star Staff Poet" who wrote the news from Deep Creek in Jingles. He also wrote the news around Oplin for The Star for a number of years until he got so busy farming and helping to develop that part of the county that he did not find time to write, but we still count him one of The Star force. Mr. Harwell is a young man, with good business qualifications, is conservative and will make a good County Commissioner. His announcement is made subject to the action of the Democratic primary and he pledges a faithful and efficient discharge of his duties if elected. See his message to the voters in this issue.

## W. A. Everett in Race For Tax Collector

W. A. Everett, of Putnam announces this week as a candidate for Tax Collector subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Mr. Everett is now serving his third term as County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3. He is well qualified to discharge the duties of the office to which he aspires. He is well known in the county—was a candidate for the office he now seeks some years ago, and was defeated by a small majority. Mr. Everett has served his county well as County Commissioner. Is a business man of recognized ability. His record both as a public official and as a citizen is open for investigation. Mr. Everett solicits and will appreciate your support, promising a faithful discharge of his duties should he be the choice of the people. See his message to the voters in this issue.

## EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Rev. Willis P. Gerhart will hold services at the Episcopal church next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited to attend the services.

## Homer Price to Run For City Marshal

T. H. (Homer) Price announces this week as a candidate for City Marshal of Baird at the coming city election.

Homer Price is a son of the late T. R. Price, of Baird, he has lived in and around Baird for the past 18 years, being engaged in farming with his father most of that time. He is now living on Mrs. Murry Harri's farm, just south of the railroad. Mr. Price is a young man and seeks the office of City Marshal upon his merits and qualifications to discharge the duties of the office. See his announcement in the regular column.

## BAIRD BOY TAKES PLANE TO EL PASO SCHOOL OF MINES

Bound for the Texas School of Mines at El Paso, where he is a student, Frank Bearden of Baird, took passage on the Southern Air Transport plane at Kinsolving field here yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Young Bearden will join his brother, Fabian Bearden, an electrical engineering student, at the school of mines.—Abilene Reporter.



# MANY SEEK HUGE ENGLISH ESTATE

## Smuggler's Fortune Cause of Many Tragedies and Crimes.

London.—A story of romance, tragedy and violence lies behind the claim to property in London worth \$300,000,000.

In the last 100 years more than 2,000 claims to the Angell estates as they are called, have been advanced. They have included 80 claimants from Canada alone, two peers and a general.

Even at the present time 200 people in different parts of the world believe that they are the rightful owners of this vast fortune, comprising some sixty square miles, embracing the London suburbs of Brixton, Stockwell, Streatham, parts of Waltham, Lambeth, Balham, Thornton, Heath, Purley and Riddlesdown. The yearly rental is said to yield \$5,000,000.

The estate belonged in the first place to John Stockwell, a seafarer and smuggler who appears to have done well for himself. He had a wife, from whom he was separated, and on his retirement he went to live at Stockwell with a widow named Angell and her son John.

**Left No Will.**

Stockwell died in 1740 without leaving a will or any means to indicate how he left his property. The widow Angell stopped all discussion by indicating that what she had she would hold. The first member of the Stockwell family who tried to enter her premises was thrown through a window and broke a leg.

The widow realized, however, that resistance was not enough. Lawyers were consulted, and they decided that the only way was to destroy all evidence which might prove valuable in a court of law.

Hence emissaries were sent all over the country where the names of Stockwell and Angell were known, with instructions to destroy all records of those names.

Then began one of the most amazing series of crimes ever known. Churches all over the country were broken into, records were tampered with, and pages relating to members of the disputing families torn out or forged in some way to make them unrecognizable.

**All Records Missing.**

So well was their work done that to this day no trace can be found of any birth, marriage, death or burial certificate of the original John Stockwell. A John Stockwell died at Dursley, Gloucestershire, in 1740, but all records concerning him are missing.

The Angell's emissaries had orders to stop at nothing. Pillaging, forging and robbery—all these crimes they committed, and any other misdemeanors that occasions warranted.

The original John Angell, son of the widow, is supposed to have had one daughter. She had three children from her marriage with a man named Benedict, who afterwards took the name of Angell. The second of these children married a man named Clinton in a church at St. Johns, N. F.

A fortnight after their marriage the Clintons sailed for England in the Royal George to make yet another claim. Four days out the ship went down and every one on board was drowned.

The third child married a Samuel Allery of Tiverton, Dartmouth. The records of this marriage were only recently found by William Adrian Allery, who, before he died last March, was probably one of the best known of the present-day claimants.

**Lawsuits Follow Violence.**

By the beginning of the Nineteenth century acts of violence gave place to lawsuits. The first recorded suit is in 1824. It was unsuccessful. Another lawsuit was brought in 1846 by one of the seven children who had been distinguished by a certain William Angell.

One claimant went to Devonshire to investigate his claim and disappeared. Some weeks afterwards his body was discovered in a deep pool. The man's head had been beaten in.

After this a tremendous hue and cry was raised. Notwithstanding the almost superstitious fear with which some people had by this time come to regard meddling with the case, one enterprising claimant came all the way from Australia. A woman relation had certain important documents which he was desirous of obtaining. She refused to give them up, and a bitter quarrel ensued. A few hours later the woman was found dead, and after one of the most notable trials of the time the man was hanged.

**Leaves Curious Will.**

John Angell left a curious will, dated September, 1774. It gave to the archbishop of Canterbury, the lord chancellor, and the archbishop of York for the time being, yearly sums of \$500 out of John Angell's estate at Ewell and Lambeth, \$1,750 out of the "collection of the Spinn lights at Newcastle, and \$1,250 out of the lighthouses at Sunderland."

These sums were to be held in trust to be paid half yearly for the support of "a college or society of seven decayed or unprovided gentlemen by descent, two clergymen, an organist, six singing men, twelve choristers, a verger, a chapel clerk, and three domestic servants—namely: butler, baker and groom. These were to be called "gentlemen of St. John's college, Stockwell." The will provided for "the gentlemen and the two clergymen to eat together," the charges of their

# REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF BAIRD, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31st, 1929

## RESOURCES

1. Loans and discounts	\$496,514.26
2. Overdrafts	1,914.15
3. United States Government securities owned	130,600.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	65,483.11
5. Banking house, \$3,500, Furniture and fixtures, \$4,200	7,700.00
6. Real estate owned other than banking house	3,200.00
7. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	58,718.69
8. Cash and due from banks	196,148.59
9. Outside checks and other cash items	514.60
10. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$962,043.40</b>

## LIABILITIES

15. Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
16. Surplus	25,000.00
17. Undivided profits—net	15,353.89
18. Circulating notes outstanding	25,000.00
19. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	29,968.95
20. Demand deposits	782,869.95
21. Time deposits	33,850.61
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$962,043.40</b>

State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss:

I, Bob Norrell, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

BOB NORRELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1930.

J. Rupert Jackson, Notary Public.


Correct—Attest:

A. R. Kelton,  
Henry James,  
Ace Hickman,  
DIRECTORS.

### How to Raise Poultry

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V.S., St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. LeGear is a graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-six years of veterinary practice on diseases of live stock and poultry. Eminent authority on poultry and stock raising. Nationally known poultry breeder. Noted author and lecturer.



## Must Fowl Quarters Be Foul Quarters

A Little Time and Less Money Invested in Proper Housing Facilities Will Be Repaid Many Times Over in Healthier, More Robust Fowls and Greater Egg Production.

"Married men," so states the wisecracking vaudeville performer, "have their better halves, but bachelors have better quarters." While a great many people may take issue with the foregoing statement, it would be hard to dispute that a majority of the chickens being raised in this country are entitled to better quarters and do not get them. Certainly, a distressingly large proportion of the poultry being raised today would fall in that category.

All too often, the matter of poultry housing is left until everything else has been provided for and then, any kind of old shack will be hastily thrown together, often in a location not deliberately chosen for the purpose, but which is used because it is fit for nothing else.

As a matter of fact, the location that is fit for nothing else is usually unfit for poultry raising, but that is, apparently, not often taken into consideration. I shall briefly describe a type of house which, after experimenting with many kinds of over twenty years, I am convinced is the cheapest, most practical, healthiest, more comfortable and easiest to build poultry house, for the average farm flock, of which I have any knowledge. If I felt otherwise, it is quite certain all my own poultry houses would not be built on this plan.

My ideal poultry house is the one-way shed roof, open front, fresh air type that admits plenty of sunshine and plenty of fresh air at all times without drafts, and faces south. It should be 20 feet wide or deep from north to south, and as long as necessary to accommodate the flock. A house 20 by 20 feet is a nice size for an ordinary size small farm flock. It will comfortably house 100 hens of the larger breeds and 135 Leghorns in all cold and moderate climates; while in warmer climates, 25 per cent more can be housed without crowding. This is due to the fact that the fowls do not have to be housed many days during the winter in the warmer sections of the United States. It is a great mistake to crowd chickens into a house, as they should have plenty of room at all times. This house should be 9 feet

high in front and 6 feet in the rear. There should be a trap door 10 or 12 inches wide along the north wall just under the roof that should be opened during hot weather for coolness at night; while during fall, winter and spring the north east and west walls should be absolutely as near air-tight as they can be made. In a long house, there should be a solid partition from the back almost to the front every 30 or 35 feet to prevent drafts sweeping from one end of the house to the other on the birds at night.

The openings in the front are all the ventilators a poultry house needs, and the larger these permanent openings are, the healthier the fowls will be, as long as they do not freeze their combs and toes. By having the roosts along the north wall there will be no drafts at night by having the north, east and west walls closed tight, even if the south is open.

Every poultry house should have a floor—either concrete or wood. It is impossible to keep a dirt floor clean and sanitary. The floors in all my houses are made of tongue and grooved flooring that is absolutely tight. All my houses are up on posts two or three feet high, which provides a cool place during the heat of summer. A good roof is very essential, as a poultry house must be kept healthy. The usual material used for shed roofs is either roofing paper or galvanized iron. The latter is usually the most durable, but is also very hot during hot weather if the roof is not high. A straw loft or a ceiling under the rafters will make the house a great deal cooler in summer and also warmer in the winter. Do not have the roof too low, especially in warm climates, nor too high, especially up north. There should be 5 1/2 or 6 feet clearance space in the rear, and 8 or 9 feet in the front inside.

This poultry house is equally good in any climate and at any season of the year, the only difference being in the construction of the front openings. In the southern states, the front should be left almost entirely open at all times, while up north where the weather is cold, most of the front should be closed for the protection of the fowls. In the northern states, quite a portion of the front can be covered with glass substitutes to admit light and sunshine, and sufficient aid for ventilation can be had through openings that are covered with thin muslin curtains during cold weather. In climates similar to Missouri, the openings in the front should equal

about 10 per cent of the floor area of the house, and these openings should be left open at all times except in extreme cold weather or while storming from the south, when a thin muslin curtain can be pulled down.

Of course, some rain will beat in the southern openings at times, but the harm from this is trivial as compared to having the front of the house closed or nearly so.

The floor should be sloping a little to the front, so that the rain that should blow in will run to the front and out.

No ordinary glass windows are needed in the front of a poultry house, and very few any place else. The front of the house should be boarded up solid for three feet above the floor, and all openings should be above this.

In cold climates, the north, east and west walls should be made warm. Ship-lap or drop siding should be carefully put on so as to leave no cracks, and then this should be lined on the inside or out with two or three ply roofing paper securely put on.

A house built on the plan described will always be a source of pride to its owner and will pay real dividends in healthier, more valuable and more productive fowls. Anyone who is interested in better housing for fowls and desires further information, may write me for further information in care of this newspaper.

