

The Spearman Reporter

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SPEARMAN, TEXAS THURSDAY, JULY 18, 1940.

EIGHT PAGES THIS WEEK.

Wolf Creek Lake Celebration Sunday



Thousands of North Plains visitors will be hosts to the Panhandle Sunday at Wolf Creek Lake when that "Oasis of the Panhandle" is officially opened to the public in a celebration planned to please the lovers of out-of-doors.

Although there will be dances in the recreational building on Friday and Saturday nights prior to the all-day program, the fast boat racers of the southwest move into the lake Sunday morning to test out their motors and boats.

Promptly at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon the races get under way with three special stock races for those who do not own professional hell-boats. The first event is for all motors of 22 horse power or under. The second is for motors over 22 h. p., and the third race is a consolation one for non winners of the first two heats.

Wolf Creek Lake will be officially dedicated by H. H. Finnell, Amarillo regional conservator of the SCS at 2:30 o'clock and he will be followed by Carl Hinton, secretary-manager of the Panhandle Water Conservation authority, as the principal speaker of the afternoon. John McCarty Amarillo publisher and president of the Authority will speak as well as introduce visiting authority members and other dignitaries.

At 3:30 o'clock the fast drivers start their thrilling races of the day Class A, Hydroplanes, Class B Hydroplane races, class C (two heats) and Class C Runabouts in two frames. Cash awards will be paid in all races.

Special events of water skiing, surfboard races, sail boat exhibition, tug-of-war jousting and other nautical sports are planned.

One of the highlights of the day is a special row boat race between Honest Bill Miller of this city and any white man of the Panhandle who thinks he can row.

A mixed double row boat race is expected to develop into a feud before the afternoon is over. A woman and a man is selected for each row boat and the woman must row with the man.

Red Malin and his Nautical Band, featuring petite Georgia Blankenship as vocalist, will close the days festivities with a Commodore's Ball in the recreational building at 9 o'clock Sunday eve.

All events with the exception of the dance is free to the public.

A large delegation from Spearman and Hansford county has indicated they would attend the lake opening ceremonies.

RED CROSS FUNDS STILL BEING TAKEN HERE

Contributions to the Red Cross War relief fund this week, and total amount contributed is \$167.45.

Miss Edna Yoder and Mrs. M. B. Wright were the last to donate.

Richard Craig, candidate for State Representative was in Spearman Tuesday.

NOTICE CITY TAX PAYERS

Notice to all persons that owe City Taxes. The time has been extended until the first of Aug. for the payment of these taxes without any penalty or interest.

At a recent meeting of the City Council, a penalty of 3 percent and interest of 6 percent was voted to all delinquent taxes after Aug. first.

Mr. Finley, clerk, says that he has received the finest cooperation in the assessment of properties of Spearman.

'Miller Is The Man' Slogan Gaining Momentum Over District



E. T. "Dusty" Miller, admitted by opponents in the race for Congress from the 18th Congressional district to be the man to beat in the run-off, carried his ideas of democratic government to the voters over a wide section of the Panhandle during the past week and will continue his blistering pace through the remainder of the campaign, according to information received from his friends and supporters.

Crowds ranging from several hundred to more than 2,000 persons have listened to his platform ideas. "Sound and entirely workable," is a common expression heard in reference to every plank in his platform.

Mr. Miller realizing the impossibility of reaching all the voters through personal contact, will take to the air waves during the waning days of the campaign in order to present his views on government to as many people as is possible.

"I have been paid a great honor by my opponents in this race by their virtual unanimous endorsement of my platform. I feel greatly honored to know that such a fine group of men should so heartily approve my statements concerning legislation for this section of our great country. I am now thoroughly convinced that I have something worthwhile to fight for when the people See No. 3 Page 4.

Wheat Harvest Finished

A final check-up on the 1940 harvest yield for this county shows that approximately 700 cars of grain have been shipped for storage, the high wheat test was 64 1-2 and the general yield is 15 to 20 bushels per acre.

Records indicate that the Spearman area harvested 2-3 of the entire county's yield. This is exactly opposite to the harvest for last year when Gruver and Morse harvested the bulk of the grain.

Most all of the farmers have finished cutting and hauling their grain with a few scattered loads coming in to the local elevators. Rain is badly needed now for any row crop production.

HENRY S. BISHOP APPEALS TO HANSFORD VOTERS



To the people of Hansford County and the 18th Congressional district of Texas:

According to my announcement made early in the campaign, I submit to you my candidacy for nomination for representative in Congress in the election July 27th.

I have lived in this Congressional district since 1893. I taught school four years, farmed did ranch and railroad contract work, and graduated from the University of Texas Law School in 1900. In 1902 I was elected District Attorney of the 47th Judicial District, the then largest district in the State, and was re-elected 6 times. In 1918 I was elected District Judge of the same district, and served in that office 18 years.

The training and experience See No. 5 Page 8

Representative Candidate



FORREST MULLINS, Stratford, candidate for Representative, is gaining votes every day all over the district. Mr. Mullins is the County Judge of Sherman Co.

F.D.R. Addresses Nation



Nominated by the National Convention at Chicago for a third term. President Roosevelt will address the convention tonight.

MRS BOB ARCHER IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. R. B. Archer was taken to the Amarillo hospital Tuesday for a major operation.

At this writing, it is not known much about her condition except that she is doing as favorably as can be expected.

PUBLIC AUCTION AT F. M. BEAN HOME SATURDAY JULY 20

The F. M. Bean estate, 1 1-2 miles east of town will be auctioned off Saturday July 20. Sewing machine implements and household goods will be part of the auction.

O. C. Raney will be auctioneer and C. A. Gibner will be the clerk.

Western Auto Store To Open Soon

With a tentative opening date set for Saturday July 20, the Western Auto Supply Co., will be this city's newest business.

Car owners and householders of Spearman should find many advantages in trading at the new Western Auto Associate Store. This new store is locally owned by Paul Wilson and will be operated by Raymond Kirk.

Mr. Kirk is well known in this county, having recently been employed by the McClellan Chevrolet Co., and was formerly the owner of the local Conoco Station here. Mr. Kirk has a host of friends here who congratulate him on the opening of this fine new store for Spearman and Hansford county.

Undoubtedly many of our townspeople are already familiar with the Western Auto Stores in nearby cities. Now, in this new local store you can purchase the same high quality low-priced merchandise which is offered at other Western Auto stores.

Western Auto Supply Company, the largest organization of its kind in the world, is wholesaling this widely accepted nationally advertised merchandise to more than 1,400 independent merchants such as Mr. Kirk. This locally owned store offers a general line of merchandise, including auto supplies, accessories, tires, radios, tools, bicycles, sporting goods, electrical supplies and appliances, etc.

LZ RODEO SCHEDULED FOR JULY 19

Highlighting the program plans for this year's rodeo at the LZ ranch on Wolf creek near Perryton will be a free John Snider barbecue and banquet, a Neighbor's Day address by Dr. Angie Smith, pastor of the First Methodist church of Dallas, and a talk by Judge James I. Phelps recent member of the Supreme court of Oklahoma.

