

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

The Eagle has some liberal offers on daily paper subscriptions. Dr. and Mrs. Osterhout of Comanche were visitors to this city the early part of the week.

ROCK SPRINGS

Sunday was a well filled day with us. Our pastor was with us Sunday morning. He didn't preach Saturday night, as he was preaching in Saturday.

C. K. JONES DEAD

Friends here of K. Jones were grieved when they learned of his death, which occurred last Friday at his home at Roaring Springs, Motley county, after a long illness with rheumatism and other troubles.

Fat Man Reduces 53 Pounds.—Oh Boy

Don't be stubborn, you big fat men—throw off your fat before your fat throws you into the discard. Do as Mr. S. A. Lanier of Sawtelle, Calif., did—read his letter:

"I have used two reducing belts to no benefit, but since using Kruschen Salts each morning in my coffee I have taken off 7 lbs. in a week and eat most anything I like. I weighed 243 lbs. 6 months ago and now I weigh 190 lbs."

Take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water every morning—cut down on fatty meats, potatoes and sweets—now you know the safe way to lose unsightly fat.

For a trifling sum you can get a jar of Kruschen Salts that lasts 4 weeks at Hudson Bros. or any drugstore in the world—but be sure and get Kruschen—your health comes first.

INFLATION: THE DOLLAR

The American dollar originally was a silver coin exclusively. As long ago as ninety years the country began to turn definitely to gold as the least changeable and most dependable measure of value.

From that day to this the country has clung to the gold dollar as the symbol of value, as the medium for facilitating purchase and sale of merchandise and as the standard unit for all national as well as international transactions.

There have been periods when the country was short of gold, notably after the Civil War. Each time that the gold standard has been threatened, heroic efforts have been made to save it.

The dollar we get today in return for labor, for goods, or in payment of debt is a gold dollar—a real dollar. It is backed by more than ample reserves of the precious metal.

EXPENSIVE STRUCTURES

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There were more at singing Sunday afternoon than have ever been before. The singing was fine. It was a very warm afternoon, but the house was full with lots standing outside.

Our meeting will begin the second Sunday in August, following the association, which will be held here. Rev. Jim Hays is to help our pastor, Rev. Bedford Renfro, in the meeting.

There will be prayer meeting Saturday night at eight-thirty. For awhile we could hear over the phone lines people telling about their turkeys and chickens. Now they are telling how many cans of vegetables they have canned and how many they want to can.

Monday was W. M. U. day, but on account of some being away from home and others were wanting to can vegetables there wasn't any meeting. Let's hope we won't let visiting and canning keep us away next meeting time.

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Mrs. J. T. Helm has returned from a visit to her parents and other relatives in Weatherford.

W. A. Cooke of Rock Springs looked after business in this city the early part of the week.

E. D. Sanders of Comanche, candidate for the legislature, was meeting with the citizens here last week end.

A half inch rain fell here Tuesday morning at an early hour. These frequent rains sure make the crops grow fine.

Cleaning and pressing will help that old suit and make it look like new. Burch knows how.

Judge and Mrs. J. C. Darroch returned to their home in Brownwood Monday, after a visit to relatives in this city.

Rev. J. S. Bowles made a visit to Groveton the early part of the week, to look after some property interests. He was accompanied by Alton Gatlin.

Misses Mary Allee and Bill Rollins of DeLeon visited Vivian Johnson of this city. They are the daughters of Mr. Rollins of De Leon, candidate for representative.

W. C. Dew and his nephews, Fairman and Fred Marshall, visited his sister, Mrs. W. K. Marshall, in the hospital in Temple Sunday.

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Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, Jr., and sons have been in Lampasas this week, visiting relatives, while Mr. Stokes is looking after business matters in Houston.

Dr. A. L. Jones, the eye glass man, has gone for a visit to his daughters in eastern Texas and will likely spend some time at Tyler, Overton and other points in the prosperous oil section.

Mrs. C. S. Horton and children returned Monday evening from Temple, where the little daughter, who has been sick so long, spent several days in the hospital and is now getting along nicely.

Mrs. Wilbur Fairman and daughters, who spent several days in Temple during the serious illness of Mrs. Marshall, went from there to Marlin for a visit with her father and other relatives.