## NOTICE OF ESTRAY SALE

Notice is hereby given that W. A. Everett, County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3 of Callahan County, Texas, will sell to the highest cash bidder on the First Monday in February, 1930, being the 3rd day of said month between two and three o'clock P. M. at the Harwell Pasture, as shown below; the following Estray: One brown Jersey Cow, five years old, white spot in forehead, underbit in left ear, no brand. Said animal now running at large in the Harwell Pasture one and one half miles South of Putnam, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 7th day of January, A. D. 1930.

S. E. Settle, Clerk County Court, Callahan County, Texas.

## MEN WANTED IMMEDIATELY

by giant international industry; over 7000 already started; some doing annual business \$13,000; no experience or capital required; everything supplied; realize success, independence Rawleigh's way; retail food products, soap toilet preparations, stock, poultry supplies; your own business supported by big American, Canadian, Australian industries; resources over \$17,000,000; established 40 years; get our proposition; all say it's great! Rawleigh Company, Dept. TX-162-J Memphis, Tenn.

## RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY ROBERT E. LEE CAMP, U. C. V.

Fort Worth, Tex., December 29th, 1929.

To The Robert E. Lee Camp No. 158, U. C. V. Fort Worth, Texas.

Whereas it has come to the knowledge of this Camp that the last Regular Session of the Legislature of this state, passed a law which was approved by the governor, authorizing the University of Texas Medical College to take charge of the bodies of confederate soldiers, or their widows, who are inmates of a state institution, for the purpose of dissecting, as provided by said law; and whereas this camp had no knowledge of such of such contemplated, or pending legislation, and was given no opportunity to combat such an outrage; and whereas we view the enactment of such a law as a base insult to every confederate soldier, or his widow; Therefore be it Resolved that this camp holds in contempt such a law, and demands its immediate, unconditional repeal, and we hope that the Press Reports, to the effect that the board of Control of this state has thrown a defy at any effort to enforce the Audacious act, is true, and we call upon the Superintendent of the Confederate Home, at Austin, to use his best endeavors to assist the board to thwart such an insult.

Resolved further that these Resolutions be given to the daily press (as far as can be) for publication; and Whereas we realize that the weekly press has always been the friend of the confederate soldier and the great cause for which he fought; Therefore be it further Resolved that every coun-

## OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

# FIRST STATE BANK

AT BAIRD, STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 31st DAY OF DECEMBER, 1929, PUBLISHED IN THE BAIRD STAR, A NEWSPAPER PRINTED AND PUBLISHED AT BAIRD, STATE OF TEXAS, ON THE 10th DAY OF JANUARY, 1930.

## RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$197,002.51
Loans secured by real estate	8,900.00
Overdrafts	1,418.51
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping	850.00
Banking House \$14,772.56, Furniture & Fixtures \$4,733.32	19,505.88
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	9,925.16
Cash in bank	19,004.94
Due from approved reserve agents	72,105.37
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	5,151.99
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund	640.70
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,393.59
Other Resources	268.48
Cotton	13,478.96
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$349,646.09</b>

## LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Undivided profits, net	11,752.57
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	15,310.48
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	251,361.67
Time Certificates of Deposit	19,114.63
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	1,256.74
Customers' Bonds deposited for safekeeping	850.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$349,646.09</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Callahan, We, E. L. Finley, as President, and T. E. Powell, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. L. Finley, President  
T. E. Powell, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, A. D. 1930.

Royce Gilliland, Notary Public, Callahan County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:

P. G. Hatchett,  
Martin Barnhill,  
H. W. Ross, Directors.

ty paper in Texas, is hereby kindly requested to copy these resolutions, in order that the various confederate camps throughout the rural districts of this state, may be more fully informed and advised as to this inhuman piece of Legislation, and have an opportunity to give vent to their feelings in the matter.

Resolved further that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this camp.

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Gaskell, Historian.  
J. M. Stuart, Qtr. Master.  
J. B. Thompson, Chaplain.  
Committee.

Unanimously adopted at regular meeting of the Camp, Dec. 2th, 1929.

## CLUBBING RATE CONTINUED

We will continue our Clubbing Rate with The Abilene Morning News during the month of January at the rate of \$5.00 for The Baird Star (weekly) and the Abilene Morning News (daily) in Callahan county, out-side of county \$5.50. The subscription to the Abilene Morning News, however will expire on Jan. 1, 1931. The Star will run for the full 12 months. This is election year and you will be interested in a good daily paper. Send in your subscription at once. The Baird Star.

## OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

# FARMERS STATE BANK

AT PUTNAM, STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE 31st DAY OF DECEMBER, 1929, PUBLISHED IN THE BAIRD STAR, A NEWSPAPER PRINTED AND PUBLISHED AT BAIRD, STATE OF TEXAS, ON THE 10th DAY OF JANUARY, 1930.

## RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$152,440.13
Overdrafts	5,347.88
Banking House \$5,000.00, Furniture and Fixtures \$2,500.00	7,500.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	7,635.00
Cash in bank	12,069.41
Due from approved reserve agents	26,202.95
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	6,527.82
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund	357.50
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	2,000.00
Other Resources, Commercial Paper	7,905.43
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$227,986.12</b>

## GRAND TOTAL

\$227,986.12

## LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits, net	3,469.90
Dividends unpaid	1,250.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	173,266.22
Bills Payable	NONE
Rediscounts	NONE
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$227,986.12</b>

## GRAND TOTAL

\$227,986.12

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Callahan, We, J. A. Clements as Vice-president, and R. L. Clinton, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. A. Clements, V-President  
R. L. Clinton, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, A. D. 1930.

Pierce Shackelford, Notary Public, Callahan County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:

S. W. Jobe,  
Y. A. Orr,  
C. T. Hutchison,  
DIRECTORS.

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Physician and Surgeon  
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### HAMLETT & HAMLETT

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**GIRL FINDS IDEAL ON AD POSTER, THEY ARE ENGAGED**

**Pretty Young Typist Goes on Trail of Model and Now Wears Diamond Ring.**

Montreal.—A girl's discovery of her ideal man on a picture poster has had a romantic sequel.

Everybody has seen those posters of strong, silent men pointing accusing masculine fingers from boardings and demanding to know why the world at large does not smoke a certain brand of cigarettes or buy a certain make of underwear.

Miss Gladys Hewett, a pretty young Brighton typist, passed one on her way to the office every morning. It depicted a handsome young man with crisp-curl hair, and Miss Hewett sighed a long, deep sigh.

"Why doesn't one meet men like that in real life?" she said to herself.

And then dawned the great idea. Miss Hewett sat down and typed off a letter to the firm concerned, asking if by any chance the poster had been drawn from life, and, if so, would they forward her letter to the original. In the envelope she inclosed her photograph.

Miss Hewett told the sequel of her strange romance. "I got a reply stating that there was an original of the poster, and that my letter had been forwarded to him," she said. "A few days later came a letter from the young man himself. He inclosed his photograph and asked me if I would write to him.

"He proved to be a wireless operator in the merchant service. His brother is a poster artist and used him as a model when he was home on leave.

"Recently he came home from a long voyage in the East," Miss Hewett proudly exhibited a half loop diamond ring on the third finger of her left hand.

"And now we are engaged to be married," she smiled happily.

**Prepares for Trek by 3,000 Reindeer**

Ottawa.—A trek of 3,000 reindeer from near Nome, Alaska, to the east bank of the Mackenzie river is being prepared, and this fall the huge herd will move across the face of the Arctic and 3,000 United States immigrants will become Canadians.

R. T. and A. E. Forslid made an investigation a year ago, and the government decided to buy 3,000 reindeer from Loman Brothers of Alaska. These animals will provide a new source of food for the Eskimo in the western Arctic and give Canada a new fauna in the northern Yukon.

A. E. Forslid has gone West, and will sail up to Nome from Vancouver, making his way to Elephant Point, where he will make the necessary arrangements for the transport of the animals. The trek will be the most ambitious project ever carried out—the driving of 3,000 semi-wild animals over mountain and stream, tundra and marsh, for a distance of more than 1,000 miles. It will be October, 1931, before the exodus from Alaska to the Yukon is complete.

The contract calls for the delivery of the reindeer on the east side of the Mackenzie river. R. T. Forslid will go down the Mackenzie river to Aklavik to superintend the building of the immense corrals needed for the animals.

A small but powerful auxiliary cruiser has been built at Vancouver for the department of the interior. This will be taken overland by train to Edmonton, then north to the Mackenzie river, and then will cruise down to Aklavik, where it will be used to transport the lumber needed for the corrals.

**Fisherman Tells of Landing Sea Dragon**

Beach Haven, N. J.—A fish ceases to be a fish when it grows wings spreading nine feet, develops eyes in its ears, a five-foot tail and two feet each equipped with two toes. It becomes a sea monster. According to the tale of Thomas Bowen, fisherman, it was a sea monster and not a fish that caught in his net. Finding the weight too great for him, Bowen called four other fishermen to help him. The five struggled from shortly before seven in the morning until eleven. The monster they finally beached weighed 440 pounds, measured nearly twelve feet and presented a cream-colored front and a royal purple back, the story goes.

**Trace of Early Man Sought in Alaska**

Juneau, Alaska.—Disappointed in an attempt to find evidence that man first came to the North American continent from Asia by way of Alaska, Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, Smithsonian institution anthropologist, is on his way south after covering 5,000 miles along the Yukon between its source and its mouth, since early last June. While finding a number of skulls, none of them was over 150 years old, Doctor Hrdlicka said. He hopes to return to Alaska to continue his search, probably on the Kuskokwim river, where he believes he may be successful.

**Clock Ticks Off Time Since the Year 1800**

Blue Mountain, Miss.—Twelve years before the outbreak of the War of 1812, a clock in the possession of G. C. Quinn, Union county farmer, was ticking off the minutes for early pioneers. Today it is in daily use and apparently in good condition. It was made in Plymouth, Conn.

**Sonny**



By Elmo

**Pork and Beans**



By Hank Elmo

**THE VALUE OF ADVERTISING**

By Students of Baird High School

**THE HEADLIGHT ADVERTISEMENTS**

Eula Hays Baird High School English II October 1, 1929

In the year 1945 a man was in his apartment in New York City. The suite of rooms he occupied were expensive and the man bore the marks of success. He seemed nervous and was walking from one side of the room to the other when an idea seemed to form in his mind and he walked suddenly to a desk and sat down. From a drawer which he unlocked he took a thin blue book "The Headlight."

As he turned the pages the expression on his face changed from time to time. He seemed happy but several times there was a look of sadness in his eyes, for he could not help thinking that all those good times were past. Finally he came to the advertisements and as he read them he mused.

"Before this annual was published in 1929, I often wondered why the business men of Baird were successful. I, myself wanted to go into business after I graduated and took a business course but I feared until I learned that the success of most business men was due to advertising. The men of Baird may not have realized it but their advertising in the annual amounted to a good deal. I remember I was very hungry when I read this advertisement:

It is Chili,  
But it isn't cold,  
Uncle T. Emmons  
Makes good Chili."  
When I got out of school I went there and ate a chili. It surely was good, too.

I remember this one especially well.  
Bertha Beauty Shop  
Ruth Brandon, Manager.  
The ocean has nothing on us. We have Permanent, Finger and Marcel waves.  
Manicuring and Shampooing a Speciality.  
Baird, Texas. Phone 138

When my sister saw that she wanted a permanent wave and wanted me to pay for it—and I did.

He thought of some incident about each of the other advertisements and when he had read them all he closed the book and put it in a drawer which he locked.  
"And because I followed their example and advertised where people who knew me best and liked me most could see my advertisement I am successful. I can think of no better place than a high school annual, either, for both children in school and their parents will see it there and most of them are interested in the things sold by the business men of their town."

