

CHINESE HIGHBINDERS.

"Why, we have a new house."
"Well, to tell you the truth, I think that with the money I already have you can be disappointed."
"Yes, but I'm not a servant girl."
"Old man, let me go."
—*Nebraska State Journal*

Y STAR,

26, 1888.

TORY.

S. R. Ross.
F. B. Wheeler.
J. D. McCall.
R. Lubbock.
H. M. Hall.
J. S. Hogg.
IS.

Dist. Judge.....
Dist. Atty.....

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Judge.....
Clerk.....
Deputy Clerk.....
Sheriff.....
Deputy Sheriff.....
Assessor.....
Surveyor.....
Inspector.....
Com'r Prec't No. 1.....
Com'r Prec't No. 2.....
Com'r Prec't No. 3.....
Com'r Prec't No. 4.....

COURTS.

District Court convenes on the 10th Monday after the 1st Monday in February, and on the 11th Monday after the 1st Monday in August, and may remain in session 3 weeks.
County Court for criminal, civil and probate business convenes on the 1st Mondays in January, March, May, July, September and November and may remain in session for two weeks.
Commissioners Court convenes on the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.
J. P. Court Prec't No. 1 convenes the 14th Monday in each Month at Baird.

LOCAL NEWS.

Dress and cloak ornaments at J. S. Foy's.

UP to last Tuesday morning, 425 bales of cotton have been shipped from this place. A very good showing for the past dry month year.

We lost the first Banner subscriber at Tecumseh this week. We would like to hold all our old subscribers, but if any want THE STAR stopped, now is the time.

Last Tuesday a slight collision of two trains occurred in the yard here, knocking the pilot off of one of the engines. The trouble was caused by the air brakes on one (a passenger) being out of repair. No one was to blame for the trouble.

Little Inez, daughter of Rev. R. F. and Mrs. Luella Dunn, died last Monday, after a brief illness, and was buried in the Baird Cemetery Tuesday evening. The parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

THE STAR has received many compliments from the Members of the press, generally, all of which is duly appreciated, but so far we have not copied any of these articles, as some would probably think we were blowing too much, besides, we wished to let THE STAR speak for itself. The following extract coming from The Abilene Reporter, our nearest neighbor, is appreciated, however, we fear the Doctor is trying to flatter us. He says:

"THE BAIRD WEEKLY STAR published and edited by W. E. Gilliland, is one of the best weekly papers that comes to our table, all home print, new type, and eight columns, four page sheet, new, crisp and as neat as a new pin. Success to THE STAR and its clever publisher."

A Kansas man who went to California wrote back to a local paper, saying: "Offer a premium at your coming fair for the biggest fool in the country, and I will try to get there in time."—Herington (Kas.) Tribune.

A KANSAS newspaper man claims to have discovered a medicine that will drive away all desire for food. He thinks he will be able to run the paper as people expected him to. He can now give the town and her citizens free puffs and let them get their little mite of job printing and advertising done in some other way.—Ex.

THERE will be a total eclipse of the moon Saturday Jan. 28, beginning at about 4 o'clock a. m. and ending at 6 o'clock a. m. visible more or less to the world generally, except the Pacific Ocean. Look out for it.

The Inter Ocean says that the President's message on the wool subject was a failure; and yet the Republican press has talked about nothing else since the message was delivered. The imagination is unable to picture what would have been the condition of that press if the message had not been a failure.—Dallas News.

The Baird Drug Company will move into their new Store next week. See Notice.

Customers Wanted. At the Palace Barber Shop. I am overstocked with Hair cuts, "laves and Shampoos. And will lose out at cost and carriage. Prompt attention given, and good work guaranteed. T. J. Dean. Proprietor.

Mr. C. L. Dobson, after arranging his brother's affairs, returned to his City, his home, last

Big Stone Grocery Store.

J. L. LEA & CO.

KEEP ON HAND A

LARGER STOCK OF GROCERIES, THEREFORE BUY AND SELL CHEAPER THAN ANYONE.

PLOWS, WAGONS, DRILLS
AND ALL FARM IMPLEMENTS, CHEAPER THAN EVER FOR CASH OR ON REASONABLE TIME.
J. L. LEA & CO.

We will Buy or Help You to Sell Your
COUNTRY PRODUCE FOR CASH.
J. L. LEA & CO.

D. M. OSBORNE'S
HARVESTING
MACHINERY
Cheap and on Liberal Terms.
J. L. LEA & CO.

The Attention of the town trade is called to the fact that we have a Big Stock of Canned Goods of all kinds at Old Prices, Bought Before the rise.

J. L. LEA & CO.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

For school supplies, go to Phillips.