The Eagle's Big 5 Offer gives you 112 copies of popular magazines and 52 copies of the Eagle for only \$2. See page 3 for coupon.

Prof. R. H. Mayfield writes to have his paper sent to Karnes City, where he and his family are visiting in his childhood home and having a good time. He will attend the summer session of the State University in Austin.

E. E. Faulkner and family left Tuesday in their car for Corpus Christi and other points in that section with the expectation of spending about two weeks. During his absence his brother, Clyde Faulkner, is serving his rural mail route as substitute carrier.

Don't put your winter clothes away dirty. It will damage the fabrics. Have Burch put them in proper shape.

Save \$1.60 by ordering the Eagle's Big 6 magazine offer. Publisher's regular price \$3.35. Our combination price only \$1.75. See page 3 for coupon.

5% FARM and RANCH LOANS

Dependable Service Through FEDERAL FARM LAND BANK of Houston, Texas

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BEAUTY in the HOME



Putting Color Into the Bathroom. WHEN the first of the modern bathrooms began to make their appearance, all white and glistening and spotless they, somehow, impressed everyone with the idea that nothing but white is clean. And then for years there came along the endless vista of white bathrooms, white walls, white bath curtains, white towels and white toilet seats.

FORD TRUCK WEEK. Get the facts about new transportation economy. This is an opportunity to see how the transportation needs of a new business era have been met with new economy, performance, and reliability in the new Ford trucks. Your Ford dealer is ready to give you the complete story. Weatherby Auto Company, Goldthwaite, Texas. FORD TRUCK WEEK JUNE 18 to 25 INCLUSIVE.

NEWS OF THE WEEK. Municipal employees at Austin have had their salaries cut from 10 to 20 per cent. Houston has shipped over 2,500,000 bales of cotton this season, a new record for the port.

ROYAL CAFE. EATS DRINKS Special Rates to Boarders CURB SERVICE. THE TRENT STATE BANK. No business too large for us to handle, none too small to receive every courtesy and attention. Goldthwaite, Texas.

WHAT SALARY CUTS MEAN. In arguing in favor of a ten per cent salary cut for all government employees, Sen. Gore of Oklahoma said: 'When we reduce a \$1200 salary 10 per cent, we save \$120, or the price of six bales of cotton.' MAMMOTH COW. George W. Saunders, a livestock commission man of San Antonio, recently shipped to L. K. Maulsby, Des Moines, Iowa, a cow that weighed 2280 pounds.

FOOD PRICES—PAST AND PRESENT

Sheep are selling in Omaha as low as 10c a head, according to Senator Howell of Nebraska. But it takes more than a dime to buy a sheep in other parts of the country.

Other food prices vary widely. The department of agriculture has discovered that eggs in Texas can be bought at 7c a dozen (they have been bought for that price recently in some parts of Missouri).

"In some states," says the department, "average prices are so low as to read like a price list for the year 1832, instead of one for today." And anyone who would like to know if Missouri is one of those states will be interested in price quotations in the Missouri Intelligencer of Sept. 5, 1821.

Price comparisons are not easy. Missouri prices are not the same as those in Nebraska or Massachusetts, prices in one section of this state are different from those in other sections, and retail prices are quite a different thing from the prices the farmer receives.

GOLD COATED METALS

A quick method of coating the baser metals, wood, paper, etc., with gold or other precious metals has been developed. In this new process the more precious metal, in wire form, is fed into an oxy-hydrogen or oxy-acetylene melting flame, from which as molten metal at 5,200 degrees Fahrenheit it is atomized or sprayed on to the baser metal by compressed air.

If you haven't secured your spring suit yet, better get Burch to make the order at once.



Next time you are out of fix as the result of irregular or faulty bowel movement, try Thedford's Black-Draught for the refreshing relief it gives thousands of people who take it. Mr. E. W. Cecil, a construction superintendent in Pulaski, Va., says: "When I get constipated, my head aches, and I have that dull, tired feeling—just not equal to my work. I don't feel hungry and I know that I need something to cleanse my system, so I take Black-Draught. We have found it a great help."

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

WOMEN who are run-down, or put on every month, should take Thedford's Black-Draught.