In addition to this, there will be an amateur rodeo. Boys from the LZ Four fold summer camp will also participate in the rodeo. This annual rodeo has earned the reputation of being one of the most interesting of any in this section of the state and all North plains and South are cordially invited.

To represent the Coca Cola Bottling Co. of Peryton Sunday when Wolf Creek Lake is officially opened to the public is Doris Jean Russell, Spearman beauty winner. She is pictured above with Lois Fay, KFDA commentator of Amarillo when Miss Russell won the title "Miss Industry of the Southwest" earlier this year. Beauties of the north plains will vie at the lake Sunday for the title "Queen of Wolf Creek Lake."



BETTY MCKAY

Betty McKay, Spearman's No. 2 beauty, and winner of several prizes, will also represent a sponsor in the opening of Wolf Creek Lake Sunday eve at 7:30 o'clock.

BLUE JAYS PLAY AMARILLO BLACK SOX SUNDAY AT 3 P. M.

The Blue Jays will start practicing again soon for more baseball games the remainder of the summer. Manager Schnell has sounded the call for a practice session.

Tentative arrangements are being made for a game with the Amarillo Black Sox Sunday. In the last game played the locals defeated the Perryton team 10-4.

FRIENDS OF BOYER WORKING OVER DISTRICT

PERRYTON—A group of friends of Max Boyer who have been working in his behalf since he announced his candidacy for the State Senate, met Monday and organized for a personal contact campaign. Two car loads of Perryton citizens headed by Bill Boston and Sibley Jines left immediately after the meeting for a day's trip to Shamrock and Wellington. Committees in See No. 8 Page 8

A. J. CURTIS HURT IN CAR ACCIDENT

A. J. Curtis, who has been working in Jal, New Mexico was seriously injured in a head-on collision last Monday when he was returning from work.

Mr. Curtis was immediately rushed to a hospital and given treatment, and it is reported that he has a good chance for recovery.

Band Plans Underway

Tentative plans are getting underway for the second half of the summer band school. Tentative dates for the start have been set for July 29. Many pupils were enrolled in the first

part of the school and even a larger number is expected for the last part. Mr. Rattan has just finished a band course at Texas Tech and is now in Aspermont visiting relatives and friends.

WILL J. MILLER

Interest is over according to reports of local business wheat farmers in the area. It was one of the best we have had in many

Some of the local farmers are beginning to complain about the let down in business most of the harvest have left and things are back to normal.

It is about the last in the Panhandle to become a radio. This writer is riding herd over the politics for the past year and has recognized the towns are beginning to plan to vote in the primary election, July 27. It seems that it is very hard to jar the people into a political minded.

Writer certainly does not tell you who to vote, but like to jar you into thinking about the coming primary election. Certainly the newspapers have given some considerable consideration to the state government. For the local citizens to have the very best of people to choose from in the races. This year there is no competition except in the commissioners precincts. All candidates in the commissioners are very fine men, and it will be a matter of personal choice, perhaps from the standpoint of ship rather than qualification when you voters choose a commissioner.

Matter is a little different in the District Congressional and the State Senate race. It is going to be very hard to fill the shoes of Marvin in the Congressional race. It appears that this district is fortunate in having 12 qualified men who seek the writer believes that should take this race seriously when you cast your ballot July 27.

The State Senate race, the writer is just a little bit prejudiced. Naturally I think that Boyer is the man to fill the position, or I would not be writing week ends for expenses. I am reasonably sure that the best information that Max Boyer will get when the ballots are counted for the July primary. Boyer is growing in favor. His clean, aggressive campaign has attracted hundreds of voters that were more or less interested. There has been a mud slinging in this race, some of the lowest type. But as I can learn none has come from the camp of Max

Have been quite amused at my son, who has been taking in this campaign to the extent that he has nailed up Max Boyer signs on posts all over the country. It makes him mad as a dog when he sees an opponent sign tacked over a Max Boyer sign. He had a right interesting contest here in Spearman for several days. He tacked a sign on the post near the office corner, and within days the sign would be torn out who was doing what he did the dirty work, but never catch the culprit. He finally gave up the contest—and the sign is bare so far as Max Boyer sign is concerned. See No. 2 on page 2

COMING ATTRACTIONS ELLIS THEATRE PERRYTON, TEXAS

July 21-22 "The Man Who Liked Too Much" with George Brent, Virginia Bruce.
July 23-24 "Sporting Blood" with Maureen O'Sullivan and Robert Young
July 25-26 "My Love Came Back" with Olivia de Havilland, Frey Lynn and Jane Wyman.
July 27 "The Lady and The Stranger" with Roy Rogers and Wells.
July 28-29 "Untamed" in Technicolor with Ray Milland and Patricia Morrison.
July 30-31 "We who are Young" with Lana Turner and Lew Ayres.

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R. V. GIRL CONTEST
ALHART RODEO

It is the hope of the girls' beauties of the South that they will ride before the crowds who will witness the fifth annual XII Reunion at Alhart Aug. 5-6.

First prize is a beautiful saddle horse, given by the Pinkney Packing Co., Amarillo.

Lights Out First Time
in Three Years; Local Co.
Has Excellent Record

For the first time in three years Spearman was without electric lights for more than 15 minutes. Thursday last, the power was off for about forty five

minutes, due to an unavoidable accident not caused by the local company.

Necessary changes have now been made to take care of the town in case of another break in current. A power transformer has been added for the Equity and Consumers Sales Co.

Few people realize the expense the local Community Public Service Co has gone to to insure Spearman of receiving the best power service possible. Units installed this year at a tremendous cost will be used only when all elevators are running like they did this year, and that time may be years in the future.

S. R. (Bob) LeMAY
GOING PLACES IN
STATE SCHOOL RACE

S. R. (Bob) LeMay who has been for more than 18 years superintendent of Public Schools in Athens, Texas, is a candidate for Superintendent of Education of Texas. Last election year he lost in a similar race by a very small margin.

LeMay is one of the best prepared men in Texas to be Supt.

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"What's He Carryin' Ice For?"
"Hot-Headed, I Guess."

of Public Instruction. He is well qualified in every sense of the word. He is not only well qualified and well trained but he is a Christian gentleman, and we do not believe that it will be necessary for the Legislature of Texas to investigate his department, after he is elected.

LeMay has hundreds of fine friends in this county and he received a strong vote in the last primary held here.

Yvonne Stevens of Amarillo visited with Edwin Reed Sunday and Monday.

Mr and Mrs Aln Reed and son are visiting his mother this week in Spearman.

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People should not be concerned with last minute propoganda in an important race. It is significant that Max Boyer has not changed his approach to the voters for the last three months. He began his campaign by asking the voters to check his record, and today he still asks that you check his record, and if you find that he has not been a friend of the average citizen and done his very best to represent the people who elected him, he feels you are justified in voting for one of his opponents. If after checking his record, you find that he has done as he says he has, certainly I will expect you to promote him to the office of State Senator, where he can better serve a large group of Panhandle citizens.