**WHY A FIRM SHOULD ADVERTISE IN THE HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL**

By Clarence Pretz

First, if a firm advertises in the annual, their business will increase. Also they will enjoy the profits and something new will always be in stock. Advertising makes them a success in the business world.

Second, it makes the firm acquainted with the school. Most firms would be glad to advertise in the annual.

Third, it upbuilds the town. The town will become more thoroughly known. Advertising shows what is in the town. People will flock into town to purchase their goods and some will find positions. It will be worth their time to visit the town.

Fourth, it makes something out of the firm. It gives them a certain high standing among business houses.

Fifth, people make friends with one another. People and firms will become better acquainted.

Sixth, advertising in the annual will be recorded by the passing of an annual from one person to another. The firm will be remembered as helping the growth of our school.

Seventh, advertising in the Baird High School annual will encourage co-operation in the town of Baird.

**THE VALUE OF ADVERTISING IN THE ANNUAL**

By Mary Jo Hart

The value of advertising in the annual lies in the fact that the annual goes into almost every home. Almost every one sees an annual and, not only do they see it, but they appreciate the persons, who advertise in it.

The annual is such an attractive book that it is usually read from beginning to end which includes the advertisements.

The annual is the pride and joy of every boy and girl who goes to Baird High School and they so appreciate the persons who help it better by advertising, they they want to trade with them in return for the kindness they have shown in making the annual better.

In a Baird High Annual it pays to advertise. The pages are so white and are a nice size.

The boys and girls will thank you and help you in every way to make your business grow, not just now, but everyday.

Be sure to write for free catalogue of Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas. 521f

**Principal of School Praises New Sargon**

"For 6 years I have been spending money and going through some of the best clinics in Texas trying to get my health back. I started Sargon about 6 weeks ago, gained 14 pounds and it did more for



DAN J. THOMPSON

me than everything else I tried put together.

"My stomach was out of order and my digestion was so bad that often I had to get rid of undigested food through a rubber tube down my throat. For a long time had to practically live on milk. My color was bad and I was weak, rundown and nervous. I had taken six bottles of Sargon, eat anything I want, my digestion is perfect and all my stomach trouble is over. I am well and strong and full of new strength and energy. Sargon Pills stimulated my liver and cleaned my system of all poisons."—Dan J. Thompson, 903 Waverly Ave., principal of the Reinhardt Public School, Dallas. City Pharmacy, Agents.

**Speedy Relief for Sore Throat**

This Doctor's Prescription Requires No Gargling

No longer is it necessary to gargle and choke with nasty tasting medicines to relieve sore throat. Now you can get almost instant relief with one swallow of a doctor's prescription. This prescription was refilled so often and became so popular that the druggist who originally filled it decided to put it up under the name Thoxine and make it available to everyone.

The remarkable thing about Thoxine is that it relieves almost instantly, yet contains nothing harmful. It is pleasant tasting, and safe for the whole family, and is guaranteed to relieve sore throats or coughs in 15 minutes or money back. Just ask for Thoxine, 50c.

60c. and \$1.00. Sold by Holmes Drug Co., and all other good drug stores.

**Campbell Texas Man Tells What Orgatone Did For Him**

Suffered For 15 Years From A Severe Case Of Stomach Trouble—Remarkable New Medicine Relieves Him.

"For the past 15 years I have suffered with a severe case of stomach trouble and indigestion," said W. B. Beck, residing on route 4 Campbell, Texas, while talking with an Orgatone representative.

"I would have severe headaches and so much gas could form on my stomach after eating that I would be uncomfortable for hours afterwards. I had cramping spells in my stomach and it surely did frighten me for I know that my condition was getting more serious all the time. I was constipated and couldn't get any rest at all. I took all kinds of strong laxatives which seemed to make my condition worse. I was in a very run-down condition and when I found out about Orgatone I began to take it for I thought I would keep on trying to find something that would help me.

"I am completely relieved of all my troubles. I sleep fine every night now, and my stomach does not bother my anymore. Gas does not form on my stomach. My bowels are regulated now and my general health has improved. I do not have a sign of headache any more and I give all credit where it is due to Orgatone. It has certainly helped me wonderfully an old man telling all my friends about it.

Genuine Orgatone may be bought at Baird, at Wheeler's Drug Store.

**Guaranteed Asthma Relief at Last!**

You don't have to suffer from Asthma, Hay Fever and Bronchitis. Hoover's Improved Asthma Remedy gives quick, lasting relief, clears the head, lungs and chest instantly in most obstinate cases. Guaranteed to stop sneezing, wheezing, choking torture or your money (\$1.00) back. For sale at all drug stores, or if druggist can not supply, will be sent direct by Geo. D. Hoover, M. Ph., Des Moines Ia. Free trial on request. For Sale by Holmes Drug Co. No. 3

**2 Glasses Water, Not Too Cold, Help Constipation**

One glass water is not enough—take 2 glasses a half hour before breakfast. You get quicker and better results by adding a little simple glycerin, saline, etc., (known as Adlerika) to one glass. Unlike other remedies, Adlerika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and removes old poisons you never thought were in your system. Adlerika stops GAS and sour stomach in 10 minutes! Relieves constipation in 2 hours. City Pharmacy.

**We'll Put Your Clothes In Good Shape**

It pays to have us take care of your clothes, for our rates are low and our work and service excellent. We'd like to see the suit that we can't make just as fresh and clean as a new one! Try us out.

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**PAINFUL CORNS Loosen—Lift Out**

A little known Japanese herb, the discovery of an eminent German scientist (Dr. Stickel) instantly soothes the corn, callous or wart then loosens it so that shortly you can lift it right out. This new discovery called "Corn Fly" excites the white blood corpuscles to action and granulates the corn at its root so that it drops out and leaves no trace of scar or soreness.

You will also find "Corn Fly Foot Bath Powder" a boon for sore, tired or perspiring feet. "Corn Fly" for corns, 35c. "Corn Fly Foot Bath Powder" 25c, and "Corn Fly Bunion Remedy" 50c, (all three—\$1.10 value—for \$1.00), are sold under a positive money-back guarantee at

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**OUR SUNDAY DINNERS ARE THE CHOICE OF MANY**

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**CANDIDATES EXPRESS  
OPINIONS ON ROAD BOND**

Houston, Dec. 19.—The Houston  
Press sent letters to all gubernatorial  
candidates thus far announced,  
asking their views on a state  
road bond issue for improved high-  
ways.

The questions asked were: Do  
you think, in view of the fact that  
the last legislature enacted the four  
cent gasoline tax, there is any nec-  
essity of discussing the highway  
question in the coming campaign.

Do you think the aforesaid gaso-  
line tax, from which the highway  
fund gets three-quarters; added to  
the registration and Federal aid,  
will give ample funds to complete  
the state highway program mak-  
ing such a bond issue necessary?

Answers received by The Press  
showed one candidate for the state  
bond issue and seven opposed.

Summary of their views is as  
follows:  
Thomas B. Love: Highway ques-  
tion must be made an issue. Favors  
continuance of four-cent gasoline  
tax, but does not think it sufficient  
for building rapidly all state high-  
ways needed.

Barry Miller: Can not see the  
wisdom or justice of imposing long-  
term, interest bearing bonds upon  
the taxpayers. No necessity for  
even discussing the question; the  
enactment of the four cent gasoline  
tax solved the problem.

Earl Mayfield: Highway ques-  
tion is and will be an issue in the  
campaign. Would be an act of  
stupidity to vote bonds for secur-  
ing \$30,000,000 a year to spend  
over a 10-year period when we will  
have available over \$60,000,000  
yearly without bonds.

James Young: Against any and  
every proposed state bond issue. A  
four-cent gasoline tax itself will  
promote extravagance. Give us no  
more burdens.

Fred B. Robinson: A state bond  
issue for highways would be over-  
whelmingly defeated by the peo-  
ple. Against it and thinks gaso-  
line tax should be reduced.

James E. Ferguson: Special in-  
terests behind the state bond issue  
will keep it alive. A three-cent  
gasoline tax will take care of any  
reasonable and orderly road con-  
struction problem. A state bond  
issue would be ridiculous.

**"FORGIVING THE SOUTH"**

(From the Nashville Tennessean)

Although a joint reunion of the  
veterans of the blue and the gray,  
as advocated by thirty-one govern-  
ors and the president, would be a  
fine "act of forgiveness on the  
part of the north," the idea has  
been negatived by the Grand Army  
of the Republic unless and until  
the southern soldiers confess that  
they were wrong and repent of the  
error of their way. Under cir-  
cumstances of this kind there will  
never be any joint reunion.

It is ridiculous to talk about  
the north "forgiving" the south.  
Whatever of forgiveness there may  
be must come the other way. Which  
section was invaded? Where was  
the first pitched battle fought?  
Which section proved to be the  
battleground of the bloodiest in-

tercine strife in the history of  
the world? Whose lands were over-  
run, whose property destroyed,  
whose cities left in smoking ruins?  
What people suffered for more than  
a decade from the cruelties, and  
the horrors and the humiliation of  
reconstruction?

We have no desire to reopen old  
wounds or to revive animosities  
that should long ago have been  
forgotten, but the outrageous at-  
tempt to reverse history and to  
make a noble idea the occasion for  
injustice to the south calls for the  
most spirited and plain-spoken pro-  
test. The south has forgiven the  
north; the sons and the grandsons  
of Confederate soldiers have accept-  
ed in good faith the arbitrament  
of the sword. They have given de-  
votion to the flag of a common na-  
tion, but as to asking for forgive-  
ness for offenses of which they are  
innocent, never!

Of course, the survivors of the  
gallant armies of Lee and Jack-  
son will never confess that they  
were wrong. To the everlasting  
honor and glory of the southern  
soldier it may be recorded that,  
with only a few exceptions, they  
maintained their honor and preserv-  
ing their dignity amid the smok-  
ing ruins of the south when the  
heel of the conqueror was upon  
their necks. The temptation in  
those awful days following the close  
of the war to make peace with  
conscienceless conquerors was very  
great, but the southern soldiers  
and the southern people, amid the  
wreck of their old civilization, were  
as devoted to the principles which  
had actuated them as they had been  
in the first flush of military tri-  
umph. They kept their heads erect  
and their faces to the future.  
Everything was lost save honor,  
but, thank God, that they retained  
to transmit untarnished to those  
who were to become the inheritors  
of their fair land.

It would be a fine thing to hold  
the proposed reunion provided the  
event were approached in the right  
spirit. But better never have any-  
thing of the kind if it is to be  
construed as evidence of apology  
upon the part of the gallant vet-  
erans of the south. It is not nec-  
essary that they testify to their  
good faith or their loyalty to the  
terms upon which they laid down  
their arms. History and time have  
long ago established those facts.  
The restored and prosperous south  
affords proof of their devotion to  
the arts of peace. We pity the  
little minds that would give ex-  
pression to the sentiments that  
appear to have moved the Grand  
Army of the Republic. Evidently  
alone, of all others, they have re-  
mained impervious to the gentler  
spirit of the age.

**Texas and Texans**

By WILL H. MAYES

**Bexar County Roads**

San Antonio's popularity as a re-  
sort city is largely attributable to  
the excellent road system of the  
county, which makes it easy for  
visitors to get out into the country  
over good roads. People are attract-  
ed to Texas from North because  
of the climate. Most of the mare  
from cities and want to get away  
from cities as much as possible, al-  
though they may like the conveni-  
ences of city life. These seek places  
with attractive country surrounding  
that are easily reached by good  
roads.

