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The Fort Worth Gazette has been changed in form, and now presents an improved appearance.

A storm at Alexander, Erath county, Saturday night, blew Maj. Penn's gospel tent down, under which a number of people were sleeping, and a wild scramble for extrication ensued. One child had its skull fractured and will probably die.

GREAT damage has been done to railroads all over the State by the recent great storm. All trains were abandoned on several of the roads for two days. The principal washout on the T. & P. was near Arlington, between Fort Worth and Dallas.

Fatal Shooting at Austin.

On Thursday, while at the fair in Austin, Mr. Seth Mayberry, a prominent and wealthy stockman, and Mr. O'Connor, president of the Stockmen's Bank, had a difficulty over the transfer of some property, when Mayberry told O'Connor that he, O'Connor, could not live there and the latter told him that that was no place to settle personal difficulties, and started to his bank where he loaded two shot guns with buckshot. On seeing his adversary coming up the street he stood in the bank door and shot him down. This of course drew a large crowd to the scene; when an eighteen or twenty year old son of Mayberry rushed up, pulled out a pistol and shot O'Connor through the breast, who, while he staggered, picked up another shot gun which stood near by and shot young Mayberry, who died instantly, after which O'Connor struggled and fell, dying without uttering a word. These three men were killed and neither spoke after being shot.

Resolutions Passed at a Meeting of the Colorado Bar.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to us that Hon. T. B. Wheeler, Judge of this the 11th Judicial district has been stricken down with disease, and that he is now unable to discharge the duties of his office, therefore, be it

Resolved by the members of the bar at Colorado, that we sympathize with him in his sufferings and express a hope that he will soon be restored to health and enabled to discharge the functions of his office, which he has hitherto done with credit to himself and satisfaction to the people of his district.

Resolved, that we, the members of the bar and citizens of Mitchell county, hereby tender to Judge C. I. Evans our sincere thanks for the able and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of District Judge during this term of court, and we are more sensible of our obligations to him when we consider that he accepted the position at a personal sacrifice on his part in order to subserve our interests.

In justice to both these gentlemen in whose behalf these complimentary allusions are tendered, we ask that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the District Court.

J. D. MARTIN, Chairman,
C. W. MERRILL, Secretary.

Col. Mortimer McIlhenny.

BAIRD, TEXAS, Oct. 20, 1892.

EDITOR CLARENDON: I see that Col. Mortimer McIlhenny is announced as a candidate for County Judge. The people of our county can indeed be congratulated if they elect a man so thoroughly learned in the law and so good and correct a financier as Col. McIlhenny. He was an officer in the Confederate army, and fought through the late war after which he returned to his home in Missouri, where he was denied the right to practice law by the Federal Government, in consequence of his refusal to take the abominable "Iron Clad Oath." Now is the time that Callahan most needs good and efficient officers, and with such a man as Col. McIlhenny at the head of affairs, the county court will not only be self-sustaining, but will bring a handsome revenue into the county treasury. The tax to defray general county purposes is only one-half of the State tax and not more than twenty cents poll tax, and is thought that even this taxation will be decreased by our next legislature, so our county taxes will amount to but a small sum, and we need officers thoroughly well posted at the head of our county affairs in order that our expenses may be curtailed. It is our duty, one we owe the county, to look well to the filling of this place of County Judge particularly, for an error committed would place the county in any bad or encouraging condition. The people recognize the importance of these steps here recommended and will act accordingly. Very truly,
AMERICA PORTER.

Attention, Sheepmen.

We the undersigned summon a call meeting of the Callahan Co. Wool Growers' Association, for Saturday, Nov. 4th, on important business.

J. N. ALVORD,
T. J. WILSON,
J. J. YOUNG,
F. H. CARLIE,
J. E. STANLEY.

A. O. B. Club.

Mr. Editor:

I promised you and your readers to give something further about the Bachelors Club that meets in this city in the hall over the meat market. Your self-constituted reporter is indebted to the Grand Scribe, Mr. J. F. Rettig, for a copy of the constitution and by-laws of the order. You will see from the preamble of the constitution that the object of the order is to fraternally unite the bachelors and widowers that are not so fortunate as to get united with the gentler sex. The following is the report of the committee appointed to draft the constitution and by-laws:

To the Grand Ki-Youmuck and officers and members of the Ancient Order of Bachelors:
Your committee beg leave to report the following constitution and by-laws for the government of our most unwelcome order.