Our own candidate for Congress, R. V. Converse has a rattling good chance to be in the run-off, if he can get the Townsend votes that he believes will be cast in the July primary. This writer believes that Hansford citizens should get behind Mr Converse as a unit in case he is in the run-off. The fact is the writer is only reflecting comments that he has heard on the statement. From talking with Mrs Converse, the writer learns that many of the ladies in this county are interested in the Congressional race, and that their support for Mr Converse, should he get in the run-off will be worthwhile and enthusiastic.

Another possibility for Hansford county to take an active part in the run-off race for Congress would be for our neighbor Tom Ellzey to be the man from the North plains in the race. Certainly, we could show the same enthusiasm and support for our neighbor in Ochiltree county candidate, should he be the one from this section that enters the run-off race.

This column this week is about all the Don't Name It writer will do toward printing the paper. My time will be occupied in working day and night in behalf of the election of Max Boyer. I believe I am justified in bragging on my boss Dave M. Warren, for allowing me to enter this race. Of course, this is more or less a personal matter, but it illustrates what a splendid character I work for. Mr Warren is actively supporting one of the other men in the State Senate Race. I asked him for permission to do all I have done in the race for Mr Boyer, and because he knew that I would enjoy the work and would gain some worth-while experience and broaden my acquaintances, he allowed me this privilege, although he must have realized that I would of necessity have to neglect his business just a little. I have tried mighty hard to live up to the fine opinion he has of me and have worked diligently to maintain an average standard in this newspaper. However, I am going to admit it is the hardest job I ever attempted to work for two masters.

It is evident that the Lord has been kind to the farmers harvesting their wheat. The comments one hears on the street every day is that the 1940 harvest season was the most favorable ever witnessed in this section. There has not been sufficient moisture during the entire harvest to damage the grade

of the wheat. Up and down the weather was more or less cool and pleasant.

This weeks paper will carry an announcement of the informal opening of the Western Auto Supply Store in Spearman. The fact that the Western Auto Supply has found that Spearman justifies a store is a good recommendation for the town. These

people do not leave the location of their store to chance. They know that there is business before they locate. They also choose locations where there is a possibility and often a certainty of immediate growth. This writer believes the Western Auto Supply Store has chosen well in selecting Spearman, because we have a future before us that indicates a steady and natural growth.

In about two weeks the reporter is going to be in the middle of the busy harvest season, we started improving our building, but before we have not made a great deal of progress, but before we anticipate having a large number of friends to invite in our friends.

"but one ISM in America--and that's AMERICANISM"
—Texas Press Magazine

THE RECORD... Facts That Concern You

WHAT IS MALT?..

and how is it used in making beer and ale?



BARLEY

Answer: Brewers' malt is barley that has had its starches modified. The barley is first permitted to "sprout" by the addition of moisture. At the right instant, the growth is checked by heat and the sprouts are removed.

What remains is malt... the essential base of all good beer and ale.

Every step in the brewing of good beer and ale has been taught by centuries of experience. Today, amazingly expert brewers — using only

the purest ingredients — make beer and ale the mild, tasty, wholesome beverages that they are.

Now the brewing industry is taking action to keep the retailing of beer as wholesome as beer itself. A plan to eliminate abuses is already in effect in a number of states. It is being extended. Ask us for an interesting free booklet.

Write: United Brewers Industrial Foundation, 19 East 40th Street, New York, N. Y.

BEER... a beverage of moderation



Friends . . .

As the time for the Democratic Primaries approaches, I feel that I would like to talk with the voters of Hansford county and thank them for giving me the office of County Judge the past term. Although I do not have an opponent for the office I seek in the coming primaries, I want each and every voter to know that I do appreciate your vote and influence at the Polls July 27.

A. F. Barkley
COUNTY JUDGE

VOTE FOR

Tom Ellzey

FOR CONGRESS

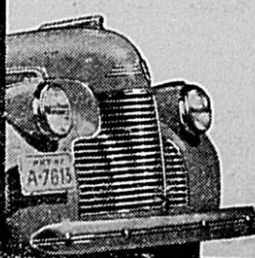
A Christian neighbor who deserves your vote and influence, July 27. Tom Ellzey has proven he can get the job done. He has proven that he is for the common man. No group controls Tom Ellzey.

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WELLS for CONGRESS



HIS NEWSPAPER WELLINGTON LEADER HAS WON MANY AWARDS

WELLS WAS BORN IN COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY ON A FARM. HE GROW UP AS TYPICAL FARM BOY.

MADE FOR OUT DOORS... JACK AND... TO... T.C. NION



DURN IF OLD DECK DIDN'T HIT THE NAIL ON THE HEAD THAT TIME!

HIS COLUMN "DECK'S DIDACTICS" BECOMES BY-WORD IN HIS COUNTY.

HE WILL MAKE YOU A REAL CONGRESSMAN, FOLKS

JOURNALISM FREE FROM OF T. IN 1924

CURTIS DOUGLASS SPEAKS HERE TODAY



Curtis Douglass of Panhandle candidate for State Senator from the 31st senatorial district, will speak at 4 p. m. today in this city and will bring his candidacy before Hansford county voters.

Douglass is known to hundreds of persons in Hansford county, as he has served in an official capacity, both as district attorney and as district judge. His friends urge as many as possible turn out for his address here this afternoon.

JAMES CADE SPOKE HERE SATURDAY



A large crowd attended the political program of James O. Cade genial young candidate for Congress last Saturday afternoon when he spoke to friends in this district.

Mr Cade has a good, democratic, straight-forward attitude, and his realistic courageous point of view on governmental affairs is expected to give him high rating in the run-off.

Final Rites Spoken For Mrs Torris Knutson Of Oslo Community

Mrs Karen Knutson Lysne was born at Solor near Oslo, Norway on February 15, 1859. She passed away at her home in Oslo, Hansford County, Texas on July 14, 1940.

Her parents were rM and Mrs Jens Knutson Holstad. With them she came to America when she was ten years old. They settled on a farm near Lake Mills, Iowa.

Here Mrs Knutson attended school and was instructed in the fundamentals of the Christian faith into which she as a child had been baptized. At the age of 15 she was confirmed in this faith by Rev. T. A. Torgerson. Her confirmation certificate, framed and hanging on the wall, was one of Mrs Knutson's more cherished possessions.

On May 16, 1879 she was married to Mr Torris Knutson Lysne. He preceded her in death in 1933. Two sons both named Carl Johan, and three grandchildren likewise have preceded



For proof of his eligibility and capability, he asks you to check up on his record with pioneers and citizens in and around this part of the country.

Elizabeth Miller visited WTSC in Canyon Thursday.

Frances and Vera Beth Hoskins and Betty Morton were in Perryton Thursday.