Bexar county has nearly 1,500  
miles of roads that may be classed  
as good, nearly 500 miles of which  
are paved and as much more  
graveled. Twenty-one miles of road  
were surfaced last year by the  
county at a cost of \$88,634. The  
county began its work of road im-  
provements when there were few  
surfaced roads in Texas, and has  
added new mileage as fast as the  
funds would permit.

**Highway Patrol**

About the first work of the new  
highway patrol will be to eliminate  
the hoggishness of the road hog.  
Texas has entirely too many high-  
way accidents, and too great a num-  
ber of them are caused by autoists  
who have no regard for the rights  
or the lives of others. Perhaps the  
bus and truck drivers are the great-  
est offenders. The person who will  
not observe the laws and ethics of  
highway travel should be denied  
the use of public roads. The high-  
way patrol can be of great service  
in securing records of those who  
persistently "hog" the roadways.

**Chain Store Control**

There is much complaint that the  
chain stores do not do their part  
toward carrying the public burdens  
in the communities in which they  
are located, and it is not entirely  
without cause. In too many cases  
local managers are without autho-

ity to contribute to any local en-  
terprises. Their institutions are to  
sell as much merchandise as possi-  
ble at the least possible expense  
and remit the receipts to the  
central offices. It can not be de-  
nied that but few of them contri-  
bute a proportionate part to the  
upbuilding of their localities. One  
members of the Texas legislature  
are considering measures for their  
regulation. One of these now be-  
ing discussed would require out-  
-state concerns to invest a cer-  
tain proportion of their profits in  
Texas or in the localities in which  
they operate.

**New Year's Resolutions**

It is not too late to make help-  
ful resolutions for the New Year.  
This is to be a great year for  
Texas and for those Texans with  
enough of the Texas spirit of pro-  
gress to take advantage of oppor-  
tunities that will be presented. Get  
out of the old ruts; get a vision  
of better things. Determine that  
you will start each day of 1930 as  
though you were beginning a new  
year—that you will study diligent-  
ly and work persistently to win the  
success that should be yours. Do  
not be satisfied to do less than  
your full share along whatever  
line you may be at work. Shirkers  
are always failures; effort brings  
success of some kind.

**Del Rio Airport**

Del Rio proposes to keep up with  
modern transportation and has  
bought the land for an airport. Ar-  
rangements will be made to im-  
prove the property with all the  
conveniences of a landing field.  
Proposals are being considered for  
an aeronautical school in connec-  
tion with the airport. Bonham and  
Alice are other Texas towns that  
have recently acquired airport sites.

**Tomato Area Increased**

Farmers in a number of sections  
of Texas are preparing to go into  
tomato growing for the market.  
More tomatoes will probably be cul-  
tivated in South Texas than ever  
before. To make a success of the  
business it is necessary for farm-  
ers to plant enough acreage to  
attract buyers and to pool their  
interests in selling. This is being  
done in a number of localities  
throughout the State. Heretofore  
Texas tomato culture has largely  
been confined to East Texas.

**Will Buy Sewer System**

By a vote of 171 to 6 Georgeton  
has voted \$60,000 in bonds with  
city which to buy and extend the  
sewer system. It will not be  
necessary either to increase the  
rates or the taxes for the city to  
own the system, make the needed  
extensions and pay off the bonds  
as they mature. That looks like  
a good business proposition, and  
there are some other Texas towns  
that should follow Georgetown's  
example.

**Midland Builds Courthouse**

Few Texas counties build courth-  
ouses large enough to meet their  
requirements. The reason is that  
the counties and towns develop be-  
yond the expectations of those who  
contract for the public buildings.  
Midland is one of the latest to  
announce that a new courthouse  
will be erected. The building will  
cost approximately \$300,000, and  
the county commissioners are hop-  
ing it will be large enough to meet  
the needs for many years.

**Snyder Wants Hotel**

Snyder has awakened to the fact  
that neighboring towns with bet-  
ter hotel facilities are getting much  
transient business that Snyder  
might get if only it had better hotel  
facilities. The business men of  
the city are making plans to or-  
ganize a company to construct a  
modern hotel building. No town as  
progressive otherwise as Snyder  
should lack hotel facilities.

**Milk Products Plants**

Dairy products plants have in-  
creased in number in Texas and the  
business has grown to such an ex-  
tent that the manufacturers of  
butter, cheese, ice cream and other  
milk products are planning an early  
meeting to form a State-wide as-  
sociation. As in all other industries,  
organization is essential to the  
greatest success.

Every week now brings an in-  
crease in the number of milk prod-  
ucts plants in Texas and the in-  
dustry has assumed large propor-  
tions. The plant at Alice has just  
been completed and the cheese fac-  
tory at Round Rock will be en-  
larged within a period of six months  
that this has been found necessary  
to take care of the growing busi-  
ness.

**Cameron County Roads**

Cameron county should have as  
fine a road system as any county

in Texas when it completes its  
system, for which the county will  
spend \$6,000,000 in addition to the  
amount that it will receive from  
the State and Federal governments.  
The bonds are being issued and  
sold as the work progresses.

**Panhandle Schools**

As an evidence of the increasing  
interests in good school buildings  
in the Panhandle section of Texas  
and showing the growth of that  
part of the State, a firm of Ama-  
rillo architects, announces that it  
is now preparing plans for modern  
school buildings in 22 towns in that  
territory, practically all of which  
will be constructed in 1930.

**Public Building in Texas**

President Hoover's call on the  
governors of the various states to  
ascertain what will be done in the  
near future in the way of public  
construction has revealed that Tex-  
as alone will have under way in  
1930 more than half of the public  
building that the president thought  
would be necessary to offset any  
bad effects of the Wall Street de-  
bacle.

**IONA NEWS**

Miss Jewel Johnson entertained  
the young folks with a party last  
Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ury Hammonds,  
of Moran spent Sunday at Clyde  
Johnsons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McNeil of  
Clyde spent Sunday with L. B.  
McNeil and family.

Mrs. E. G. Conlee of Fairview  
community have moved on the I.  
N. Jackson place.

Mr. Sanford Drake and Mrs.  
Raymond Crow, of Belton are vi-  
siting Clyde Johnsons.

M. C. Dryman and family have  
moved to the Denton community.  
Miss Naomi Bell Dickey of Baird,  
and Miss Grace Rutledge spent  
the week-end with Miss Jewel  
Johnson.

Mrs. Frank Wilson and son Ray,  
visited Mrs. S. J. Glynn at Eula  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bishop of  
Breckenridge visited Mrs. Julia  
Scott Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Scott is very ill at  
the home of her niece, Mrs. E. F.  
Rutledge.

Mr. Gus Donnelly and family  
have moved to the Fairview com-  
munity.

Mrs. Jim Strickland has been  
very sick a few days.

Mrs. Stegall and Mrs. Potts of  
Dallas visited Mrs. J. P. Browning  
last week.

Mr. Cutbirth and family have  
moved from Eula to the old Miller  
place, which has been sold to Mr.  
Edwards.

Mr. Robert Drasset and sons,  
Arthur and Carl, of Cisco, visited  
Mrs. Julia Scott Saturday.

Mr. Atwood and family of Mid-  
way have moved into this com-  
munity.

Iona basket ball boys played at  
Midway last Friday losing the  
game by a score of 9-14. This is  
the first game against junior boys  
Iona team has ever lost in the two  
years of present organization.

Next Sunday will be quarterly  
conference at Bethlehem.

Several new books have been  
purchased for the school library  
completing the required list for the  
reading of which each pupil may  
secure a Reading Certificate from  
the State Superintendent. We  
plan 100 per cent certification for  
6th, 7th and 8th grades.

**WITH THE BAPTIST**

Sunday was a real good day  
with us. Bro. Pender gave us a  
good message in the morning and  
a nice offering of \$70.00 was taken  
for Buckner Orphans Home. We  
are always glad to have Brother  
Pender to come our way.

We were surprised at the even-  
ing hour by a visit from Brother  
and sister, J. B. Bowan, of Abilene.  
Bro. Bowan is one of our State  
Evangelists. He brought us a good  
practical message. We enjoyed  
their visit and will be glad to have  
them come again.

Next Sunday we have something  
very special for all who come and  
we are earnestly inviting all to  
come in and enjoy it with us.

Our Worker's Meeting met Mon-  
day with the Cross Plains church  
and their new pastor, Bro. Graves  
Darby. Baird was well represented  
and we had a fine and profitable  
meeting.

The next meeting will be held  
with the Baird church and we want  
to begin right now to get ready  
for a great time.

I will preach at Midway next  
Sunday afternoon and my urgent  
word is that everyone out that  
way be with me in that service.

Now lets everyone be in his  
place every Sunday this New Year

**RITZ THEATRE**

"Where Baird  
is Entertained"

BAIRD, TEXAS

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Owner and Manager

FRIDAY and SATURDAY  
January, 10-11

MONDAY and TUESDAY  
January 13-14

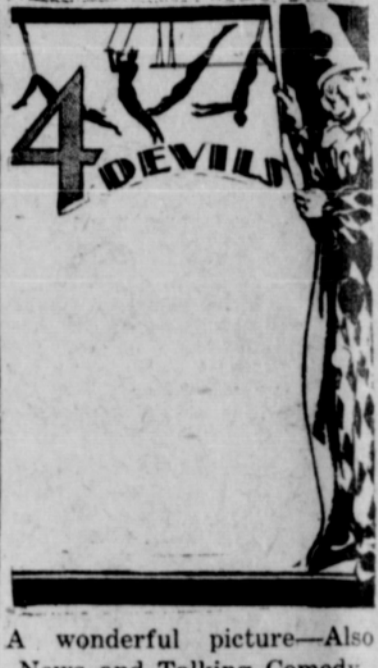
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January, 15-16



Featuring Warner Baxter,  
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Moreno—you remember Old  
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Also Talkortoon and Sound  
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Coming pictures—Ma urice  
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Show of Shows," and many,  
many others.  
Patronage Really appreciated



A wonderful picture—Also  
News and Talking Comedy  
By special request next Friday  
night we will show—  
Wm. S. HART in  
That old, old Picture  
**"Tumble Weeds"**  
Silent of course.  
Admission on this 10c—25c

I was very, very fortunate in  
securing a print on this pic-  
ture—A thrill in every foot—  
This is the last and only silent  
picture The Ritz will ever  
show—All other pictures Talk-  
ing—Always a good show—  
Always a complete show—  
ADMISSION, 10c—35c

and see the Lord bless us.

Our building Fund continues to  
grow. We now have \$3,650.50 in  
the bank. Who wants to make it  
\$3,700 or how fine it would be if  
some one would make it \$4,000. No  
better use could you your spare  
money to and you know we surely  
do need it and will appreciate it.  
Thanks.

Joe R. Mayes.

**TO THE VOTERS OF  
CALLAHAN COUNTY**

Having been solicited by many  
friends of the County; believing  
that my past business experiences  
have fully qualified me; I have  
decided to make the race for Tax  
Collector of Callahan County. As  
most of you know I made this race  
a few years ago, and was defeat-  
ed by a smallmajority, and I wish  
to again ask you to give me your  
earnest consideration for another  
campaign.

I am serving my 3rd term as  
County Commissioner of Precinct,  
No. 3 and my record both official  
and characteristic are open for  
your investigation.

I am going to try and meet  
every voter in the County before  
the July Primary, and failure to do  
so will only be caused by lack of  
time to do so.

Investigate my qualifications and  
my record as a citizen of Callahan  
County, in which I have resided  
Thirty Two years, and if you find  
me worthy of this important of-  
fice vote for me.