DOCTORS WHO ADVERTISE

Medical circles may be interested in a recent decision of the supreme court of Colorado, that a physician's license can not be revoked by the state board of medical examiners merely because he advertises. The victim here was Dr. K. C. Saper, whose offense appears to have been that when about to visit certain towns he published locally a card giving the dates. The board revoked his license and now the highest court orders it restored, on the ground that the board exceeded its authority.

The layman sometimes finds himself puzzled by the questions of ethics involved in the advertising of physicians, dentists and other professional men. We would not enter into a controversy with our professional friends over this subject, but we may be permitted to quote what the Denver Post remarked, in commenting upon the case: "The court's opinion is one of the most progressive and sensible rulings this great tribunal has made. It marks the end of the professional tyranny the board has exercised over the medical profession. The theory that it is unethical and unlawful for a doctor to advertise is one of the most asinine theories ever conceived."

THE "FAMILY" DOCTOR

To those who have feared that the general practitioner of medicine, the "family doctor," was in danger of being swept away in the trend toward specialization, the words of Doctor Morris Fishbein, "will always be the most economical and practically, the most satisfactory physician for 90 per cent of human ailments."

Specialization has fostered some of the great modern advances in medicine, and the specialist is indispensable. But the extent to which it has been carried, particularly in the cities is humorously told, with only slight exaggeration, in the story of the man who seriously cut his hand and sought in vain for a doctor; all he could find were specialists.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

E. B. ANDERSON, Lawyer, Land Agent and Abstractor. Will Practice in all Courts. Special attention given to land and commercial litigation. Notary Public in Office GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS.

C. C. BAKER, JR., DENTAL SURGERY. Office over Trent Bank. Open every Tuesday and Saturday and as much time on other days as patronage requires. GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS.

CAPTAIN HAWKS JOINS THE NAVY

Exit "Captain," enter "Lieutenant Commander" Frank M. Hawks. The speed flier, holder of more than 30 inter-city racing records in the United States and abroad, has forsaken the army, which trained him, for enrollment in the United States naval reserve aviation.

Enrollment was made, the navy department has announced, because of his development work with high speed planes, his technical knowledge of aircraft engines and construction, and his knowledge of aviation conditions generally. Hawks, who attained the rank of captain in the world war, after leaving his sophomore class at the University of California, resigned as captain in the specialist reserve, with assignment to the air corps, on May 11, after holding this reserve commission since December 26, 1930.

After a crash April 7, in Worcester, Mass., in which he was injured and his plane demolished, he is prepared for a speed come-back with a new monoplane expected to be delivered in mid-September. The racer is being designed to have a cruising range of more than 2500 miles at an average estimated speed of better than 200 miles an hour. It will be equipped with a new-type 14-cylinder engine, which in effect will be a combination of two ordinary seven-cylinder air-cooled power plants. The ship will be larger than the monoplane he used for several years and will be employed in high-speed distance research flight. He expects to practice his doctrine of applying speed to transport plane operation.

TOWARD THE COUNTIES

The Ohio Institute has been making some inquiries into the subject of county government. Its findings should be useful to men now devising an amendment to the state constitution and if the amendment becomes effective to men who will frame county charters for submission from the study.

Four definite conclusions emerge from the study: 1. That the number of offices and boards be reduced by grouping activities into a few departments on the basis of function. 2. That a chief executive officer be created. 3. That ordinary administrative officers be appointed instead of elected. 4. That flexibility be provided for in order to permit the adjustment of county organization to the needs of counties of different sizes and types.

Toward these ends the advocates of better government for Ohio counties now bend their efforts. The path to success lies through a constitutional amendment like that now being given its final revision for submission in November.

County government in general has escaped the attention that has in recent years been given to the subject of municipal government. We have labored for better urban political conditions, but pretty consistently ignored the fact that government conditions in the counties are from the point of view of organization archaic and chaotic. Ohio will have an opportunity this year to do something about it. — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WHITE AND RED LIGHTNING

Red lightning differs in no way from white lightning, says Dr. W. J. Humphreys, of the weather bureau, but white flashes are a greater fire hazard than red flashes because of the atmospheric conditions responsible for the difference in color. In rainless air, Dr. Humphreys points out, electric discharges owe their light entirely to the two gases, oxygen and nitrogen, and are white. When lightning discharges thru rain it dissociates some of the water along its path producing, in addition to the bluish white light of oxygen and nitrogen, the brilliantly red light of hydrogen. Since red lightning comes through rain it strikes wet objects thereby greatly reducing the fire hazard, while white lightning strikes dry objects, which are easily fired. — Exchange.