WIDOWS, the marriageable ladies of the present day, both widows and maidens, and especially the pretty maidens, are so particular in choosing their husbands and even totally proscribing a large portion of the bachelors from their society, thereby preventing them from ever getting married. For a protection to ourselves and our posterity we do ordain and establish this constitution.

ARTICLE I. This club shall be known as the Ancient Order of Bachelors.
ART. 2. All unmarried males between the ages of 25 and 50 years shall be eligible to membership; and no unmarried male not within that age shall be eligible to membership unless he be under 25 or over 50 years of age.

ART. 3. It shall be the duty of each member to persuade all the bachelors and widowers who cannot get a wife not to marry.
ART. 4. All the power that the ladies don't have over the members of this order shall be reserved to the members individually and collectively.

ART. 5. No member of this order shall ever be allowed to marry until he has found a lady that will marry him, and then he shall not marry until he withdraws from this order and "sets 'em up" two rounds to the members of the club present.

ART. 6. This constitution shall not be amended unless a majority of the bachelors present want it amended.

BY-LAWS.
ART. 1. If any bachelor shall ever marry without obtaining the consent of the lady and before withdrawing from this order, he shall be fined not less than one quart of good whiskey and one dozen cigars for the benefit of the club.

ART. 2. Any bachelor guilty of admiring the beauty of any lady or ladies shall be, upon conviction, fined not less than one bottle of beer.

ART. 3. Any bachelor seriously contemplating matrimony shall be deemed guilty of prurience, and upon conviction shall be fined three pounds of bologna sausage and one box of tooth picks.

ART. 4. Any bachelor guilty of gallanting the ladies on any occasion shall be fined enough beer for one round for the bachelors present.

ART. 5. It shall not be lawful for any bachelor to change socks more than once per month and shirts every two months. If guilty the club shall assess the penalty.

ART. 6. Any bachelor taking a drink either in their club room or out of it, and leaves any liquor in the glass shall be fined. Penalty assessed by the club.

ART. 7. The proceeds of the fines (all that the members don't consume) shall be devoted to the building of another school house.

R. M. Turner, Chm'n,
A. M. Robertson,
Walter Reeves,
Wm. Ogle,
J. F. Rettig,
Committee.

Your reporter further finds that there are serious charges preferred against the Gallifor, F. S. Bell, for building a nice dwelling house without letting the club know what he was going to do with it. The trial will be before long and your reporter will make arrangements to be present. I will give you a list of the members that will join next Saturday night, in my next. The investigating committee took too much beer, so they did not report on the applicants. I am Sir.

Your self-constituted Reporter,
F. O. PINE.

There was a destructive fire at Terrell last week. A brick block of nine store houses was entirely burned up, with most of the contents. The loss was not less than \$100,000 and the insurance on the whole amounted to about \$75,000. Among the losers were the publishers of the Terrell Star, whose loss was \$5,000 without insurance.

Take care of your Liver. A great number of the diseases to which mankind are liable arise from a disordered condition of this organ. Keep it in a sound and healthy condition and you can defy disease. THURLEY'S LIVER PILLS are especially adapted for this purpose, being composed of drugs which act on the Liver, giving it tone and strength to withstand malaria.

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Why not read the CLARENDON? It only costs \$2 a year.

Over The State.

Brown county is shipping Hogs by the car load.

The Corsicana Observer has had a new head put on it.

San Antonio has 25 invalid paupers at her poorhouse.

A fifteen-year-old boy is in the Dallas jail for horse stealing.

Over seven hundred pupils attend the Fort Worth public schools.

A man named Cowan was robbed at a Fort Worth saloon of \$75.

The officers of the Gould railroads are on an inspection tour of his Texas lines.

A Panhandle sheepman says last year he made 115 per cent. on his investment.

It is said the gamblers of San Antonio intend to control the politics of that city.

The rain prevented the exhibition of a canvas show at Calvert one day last week.

Denton has a chartered nursery company with a capital stock of \$20,000.

The negroes of Fort Worth have subscribed \$10,000 for establishing a union store.

Cotton seed at Bryan sells at eight dollars a ton and is shipped in large quantities.

A drummer at Mexia was robbed of \$225 in money, and a gold watch and chain worth \$200.

E. R. Wheeler, who killed Preston at Seymour, a short time since, has been acquitted.

Six wagons loaded with immigrants from Missouri passed through Fort Worth one day last week.

C. B. Potts, of Cow Creek, Erath county, made 181 gallons of sorghum syrup off one acre of land.

Judge L. L. Wood, of Denison, was killed by one of his employees in the Chickasaw Nation last week.

