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## CANYON HAS BIG DELEGATION AT THE ADOBE WALLS

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF BATTLE IS CELEBRATED.

Prof. L. F. Sheffy Makes Address—College Band Furnishes Music for the Celebration.

With three thousand enthusiastic people present Friday, the first monument of the Panhandle of Texas was erected to these outriders of civilization, who here gave their lives, or fought and survived, the battle of Adobe Walls fifty years ago.

A granite monument, worthy of the type of manhood and womanhood which it commemorates, was unveiled at Adobe Walls Friday, under the auspices of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society. On its face appear the names of the twenty-eight men and one woman who here held off and after a long day's fight defeated eight hundred Indians, the flower of the fighting forces of the Cherokees and their kindred tribes who had determined to drive the white man forever from their buffalo grounds in the west.

The Turkey Track Ranch, with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coble in charge, furnished a bountiful old-time barbecue for all those who came from near and far for the celebration.

Shortly after dinner the trumpeter of the West Texas State Teachers College Band called the great assembly together, and the program began with Thomas F. Turner of Amarillo, president of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society as master of ceremonies.

After a brief speech of welcome and explanation by F. P. Reid, mayor of Pampa, an invocation was asked by Judge H. C. Randolph of Amarillo, L. F. Sheffy, of the Canyon College then spoke of the work of that institution in gathering and saving the historical material of the Panhandle. He took the place on the program that should have been occupied by President J. A. Hill, who was called to Austin just before he had intended to start for the Adobe Walls celebration. Mr. Sheffy pleaded for greater speed and greater energy in collecting the records of our pioneers before they have all passed over the divide.

Mrs. Billy Dixon, wife of the great scout whose name she bears, next spoke of the work of raising the funds for the monument which was erected. She said that in her activities in this connection she had found the people of the north plains generous to a great degree, that their openhearted, open-handed help had made her love them more than ever before in the thirty years of her life here.

Then appeared, one of the two survivors of the great fight—Andy Johnson, now of Dodge City, Kansas. When he rose to speak the great crowd of people pressed forward to hear his words, for here stood a man whose very appearance told them that he was a real frontiersman. Although seventy-nine years old Andy Johnson's eyes flashed and his voice vibrated as he re-told the story of the morning of June 27, 1874. His audience saw the Indians come swooping over the sun rise on the battle, they felt the hills in the gray of dawn; they saw the dread in the hearts of the little band within, and saw the warriors fall without.

Before his recital was ended the audience was silent, seeing what this old man saw, and moved by the story he told.

Then Judge Peacock of Kansas, another pioneer who was on the site of the Adobe Walls Battle a few days after it occurred told something of his experiences.

The Star Spangled Banner, lead by the Buffalo Band, concluded the formal program, but a real western celebration with rodeo and other similar features, completed the afternoon and sociability, expressed in various ways, continued that night.

The celebration was not over until Saturday afternoon.

With the marking of the battleground at Adobe Walls, the work of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society has just begun, say its officials. This project has been carried out with such great success that a movement will be begun at once to mark other spots of historic interest in this region. It is quite probable that the Mackenzie Battle ground will next be appropriately marked. Its marking will be made a community affair as has been this project. Officials of the Historical Society say that the people of the North Plains marked the Adobe Walls site

## Wheat Makes More Than Was Estimated by Farmers Week Ago

The first car load of wheat of the season was shipped from Canyon last Wednesday, having been bought by J. C. Dixon and Son from W. G. Rose. The wheat tested 61 1/2, and averaged 28 bushels to the acre. This wheat was estimated before being cut, to go not over 18 bushels to the acre.

Wheat generally over the county is making from eight to fifteen bushels more than the best estimates.

A. N. Burgan brought his first load of wheat to town last Wednesday from a fifteen acre field near his house which made thirty bushels to the acre. Mr. Burgan stated that the rest of his wheat was volunteer, and would not make over 15 bushels to the acre.

W. W. Kuehn states that the wheat on his land east of Happy made from 20 bushels on the poorest, to thirty bushels on the best pieces.