Wells To Speak Here Saturday

Wells of Wellington line for the people of the platform on which taking election to the post spokesman from the 18th senatorial district when he here at 5:30 p. m. Satur-

dition to his talk here, Wells' speaking campaign week of July 15 to 20 on to the four points of handle, and includes Chil Tuesday, Dalhart in the corner of the district, Tuesday; Tulla and Friona and Dumas, Stratford and Perryton on Satur-

Wells already has a number of friends in Spearman and he has become campaigning recent weeks that those who have not yet met familiar with those principles which this native son of handle stands.

and Mrs Floyd Sumrall of Beaver, Oklahoma Spearman Monday.

Hazlewood of Lubbock visiting friends and here this week.

Ellzey Rodeo Friday, July 19

Tom Ellzey, one of the most eligible and promising candidates for Congress from this district, and his son Lawrence, were in Spearman Saturday morning speaking and entertaining friends and inviting them to the L-Z rodeo and free barbecue to be held at his ranch July 19.

Mr Ellzey spoke here in behalf of his campaign reiterating his principles and plans, and giving his political views in a simple, effective way.

A moot point in his address was to express an ardent promise for fair and honest work to be done on his part if he is elected to represent the people of this district in Congress. He made it clear that he was not or ever would be connected with any underhand political schemes.

Voters

THE time approaches for the Primary election take advantage of this opportunity to thank the voters of this county for their vote in the past and their continued support at the ballot box on Saturday July 27.

believe this is an appropriate time to pledge the continuation of my best efforts in conducting the office you have honored me with. appreciate your co-operation in the past and ask continuation in the future.

Respectfully,

Fred Hoskins

County and District Clerk

Watch For

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE OFFICIAL

OPENING OF THE NEW

WESTERN AUTO STORE

Spearman, Texas

taken in Hansford county for those who are desirous of purchasing a farm under the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act.

\$8,300 for improvement other acquisition fees

POSTAL RECEIPTS

According to Marvin bers, local postmaster this June 30 were vance of receipts la

He stated that a ments of his office we last year. When asked more would be needed to the local post office a class office he said that mated it would take about dollars more per year.

Office Supplies ever call the Spearman Reporter Ten.

Everyone has a right to file an application, while only a few families can be selected and finally approved for the purchase of farms. All application forms are to be secured from the County Office in the basement of the courthouse in Spearman, and are to be filed in that office for selection.

There has been five farms purchased in Hansford county under the Farm Tenant Act during the past two years with a total of \$60,000 being expended for these loans. \$51,700 for land and

WHEN IN NEED OF OFFICE SUPPLIES, CALL 10

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER

JULY TIRE AND TUBE SALE

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Competitor 6.00x16, four ply tire	\$5.95

ABOVE PRICES are for CASH and old tire. See Us Before You Buy Your Tires.

DAVIS BROS.

Phone 107

Spearman, Texas.

To The Voters

As Time for election approaches I wish to thank the voters of Hansford county for the support they have given me at the polls in the past and ask their continued co-operation in the future. Although I do not have an opponent for the office of Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor, I want you to know that I have appreciated your giving me the office and will continue to serve you to the best of my ability.

Hix Wilbanks

SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR

VOTERS

Even though I do not have an opponent in the race for County Treasurer, I feel that I would like to make this public expression of my appreciation to the voters of Hansford county.

I pledge anew Sincere, Honest service in discharging the duties of my office.

May Jones

COUNTY TREASURER

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R. V.

It is no wonder who ever, large fancy farms must duct can e script by Tec. mem

I HOPE THEY'LL REMEMBER TO DIG ME OUT TO VOTE!

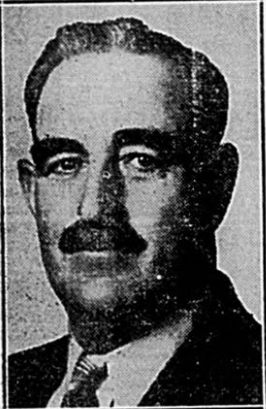
CAMPAIGN LITERATURE

VOTER

SPEECH

DEM.

R. V. Converse Says:



The Congressional campaign is becoming so warmed up that it takes about 36 hours a day hard work and hard driving for each of the 12 candidates. This represents a vast amount of expended energy, and if the farmers are benefited anywhere in proportion to the amount of benefits promised and talked about by the various candidates, they certainly will be placed in a prosperous position very shortly.

The farmers all over the 18th Congressional District have been rallying around the banner of the writer and the Slogan Converse for Congress is heard in every part of the 18th congressional district. A great many observers are predicting the writer will lead the field by a good margin. Business and professional men are expressing a great deal of satisfaction and are promising support for the writer. Almost universally they approve

FORREST B. MULLINS

County Judge of Sherman county



CANDIDATE FOR State Representative 124th DISTRICT

OLD ENOUGH— For Mature Judgment YOUNG ENOUGH— To Get Things Done

of the writer's program of parity price for agriculture, expansion of the farm credit, jobs for the unemployed, opportunity for youth, and federal old-age annuities.

It is amusing to see how the lawyers and newspaper men in the Congressional Race are throwing away their original platform and copying the platform submitted to the voters by this writer.

It will not be long now until the votes are counted and the successful candidates will begin to realize some of the responsibility they have been asking the voters to bestow upon them.

Yours, R. V. Converse.

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ple of this district send me to Congress to obtain the things they need most," he stated.

Mr Miller stands for a uniform pension for people over 60 or 65 years of age. He cannot understand why the older people in our state should be penalized just because they chose Texas to be their home.

"We tax payers pay as much taxes in Texas as those who live in other states, so why should the money we pay into the Federal government go toward aiding old people in other states to obtain a larger pension than our own mothers and fathers receive."

Taking a firm stand against admitting foreigners into our country, Mr Miller stands for closing our doors to immigrants and then "giving America a good dose of perogative to rid her of all the ism's except Americanism. A strong national defense is necessary to protect our rights as free citizens, but he emphatically states that he will never vote to send an American boy to

foreign battlefields.

A known friend of labor and the working man throughout his career as an attorney, Mr Miller has received much support and encouragement from the various unions and lodges. W. F. (Bill) Lofgren, a brakeman for the Rock Island, reiterated this statement in a talk over the radio in Amarillo last Monday night. Mr Miller believes in collective bargaining in order that labor and capital may come closer together and work in more perfect harmony.

A continuance and expansion of the present farm program with necessary changes to permit those farmers who have been driven from their farms to return to their chosen field of endeavor is another objective of Mr Miller. He believes in permitting people who want to live on farms the privilege of buying enough ground to make a living while paying out their indebtedness over a period of forty years at a low interest rate.

He said "I am in favor of placing such a high tariff on cattle coming from South America that it will be impossible for that country to compete with the livestock men of our own U. S. He believes in industrializing Texas — constructing synthetic rubber, cotton mills, flour mills, paper mills and many other industries adaptable to this country.

Mr Miller was well received in his speech here Saturday and the people of Hansford county are becoming more interested in the candidate that talks straight from his heart to people in his district.