W. A. Everett.

**TO THE VOTERS OF  
CALLAHAN COUNTY**

I wish to express my apprecia-  
tion to you for your kindness in  
electing me as County Treasurer  
During the year just past  
at the general election in 1928.  
I have put forth every effort to  
familiarize myself with the intricate  
details of keeping the records of  
the office and zealously looking  
after the County Finances, striv-  
ing always to serve you efficiently  
and courteously. The salary paid  
me for this work has been used  
for maintaining myself and family;  
and I assure you that I feel great-  
ly indebted to you for enabling  
me to do my part towards my

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this method of thank-  
ing our many friends and acquaint-  
ances for their help and kindness,  
sympathy and flower offerings in  
our recent loss and bereavement  
of our beloved husband and fa-  
ther, M. R. Lovell.  
We thank everyone.

Mrs. Rosa Lovell and childrn.

Now is a good time to plant  
trees. Write for catalogue, Ram-  
sey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Tex-  
as.

**REPORT OF CONDITION OF  
FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

BAIRD, TEXAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1929

**RESOURCES**

Loans and Discounts	\$347,349.06
Callahan County, Callahan County School, Putnam Independent School and City of Baird Warrants	63,233.11
Banking House and Fixtures	7,700.00
Other Real Estate	3,200.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	2,250.00
U. S. Bonds	25,000.00
CASH:	
Liberty Bonds	\$105,600.00
Call Loans	37,500.00
Commercial Paper	113,579.35
Cash and Due from Banks	255,381.88
Due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$513,311.23</b>

**TOTAL \$962,043.40**

**LIABILITIES**

Capital	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	40,353.89
Circulation	25,000.00
Dividends Unpaid	1,043.50
Deposits	845,646.01
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$962,043.40</b>

The above Statement is correct.

**BOB NORRELL,**  
Cashier





# Industry Stimulator

Lord Churston, British financier, on his recent trip to West Texas said:

"There's no chance of comparing America and England. You have the cheapest power possible. Everybody can use it, whereas in England it can't be done. I pay 25 cents a kilowatt hour for electric service. It is impossible for all classes to have this convenience. For instance in the agricultural areas, where laborers are paid 31 shillings a week, they could not afford to buy electric service.

"West Texas should be very thankful for cheap power and for its availability to all. Big power companies certainly are of great stimulation to Texas Industry."

## West Texas Utilities Company

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend to our friends our sincere appreciation of the kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our baby, Shirley Jean. Also our appreciation of the beautiful floral offerings.

Sincerely,

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cutbirth.

Pecan trees give shade and food, and live for generations. The best of all kinds of trees and plants are sold by Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all our friends for their kindness and sympathy shown to us in the death of our mother, Mrs. M. E. Surles, also our appreciation of the beautiful floral offerings.

Sincerely,

Mrs. B. L. Russell  
Mrs. C. C. Andrews  
M. R. Surles  
Mrs. Gussie Surles  
Mrs. Nannie Surles  
and all grandchildren

### TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF BAIRD

After considering the matter and receiving encouragement from friends, I have decided to make the race for City Marshal.

I have been your neighbor practically all my life and feel that it is unnecessary to make any comment on my qualification and ability to hold this office.

I trust that voters will give my candidacy careful consideration and in return for your support you may expect honest and efficient service on my part.

Very truly yours,  
Homer Price.

### METHODISTS, ATTENTION!

Two important changes at the Methodist church next Sunday.

First, Sunday school will begin at 9:30 a. m. The new program for S. S. work demands more time for Sunday School session and we want to carry out the program of our church. Let everybody be there at 9:30 a. m.

We shall begin the church service at 10:50 a. m. and dismiss at 12 o'clock. Let everybody help us to do the Lord's work in the most efficient way. The City Churches begin S. S. at 9:30 a. m. Help us.

B. W. Dodson, pastor,  
B. S. Russell, Jr., S. S. Supt.

## PERSONALS

Miss Hazel Reynolds is visiting her sister in Dallas this week.

Mrs. W. E. Lewis and little son, Billie spent the last week-end with relatives in Colorado.

Mrs. Horace Jarrette has returned from Big Springs where she spent a week with her sister.

All of the Baird boys and girls who were at home from college for the holidays have returned to school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Counts, of Abilene visited Mrs. Count's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Curry, Monday.

Ethel Lucille Ballew, granddaughter of Rev. and Mrs. B. W. Dodson, has returned from a Christmas visit to friends in Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jacob of Dallas, have been visiting Mrs. Jacob's parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. W. Dodson.

Hub Warren will be in charge of the Baird Chick Hatchery, this season, which will open on January 27th. Mrs. E. L. Counts has been in charge of the Hatchery for the past four seasons.

Mrs. C. E. Walker, of Abilene, was in Baird Monday. Mrs. Walker informs us that she has accepted a position with the Dorothy Perkins Co., and will leave today for St. Louis to take up her duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lambert and daughter, Doris Jean, who have been visiting Jack's mother, Mrs. Henry Lambert and family, for the past week, left Monday for their home in Houston.

Miss Hazel Reynolds favored a few of her friends with a 6 o'clock dinner, Sunday, Dec. 29, the out of town guests who was present were Miss Maxin Smith of Abilene; M. B. Nichols and Red White of Fort Collins, Colorado and James Jackson, of Texas, A. & M.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Don S. Conley at the Methodist hospital in Dallas, Dec. 27, a 8 pound boy named Jerry Duane. Mrs. Conley is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reynolds, of Baird.

### TO THE VOTERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

To the citizenship of Callahan County, Greeting:

In making my announcement to you for re-election to the office of County Attorney I wish to express my appreciation for your co-operation and courtesies extended me during the first year of my services as your County Attorney; I have endeavored to serve you efficiently, faithfully, conscientiously and impartially, and upon this record as such an officer I submit my candidacy to you for re-election with full assurance that your support and influence will be sincerely appreciated.

Respectfully,  
L. B. Lewis.

### STILL LENDING

that cheap Federal Land Bank long time money on farms and ranches.

Every borrower will recommend it. Why pay the higher rates. See me.

W. Homer Shanks, Sec.-Treas.  
Clyde and Abilene, Texas

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcement for office are made subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

County Commissioner, Pre. No. 1,  
J. W. Hammons.

County Judge:  
J. H. Carpenter.

B. C. Chrisman,  
Sheriff.

Robert L. Edwards,  
Everett (Ev.) Hughes.

County Clerk:  
S. E. Settle

Tax Collector:  
Wm. J. Evans,  
W. A. Everett.

County Superintendent:  
A. L. Johnson.

District Clerk:  
Mrs. Callie Marshall.

For County Treasurer:  
Mrs. Will McCoy.

For County Attorney:  
L. B. Lewis.

For Com. Pre. No. 2:  
S. S. (Sidney) Hartville.

### CITY OFFICERS

For City Marshal:  
T. H. (Homer) Price.

### TO THE VOTERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the people of Callahan county for favors shown me, and for the assistance given me in making the Sheriff that I have. In offering for re-election, wish to say that your influence and support will be greatly appreciated in the Democratic Primary to be held in July of this year.

While serving you in this office I have worked early and late that no law violator should go unpunished, and with no partiality to any one. I hope that my record has met with your approval, and if you see fit to elect me again, I will discharge my duties in the future as in the past, faithfully and impartially.

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## REPORT OF CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK

BAIRD, TEXAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1929

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$207,321.02
Banking House	14,772.56
Furniture and Fixtures	4,733.32
Other Real Estate Owned	9,925.16
Deposits Guaranty Fund	640.70
Assessment Guaranty Fund	1,393.59
Cotton, Cash and Exchange	109,741.26
Liberty Bonds, Customers	850.00
Other Resources	268.48

TOTAL \$349,646.09

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Undivided Profits	11,752.57
Bonds Deposited	850.00
Deposits	287,043.52
Money Borrowed	NONE
Rediscounts	NONE
State and County Money	NONE
School and Road Money	NONE

TOTAL \$349,646.09

The above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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# THE NEW CHEVROLET CAR

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The Chevrolet Motor Company announces a new car for 1930 known as "The Greatest Chevrolet in Chevrolet History."

Lowe-Barker Chevrolet Company, our local Chevrolet dealer now have on display in their showrooms these beautiful new cars. Call and see them.

Announcement of the new car comes right at the close of Chevrolet's greatest year, for the sensational success of the six-cylinder Chevrolet, introduced just a year ago, resulted in an output of 1,350,000 cars this year, breaking by a wide margin all former Chevrolet annual production records.

In making public Chevrolet's plans for 1930, W. S. Knudson, president and general manager, declared that with the improvements incorporated in the new car, Chevrolet was anticipating a volume of business that will equal, if not surpass, the phenomenal record of 1929. And, in order to accommodate an early demand, production is being speeded with all the haste consistent with the precision methods for which Chevrolet manufacturing operations are famous.

New car shipments have been going out to dealers for the past ten days, with deliveries to owners scheduled to start today. The cars went on display this morning in thousands of Chevrolet showrooms from coast to coast, while at the same time the announcement of the new car was being broadcast through the advertising columns of more than 6,500 newspapers.

Scores of distinct improvements have been made in the 1930 Chevrolet line, the factory announces. Greater beauty, added safety factors, improved driving comfort and better all-round performance with added power, and faster accelerations are announced as features of the new line.

Larger tires, small wheels, Delco-Lovejoy hydraulic shock absorbers at all four wheels, Fisher slanting non-glare VV windshield and vastly improved four wheel braking system are some of the highlights.

Brakes are of the internal expanding "articulated shoe type" both front and rear, those on the front wheels having two shoes while those on the rear have four. These brakes, also, are fully enclosed giving perfect protection against water and dirt.

The brakes represent an innovation not only in the Chevrolet line but in the entire passenger car field. The length of service that these linings give in the new design Chevrolet brakes is second to none. The brakes may be adjusted without the removal of any plates from the brake drum and operate with equal efficiency on all four wheels. The brake drums are 11 1-2 in. in diameter. The emergency brake is an independent unit operating on the rear drums. A new method of construction known as the "articulated shoe type" assures uniform braking under all conditions of temperature. Tests at the General Motors Proving Ground show that the new brake will stop a car traveling thirty miles per hour in two and twentieth seconds within 48 feet.

The attractive new closed bodies, in a variety of colors, carry the famous stamp of craftsmanship. Eight models, three of which are new to Chevrolet, comprise the line. Of the eight, five are closed cars and three are open. The open models are the roadster, sport roadster and phaeton. The models new to the line this year are the sport coupe, sport roadster and club sedan.

The six cylinder valve-in-head engine introduced a year ago, after four years of research and development, has been further improved and refined. Since the introduction of the six a year ago, test cars have run up more than a million miles of driving at the General Motors Proving Ground in the working out and the justifying of the improvements found in the 1930 car. All the resources of the General Motors Research Laboratories and the Chevrolet experimental laboratory were placed at the disposal of the Chevrolet engineering staff in this work.

Working with Chevrolet's chief engineer, were General Motors engineers and Proving Ground engineers, with 18 Chevrolet engineers assisting their chief in supervising the development and refinement of the improved six cylinder motor found in "the greatest Chevrolet."

The result of the efforts of this engineering talent is a smoother, quieter, more powerful motor. The new engine, fully enclosed, with a high compression non-detonating head, develops 50 horsepower.

The brake horsepower has been increased over the entire speed range. At 1000 revolutions per minute 24.5 horsepower is developed and the maximum of 50 horsepower is attained at 2,600 revolutions per minute. This increase in power insures a marked improvement in acceleration and hill climbing ability. At normal driving speed the new engine develops many times the power required to drive the car. Specifically the rear axle has been redesigned while the differential unit has been strengthened and its oiling systems redesigned to insure long life and quiet operation.

Smoother operation of the engine and longer life are assured through the use of light weight pistons. Steel-packed crankshaft bearings have been adopted because they are more durable.