20 cases Ladies', Men's and Boys' shoes received last week by T. E. Powell.

Just arrived this week at J. S. Foy's a new lot of Hose, Gloves, Lace, Ladies' Cuffs, and a good line of dry goods, all to be sold as cheap as any one in Baird.

Our stock is complete in all lines and we ask all to examine our goods before buying. We have reduced prices on Flannel and flannel underwear. MOON & CROWDER.

Ogle keeps everything in the grocery line.

Sweet potatoes, Turnips, Apples, Oranges, Lemons. S. L. Ogle.

Dried grapes, Raisins, Citron, Currants, Prunes, Dried apples, Evaporated apples. S. L. Ogle.

If you want a fine suit of clothing go to T. E. Powell.

Notice No. 1.

If you owe us any thing, either note or open account, please come and settle it. Hard times no excuse: the time is as hard with us as you. If you have not got the money we can refer you to parties that have it to loan at 12 per cent. Please heed this, our first warning.
J. D. WINDHAM & SONS.

Notice

We are agents for the White Sewing Machine, the best machine in the world. Persons wanting machines will do well to see us before buying Moon & Crowder.

Read J. D. Windham & Son's notice No. one.

Notice; Removal.

We desire to inform our friends and the general public that we are fitting up the building formerly occupied by the "Buck Horn Saloon", especially for a Drug Store and will in the next week, move into the same Respectfully,
Baird Drug Company.

Letter paper, Bill paper, School paper, Legal cap, Pencils, Pens, Penholders, Blank books, Pocket books, Porte-monnaies. S. L. Ogle.
New lot Furniture just arrived. L. Gould.

Sugarhouse molasses, the best for the money. S. L. Ogle.
14 pounds of good sugar for \$1.00. S. L. Ogle.

All the leading varieties of canned goods. S. L. Ogle.

Can mackerel. S. L. Ogle.
Can salmon. S. L. Ogle.
Can codfish. S. L. Ogle.
Potted ham. S. L. Ogle.
Mustard sardines. S. L. Ogle.
French sardines. S. L. Ogle.
American sardines. S. L. Ogle.

Go to Ed Coppins, at the Post Office for
Barrel mackerel, Citron,
Powdered sugar, Dodson & Hill's
Barrel Lard, Pickles,
Cocoanut Candy, Cigars Snuff &c.
Stick Candy, Cut Loaf Sugar,
Prunes, Dried Grapes,
All kinds Nuts, C. abricies,
Maple Syrup,
Large lot Tobacco,
Dried Blackberries,
Evaporated Peaches, Mince Meat,
California Honey.

All goods pure and fresh and I will not be undersold by any house in town. Don't forget the place.
ED. COPPINS.
At the Post Office.

See those table covers at J. S. Foy's.

A good line of stationery at J. S. Foy's.

Call and examine my hats. J. S. Foy.

Pocket cutlery. S. L. Ogle.

Now that you have a chance to borrow money to pay us, don't ask us to carry you any longer.
J. D. WINDHAM & SONS.

Please see that your prescription has the seal unbroken before you use it.
BAIRD DRUG CO.

Call on S. C. Pack for Corn, Oats, Hay and Bran, cheap for cash.

Car ear corn at S. C. Pack's.
Fresh country ground meal. S. L. Ogle.

We are head quarters for stationery, pens and ink.
BAIRD DRUG CO.

Waco Jeans from 20 cts. up. T. E. Powell.

Clothing! Clothing!! Clothing!!!
T. E. Powell's is the place to get the cheapest and best.

Signal keeps the very best beef in the market.

All accounts made with us are now due. Come forward and settle so we can square up our books for new year. We are in need of money very badly. Dec. the 1st, 1887.
Moon & Crowder.

Notice.

All persons owing me will find their notes at the Callahan County bank for collection.
S. L. Robertson.

Justip Cook has opened up his Saloon in the Signal building. He has some '81 whiskey, best in the world or medical purposes. Try it.

Try the Alliance flour, put up at the Denton Alliance Mill, at Ed Coppins'.

Jim Welch has removed from Dean's old stand to first door east of Cook's saloon, where you will find him always ready to give you a first-class hair cut, shave or shampoo.

Everybody gets their boots and shoes from T. E. Powell, because he sells the best goods for the least money.

I carry by far the largest line of Clothing, and sell the cheapest.
T. E. Powell.

We want to settle up all past due notes and accounts and take a fresh start with the new year.
J. D. WINDHAM & SONS.

A full line of coffins and furniture at Gould's furniture store.

This is the best Cotton market in the world, and J. L. Lea & Co. pay more for it than Dallas, Cisco or Abilene.