Lester Smith made an average of 20 bushels on his wheat.

The grain harvest progressed rapidly through the past week, with excellent wheat to save the grain.

Seven car loads of grain has been shipped from Canyon the past week. All of the early wheat has been first class and the very best quality.

The oats and barley crop was cut by the hot, dry winds of two weeks ago. The quality of the oats is reported good, but the barley will run low in quality.

Harvest was well under way when the rains started this week. The farmers are delighted over the rains for the benefit of the row crops and cotton but would like to see a week of dry weather now to get the grain cut.

## PARTY LEADERS AT DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.



The fortieth ballot last night stood: McAdoo 503.4; Smith 318.6; Davis 67. The feature of yesterday at the Democratic National Convention was the attack of W. J. Bryan on Al Smith and Jno. Davis. Bryan placed McAdoo at the head of his list of eligible candidates. Unless a serious break occurs in the McAdoo or Smith ranks today no nomination is expected within twenty-four hours.

## MRS. S. M. N. MARRS HERE NEXT WEEK FIVE DAY MEETING

PARENT TEACHERS IN FIVE DAY SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION.

Canyon Parent Teachers Association Assisting College in Entertainments of Many Guests.

Cooperating with the Parent-Teachers Association of Canyon, the West Texas State Teachers College will provide entertainment for the people who will come here for a training course lasting from July 7th to 12th.

Invitations have been extended to every teacher, every woman, every mother, and every man who is interested in the welfare of the children of Texas. It is expected that a majority of those who come will be women. Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs, who will teach the course, is president of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers Associations.

Mrs. Harvey Cash, president of the local P-T club, is in charge of the registration and will find comfortable rooms for the guests. Swimming parties, teas, band concerts, and perhaps a program by the department of Public Speaking, will be arranged by the College. On July 10 there will be a tea in honor of Mrs. Marrs at the home of Mrs. W. J. Flesher from three to six.

The reason for this course is twofold: 1. Opportunity given to parents and teachers to know of means that make possible the fulfillment of aim in teaching. 2. Learning to work together, school, home and community.

Five different topics will be discussed during the five days in connection with the work of the Parent-Teachers Association:

- Monday, July 7—National—Study of its origin, aims, development and the results.
- Tuesday—State—Its history, departments and divisions of work.
- Wednesday—Local—Working through three channels by means of departments for various purposes.
- Thursday—Co-operating agencies—State and extension departments, federal county demonstration agents, and elementary parliamentary laws.
- Friday—Organization of a Parent-Teachers Association.

It is expected that practically all of the Parent-Teacher Associations in the Eighth District will send delegates to the conference next week.

## Johnson Filling Station Nearly Burned Sunday With Ford Set on Fire

Drewey Cantrell of Tulla was having his new Ford Fordor Sedan filled at Johnson Filling Station Sunday night when he lighted a match, causing the ignition of the gasoline, the fire burning the body of the car until it was completely ruined, and setting fire to the filling station.

As was fortunate both of the visible filling tanks at the station were empty or the explosion of these might have caused a serious fire.

The building was damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars. Insurance was carried.

Young Cantrell became unconscious from the result of the excitement and did not recover until Monday evening when he was taken to his home in Tulla.

Three young people were in the car at the time of the explosion, but fortunately all escaped uninjured.

## Company F Leaves Friday Morning for Galveston

Company F, 142nd Infantry entrains tomorrow morning for Galveston to spend two weeks in the annual encampment of the Texas National Guard.

Captain H. C. Gamble states that sixty men will go with the company. The special car for the company will be attached to the Plainview train until Sweetwater is reached. At this point a special train will be made up and will take a number of companies to the Galveston camp.

Captain Gamble states that from all indications the camp this year will be a very pleasant outing for the men, of this section, many of whom have never seen the Gulf of Mexico.

## Candidate Day and Dollar Day in Canyon on Monday, July 21st

Candidate Day and Trades Day will be the big attraction in Canyon on Monday, July 21.

The merchants of Canyon will have a regular feast of dollar bargains for that day. You will be surprised to find how far your dollars will go in Canyon on that date.