Yvonne Stevens of Amarillo visited with Edwin Reed Sunday and Monday.

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"I Thought You Were All for Peace, Then You Throw a Brick at Casey?" "That's Why I Threw th' Brick!"

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THE REPORTER

VOTE For A Hansford County CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

CONVERSE, the Hansford county candidate for CONGRESS deserves the entire vote of the county. Our Candidate has developed sufficient strength over the district to indicate he will win the run-off. A record vote from his home county will react favorably in the coming Democratic Primary Election.



A VOTE FOR

R. V. CONVERSE

IS A VOTE FOR:

RAPID COMPLETION OF ARMAMENT PROGRAM

PARITY PRICE FOR FARM PRODUCTS

LAND FOR DISPOSSESSED FARMERS

OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUTHS

JOB FOR THE UNEMPLOYED

RETIREMENT OF THE AGED ON FEDERAL ANNUITIES

PERMANENT RECOVERY

When a candidate solicits the vote of the voters, I believe he should set out what he expects to accomplish if elected. Following is a brief summary of the questions that are important at this time:

The Democratic party has done many beneficial things for the people of this nation and others that were stopped by the administration. I am a Democrat and will work for Democratic principles. I believe in government of the people, by the people, and for the people, and I am opposed to the enlargement of the government and the liberties and rights of the people.

The President has said "I have 13 of our population ill-clothed, and ill-housed" the richest of all countries. This is a deplorable condition that must be remedied, or we will have disorder and perhaps trouble as foreign agents will find a fertile field among the unemployed in which they will carry out their nefarious schemes.

I oppose the CCC camps, the CCC, and all government setups that help our boys and girls grow up as good citizens, provide them with a good education, and the opportunity to provide themselves a living.

I am a farmer, live on my own farm, and earn my living from farming and stock-raising. I know exactly how the farm program affects the farmer. I have been called into consultation many times by the farm leaders of the state, as well as by the Jones and farm leaders in Washington, and several of my recommendations have been incorporated into the law.

Tenancy: The dispossession of farm tenants has become a serious problem in this district, as well as in other parts of the country. In one locality of this district 625 tenants were compelled to leave the land the past year, and no other land available. It is to become of them? The relief rolls of the city are available to keep them from starving. I expect to immediately support a bill, if elected, making millions of acres available for the purchase of land, livestock and farm machinery and let the deposed tenant buy it on long term of years at low interest rates that will make them self-sustaining. It costs the government nearly \$600 per year to keep a family on relief. Why not invest this money where it will help to make them self-supporting.

Idle Labor: Over 12 million men are out of employment, yet our army officers deplore the lack of roads for military purposes. Why not spend some of the millions that go for relief on building coast to coast highways according to army specifications and give hundreds of thousands of these men decent work at decent wages?

Parity Prices for Farm Products: I see no reason why the prices

of farm products should not be pegged at parity rather than 3-4 of parity, or less—as was done, and I will strive earnestly to bring this about. Parity means that a bushel of wheat or a bale of cotton or a given amount of any farm product would purchase as much goods in the market now as it would have in 1909 to 1914.

Farm Program: I would favor a more simplified farm program and one that the ordinary individual can readily understand.

Civilization depends on the soil now as always, and soil and water conservation and irrigation where practical, should continue to be encouraged. When the farmer is broke, the rest of the country is not far from the same condition. I will at all times use

my utmost endeavor to promote prosperity for all.

Export Trade: As far as present world conditions permit, I would favor the enlargement of our foreign trade especially in agricultural products and oppose the importing of competitive agricultural products so far as possible. We must increase our home consumption by restoring the buying powers of the people of the U. S.

Corporations Operating Farms: During recent years the large life insurance companies and other leaders of money on farm mortgages have taken over hundreds of thousands of acres of farm land and now are operating it with hired labor. I would favor some method of inducing them to sell this land to actual farmers within a reasonable time.

Co-operation: The co-operative idea is gaining ground among farmers. I have been a member and worker in these various organizations since early manhood and strongly favor federal aid where it appears practical.

Labor: The right of labor to collective bargaining is established, but there are perhaps many places where labor's position can be strengthened, and I would align myself with the friend of labor, to see that their interests are properly safeguarded.

Old Age Benefits: I favor the U. S. government taking over all "Old Age" benefit activities and removing this political football from state politics; all should receive the same

amount, the money should be collected and paid out by the Federal Treasury.

National Defense: As war clouds gather and we see the conditions other Democracies found themselves in when they were invaded, I would favor a strong centralized supervision and command not only men but money and industries for the duration of any war.

Under present world conditions it seems to me that our safety lies in a strong national defense to keep the totalitarian countries from over-running and destroying us, as they have other countries. I am opposed to war but would not hesitate to vote for war to protect our nation or its people from an aggressor.

A well-equipped Air Force is indispensable under modern conditions, and we should have numerous air bases and training fields, some of them located in the 18th Congressional district.

I favor continuing the Dies Committee investigation of un-American activities, and would insist on prompt trial and conviction of anyone trying to sabotage our national interest.

Economy in Government: There is a vast amount of waste and duplication in the conduct of our governmental departments. I favor all means that will eliminate this condition. I am in favor of strict Economy in Government.

I do not favor encroachment of government in the affairs of the people, or meddling in business affairs; therefore, I am opposed to the Cole Bill which would place our oil industries under Federal Bureaucrats.

As Your Representative: I will always be glad to talk over our problems with the voters and receive suggestions from them, and should I be elected, I will continue to be advised by those who are interested in the various questions that come up for solution.

I shall endeavor to meet all the voters personally, but should I fail to see you please accept this as my earnest solicitation of your vote.

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Paid for by Friends of R. V. Converse

SOCIETY

Entered as second-class, received after 5 p. m. Wednesday, will be held over until the following week!

NOTICE OF MARRIAGE

Announcement of her approaching marriage to Jack Vincent Sherman was made by Elizabeth Burgess last Thursday when she was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Jess Womble.

R. V. ...

Attending were Messrs. Robert Meek, J. Hester, H. ... Mrs. Roy Sparks.

FLOWER CLUBS HOLD OPEN HOUSE

Open House was held for all members of the local flower clubs of Spearman last Monday afternoon in the Hoskins home.

THE LUCKY EIGHT CLUB

The Lucky Eight Bridge club met in the home of Miss Mattie Lou Easley Thursday afternoon July 11.

Richard Craig
OF ROBERTS COUNTY



CANDIDATE FOR
State Representative
124th District

Character, Ability, Training
We invite you to investigate his qualifications.

Vassar College Marks 75th Year As Monument To Founder's Vision

VASSAR COLLEGE, first privately endowed women's college in the world, is celebrating its 75th anniversary this year.



Educators throughout the country are honoring the memory of its founder, Matthew Vassar, self-educated Poughkeepsie, N. Y., brewer who first made available to women educational opportunities equal to those afforded men.

that time was Vassar Female College. This was shortened two years later to Vassar College.