It is reported that Captain Kimble has reached Salina, Kansas, and that work on the Pass will soon be resumed.

Nueva Laredo (the Mexican town) is building a new and handsome market-house on the site of the old one.

Two men named Greene, from Kansas, were killed in a fight at Queen's Peak, west of Sherman, not long ago.

A young man at Denison was deced of \$1000 by sharpers. He succeeded in getting back a portion of the money.

Wesley Whitaker who killed Gibbs at Pilot Point about a year ago, was convicted of murder in the first degree, and the penalty fixed at life in the penitentiary.

The other night a centipede, four inches long, stung the editor of the Laredo Times on the shoulder. Restoratives were administered and no serious effects have so far resulted.

The daughter of a Corsicana boarding house keeper and one of the servant girls of the house eloped with two fellows who manipulated a "wheel of fortune" on the street corners. The quartette drove away in a hack about two o'clock in the morning.

There was a fight at Albany, Texas, between the two candidates for county Judge, Fisher and Black, the latter being the son of Jere Black, of Pennsylvania. Fisher knocked his opponent down and beat him over the head with a pistol. Both were arrested. The row grew out of a circular published by Black.

John H. Ruhl, a Prussian, who has for the past nine years occupied the position of confidential man and general manager of the business of Kaufman & Renne, was found dead in a small bath house on the beach at the foot of Avenue L, in Galveston last Tuesday. It is supposed that he suicided by taking poison.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HURRAH FOR THE NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP.

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Now inform their patrons and the public generally that they have removed from Belle Plaine and opened a

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3,000 Head of Good Colorado SHEEP.

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Having just added a full line of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, etc., to my

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And then run and examine the New Grocery Store just opened by the above named firm, in the Odd Fellow Building, on

MARKET STREET, BAIRD, TEXAS.

We keep constantly on hand everything usually kept in a grocery, consisting in part of

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First Class Store.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage received heretofore from the people of Callahan and adjoining counties, he will henceforth be better than ever prepared to supply their wants. His long experience in the mercantile business in the West has made him familiar with its requirements.

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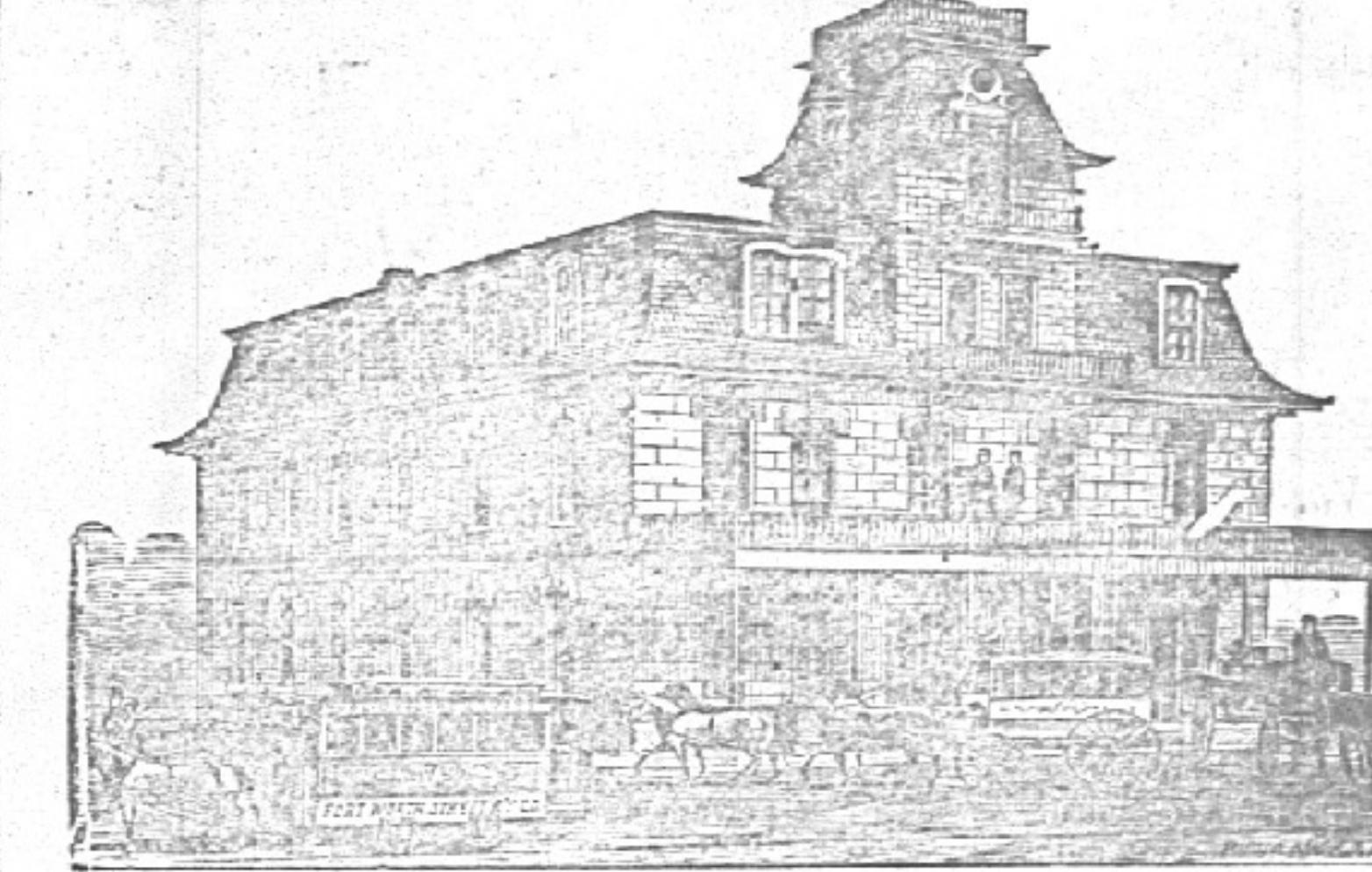
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1882.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