The oil pump has been increased in capacity and improved in efficiency, while the carburetor has been improved in respect to both its accelerating pump and jet size. The accelerating pump has been increased in length and reduced in diameter. This improvement also helps the acceleration performance by increasing the duration of the spray.

The same sturdy 48 pound crankshaft which proved so satisfactory during 1929 has been retained in the new car and a further contribution to smoother engine operation, improved distribution and increased economy has been made by the new intake and exhaust manifolds of the heated T design.

The air cleaner has been improved by reversing the position of the intake slots and providing for a less restricted flow of air. With the intake slots located at a greater distance from the exhaust manifold, the air entering the carburetor is much cooler and a greater amount of air can be handled in the same space because of its greater density. These combined refinements result in better engine performance by insuring delivery of clean, cool air to the carburetor in larger quantities.

The clutch on the new car has been improved by the adoption of an integral disc, made in one piece of high carbon steel. This will give the 1930 cars smoother and easier clutch action, with quieter operation and longer service.

Easier riding and greater quietness are accomplished through a new type of self-adjusting spring shackle in which bushings in the spring eyes and brackets are eliminated, thus doing away with wear. Hardened and ground tubular pins, with tapered ends, are pressed into the springs and brackets while oil forced into them forms a large reservoir, making frequent lubrication unnecessary.

Another improvement bringing about easier riding, is found in the Delco-Lovejoy hydraulic shock absorbers in the form of a rigid link rod instead of a strap connecting the operating arms with the chassis and insuring positive transmission of all rebound movements.

A new type of gasoline gauge of unusual accuracy is found on the new Chevrolet. A double float in the tank insures correct reading of this gauge regardless of the position of the car.

The position of the steering wheel in relation to the seat has been changed, making the driver's position much more comfortable. The horn button in the center of the wheel has been made more accessible and easier to operate by increasing the height of the crown and improving the design of the rubber bellows.

Appearance and riding qualities of the car have been improved through a change in the tire size from a 4.50-20 to 4.75-19. The rim diameter has been reduced one inch.

Disc wheels are provided as standard equipment on all models except the sport roadster and sport coupe. The wire wheels on these models are equipped with drop center rims and are demountable at the hub. The large wire wheel hubcaps are chromium plated and of beautiful and distinctive design. The neat Chevrolet emblem at the center with raised polished border and black center is surrounded by a hammered background. This is surrounded by a

polished ring within a black ring. Any possibility of the hood rattling has been eliminated through the addition of a rubber bumper mounted on the upturned flange of the fender skirt, against which the hood bears.

The instrument panel design and arrangement this year is entirely new. The instruments are all mounted on a single carrier plate which is assembled from the rear. This permits the removal of individual instruments for service. Spark and throttle controls as well as choke are located on the instrument panel, which is indirectly lighted.

The sport roadster and sport coupe are equipped with wire wheels. Both have rumble seats, that in the sport roadster being of the flush type. Spare wheel

and carrier are mounted on the back. The sport roadster is finished in smart black Duco with Ayres gray moulding. Body striping and wire wheels are Shaybar orange, while the seats are gray with plain back and tufted seat cushion. Top material is brown and white whipcord on the inside and gray teal on the outside. The back curtain is separable to permit better ventilation. The sport coupe is finished in Stanford brown with Beaver brown roof and rear quarter. Mouldings are of Beaver brown while the body striping and wire wheels are Shalimar orange. The interior is trimmed in a beautifully harmonizing mohair.

The club sedan is finished in Llama gray Duco with black rear quarter. Mouldings are black with

Eos red striping. Wheels are Llama gray striped with Eos red, general ensemble.

The mohair harmonizes with the seats have been lowered an inch and a half and in the phaeton and roadster the seat has been tilted. Seat and back cushions have been made deeper giving greater riding comfort. Trim material of the phaeton is gray while the seat cushions are tufted with plain seat backs. Top material is brown and white whipcord on the inside and gray teal on the outside. It is finished in Saxon gray Duco with Bloss Vale green moulding and Talina brown striping. The wheels are Saxon gray with Bloss Vale green stripe. In the roadster gray Spanish material is used on plain back and

tufted cushion is used for upholstery while the top material is brown and white whipcord on the inside with gray teal on the outside. The back curtain is separable to permit better ventilation. Buttons in the top hold the curtain open. The roadster is finished in Staunton blue Duco with black mouldings and Tusk ivory stripings, also.

In the coach the left front seat is hinged only at the floor. The back and seat being in fixed relation. The right front seat is of the fold-in type, hinged at both floor and back. Appearance of the body has been improved by a new contour of the window reveals. The body is finished in Classic blue with ivory stripings and wheels to match. The interior of the body is

finished with a high grade velour of harmonizing color. The coup follows the same design as to window reveals while the body is finished in Scaraba green Duco with Arizona gray mouldings and Tusk ivory stripings. Wheels are finished to match with the velour trim of a harmonizing color.

The sedan stands out as a deluxe model with chrome-plated cow lights and attractive chrome-plated cowl mouldings. The body is finished in Boulevard maroon with black mouldings, rear quarter wheels. Striping on both body and wheels is of Aurora red while the trim is in harmonizing color of high grade mohair.

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## PUTNAM PARAGRAPHS

By Mrs. J. S. Yeager

Mrs. W. E. Pruett returned Tuesday from Baird where she visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Francisco and Mr. Francisco.

Rev. R. H. Yeager, of Pueblo, was the guest of his son, J. S. Yeager and family on Tuesday.

Mrs. George McCool is recuperating after an illness of several days in her home here.

Mrs. Luther Park is able to be out again after an illness of several weeks.

Miss Maymie Coppenger spent New Years day in the home of her mother at Cottonwood.

Mrs. J. M. McMurry, "Aunt Mack" spent Christmas day with Mrs. H. Culwell and family.

Mrs. J. R. Tolley, who underwent a serious operation at the Eastland sanitarium, is reported as improving very slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Dungan, of El Paso, spent the Christmas holidays in Putnam the guests of relatives and friends.

W. L. Johnson, father of Mrs. Raymond Clark, was a visitor in Baird this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruett moved to the farm known as the Adolph Brandon property east of town on last Tuesday.

V. M. Teague is in Olden attending to business interests this week.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. C. M. Grisham is gradually improving after several weeks illness in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Teague.

Bill Barron is at Olden this week where he has been engaged to put up some concrete work.

Mrs. E. P. Whitaker has returned from Jacksonville where she spent the holidays in the home of her mother, Mrs. T. B. Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wallace and children visited in Merkel Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Anderson.

Mrs. H. V. Vittioe and baby, of Rotan, are guests of relatives of here. Mrs. Vittioe was formerly Miss Jess E. Clark, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Gaskin and children visited in the home of Mrs. Gaskin's sister, Mrs. John Gilbert and family in Rotan during the holidays.

Theo Bell returned home Monday after several weeks work in Mcgargel.

Misses Lois Maynard and Doris Stephens were guests of Miss Faye Sutton in Cisco Saturday.

Lewis Pope has returned from Ranger where he worked during the Christmas holidays.

Clarence Penn and Misses Elsie Kelley and Imogene Stephens were Cisco visitors Sunday.

The Putnam High School basketball team met the Moran High boys at Cisco Wednesday night in a game of ball, the Putnam boys coming out winners, the score being 17 to 6.

Miss Artie Cook has returned from a visit of several days in Brownwood where she was the guest of relatives.

Billie Gaskin, small son of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Gaskin, is reported on the sick list this week.

Rev. Cecil Foxe and daughter, Miss Laura Mae, visited in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Mitchell have returned from a short visit in Ozona.

Carl Graves was a visitor in Putnam Thursday from Cisco.

Bobbie Gene Glenn, and Clyde Maynard, children of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard, were reported ill this week.

Mrs. George Weeks and children, of the Colony community, were guests of Mrs. Raymond Clark and family on Thursday.

Miss Mahala Kill, of Tulsa, Okla. has returned to her home after a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kill, of this place.

Mesdames Ray Wilbank and Howard Ransdale, of Jacksboro, were visitors in Putnam on Friday and Saturday.

Miss Ruth Yeager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Yeager, has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. H. W. Grisham and daughters, of the Hart community, were visitors in Putnam Sunday.

Rev. William E. Hawkins, radio evangelist, of Ft. Worth, will preach from the pulpit of the Methodist church here on Friday evening Jan. 17.

Mrs. J. E. Heslep is reported on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ascue Dodd, of Atwell, were guests of Mrs. Dodd's sister, Mrs. J. E. Heslep and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Pruett, of Ranger, were guests of Mr. Pruett's mother, Mrs. W. E. Pruett on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wagley moved back to their farm in the Hart community Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett and son, W. P., visited relatives in Cottonwood Friday returning Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark and children were visitors in Cisco Friday.

Mrs. C. C. Elzay and children visited relatives in Cisco on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cage Heslep and children, Earnestine and Harold Lewis, of Cross Plains, were guests in the home of Mr. Heslep's mother, Mrs. S. E. Heslep, here this week.

Mrs. W. A. Harder, of Cisco, was a visitor in Putnam on Thursday this week.

Mrs. Mary Thomason, of Cisco, attended the funeral of Mrs. John Surlles here Friday.

Loyd Jobe, of Brownwood, spent the week end in Putnam the guest of his mother, Mrs. Tina Jobe and family.

Truman Peek, student of Baylor Medical college, Dallas, was visiting relatives and friends in Putnam this week.

Mrs. John R. Wilhite and children Melba Catharine, Hatton, Elizabeth and Frances Joe, of Mineola, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Biggerstaff during the latter part of the holidays.

Mesdames H. W. Grisham and Adolph Savell and children, of the Hart community, visited Mrs. C. M. Grisham, who is sick here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Teague, on Friday.

Miss Maymie Coppenger spent the week end in Abilene the guest of her cousin, Miss Edna Marie Jones.

Messers V. M. Earnest Whitaker were in from the Hatchett lease and spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager and daughter visited Mrs. Yeager's father, who is seriously ill, in Cisco on Sunday.

Clarence Armstrong visited in Cisco the first of the week.

Misses Edith, Inez and Leita Coppenger left for John Tarleton college Wednesday, where they will resume their studies, after spending the holidays in the home of their mother at Cottonwood and their sister, Miss Maymie Coppenger, of this place.

C. L. Rushing spent Sunday in Cisco the guest of old friends at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hi Cook, of Josephine, Texas visited relatives here at the first of the week.

Mrs. Fred Cook is the new book-keeper at the Cook Garage since the holidays.

Guyton and Samples are drilling at 560 feet on the Finley lease and expect to bring in a well some time this week.

J. J. Monday is drilling at 250 feet on the Hart lease.

E. A. McCarty has moved his jewelry shop to the Claude King barber shop where he will be glad to attend the wants of the public in his line of business.

L. J. Cook has opened up a general feed store in the building formerly occupied by the Hale Gro. Co., and has a complete line of all kinds of feed and says he expects to meet any and all legitimate prices of other towns. He will be glad to meet his old friends and acquaintances in his new quarters and extends a hearty welcome to one and all.

George Clifton, Co. Com., of the Cottonwood precinct, came over from Cross Plains Thursday morning where he met the other commissioners of the county and they left on a business trip to Dallas pertaining to the new court house at Baird.

Mrs. M. D. Heist, of the Hart community, was in town Monday and stated that Mr. Heist is in Catarina looking after his crop of Spinach which is very fine this year. He will return in a few days and expects to drill another well on the Hart lease at an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Isenhower returned Saturday from Temple where they went through the clinic at that place.

J. S. Yeager says he will be in the race for Co. Com. and Justice of the Peace, of the Putnam precinct, and his announcement to this effect will appear at an early date.