MAKING NIGHT HIDEOUS

Atlantans living in outlying residential sections whose nightly rest is being increasingly disturbed by carousing parties of automobilists speeding along with cutouts wide open, horns blasting and motors back-firing will read with interest a protest by Harold G. Hoffman, New Jersey commissioner of motor vehicles, over this particularly objectionable way of making the night hideous.

Texting as "outrageous" the misuse of the automobile horn at night, Commissioner Hoffman feels that the fear of the law should be instilled in the minds of the "selfish motorist who, utterly oblivious of the rights of other citizens, travels fast on comparatively deserted streets and counts upon a blast from his horn at every intersection to earn him the right of way."

Atlanta is suffering far too much from this type of motorists—mostly young frolickers indifferent to the comfort and care of others. In many instances these roisterers have added sirens to be the standard equipment of their cars, loosened mufflers and done other things to enable them to make the welkin ring, regardless of the time of night, as they speed through the residential sections of the city.

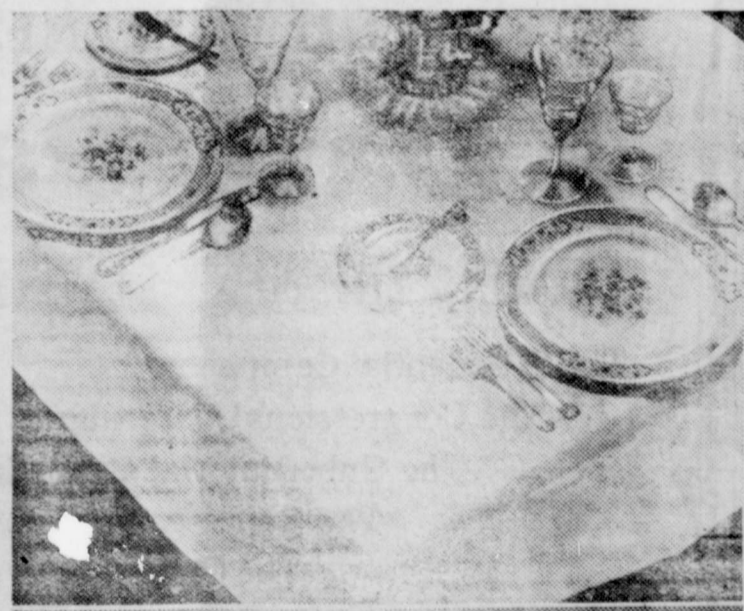
Many foreign countries are content to put up with noisy conditions on public thoroughfares which America has never countenanced. There is no excuse for it and the recent tendency of unthinking motorists to make a bedlam of our nights should be nipped in the bud by our police authorities. — Atlanta Constitution.

ABOUT THE AKRON

From the navy recruiting information bulletin we learn that the Akron has an elaborate telephone system consisting of 17 phones, a switchboard and three miles of wire. In an emergency all 17 phones can be rung at once and the captain can talk or give orders to all strategic points at the same time. The switchboard, incidentally, is only 42 inches wide, 35 inches high and 12 inches deep, but it controls the generators, electric motors, storage battery charger, and circuits to the generator room, engine room, control room, fire control, interior lights, running lights, gangway lights, electric fans, phones, and galley equipment. California's warm sunny weather at Sunnysdale proved another obstacle for this air scouting cruiser. The

The Vegetable TONIC HERBINE CORRECTS CONSTIPATION HUDSON BROS. DRUGGISTS

BEAUTY in the HOME



Washable Tablecloths That Resemble Damask

THE trend toward the use of nappy that in color and texture goes well with the china used on breakfast, luncheon or dinner tables is now shown in the popularity of practical and attractive tablecloths that do not demand the services of a laundry. The lacquered fabric dinner cloth shown above is one that has an all-over floral damask pattern and one of its advantages is that it is always made ready for use by simply wiping it off with a damp cloth and yet its folds and designs are those of heavy Irish linen. These tablecloths are to be had