We are the chief on soap and starch and washing materials.
J. L. Lea & Co.

Corn, oats, hay, bran and cotton seed cheap, at Lea's.
Resure and call on T. E. Powell, for Dry Goods, for my stock is new, fresh and cheap.

After Jan. 1st '88, every prescription from our store will be sealed and stamped: Please note this particularly.
BAIRD DRUG CO.

501 Loads of Wood Wanted.
That is, if we can get it on subscriptions for the
BAIRD WEEKLY STAR.

Go to Signal's for your fresh beef.

We will send THE STAR and THE FORT WORTH WEEKLY GAZETTE to one address one year for \$2.25.

Settle Up.

The First National Bank of Baird will collect for S. L. Robertson. All who are indebted to him will call at once and settle.
W. C. POWELL.
Jan. 25th, 1888. Cashier.

NOTICE.

The Job Office of THE STAR will be under the management of Mr. W. R. Lotz, a thorough practical printer. All work guaranteed first class and charges as low as any house considering the class of work. Mr. Lotz is authorized to make rates and receipt for all amounts due for job work. The above arrangement will enable us to turn out all job work promptly.
W. E. GILLILAND.

Superior and Mohawk Cook Stoves. Fire back warranted for ten years.



For sale by HARRY MEYER.

For hemp and mixed bird seed go to R. Phillips.

E. K. KANE,

NEW GROCERIES

CHEAP FOR CASH,

(Next Door to Callahan County Bank.)

BAIRD, - - - TEXAS.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. I. McWhorter was in town Monday.

E. S. Seay of Abilene was in town a day or two this week.

Newt Smith of Eagle Cove was in town Monday.

Mr. W. G. Crowder and family returned this week from Morris County. Mr. Crowder carried some horses East last Fall. He says he found the market crowded and sales rather dull.

Mr. W. M. James has had the old photograph gallery building on Market Street torn down and the lumber used in building an addition to his residence on Third Street.

Miss Myra Selfridge of Taylor County is visiting Mrs. W. E. Burke.

W. L. Gilliland was in town this week.

H. Windham, is in town, he has just returned from Presidio County where he has been for two or three months delivering cattle sold out on the Ranch.

Harry Cook is getting to be a first class typist. He says he will soon be ready to start out as a full fledged tramp printer.

Mr. C. T. Phillips of Carbon, Texas, spent several days in town this week visiting his brother, B. Phillips.

Mr. J. G. McDowell is the happy father of a bouncing girl. She arrived at his home last Tuesday.

Wm. Stewart was in town Tuesday. Bill has just returned from Presidio County where he has been helping "Tod" Windham with the cattle. He says the man that said it never got cold out there is a thoroughbred Ananias.

Rev. W. G. Caperton, a Baptist minister of Albany preached at the stone Church last Sunday.

Mr. W. L. Townsend of Coleman a well known stockman was in town Saturday, and called around to see us. We are always glad to see the cowboys. Come again.

Several cases of pneumonia are reported in town.

We have had all kinds of weather here this week. Summer and winter, trying to crowd each other out, as it were.

Mr. C. L. Dobson, of Kansas City brother of R. B. Dobson, arrived at this place on Sunday's train.

Mr. Henry E. Jones, returned last Sunday from Hunt Cor where he went with the remains of R. B. Dobson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilliland were in town Monday.

Ask Pete Sugar how the skating was on the Railroad pond Sunday.

Tom Jones formerly of Brown County, was in town Sunday, shipping cattle.

T. E. POWELL

—DEALER IN—

DRY GOODS and NOTIONS.

The above department has just recently been added to my store, and consists, not of a lot of old-fashioned, shelf-worn goods but a complete stock of new goods, direct from Eastern Wholesale Houses.

I am constantly adding to, and carry a complete stock of

Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

In this Line I Carry the Largest and Most Complete Stock Ever Kept in Baird, Which I am Selling at Prices that Defy Competition.

I Keep a Full Line of Gents' Ladies' Misses' Boys' and Children's

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Etc., Etc.

Call on me when you want anything in the line of

Carpets, Oilcloth, Trunks, Valises, Handbags, Etc.,

I buy my goods at Headquarters For Cash, thus discounting my bills and can therefore give my customers the benefit of this fact in offering them CHEAPER GOODS. Fair dealing, keeping none but good goods and selling them has enabled me to build up and enjoy a large and steadily increasing trade, and, by selling more goods I can afford to do so at smaller profits. This again redounds to the benefit of my patrons.

My present healthy trade is the best evidence that my efforts have been and are being appreciated by the public.

T. E. POWELL

Store on Market Street, in Robertson's Stone Building, Baird, Tex