Candidate Day has been a regular institution in Canyon during the past several elections. State, district and county officers will be invited to meet the voters in Canyon that day and make such statements as they see fit.

In preparation for this big event, the Chamber of Commerce will have a picnic luncheon on the night of July 15th, and lay plans for the big day.

## Rain Cools Temperature and Starts Crops Making Good Growth

Following the oppressive heat of last week, the Panhandle was visited by a fine rain Sunday night which cooled the atmosphere and brought down the temperature considerably. The usual cool weather of the Panhandle is being greatly enjoyed this week.

The rain has not hurt the grain which was ready to be cut, and was of inestimable value to the row crops and the cotton which were badly suffering from the hot weather and the continued dry weather.

The rain Sunday night amounted to .95 of an inch and on Tuesday night a light rain of .05 fell.

Another rain last night amounted to .83 of an inch up to six o'clock this morning and continued for some time after that.

## State Park Commission Starts on Tour of Inspection on 15th July

Mrs. T. V. Reeves has been notified that the State Park Commission will start on a tour of inspection of the proposed State Park Sites on July 15th.

The details of the trip have not been worked out, but will be announced about the time the party starts. The first visit will be made to the Davis Mountains.

The exact time of the visit to the Palo Duro Canyon will be determined by the time taken to see other places. Governor Neff heads the Park Commission. Members of the State Highway Commission will be in the party, together with newspaper men. The two United States Senators have been invited to make the trip. It is stated that possibly twenty-five will be in the party.

It is probable that Canyon, Amarillo and Claude will join in the entertainment of the party while the inspection of the Palo Duro canyon is being made.

## Panhandle Lynch Davidson Club Formed—C. R. Burrow Chairman

An all Panhandle Lynch Davidson Club has been formed with headquarters in Amarillo at 395 Polk Street.

C. R. Burrow has been named the chairman of Randall county. Odell Gillham is chairman at Happy and Judge C. F. Kerr chairman at Dimmitt.

An active campaign will be maintained until election time.

## Resident of Canyon 31 Years Ago Here to Witness Big Development

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Rofer of Port Lavaca are here visiting at the home of Mrs. Roper's brother, G. C. Brum.

Mr. Roper states that he left Canyon thirty-one years ago. Canyon was not much of a place in those days, and Mr. Roper marveled at the great improvements that have been made in that time. His father, Walton Roper, was elected first commissioner from precinct No. 3 thirty-five years ago when the county was organized.

Mr. Roper is enjoying his visit with the old time residents of Randall county, W. F. Heier, W. C. Baird, Mrs. L. G. Conner and others.

## PETITION FOR PAVING.

A petition for paving Sixth Avenue was circulated this week among the property owners from 10th Street to 15th Street.

The signatures received so far are not sufficient to guarantee the paving on this street.

## FINISH DEPOT BLUE PRINTS.

It is reported that the blue prints for the new \$65,000 depot will be completed this week and bids will be called for. Actual construction will probably not be possible before the middle of August.

## STORK SPECIALS.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Vaughn June 23.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Younger Jr. at the hospital in Amarillo June 18th. Mr. Younger is superintendent of the Tulla public schools, and is teaching in the College this summer.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gamble June 26.

## ERDMAN BOY DIES.

Herman Erdman, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Erdman of Umbarger died last Wednesday night in an Amarillo hospital of peritonitis.

The funeral was held Friday at the church in Umbarger.

## CANYON DEFEATED SUNDAY.

The Canyon baseball team was defeated Sunday by the U. S. Zinc Co. team Sunday afternoon by a score of 10 to 9.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses were issued this week as follows:

- J. W. Bishop and Miss Florence Green, June 27.
- J. L. Teal and Miss Elizabeth K. Smith, June 30.
- D. T. Northcutt and Miss Artie Lowrey, June 30.

## BUILDING SIDEWALKS.

A large amount of sidewalk is being put in by property owners on East Fifth Avenue.

Henry Bradford started the movement by building walks along both sides of his place, and property owners on both sides are now getting ready to put in walks.