The ladies of the Church of Christ met in the home of "Grandma McMurray" on Wednesday evening and surprised her with a miscellaneous shower. This little act of thoughtfulness an dove on the part of these ladies is to be greatly commended. The greatest joy that comes to us in life is attained by helping others. Grandma received quite a number of pretty and useful gifts.

Mrs. W. A. Wallace entertained the "42" club in her home in South Putnam on Thursday evening. Those present were Mesdames Charles Brandon, Homer Pruett, E. C. Waddell, O. W. Hampton, Fred Short, A. J. Frazier, John Vail, Jim Yarbrough, Bess McCool, Mabel Carrico, George Scott, Misses Vella Sandlin, Willie and Lois Kennedy, Lois Reece and Eva Moore. Miss Lois Kennedy won high score.

Miss Laura Mae Foxe entertained a number of friends in her home on Tuesday night with a Watch Party. Games of various kinds were played until eleven o'clock when a refreshment of sandwiches and hot chocolate was served. At twel-

ve o'clock each one present made a new years resolution after which a portion of Scripture was read and prayer was offered by Rev. Fred Foxe, father of the hostess. Those present on this occasion were Misses Bessie King, Dorothy Hampton, Roma Yarbrough, Thelma Everett, Bertha Buchanan, Artie Cook, Faye Weeks, Messers J. D. Yardley, Elmer Lisby, Willie Jeter, Cecil Foxe, Mesdames Mitchell, Pendle, of Ozona, Rev. and Mrs. Foxe and the hostess.

Mrs. Jimmie Mitchell and Miss Ted Moore were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given for Mrs. Howard Ransdale, whose home was destroyed by fire last week, at the Mission hotel on Friday evening. A program consisting of piano selections by Mrs. Claude Cunningham and Mrs. Jimmie Mitchell and select readings given by Mrs. Don Mitchell was rendered after which, the gifts were presented and opened. A refreshment of cake and punch was served the following. Mesdames Howard Ransdale, Pearce Shackelford, Homer Pruett, Grady Pruett, Marvin Eubank, Don Mitchell, Claude Cunningham, Mack McCrum, Jim Yarbrough, Bess McCool, W. A. Wallace, Jennie Jackson, Ray Wilbank, S. M. Kill, Misses Lois Kennedy, Gertrude Kill, Bessie King, Roma Yarbrough, Eva Moore, Willie Kennedy and the hostesses.

Mrs. J. M. Cribbs entertained the Friday Bridge Club of Baird, with a New Years eve party in her home here. Refreshments were served the following members and guests, Mesdames B. L. Boydston, W. P. Brightwell, H. Driscoll, Lonnie Ray, W. Ray, J. Tyson, T. Taylor, Misses Opal McFarland, Jessie Powell, and Edith Collier. Guests were Mesdames F. P. Shackelford, L. E. Brock, George Scott, J. N. Williams, Claude Cunningham, Miss Willie Kennedy, of Putnam, Mesdames J. Ross, Hall and Lattimore, of Baird. High Club score was won by Mrs. H. Driscoll and high guest score by Mrs. F. P. Shackelford.

The Women's Study Club entertained with a New Years eve social Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. C. Waddell in honor of their husbands. On arriving the guests were seated at card tables with covers laid for a surprise supper. The course consisted of baked chicken and dressing, potatoes "a la gratin" served with cranberry sauce and hot coffee. This was followed by ice cream and angel food cake. The holiday colors were carried out in the dinner course and with the center pieces for each table which was a bud vase filled with red carnations. During this hour the guests were entertained with piano numbers by Miss Ora Coon. After the banquet the tables were cleared for progressive "42". Excitement ran high until Mr. Webb finally chased Mr. Guynes from the head table at the eleven o'clock hour at which time the guests departed loud in their praise for the "fair ones" and the club, declaring that "We may want to build a club house some day" and their praise gave the ladies vision of brick and mortar.

The following were present, Messrs and Mes. J. W. Guynes, S. M. Eubank, R. L. Clinton, J. E. Green, W. H. Norred, R. D. Williams, F. P. Shackelford, W. J. Patton, of Baird, E. P. Gardner, Mesdames L. E. Brock, John Cook, Homer Pruett, Grady Pruett, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Clinton, R. F. Webb, Miss Ora Coon, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddell.

Mr. Archie Kelley, of Putnam,

and Miss Irene Teague, of Haskell, slipped away from their many friends and were married on Christmas day at Stamford. Rev. Fred Rogers, pastor of the Presbyterian church at that place, reading the marriage ceremony.

Popular Young People Married

Miss Teague, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Teague, of Haskell, was reared in Putnam, attending the schools of this place. She is a young lady of beauty and many personal charms.

Mr. Kelley was also reared in Putnam and is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kelley. Archie, as he is known to his many friends, is a young man of worth and has many sterling qualities.

Their friends here wish them much success and many pleasures as they make the journey of life together. They will make their home in Putnam and are located at the Mission hotel.

Mrs. John Surlles, Sr. Dies

Mariah Elizabeth Hill was born Sept. 30, 1838 in Alabama, moved to Texas in early childhood, was married to John Surlles in 1857. To this union were born seven children, of whom only three survive, Mrs. C. C. Andrews, Mrs. B. L. Russell and M. R. Surlles. She was the last of a large family and was reared an orphan.

Mrs. Surlles was a resident of Putnam about forty years and had a host of friends here and in the surrounding country. She was a consistent member of the Baptist church for many years and her good works in this capacity will long survive.

The funeral services were held in the Baptist church here and were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Joe R. Mayes, of Baird, assisted by Rev. G. W. Parks, of Colorado City, an old friend of many years.

Six of her grandsons were the pall bearers. Interment was in the Putnam cemetery by the side of her husband who preceded her in death several years ago.

Misses Lois Reese, Vella Sandlin, Eva Moore, Lois and Willie Kennedy, Mesdames B. L. and Don Mitchell and Misses Lois Kennedy and Ted Moore were joint hostesses to a miscellaneous shower given Mrs. Howard Ransdale whose household effects were destroyed by fire recently.

The guests were received in the dining room of the Mission hotel, where a short program was enjoyed, after which an array of useful gifts was presented to Mrs. Ransdale, followed by refreshments of punch and cookies.

The Night Hawks Bridge Club met Wednesday evening, Jan. 1st, with Miss Lois Kennedy. The high score trophy was presented to Mrs. J. F. Cunningham. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames A. J. Frazier, J. F. Cunningham, S. B. Miller, L. B. Williams, F. P. Shackelford, Misses Ted Moore, Crystal and Willie Kennedy.

The Thursday Evening "42" Club, enjoyed a very sociable hour in the home of Mrs. W. A. Wallace, on January 2nd. A very spappy game of "42" was enjoyed by four tables of members and guests.

Delicious refreshments were served the following:

Mesdames C. L. Brandon, Fred Short, Bess McCool, H. A. Pruett, O. W. Hampton, Mabel Carrico, E. C. Waddell, J. A. Yarbrough, A. J. Frazier, A. J. Vail, G. T. Scott.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Be It Resolved:

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father has seen fit to take from this world of service our Brother O. Swartz, a member of this Lodge, I. O. O. F. number 271, Baird, Texas, an Whereas, the bereaved relatives shall miss this beloved one who has gone on from our midst to be with his dear ones who have gone on to the home that our Creator has prepared for all of us, and Whereas, his loved ones and relatives will miss him, and, Whereas, this Lodge will also be at a loss. Therefore be it resolved, that, our sympathy go out to the bereaved family, and especially to his brother H. Schwartz, a member of this Lodge. That our loss will be our Heavenly Father's gain.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to the family of the deceased, and a so copy be spread on the minutes of this Lodge and a copy sent to the Baird, Star.

Done by order of the I. O. O. F. Lodge, No. 271 this Dec. 31, 1929.

J. W. Cross,  
A. L. Johnson,  
Geo. Nitschke,  
Committee:

SINGER SEWING MACHINE

Electric and foot power Singer Sewing Machines for sale on easy terms. I also have a few good second hand machines for for sale. See me if interested in a sewing machine.

J. C. Neal, Clyde Tex.  
29-52t

## BLEEDING SORE GUMS

If you really want quick, certain, and lasting relief, from this most disgusting disease, just get a bottle of Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy and use as directed. Leto's is always guaranteed.—Wheeler's.

Dallas, Texas 7340

## High Praise Given Dresco



Mr. S. J. Spoonmore to one of our Dresco Experts. He said:

"I was subject to severe attacks of indigestion and dizzy spells. Gastritis and catarrh of the stomach also formed part of my ailments. My appetite was gone and I could not sleep at night. Headaches and constipation troubled me and my condition was run down.

"After taking two bottles of Dresco I feel my health and strength returning. I have gained 5½ pounds, and I am entirely rid of gastritis and catarrh of the stomach. I sleep sound at night and my nerves are steady. My appetite and health have improved 100% and all my praise goes to the Dresco treatment."

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FOR SALE BY

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THEATRE, CISCO, TEXAS

Starting January 12th, for 3 days

## "HOT FOR PARIS"

A SIZZLING COMEDY OF HOT TIMES, OF SAILORS IN HOT WATER WITH THEIR HOT MAMAS IN GAY PAREE—BY THE SAME WRITERS WHO GAVE YOU

"THE COCKEYED WORLD"  
IT'S 30 DEGREES FRISKIER and FUNNIER

WITH  
**VICTOR McLAGLEN**  
CONTINUING HIS COCKEYED ADVENTURES WITH EL BRENDEL

ALL TALKING  
SINGING  
LAUGHING

IT'S LOUDER AND FUNNIER  
THAN "THE COCKEYED WORLD"  
YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS IT FOLKS



**WANT ADS**

APARTMENT—All modern conveniences. See or phone Mrs. Gus Hall. Phone 66. 5-1f

LOST—Black Boston handbag, containing infants clothing. Lost between Baird and Albany. Suitable reward for return. Leave at The Star office, Baird. Mrs. Bill Hatchett, St. Rt. 1, Baird, Tex. 5-1f

STRAYED—A Chinchilla Rabbit, with C1229 tattooed on left ear. Got out of pen Monday night. Suitable reward for return. Royce Gilliland. 5-1f

LADIES GLOVE—Found Christmas day in Wristen's Store. Black and white kid for right hand. Owner can get same by calling at The Star office and paying for this ad. 5-1t

HOUSE FOR RENT—Five-room house. Modern conveniences throughout. Mrs. C. L. McCleary. 5-1f

HOUSE FOR RENT—Five room house with 5 acres of land. See or phone, Mrs. J. H. Terrell, phone 112. 5-1f

FURNISHED Room for one or two gentlemen in a quite home. Mrs. E. P. Poindexter. 5-2t

FURNISHED APARTMENT—Modern conveniences. See or phone Mrs. Bill Work. phone 12. 5-1f

FOR LEASE OR SALE—Grocery Store, Filling Station and Garage in East Baird. See Mrs. Wm. Hanley. 5-1f

FOR RENT—Two nice clean furnished lighthouse keeping rooms for rent. See Mrs. Stiles at McManis home. Three blocks west of Post Office. 5-1p

FOR SALE—Sheep, 160 ewes. Over 100 lambs by side will be about 30 more. \$10 each and throw in lambs. John Berry, Clyde, Tex. 5-1f

FOR RENT—An electric floor waxing machine. See Ashby White. 6-1f

FOR RENT—6 room house west of Baptist church, 1 house between it and highway, \$15 per month as it is. S. E. Webb, Rt. 1. Box 79 5-1f

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment with all modern conveniences. See or phone Mrs. E. M. Wristen, phone 30. 4-1f

Plant Fruit trees, and they will do the work. Plant cotton, and you will do the work. Get free catalogue from Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas. 5-1f