Lewis P. Fields Makes Active Campaign

Lewis P. Fields, candidate for Congress, has spent his 44 years in Texas, 35 of them in the Panhandle having lived on farms and ranches in Hemphill, Donley, and Carson counties; and has lived in Amarillo since 1920, being engaged in the General Insurance business.

of our district and will draw upon the experience I have had as a farmer, stockman, and business man, and upon information gained as a civic worker, in advancing legislation favorable to this district and nation.

VOTERS OF THIS COUNTY—

This will express to you my appreciation to each voter that sees fit to vote for me as your County Attorney July 27th. Since I have no opposition I will not make an active campaign, but I do sincerely appreciate your vote.

T. D. Sansing

EAT BETWEEN MEALS AND STILL BE HUNGRY FOR DINNER



Do you get hungry between meals? Are you afraid to eat because of ruining your appetite? If you are one of these people, here is a tip for you ... Steffens Ice Cream will appease that hunger for the time being but when dinner is served you will be ready to eat again.

Motor Car 'Adventuring' Taxes Resourcefulness

Not until he is better equipped to meet emergencies will the motor traveler be able to enjoy the more distant touring objectives successfully, according to veterans who know from experience that nothing is more important in motor adventuring than resourcefulness.

With an experience kit no better equipped than the average car's tool kit, today's tourist often is badly licked before he starts out.

When everything depends on you some of the simplest steps are likely to be overlooked. Why, for instance, let the engine idle when trying to get your bearings?

Resourcefulness counts at every step. When faced with the problem of getting light for a tire change at night the reliant motor tourist noses the car toward a large tree and benefits by the indirect lighting from the headlights playing on the tree trunk.

cal government, and at all times to put foremost the interests of my constituents and the nation.

smar always strive to eliminate the profits from war and national defense programs.

churches civic organizations; and that interest, I have had more than 20 years been as their widows, and orphans.

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California Health Set-Up Helps Migrant Laborers

The California department of public health credits health education and wholesome immunizations with preventing epidemics of communicable diseases among migrant workers coming to California from the southwest "dust bowl" area.

Dr. Walter M. Dickie, director of the department, says: "It was the first of several great migrations to California that has not been accompanied by epidemics."

The state's public health record has never been better, he said, despite lack of sanitary provisions, crowding exposure and malnutrition of migrants.

The state's public health record the health of the migratory workers, Dr. Dickie explained, includes operation of three station wagons fitted as traveling clinics and stationing field health workers in agricultural areas.

Each of the clinics carries a physician, a public health nurse and a sanitarian. Field workers include medical school workers and sanitary engineers.

The department workers have given a total of 23,701 smallpox vaccinations, performed 74,257 inoculations against typhoid fever, conducted a tuberculin test campaign that included examination of 2,500 selected migrants and have held numerous health classes among workers.

'Best Seat in the House' Americans in Rome can't get over the Italian paradox of asking for the "best seat in the house" at any of Italy's leading motion picture theaters and being sold a seat in the gallery.

Bananas—an Oddity Less than 70 years ago bananas were an oddity in the United States. So unusual was the fruit that a bunch of bananas on exhibit at the Philadelphia centennial in 1876 attracted crowds of curious visitors.

Man's Oldest Food Barley has been called man's oldest food," says a bulletin from the National Geographic society.

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Subject to the action of the
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July 27, 1940.

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CONGRESS—
DESKINS WELLS
LEE MCCONNELL
R. V. CONVESRE
JAMES CADE

COMMISSIONER PRECT 1
FRED LINN
J. G. B. SPARKS
JUDGE KING

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JOHN VENNEMAN
VIC OGLE

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COMMISSIONER PRECT. 4
COY HOLT

COUNTY TREASURER
MAY JONES

COUNTY JUDGE
A. F. Barkley

SHERIFF
H. L. WILBANKS

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
FORREST B. MULLINS

COUNTY ATTORNEY
T. D. SANSING

COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK
FRED J. HOSKINS
J. FOSTER VAN SANT

84th DISTRICT JUDGE
JACK ALLEN

DISTRICT ATTORNEY
W. L. MCCONNELL

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT
LAND OWNERS

To: M. B. Blake, B. B. Cur-
reathers, J. W. Sanders, and Oil
Development Company of Texas.
You are hereby notified that
the undersigned Jury of Free-
holders, acting under and by
virtue of an order of the Com-
missioners Court of Hansford
County, Texas, will on the 31st
day of July A. D. 1940, proceed
to lay out and survey a road,
commencing at the Northeast
Corner of Section No. 43, Block
"R", A. B. & M., said County,
which point is on a laid out pub-
lic road, and running thence
South on section lines a distance
of Approximately one and one-
half miles to the Hansford and
Hutchinson County line, where
such line intersects the east line
of section No. 58, Block "R", A.
B. & M., and terminating at said
last mentioned point in said coun-
ty, and which may run through
or along the section lines of cer-
tain lands owned by you, and
will at the same time assess the
damages incidental to the open-
ing of said road, when you may
present to us a statement in writ-
ing of the damages, if any, claim-
ed by you.
Witness our hands this the
24th day of June A. D. 1940.
P. A. Lyon
Joe L. Novak
R. W. Huffstutter
R. C. Bennett
Ed Church

WANTED—3 or 4 room house in
Spearman or near. Write to
Virgil Olmstead, Perryton,
Texas. 2tp

LOST—An orchid friendship
quilt on the Spearman Stinnett
highway. If found please re-
turn to the Reporter office. A
reward will be paid by Mrs
Ira Harbour. 3tp

Mr and Mrs Fred Holt were
visiting in Spearman Saturday.

Pampa Students Boost Worley

If Eugene Worley goes to Washington as United States Representative from the 18th district, it won't surprise several hundred high school and college students of Pampa who have organized a unique club to boost the congressional candidacy of the young Shamrock state representative, and are touring the district in his behalf.



EUGENE WORLEY

"Mr Worley Goes to Wash-
ington Club," which was formed
voluntarily and without the
knowledge of Worley, is compos-
ed of high school and college stu-
dents of Pampa who are paying
their own expenses on the tours.
The organization has a 10 piece
band which accompanies the club
membership on the tours and fur-
nishes entertainment, but in ap-
pearances at Amarillo and Sham-
rock political rallies the Pampa
Harvester Band will add color
and harmony to the demonstra-
tion for Worley.

School leaders of Pampa are
included in the membership.
Billie Mounts, manager of the
Harvester football squad is the
principal speaker.

Ross Buzard, voted the most
popular boy of the Junior class
of Pampa high school, and Helen
Dudley, champion debater who
was one of two students to re-
present this region at the State
Inter-scholastic League meet in
Austin this spring are two other
members.

The "Mr Worley Goes to
Washington Club" which has al-
ready made several appearances
will be in Amarillo for the big
political rally and Shamrock for
another rally.