State Officers.
Governor—J. M. Roberts.
Lieutenant Governor—J. J. Storey.
Comptroller—W. H. Brown.
Treasurer—P. E. Lubbuck.
Commissioner General Land Office—W. C. Walsh.
Secretary of State—J. H. Newman.
Attorney General—J. H. McLeary.

District Officers.
District Judge—T. B. Wheeler.
District Attorney—J. H. Calhoun.
District Clerk of Callahan County—J. W. Newman.
Congressman of 2nd Congressional District—O. H. Wells.
State Senator of the 24th Senatorial District—J. H. Davenport of Eastland County.
Representative of the Seventeenth Representative District—K. Stirling.

County Officers.
County Judge—T. J. Austin.
County Clerk—J. W. Newman.
County Attorney—P. S. Bell.
County Treasurer—J. G. McDowell.
County Assessor—J. P. Brightwell.
County Surveyor—R. B. Hanning.
County Jailor—J. A. Fack.
County Commissioners—J. C. Pack, Pres.; No. 1, W. T. Staylor, Sec.; No. 2, H. H. Henson, Pres. No. 3, Capt. Taylor, Sec. No. 4.

Courts.
District Court for Callahan County. Commences on the Eleventh Monday after the First Monday in February and September.
County Court for Callahan County. Commences on the Third Monday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
Commissioners' Court. Commences on the Second Monday in February, May, August and November.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

Belle Plain Lodge, No. 322, A. P. and A. M. meets at Belle Plain on Saturday on or before each full moon.
C. Bates, W. M.
I. N. Jackson, Secy.

Baird Lodge, I. O. O. F. meets at their hall every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
N. K. Rice, N. G.
F. S. Bell, Secretary.

Church Directory.

Episcopal church in Baird the first Sabbath of each month.
Presiding by the Baptist organization, at the school house on third Sunday and Saturday previous, in each month.
H. O. McQuinn, of Belle Plain, will preach every 4th Sunday of each month, morning and night.
Rev. Mr. Davis, Presbyterian pastor, will preach here, on the second Sunday of each month, morning and night.

Arrivals and Departures of Mails.

ARRIVES.
From the East at 5 10 a.m.
" " West at 10 10 a.m.
" " Belle Plain at 5 p.m.

DEPARTS.
Going East at 5 15 a.m.
" " West at 10 10 a.m.
" " Belle Plain at 7 a.m.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.
WESTWARD.
ARRIVES.
No. 1 Mail and Express at 5 05 a.m.
No. 11 Through Freight at 10 10 a.m.
No. 12 Local Freight at 10 10 p.m.

LEAVES.
No. 1 Mail and Express at 5 15 a.m.
No. 8 Local Freight at 7 00 a.m.
No. 11 Through Freight at 7 25 a.m.

EASTWARD.
ARRIVES.
No. 4 Mail and Express at 10 10 p.m.
No. 13 Local Freight at 12 45 a.m.
No. 10 Local Freight at 12 45 a.m.