Pecan trees give shade and food, and live for generations. The best of all kinds of trees and plants are sold by Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas. 5-1f

Do you plant to beautify your home grounds this winter? Write for catalogue Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas. 5-1f

Beautiful Home grounds give pleasure, and add value to property. Valuable information is found in free catalogue of Ramsey's Austin Nursery, Austin, Texas. Write for it. 5-1f

FOR RENT—Apartments, all conveniences, garage. Also the rear part of the west part of building occupied by the Leache store. Large room, 25x40 feet north entrance. Mrs. J. H. Terrell. 3-1f

**NOTICE**

We ask that all church and society notes be sent in as early in the week as possible. We can not take them for publication later than Wednesday noon. We want to publish all news of this kind, but it is impossible for us to handle so much of it on press day and when sent in so late it is sometimes impossible to get it in the paper. The consideration of our contributions in this matter will be appreciated. The Baird Star

FOR RENT—A 6 room house, well located in north center of Baird. 3 lots chicken lot fenced. Garage, etc. See T. E. Powell. 6-1f

STRAY HOG—A black and white hog weighing about 125 pounds got out of pen at my residence, please notify me if you know its whereabouts. Mike Hughes. 6-2p

FOR RENT—Three room furnished house, close in. See or phone Mrs. Earl Hall, phone 324. 6-1f

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. See Fred Jackson at Baird Creamery. 6-1f

WANTED—A few more roomers and boarders. Mrs. Harry Ebert. 6-1f

NOTICE—On Christmas eve night I put a new pair of boots, purchased at Robertson Dry Goods Co., in some one else's car by mistake. I will appreciate it if party will return them to me or notify me and I will call for them. Edgar Smith, St. Rt. 1, Baird. 6-1f

Reliable Man 25 to 50 to sell Watkins Products to established customers in Callahan County. Average earnings \$40.00 to \$50.00 a week. Only small capital and suitable car necessary. Liberal credit extended to those who qualify. Write Rural Sales Department, The J. R. Watkins Company, Box No. 2447, Memphis, Tennessee. 5-3t

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

On January the fourth, Mrs. J. H. McGee entertained her sister, Dollie Bell Periman with a birthday party from two until four thirty o'clock.

After playing, refreshments were served to Madge Bennett, Daphna Mae Wylie, Frances Parish, Mary Frances and Stella Robinson, Bonny Jean and Clara Lee Wallis, Mildred Tompson, Wilma Brooks, Bob and Raleigh Smith, Clifton Harris, Alton Periman. Also, Mrs. China Alphin, Mrs. W. C. Pruett and Mrs. V. Z. Periman.

**TO THE VOTERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY**

After due consideration on my part and the encouragement received from friends over the county, I hereby make my announcement for the office of County Judge, of Callahan County.

As over thirty years of my life of forty one years has been lived among you, I feel that any qualification to hold this important office is unnecessary. I began teaching in this county as soon as I was old enough for the state to grant me a certificate, teaching in various places and finally with your vote being placed at the head of the schools of the county. During my tenure of office as County Superintendent, all my efforts and thoughts have been to provide better opportunities for the school children of the county in the way of longer school terms, better school buildings and necessary equipment for their advancement, and in this respect, I feel that after comparison with other counties, the citizenship of the county have no cause to be ashamed of their schools.

For the benefit of those who are not familiar with my qualifications, I wish to state that I am a holder of the highest certificate issued by the State Department of Education and in addition during the past fifteen years I have devoted myself to the study of law, having completed three year course from an extension university.

If you honor me with your vote and I am the successful candidate in the coming election, I want to promise the people of Callahan County faithful and efficient service, always looking to the welfare and best interests of the county, and economical administration of the business interests of the county and fair and courteous treatment to all with whom I come in contact.

Above all I desire to express my gratitude to the people of the county for favors in the past and to thank you if you see fit to promote me to the office of County Judge.

Sincerely,  
B. C. Chrisman.

**WHODELT BRIDGE CLUB**

Miss Anne V. Foy was a charming hostess to the "Whodelt" club on last Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haynie Gilliland.

Talies and score pads were suggestive of the New Year.

High score went to Miss Glyndol Elliott and Ford Taylor.

Refreshments of sherbert sandwiches and cake were served to the following members and guests: Messrs. and Mesdames Ford Taylor C. L. McCleary, Bill Hatchett, James Ross, Haynie Gilliland, W. B. Jones, Sam Gilliland, H. D. Driskill, S. S. McElroy, Lattimer of Fort Worth, W. J. Evans, Misses Glyndol Elliott, Clark and West.

Messrs Hugh Ross, Greer Holmes, C. B. Snyder and James Asbury.

**TO THE VOTERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY**

In the proper column of this paper you will find my announcement for re-election for the office of District Clerk.

I wish to thank the people of Callahan County for their support in placing me in this important office and I feel that in the one year that I have served in this capacity, I have become familiar with many details of the office and am now capable of giving more efficient service.

In return for your support you may expect the same efficient and courteous treatment that you have received in the past.

I am,  
Very sincerely,  
Mrs. Callie Marshall.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
S. F. McCaffity, Pastor

All regular services will be held January 12 with Rev. G. D. Robison occupying the pulpit at both morning and evening hours. Rev. Robison is our Sunday school and fieldman for this Presbytery, and is a specialist in his line and all our people are urged to hear him.

A report of the Programme and Field Activities conference held at Albany January 8, will be made at morning service. Be present in this service. The public is always welcome and are appreciated.

Yours cordially,  
S. F. McCaffity, Pastor.

**TO THE VOTERS OF COMMISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 2**

In a recent election held in Oplin I was elected to run for the office of Commissioner Precinct No. 2. Having received forty-seven of the eighty-three votes, there being three other candidates for the place.

I sure thank the people of Oplin for their honor and respect, and certainly appreciate their pledge for me, and if elected, I will strive to the best of my ability, knowledge and hard work to keep this honor and respect and gain that good old Callahan county neighborly feeling from the entire Precinct.

A few years ago I successfully passed two Government Second Grade Civil Service Exams. With good votings and I think this should be proof of my educational qualifications and ability to take care of the office.

I certainly approve of modern machinery to build and maintain roads and doing the work as good as time and funds will permit each road receiving its share of the work.

I believe each community should have its share of road work and maintaining and if elected I promise a careful consideration and representations of everything coming before the Commissioners Court.

Respectfully,  
S. S. Harville.

**WHY WAS CHRIST BAPTIZED TWICE?**

"Why Was Christ Baptized Twice?" will be the sermon subject at the Methodist church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

This sermon will give light and be interesting. You'll miss something if you don't hear it.

The pastor will also preach at the morning hour.

Sunday School will begin at 9:30 a. m. Everyone wake up 30 minutes earlier and get to Sunday School on time.

The church service in the morning will begin at 10:50 a. m. and close at 12. You are invited. Come. Rev. B. W. Dodson, D. D., Pastor.

**ASSETS AND LIABILITIES**

Health is an Asset, sickness is a Liability

In taking inventory at the beginning of the New Year, on which side do you find your balance? Are you "in the red" on account of ill health? If so it behooves you, as a good business man or woman, to overcome this condition and get yourself on a sound footing. This can be done by proper living and eating and taking Chiropractic adjustments. Try it. "There'll be no regrets."

**JOSEPHINE C. MORRISON**

CHIROPRACTOR  
Office Hadley Building Baird, Texas

**FINE MATERIALS ASSURE FINE QUALITY CITY BREAD**

If you were baking this loaf at home, you could not choose finer ingredients than the ones used in CITY BREAD.

For these bakers know, just as you know, that fine bread can be made from only fine materials—and so they are the only ones used! At the CITY BAKERY, you will also find a pleasing variety of sweet goods to choose from, made from the best ingredients and equally as nutritious as they are attractive and delicious. More and more housewives are turning to CITY BREAD. They have learned that in bread, as in all foods, quality is the cheapest in the end. At your grocer's.

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**"A BAIRD INSTITUTION"**  
**HELP-Y-SELF**  
N. P. SMITH, MANAGER

**SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY SATURDAY AND MONDAY**

<b>SPUDS</b>		10 LBS.	<b>35c</b>
<b>YAMS</b>	HILL DRYED EXTRA FANCY	LB.	<b>8c</b>
<b>ORANGES</b>	80 SIZE	EACH	<b>4½c</b>
<b>MEAT SALT</b>	MICHIGAN	70 LB. BAG	<b>\$1.25</b>
<b>MEAT SALT</b>	MORTONS	10 LB CAN	<b>89c</b>
<b>CITY BREAD</b>		TWO LOVES	<b>15c</b>
<b>SUGAR</b>	PURE CANE	25 LB. BAG	<b>\$1.49</b>
<b>COFFEE</b>	WAMBA	3 LB. CAN	<b>\$1.18</b>
<b>COFFEE</b>	PURE PEABERRY BULK	3 LBS.	<b>89c</b>
<b>PICKLES</b>	SOUR	QT.	<b>25c</b>
<b>FLOUR</b>	OUR SPECIAL	48 LB. BAG	<b>\$1.59</b>

**IN OUR MARKET**

<b>BACON SQUARES</b>	LB.	<b>20c</b>
<b>SLICED BACON</b>	LB.	<b>32c</b>
<b>HAMS</b>	ARMOURS STAR 1/2 OR WHOLE	<b>43c 30c</b>
<b>BALOGNA SAUSAGE</b>	LB.	<b>25c</b>

**WRISTEN'S**

**CASH SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY**

<b>FLOUR Cotton White</b>	49lb Sk	<b>\$1.79</b>
<b>FLOUR Cotton White</b>	12lb Sk	<b>54c</b>
<b>COMPOUND Swift Jewel</b>	8lb Bucket	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>COMPOUND Bulk, bring your bucket</b>	8lb	<b>95c</b>
<b>ASPARAGUS Del Monte</b>	No. 1 can	<b>19c</b>
<b>BRAN</b>	100 Lb Sack	<b>\$1.65</b>
<b>BREAD all kinds Standard Loaf</b>	Loaf	<b>7c</b>
<b>GRAHAM CRACKERS small size</b>	Pkg.	<b>10c</b>
<b>COFFEE Morning Joy</b>	(beautiful cup and saucer)	2½lb can <b>\$1.44</b>
<b>COFFEE (bulk) Pea Berry</b>	3 Lbs.	<b>79c</b>
<b>HOMINY Thanksgiving No. 2</b>	4 cans	<b>25c</b>
<b>TOMATOES No. 2</b>	2 cans	<b>17c</b>
<b>TOMATOES No. 1</b>	4 cans	<b>25c</b>
<b>CRACKERS Browns</b>	3 Lb.	<b>41c</b>
<b>CRACKERS Browns Saltine</b>	2 Lbs.	<b>34c</b>
<b>PEACHES Delmonte</b>	No. 2 can	<b>17½c</b>
<b>PEACHES Gold Bar</b>	No. 2½ can	<b>23c</b>
<b>SYRUP Blue Brer Rabbit</b>	Gal can	<b>79c</b>
<b>CORN Tender and sweet</b>	No. 2 can	<b>10c</b>
<b>DEL APPLES Large size</b>	Dozen	<b>40c</b>
<b>BANANAS Nice yellow fruit</b>	Doz.	<b>16c</b>
<b>MACARONI-SPAGETTI Standard bkg</b>	Each	<b>6c</b>
<b>CIGARETTES all kinds</b>	2 pkgs.	<b>25c</b>
<b>COFFEE Maxwell House</b>	3 Lb. can	<b>\$1.21</b>
<b>SUGAR Pure Cane</b>	25 Lb. bag	<b>\$1.45</b>