CONGRESSIONAL SALARIES

Senator Capper is indisputably right in asserting that congressmen should have started the economy drive by reducing their own salaries. That would have been showing a proper spirit and would have won credit for congress while inspiring confidence in the people. Only a few years ago they were getting \$7,500 instead of \$10,000, and it is not many years back they were getting only \$5,000. Since they increased their salaries in good times it is only fair that they should decrease them in hard times. Mr. LaGuardia of New York sent a questionnaire to fellow members, gathered much data on the cost to congressmen of rent, taxes, entertainment, stationery, donations, traveling expenses and the like and concluded that a congressman needed all of the \$10,000 a year—and all the perquisites too. Nobody doubts it. If a demonstration of the need was all that was required none of us would be getting less than we did in 1929. Many million men, right now, could prove a greater need of money than any congressman. The fact is that men who used to make thousands and who now get practically nothing are still obliged to help pay these undiminished congressional salaries. — The Pathfinder.

IT TAKES COURAGE

To live according to your convictions. To be what you are and not pretend to be what you are not. To say "No" squarely and firmly when those around you say "Yes." To live honestly within your means and not dishonestly upon the means of others. To refuse to do a thing which is wrong because others do it, or because it is customary and done in trade. To stay home every evening and try to improve yourself when your comrades spend their evenings having a good time. To remain in honest poverty, while others grow rich by questionable methods, which you could easily use yourself. To refrain from gossip when others about you delight in it, and to stand up for an absent person who is being abused. But it always pays. — Progress Canada.

craft's buoyancy became so great when static was generated by friction of its sides against clouds that it had to cruise around all day to await the cool sunset in which to moor. This was done to avoid releasing any more valuable helium. This non-explosive lifting gas that used to cost \$2,500 per cubic foot has dropped more than living expenses and salaries. The last introduced into the Akron cost only \$5.95 per 1000 cubic feet. — Exchange

Marble and Granite. We have a large stock of up-to-date monuments in stock now, and will make our prices to conform with the depressed times. J. N. Keese & Son, Fisher St. Goldthwaite

QUALITY FOODS — AT — Economical Prices. This store is constantly on the lookout for its patrons' welfare. Whether you place your orders by phone or make your selections in person from our conveniently arranged, sanitary store, you will like our prompt, courteous service. DEPENDABILITY — COURTESY — FAIR PRICES. JOE A. PALMER

Chevrolet SERVICE. As Applied to Our Service Department. Service is an honest desire to satisfy, coupled with the ability and facilities that are necessary to fulfill an obligation created by the sale of Chevrolet passenger cars and trucks. FACTORY TRAINED MECHANICS. COMPLETELY EQUIPPED SHOP. GENUINE CHEVROLET PARTS. Saylor Chevrolet Co. PHONE 61

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Calendar for June 1932 showing days of the week and dates.

Bishop John M. Moore is the new chairman of the board of trustees of Southern Methodist University, succeeding R. H. Shuttles.

Former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois told a delegation of independent voters this week that his advanced years precluded his considering their request to head a third party ticket.

The invocation opening the Democratic National convention at Chicago June 27 is to be delivered by Evangeline Booth of the Salvation Army.

Holman Kennedy, 37, cashier of the Donley County State bank, Clarendon, and president of the Panhandle Bankers association, died Saturday of a self-inflicted gun wound.

Many members of congress have been made uncomfortable by publicity given the common practice of carrying members of the politicians' families on the government payroll.

The chairman of the Democratic national executive committee has announced an informal meeting of the party's platform and resolutions committee will begin 4 days before the national convention to draft a tentative platform.

Nine persons were injured when a small bomb exploded in the audience at the Palace theatre in Dallas Saturday night.

The Corpus Christi member of the legislature has prepared a bill that he calls a four-point relief measure to be offered should Gov. Sterling accede to requests for a special session of the legislature.

Advertisement for 'SNOW LINIMENT' for Aches and Pains, featuring a small illustration.