LEAVES.
No. 4 Mail and Express at 10 20 p.m.
No. 13 Local Freight at 7 45 p.m.
No. 10 Local Freight at 10 50 p.m.

LOCAL NEWS.

Full line California canned goods at Ogle & Son's.

Lovers of pool and billiards can have a pleasant game at the Crystal Palace.

Fine hard, best quality in tierce. Try it, at Ogle & Son's.

G. P. Johnson has just received a car load of the best flour—Sea Foam. Price \$7.75 per cwt.

Try a sack of the celebrated Cyclone Flour at Ogle & Son's.

O, how delicious that genuine article of pure mountain honey at Ogle & Son's. Every can warranted. Maple syrup ditto.

Just received a car load of Kansas Good Luck and Diamond flour at D. C. Terry & Son's.

See the advertisement this week of sheep for sale. Mr. Craven informs us that he will offer the best bargains in sheep yet given to purchasers.

Musical instruments will be found at Turner's Drug Store, violins, recorders, &c. Call and see them.

Blind Charley gave one of his musical concerts to a very large audience at the school-house last Thursday evening. His performance was very good, especially his comic imitations, which were very laughable. We did not think that Baird could muster up so large an audience for the school house was literally crammed.

When physicians have made use of a prescription for years in their private practice with certain success, it is a duty they owe to mankind to put such remedies with reach of folk, and this is done by "copy-right"—such is the case with Dr. Sherman's PINKET, ASH DIETETIC, and they have proved to be a blessing to mankind.

Mackerel of this season's catch at Ogle & Son's.

See the advertisement of farm for sale in this issue. A bargain can be had. The place is located in a healthy and desirable portion of the county.

A fine barrel of kroust at L. O. Oliver's.

Mrs. O. M. L. Parker is having a residence built in the Newton addition. She is now a permanent resident of our town.

Table oil cloths and window shades at the furniture store.

We have received the Tax Collector's account with the State and should have published it this week, but, for want of time, it will not appear until our next issue.

Velvet photo frames, picture mats and oval picture frames at the furniture store.

Quite a severe rainstorm with much wind and lightning was experienced here early last Monday morning. The rain fell in torrents, but it cleared off soon and the day was a very pleasant one.

The west bound passenger train is seven hours late this morning.

Cattlemen will take notice that a stockman's meeting will be held at Baird next Monday to arrange plans for riding the lines in this neighborhood this winter. A full attendance is desired.

Best quality of Good Luck Kansas flour at D. C. Terry & Son.

Mr. E. S. Seay informs us that his firm bought two bales of cotton and 3000 pounds of wool this week. The wool season is nearly over while the cotton season in this section is just beginning.

Wall paper and looking glasses in endless variety at the furniture store.

Schwartz & Kilpatrick have received the finest lot of clocks in the West. They are the wonder of every one who visits the post office. Their cuckoo clock, vibrating clock, office desk clock, night clock and the globe case clock are all novel and beautiful.

Lamps and lanterns in variety at Turner's drug-store.

See the announcement this week of Mr. A. G. Webb, who offers himself as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace of Baird Precinct No. 2. Mr. Webb is a young man of steady, sober and industrious habits, is a good business man and if elected would, no doubt, make a good justice.

Quite a number of prospectors are in town. We see some from California, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Missouri and other States in the Union. The best part of it all is that all are well pleased with Baird and Callahan county. It's not to be wondered at when they come to the best country in the world.

The best assortment of lamps and lanterns will be found at the Drug Store.

See the advertisement in this issue of the new blacksmith firm, Henry & Allen. They are as good smiths as can be found in any State. They mean business and are having an immense run of work, and why shouldn't they, for they warrant all their work. We tried hard to induce them to come to Baird, and now that they are here we are glad to see them so well patronized.

Best Liverpool salt, every sack warranted to contain 200 pounds, at Ogle & Son's.

Capt. W. C. Powell informed us that his brother-in-law, Mr. Wm. Carmichael, with his family from Carmichael, Md., and are now living at their adopted home near Baird. The family were all nearly sick with malarial fever when they came, but they are fast recovering since they began to breathe our pure fresh air. We welcome them to our healthy beautiful country.

Good Diamond A Kansas flour direct from the mills at D. C. Terry & Son's.

Messrs. Parlin and Craven have both returned from Henrietta the early part of the week. If there is anything in the signs of the times and a young man investing in Marriage Association policies and other conveniences the latter named gentleman ought now to be enrolled with the benedictions. But the signs, like the associations, fail and our friend invests in sheep with the same cool headedness as of yore.