OSLO NEWS
Morning worship at the Oslo
Lutheran Church next Sunday,
July 21, ninth Sunday after Tri-
nity, will begin at 11 a. m.
Sunday school will begin at
10 a. m.

NEWS ITEMS
Mrs Torris Knutson, Grandma
Knutson as she was affectionately
called, departed this life last
Sunday afternoon at 4:10. While
she had not been quite as well
as usual this spring, she did not
become critically ill until last
Friday. The funeral, conducted
by pastor H. C. Hjortholm was
held at the Oslo Church of which
Mrs Knutson was a member, last
Tuesday afternoon.

Pastor and Mrs Hjortholm re-
turned from their trip to Eure-
ka, Kansas last Saturday. They

came home earlier than they had
planned because of the illness
and death of Mrs Torris Knutson.
Mr and Mrs H. J. Holstad
from Lake Mills, Iowa came to
Oslo last Sunday. They were cal-
led here by the illness of Mr Hol-
stad's sister Mrs Torris Knut-
son.

Amy and Arline and David
Knutson visited at the LaMaster
home in Perryton last week on
Thursday and Friday.

Jack and Walter Vincent of
Wichita Falls, Texas are spend-
ing a part of their summer vaca-
tion at the Robert Alexander
home.

Mr and Mrs Coy Holt and
family were Sunday guests at the
Robert Alexander home last
Sunday.

An air conditioning apparatus
has been recently installed in the
Stedje home. This warm weather
has tested its efficiency, but it
has proven to be satisfactory in
every way.

Harvesting is fast being com-
pleted in Oslo. The yield has not
been disappointing because not
much was expected. Some even
report better yields than had
been anticipated.

TO ATTEND
FAMILY REUNION

Rev. W. B. Swim and family
left Monday for Vernon, Texas
to attend a large family reun-
ion and get-together in his sis-
ter's home.

Since Rev. Swim has 9 broth-
ers and sisters altogether, and
this is the first reunion they have
had in 13 years, he is expecting
it to be a gala affair.

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



'That's Some Engagement Ring! When Are You Going to Take It Off!'

VOTE FOR ...
Henry S Bishop
The Well-known District Attor-
ney and District Judge of Ama-
rillo.
FOR CONGRESS
Experienced — Dependable — Capable

Let's Elect Our Own
ERNEST O. THOMPSON
FOR **GOVERNOR**
A TRUE AND
LOYAL FRIEND
OF THE GREAT
PANHANDLE!
HE DESERVES YOUR VOTE JULY 27
EUGENE WORLEY

VOTE FOR
Lewis P. Fields
OF POTTER COUNTY
FOR CONGRESS

SUBJECT TO ACTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC
PRIMARIES, JULY 27TH.

FIELDS...
AS A DEMOCRAT—
FAVORS... the Democratic Administration's AGRICUL-
TURAL and RANGE programs.
ADVOCATES... ADEQUATE NATIONAL DEFENSE to
preserve our Democracy and keep our nation at
peace; immediate legislation to stop "Trojan Horse,"
"Fifth Column" and all other forms of un-American
activities.
OPPOSES... UNJUST PROFITS from National Defense
programs or from any war our country may engage
in.
OFFERS... FAIR AND JUST CONSIDERATION of all
Matters pertaining to the District, State and Nation,
plus a Common Sense Administration.

PUBLIC AUCTION
F.M. Bean, Estate
SATURDAY, JULY 20, at 1 P. M.
1 1/2 MILES EAST OF SPEARMAN

- 1—Model T. Ford Truck, good condition
- 1—Minneapolis Moline Combine
- 1—Allis-Chalmers Tractor
- 1—One-way plow, 16 discs, Grand Detour
- 2—8 Shoe Drills, Dempster
- 1—Dammer, Four points
- 1—Yearling calf

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
Other Items To Numerous To Mention.

If credit is wanted, make arrangements with the clerk before the sale starts.

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SOCIETY

All items received after 5 p. m. Wednesday, will be held over until the following week!

BELLE BENNETT SOCIETY

The Belle Bennetts met with Mrs. G. P. Gibner Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Finley gave the lesson on Spiritual Cultivation, assisted by Mrs. Meek, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Fisher. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames: R. E. Meek, L. W. Matthews, K. C. Fisher, H. P. Bailey, Sid Clark, P. A. ...

BLANCHE ROSE WALKER

Members of the Blanche Rose Walker met with Mrs. D. P. Tice last Wednesday. Mrs. Carl Hutchison gave the lesson on 'Building a Christian Home.' Present were Mesdames Carl E. Hutchison, W. A. Van Cleave, Jess Edwards, Rex Sanders and hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Rex Sanders.

MARY MARTHAS

The Mary Marthas met Wed., July 17 with Mrs. Gene Richardson as hostess. The lesson was on Spiritual Cultivation. Present were Mesdames C. A. Gibner, O. C. Holt, F. Schubert, Douglas, Bruce Sheets, Odell Washington, Bill Miller and the hostess Mrs. Richardson.

Called meeting of Masonic Lodge Monday July 22.

NEW BUILDINGS IMPROVEMENTS

Constructive building improvements in this part of the county have brought about a recent enlarged advancement that exceeds all other improvements recorded over a span of several years. Although there is much room for improvement in our recreational, social, and commercial sections, there is still enough work going on to show improvement.

Rex Sanders has just completed the construction of a grain storage bin situated 1 1/2 miles E. of town.

The WPA sewing room has moved to the jury room. The Reporter is being re-modeled and re-painted.

Smith's Variety store recently installed a new lighting system.

The Hale Drug store completed work last week on a new fountain and booth improvements.

Burl's cafe has a fairly new air conditioner.

The Pekoe cafe has been recently remodeled.

A new meat market has been added to the W. L. Russell store.

The Western Auto store is moving into the Collard building.

Dick Kiker is planning to have some refrigeration lockers for his customers soon.

Roy Russell has put in a new double section hat cabinet in his store. All men are especially invited to make use of this.

Cats and son have completely remodeled their store.

The Equity has installed refrigerated lockers.

The Westerfield truck line has recently established headquarters here.

The White house has built one new home.

B. J. Osborn, first pastor of the old Hansford Methodist church was in town Tuesday renewing acquaintances and making new friends. At one time he was the only preacher in this county.

Goodrich Solicits Votes Of Local People

"Goodrich is gaining consistently," is the expression of disinterested men who have been over the district this week and it is welcome but not surprising, news to friends of the Wheeler county man all over the district.

The many supporters in all of the 28 counties of the district have felt that when folks had time to view the field of candidates and compare them, that Lewis M. Goodrich of Wheeler county would swing into the lead in the race for Congress.

And it is widely predicted that Goodrich's supporters will continue to increase right on through the July 27 primary and will bring a smashing victory in the run-off in August.

Most of the 450 men who served on grand juries with Goodrich when he was district attorney of the 31st district, many of whom are now in other counties, are getting things done for Goodrich in a big way.

Goodrich was in Spearman last week making another house to house campaign.