THE SMALL TOWN

From all over the nation come reports of an exodus of families from the crowded cities to the small towns and the country.

While it has been the stern hand of economic necessity that has forced many of these people to move, a new sense of values is also being created in the minds of men and women.

There is a freedom about life in the untainted air of the countryside. There is a relief from artificial restraints and conventions that the crowded life of the city imposes.

Life is less expensive in the small town, where home, business, school and church are conveniently close together.

What will be the results of this new reevaluation of small town life? If it continues for a generation, as all signs now indicate, there will be a profound effect upon the life of the country.

The stage is being set for a return of political power from the hands of selfish minorities to those of the people.

The Eagle can do your job printing to please you and the price will be right.

IS THIS A BONUS?

Speaking of government extravagance, Senator Blaine recently said: "The Dollar Steamship Line, had it received the standard rate for carrying the mails, would have received during the fiscal year, ending June 30, 1931, \$104,857.85.

Summarizing all the amounts paid to steamship companies, Senator Blaine stated that "if this mail had been carried on the poundage basis, a fair price per pound, the cost would have been \$2,925,216.25; but instead we paid \$18,790,765.72.

In conclusion the Wisconsin senator said, "It is said that this year there is a depression among campaign contributors. We have relieved this depression considerably.

MUSK-OX DISAPPEARING

Arctic America boasts an animal which for the purposes of domestication would combine many of the best points of cattle and sheep.

And musk-oxen have other virtues which put them in a class by themselves in so far as utility in northern regions is concerned.

With no cunning for concealment and evidently little temperament for either flight or attack, the musk-oxen are easy prey for the Eskimo or white hunter.

Though he stands only four or five feet at the shoulders and

CAVES IN TEXAS

There are a half dozen caves in Texas, some of which, if explored would probably equal the famous Carlsbad cavern of New Mexico, says Mr. Dunlap of the State Board of Water Engineers.

Mr. Dunlap points out that the Carlsbad cavern became world famous only after the government spent a large sum of money putting in elevators, walks, lighting systems, etc.

HAIL TO BOSS!

Another fallacy falls—plump persons will not wax plumper from drinking milk; indeed, some of the plumpest are now going on a lactical diet to become slender.

Milk, along with honey, was chosen as the aptest symbol of the Promised Land. What modern science has discovered, ancient wisdom already knew.

Returning to Dr. Boyer, we learn that in our time, when many a household is asking how can a modicum of money provide sufficient food.

Hail to thee, blithe Bossy. Thou art Georgia's surest friend. —Atlanta Journal.

seldom exceeds 600 pounds live weight, the full-grown musk-oxen is give a more formidable appearance than the reality justifies by reason of his thick coat of hair and wool.

HORACE CHILTON DEAD

The death of Hon. Horace Chilton at his home in Dallas Sunday removed from the walks of men one of the early day statesmen of Texas, one against whom there was never a breath of suspicion of lack of integrity.

WORLD'S LARGEST LIVE-OAK TREE IS IN TEXAS

Discovery of what is believed to be the largest liveoak tree in the world has been announced by Dr. B. C. Tharp, professor of botany at the University of Texas.

Give the Eagle readers the benefit of any local items you know.



Period and Contemporary Furnishings May Blend

ONE of the most usual complaints about the increasing vogue for modern American, or so-called contemporary, decorations and furniture is that the modern will not "go with" the old.

THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS MUST DECIDE THE FATE OF TEXAS RAILROADS

THE WELFARE of Texas and Texans has gone and will always go hand in hand with the welfare of Texas railroads. Their dependency upon each other is absolute.

In 1929 Texas railroads gave employment to 82,956 employes, to whom they paid annually \$126,674,543 in salaries and wages.

This represents a decrease of more than \$37,000,000 in purchasing power in Texas communities. There has been a corresponding decrease in purchase of materials and supplies by Texas railroads.

The decline in railroad payrolls and purchases is due only in part to economic conditions. The revenues of the railroads have been affected not only by business conditions but to a very large extent by loss of traffic to trucks and buses.

The time has come when the people of Texas must decide whether the traffic of this state can best be carried by the railroads, using facilities which they built and maintain at their own expense.

THE TEXAS RAILROADS