Warranted 200 pound sacks of the best Liverpool salt always on hand at D. C. Terry & Son's.

Mr. J. N. Browning, of Mobetie, Wheeler county, a candidate for the legislature from this district, was here and made us a pleasant call last Saturday. He made a short speech in the evening at the school house, to a small though select audience. The talented young man clearly defined his position upon most of the questions affecting this section of the State, and liable to come up during the next session of the legislature to be disposed of by that body. His views upon these questions were satisfactorily received by all present. Lack of time prevents our giving a synopsis of his speech. He left here on Monday for Sweetwater, where he and Mr. Waddell and Col. Evans had a joint discussion.

Justin Cook will arrive to-day with about 1000 head of sheep.

We noticed a sweet potato yesterday at D. C. Terry & Son's which weighed 10 1/2 pounds. It was raised in Callahan county.

Mr. Lark Hearn will ship to-day seven car loads of fine cattle which he bought of J. F. Taylor, of Coleman. They go to St. Louis.

Mr. Napoleon Flores, who was a resident of this county about five or six years since moves with his family to-day from Belle Plain to Baird. Thus Baird's citizens increase.

We made another flying visit to Colorado last Monday, arriving there at about 1 o'clock P. M. We found the town on the same steady boom which has long since begun to be characteristic of that town.

As was previously announced, Hon. J. H. Davenport, candidate for Congress, addressed an attentive audience at the school house last night. After Mr. Davenport was done, Judge Koussis, of Colorado, made a speech in behalf of Mr. G. W. Waddell, candidate for representative, who, though present, was not well.

Our genial friend, Lark Hearn, of Callahan county, called on us a few days since. We were sorry to see Lark suffering from injuries caused by falling from the top of a rail fence, but the strangest part of the sad affair is that it occurred in Kansas; hundreds of miles from where a rail fence has ever been. Ta ta, Lark; too thin.—Stock Journal.

Mr. J. D. Merchant bought last Thursday a car load of twenty head of hives for over seeing them giving forty dollars per head. They are a very fine lot, one of the steers weighing an eight & a half year old, 1650 pounds, while a cow weighed 1302 1/2 pounds. Mr. Merchant was offered a handsome profit on the cattle here, but he declined the offer and shipped them Thursday evening to St. Louis.

Accidental Shooting.

Last Tuesday morning Sheriff Jones accidentally discharged a pistol in the Signal House dining room. The bullet penetrated the ceiling, and the floor up stairs and went tearing through the carpet in one of the rooms and struck the foot board of the bed upon which sat a lady in the act of putting on her shoes. The bullet passed within six inches of her. A little girl, a daughter of the lady, was also in the room. The bullet passed out through the roof. It was fortunate that none was not killed or crippled. The landlady informs us that the ladies in the house were much frightened, not only at the shooting but at the loud swearing in the dining room, which was heard at about the same time.

Almost a Fire.

Yesterday morning the fire alarm was sounded in from box No. 476, and it was discovered to be caused by a fire breaking out in the Whitley House. The fire was occasioned by carelessness in the fire or stove pipe being put through the roof in such a manner that the shingles ignited, burning a good sized hole through the roof. Mr. Enser rushed to the scene, climbed up to the upper joists and dashed a bucket of water on the fire, which put a "damper" upon it. We again admonish our citizens to be cautious. One little careless act, or a little negligence may burn up our town. It is not only your own property that is endangered but that of every person in the place.

Minutes of the Cemetery Meeting.

A meeting of the citizens of Baird was held at the school house last Tuesday night, the 17th inst., to take into consideration the feasibility of taking steps to construct a suitable fence around the grave yard. By motion N. P. Rice was called to the chair. Thos. Hadley was elected treasurer and W. R. Lotz, secretary. Motion was made and carried to constitute Messrs. Rice, Hadley and Lotz a board of trustees. On motion two others, J. P. Johnson and S. L. Ogle, were added to the number. It was moved and carried that the text meeting be held Thursday evening Oct. 26th. A motion to adjourn carried.

Stoves! Stoves!!!

I have just received a car load of cooking and heating stoves, and invite the public to call and inspect them. I will not be under-sold. I have come to stay and mean to do a legitimate trade, and build up my best business. Harry Meyer.

\$10 Reward.

One roan mare, branded E on left shoulder, and colt have strayed from me and I will pay \$10 for the delivery of said stock at Baird, or \$5 for any information leading to their recovery. D. C. Terry.