Miller Spoke Here Saturday

E. T. (Dusty) Miller, well-known candidate for Congress from Amarillo spoke in Spearman last Saturday afternoon.

He claims he is a farmer in addition to his regular profession and does own and manage a couple of farms near Panhandle. A good crowd heard his speech.

Office Supplies every kind, call the Spearman Reporter Ph. Ten.

Mr and Mrs Aln Reed and son are visiting his mother this week in Spearman.

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HARP WORKING HARD FOR NOMINATION



Harp has driven extensively over the district and has campaigned intensively. His speaking schedule has been and is a strenuous one. Harp has managed his own campaign, made his own speeches, spent his own money (what there was of it) and has had no hired campaigners. "No political clique or organization asked me to run for this office, none are sponsoring me, and if I am elected, none will tell me what to do. I will represent the people on a fair and equal basis," he said. Harp is the youngest man in the race for Congress. He will be about thirty years of age when the oath of office is administered.

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ELECT MAX BOYER AT THE FIRST PRIMARY



MAX BOYER has always co-operated in an effort to solve the problems of Texas.

MAX BOYER voted during the 45th legislature for increased taxes on natural resources to pay OLD AGE PENSIONS, aid for the DEPENDENT CHILDREN, the BLIND, and for TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUNDS. (See House Journal, 45th Legislature, Pages 890, 3953, 1827, 1348.)

MAX BOYER supported EVERY TAX BILL on the floor of the House of Representatives during the last session of the legislature to pay OLD AGE PENSIONS, aid for the DEPENDENT CHILDREN, the BLIND, and to pay TEACHERS RETIREMENT. (SEE House Journal, 46th Legislature, Pages 1938, 1945, 2713, 2714, 2336, 2337.)

MAX BOYER, voted for a constitutional amendment, to submit to the people, the question of raising revenue to pay Old Age Pensions, aid for the Dependent Children, the Blind and to pay Teachers Retirement. (S. J. R. No. 12 - See House Journal, 46th Legislature, Pages 2853, 3202, 3936.)

MAX BOYER has co-operated with TWO GOVERNORS

MAX BOYER, if elected State SENATOR will co-operate with WHOEVER IS GOVERNOR the next four years.

The people know that MAX BOYER has always stood for a program in the House of Representatives.

The PEOPLE know that Max Boyer will stand for a program in the STATE SENATE.

The PEOPLE know that MAX BOYER has never been a "do nothing" member of the Legislature. MAX BOYER will not be a "do nothing" State Senator.

BLODGETT NEWS

Mr and Mrs Harry Shedeck and Travis Bland spent Sunday evening in the Blodgett home.

Kathleen Kenney visited Elvora Close Monday evening.

Mr and Mrs John King and children called on Mrs. J. M. Blodgett on their return from Amarillo.

Mr and Mrs Angus McKay visited last week in the Blodgett home.

W. M. Deck and Thadine and Nadine are spending this week at San Marcos, Texas visiting their mother.

Mrs W. Y. Williams is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. Deck.

Mr and Mrs L. W. Austin and Mary Beth of Lubbock visited in the John Kenney Ed Church and J. M. Blodgett homes last week.

Mr and Mrs Rolls, Wellington, visited Mr and Mrs Otis Patterson Saturday.

Mr and Mrs John Kenney and children attended the show Sunday afternoon.

Maxine Kenney visited in Borger this week.

Olin Williams was in town Tuesday morning.

WANTED—3 or 4 room house in Spearman or near. Write to Virgil Olmstead, Perryton, Texas. 2tp

LOST—An orchid friendship quilt on the Spearman Stinnett highway. If found please return to the Reporter office. A reward will be paid by Mrs. Ira Harbour. 3tp

Mr and Mrs Fred Holt were visiting in Spearman Saturday.

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charge of routing campaigners state they have a reserve list of 117 Ochiltree people who will devote from five hours to a day's time meeting the voters over the 26 counties of the 31st senatorial district. The plan of the campaign calls for groups of local citizens to visit every incorporated town and city in the district before the primary election on July 27. The Perryton citizens do not want to offend the public, and will not attempt to tell anyone how to vote. They are personal friends of Max Boyer who are proud of the record he has made while serving the ten northern counties of the Panhandle.

The initial schedule, according to Van Stewart, newspaper publisher and former American Legion District Commander, calls for five cars of Perryton people to visit Pampa, Borger, and McLean Tuesday. The itinerary will be completed this week, outlining the entire campaign up to election day.

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in this unusual tenure of public service in the administration of the law, and the intimate knowledge of the conditions and needs of this region gained from long residence here, is submitted in considering my qualifications for Representative in Congress.

I believe in the principles of economy and honesty in government; in the progressive democracy exemplified by President

Roosevelt's New Deal, particularly the Farm Program, and the conservation of our natural resources, material and moral, and that every person should be protected in his personal and property rights. I favor complete adequate preparedness for national defense, and rigorous suppression of all un-American organizations and activities; but oppose sending our armies across the seas into Europe.

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—KGNC— Friday July 19, KGNC Pampa 11:45-11:55 a. m. Friday July 26 KGNC Pampa 10 to 10:15 p. m.

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Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of F. M. Bean, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 15th day of July A. D. 1940, by the County Court of Hansford County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and postoffice address are Spearman, Hansford County, Texas.

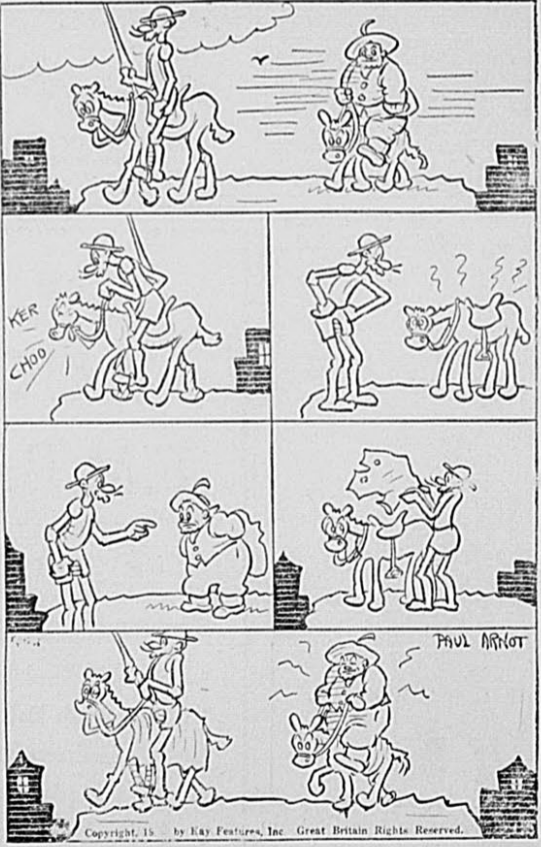
M. L. BEAN Independent Executrix of the Estate of F. M. Bean deceased. 4tc

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