Baird, Texas, Oct. 13, 1882. 28 31

Bring Your Cotton to Baird.

We are every way prepared for buying and shipping cotton, and will pay all that it is worth for it.

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Flour! Flour! Flour!!!

The best in the market. L. O. Oliver has just received a car load of the celebrated Purity and Rose Flour. Try a sack.

Personal.

J. F. Taylor, of Coleman, is in town to-day.

Mr. R. D. Yoakum, of the Larissa nursery, was in town this week.

Judge R. R. Webb, wife and baby returned last Thursday morning from their trip east.

Maj. H. H. Overall, of Coleman, was in town yesterday and took the east bound train last night for Arkansas.

Among the late arrivals of prospectors in town we notice Messrs. Ing of California, and Brown of Ohio. They are registered at the Signal House.

Mr. L. O. Oliver left yesterday with his family for a few days' sojourn at Coleman. They went in their own conveyance. Will return on Monday.

Judge Fleming came down from Colorado last Thursday evening. He left by yesterday morning's stage for Coleman. Although the Judge has no opponent, still he gives the voters a chance to hear and see him. This is very commendable in him, knowing, as he does, that he would be elected even if he stayed at home and saved the time and expense of traveling.

Capt. W. J. Maltby and his daughter, Miss Maltby, paid the CLARENDON office a pleasant visit last Tuesday. They left here on the east bound train for Austin, where they go to attend the State Fair. The Captain will show what Callahan county can do in the way of raising vegetables. They will also visit their former home in Barnett county and will be absent about two weeks.

Mrs. M. H. Donohoe returned from her visit in Modesto county, last Thursday evening. She informs us that Mr. Donohoe is now in Los Angeles, California, where he has bought sheep, and as it is so late will probably winter there, in which event Mrs. D. will join him there soon, and spend the winter in lovely Los Angeles. Her many friends are glad to welcome her back to Baird.

Kitchen Gem Cook Stoves.

Now on hand at Harry Meyer's. They are the best in the market, and every one warranted. When you want a stove buy it of Harry and he will put it up for you, if in town.

Good Butter.

I have a lot of fine Kansas butter for sale. Good and fresh. Try it.

L. O. Oliver.

Wanted.

A house-keeper to cook in a small family. Apply at this office.

BORN.

LUCKY—On Oct. 20th, at Baird, to the wife of E. L. Tucker, a son.

CALLAHAN—On Oct. 19th, at Baird, to the wife of P. L. Callahan, a daughter.

\$10 REWARD.

I will give the above reward for the delivery at Baird or Justin Cook's ranch, or for information which leads to the recovery of a brown mare, about 10 hands high, ten or eleven years old, hind small star in face branded J on left shoulder.

G. W. Wood.

Baird, Texas, Oct. 20, 1882.

Information Wanted.

The whereabouts of two colts one year old last spring, branded S. O. on right hip and a mare the other a horse, both bright bays, the mare has a little white on one hind foot. Any information in regard to the whereabouts of these animals, and any trouble liberally rewarded. S. L. OGLE.

A Herder Wanted.

A good, steady sheep herder, one who understands his business, can get employment by applying at this office. 28 21

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A good sheep herder, apply at this office.

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Flour, white per cent \$3.25 to \$3.75
Meal, corn " " 1.50 to 2.00
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Eggs, " " 1.00 to 1.50
Coffee, " " 1.00 to 1.50
Tea, " " 1.00 to 1.50
Sugar, " " 1.00 to 1.50
Bacon, " " 1.00 to 1.50
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Apples, " " 1.00 to 1.50
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Potatoes Irish per lb. 3 c
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Onions, " " 1.00 to 1.50
Butter, " " 1.00 to 1.50
Cheese (cream) " " 1.00 to 1.50
Eggs, " " 1.00 to 1.50
Chicken, " " 1.00 to 1.50
GRAIN.
Wheat, " " 1.00 to 1.50
Corn, " " 1.00 to 1.50
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ESTRAYED.

Returned as estrays by S. C. Pack, Commissioner of Callahan county, Texas, for the benefit of said county, on the 5th day of October, 1882, the following described horse to wit: One dark bay or black, about 12 or 13 hands high, star in forehead, brand J on left shoulder and D on left thigh; also, one light sorrel mare, slightly bit shotten, hind small star, etc., about nine years old, branded Spanish brand on left thigh.

Estrayed by W. A. Baren, before S. J. Myers, J. P., precinct number 8, Callahan county, Texas, on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1882, one light bay mare, black main, about four years old, 12 or 13 hands high, branded on left shoulder D-B and appraised at \$10.

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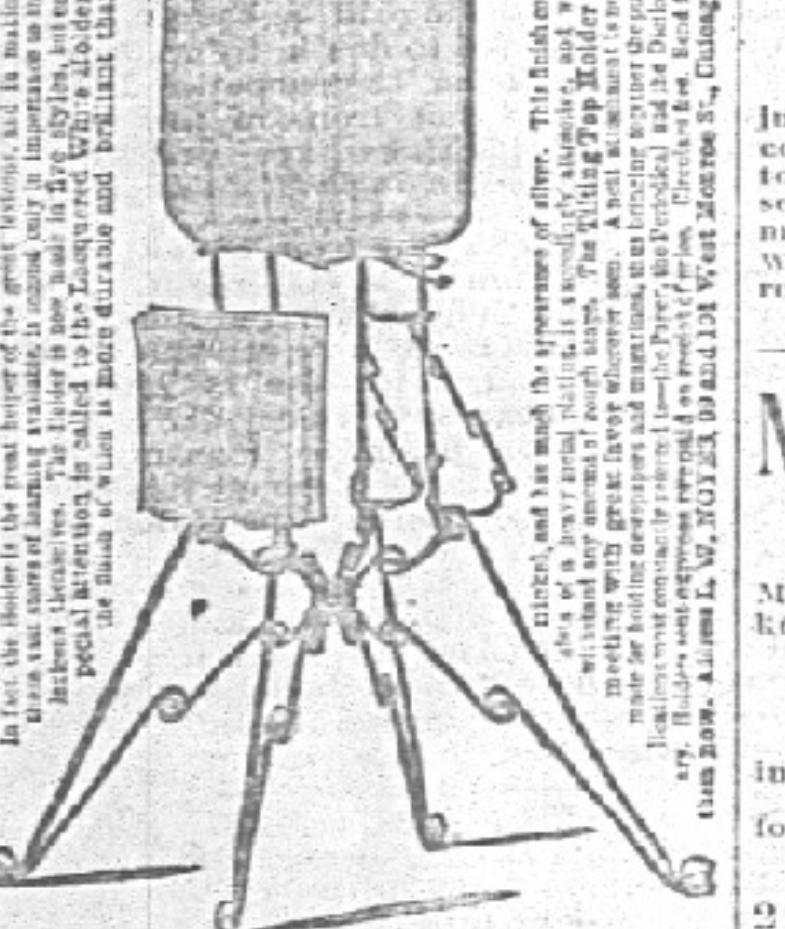
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We are authorized to announce JUDGE J. R. FLEMING, of Cisco, as a candidate for State Senator from this the 20th State Senatorial District.

For Representative.

We are authorized to announce JAMES N. BROWN, Esq., as a candidate at the coming election for Representative in the 18th Legislature of Texas, from the 43d district.

We are authorized to announce G. W. WADDELL as a candidate for Representative in the 18th Legislature of Texas, from the 43d district.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. L. BYANK as a candidate for Representative in the 18th Legislature of Texas, from this the 43d district.

For District Attorney.

We are authorized to announce J. H. CALHOUN as a candidate for re-election to the office of District Attorney of the 12th Judicial District.

For County and District Clerk.

We are authorized to announce J. N. JACKSON as a candidate for the office of County and District Clerk of Callahan county.

We are authorized to announce J. W. NEWMAN as a candidate for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk of Callahan county.

For County Judge.

We are authorized to announce W. H. CLIFF as a candidate for the office of County Judge, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce J. M. BELL as a candidate for the office of County Judge, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce JUDGE MORTIMER McLEANEY as a candidate for Judge of Callahan county.

County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce F. S. BELL as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney of Callahan county.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce J. W. JONES as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff.

For Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce B. L. BELLAMY as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce J. G. McNEEL as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer, and if elected will move to the county seat.

We are authorized to announce J. L. WINDHAM as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer.

For Tax Assessor.

We are authorized to announce W. R. McDERMOTT as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Callahan county.

We are authorized to announce HENRY JAKE TAND as a candidate for the office of County Assessor.

For County Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce L. V. COCHRAN as a candidate for the office of County Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce S. T. H. FLOYD as a candidate for the office of Surveyor of Callahan county.

We are authorized to announce R. R. DUNAGAN as a candidate for re-election to the office of Surveyor of Callahan county.

For Inspector of H. and A.

We are authorized to announce J. H. WEDD as a candidate for the office of H. and A. Inspector.

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