## Jennings Gathers Fine Exhibit for Three Fair Displays During Fall

J. W. Jennings, county agent, is gathering materials for a county exhibit which he hopes to take to the Amarillo, Lubbock and Dallas Fairs this fall.

The grains that Mr. Jennings has gotten together at his office in the court house are the prettiest Randall county has ever sent to a fair. Mr. Jennings has been careful in selection and is preparing the grain to show to the best possible advantage.

The Randall County Fair will be held Sept. 18-19 and Mr. Jennings is urging farmers to save exhibits for this big county fair.

## TO TEACH IN AMARILLO.

Joe Lancaster, a degree graduate of the College, will teach in the Junior high school of Amarillo. Joe has been prominent in athletics throughout his work in the College and was captain of the T. I. A. A. championship basketball team the last year. He was a letter man of the football and baseball teams.

## MAKE GROUP PICTURE.

Almon Newman will take a large group picture of the College next Wednesday. It was planned to do this yesterday, but the date was postponed. The students will be massed to work on the letters W. T. S. T. C.

The picture complete will contain a panorama of all of the College buildings, the students and the faculty. It will be five feet in length. He took such a picture of the College several years ago, but on a much smaller scale.

## GRADUATED AT MICHIGAN.

Miss Katie Gatewood of this city received her B. A. degree last month from the University of Michigan. She has been a student in that institution for the past two years.

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We believe that the two-thirds rule of the democratic party should be revoked, but revoked at the end of the national convention so that candidates going into the next convention will understand that a majority will nominate. It is seldom that the man with a mere majority of the delegates pledged is nominated. It means the entrance of a "dark horse," who may be a weaker candidate than the leaders. It gives the minority the right of way in the convention. The rule proved to be a great thing for the country when Woodrow Wilson was nominated, but it was the antics of Roosevelt that made Wilson our President. It is true that during the past campaign when McAdoo won a majority of the delegates a very small part of the voters took a part in the campaign, but that was wholly the fault of the individual voters. Randall county's 1400 were represented by only 22 voters. But in the primary on the 26th of this month it is estimated that not over 60 percent of the qualified voters in Texas will participate. The two-thirds rule works the wrong way as often, or more often, than it works the right way.

The "Forty Immortals" repudiated the policies of Wilson in the New York convention as per instructions from the McAdoo headquarters. The republicans would sneak into the League of Nations through the back door of a World Court. The Democrats would quietly slip in by the side door and say nothing about it. The Wilsonian followers would boldly walk in by the front door and announce to the world that America was there and ready to do business. There are probably not a dozen public men in this country who does not see the necessity of getting into the League of Nations, but since Wilson was crucified by Lodge and his followers, they hesitate to come out openly for a cause that was lost. Politics is a queer animal after all.

At least the National Democratic Convention is giving the Republicans a lot of good campaign material. Every candidate for the nomination is blessed with a lot of faults, which the opposition freely airs. Oil, Crook, Representative of the Interests, From Wall Street, Boozie Hound, Menace, Moneyed Conspirator, Liar—these are some of the names the followers of candidates are hurling at other candidates. If all these are true, the Democratic party is hard up on presidential timber.

We note that visiting editors to the Texas Press Association were astonished at the grandeur of the Palo Duro Canyon, after seeing the Devil's Kitchen. They were able to see only a very small part of this great work of nature, and yet could hardly believe that such a remarkable thing could really exist on the Plains. A road from one end of the canyon to the other would be truly the greatest drawing card the Panhandle could have.

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No engine of war has ever been so terrible but that another instrument was made to offset it. The "Death Ray" is said to have the power to wipe out a whole army or a whole city by simply pressing the button. To say the least, every war becomes more terrible than the preceding one, and whether it be a Death Ray or not, something more terrible will be seen in the next war.

Our Texas delegation was hissed and boo-hoed in New York on account of its Klan connection. A Klan delegation largely represented Texas in the New York convention because the people of Texas took such little interest in the conventions. The Klan will continue to run Texas as a result of the July primary if the voters take no interest in the public affairs.

The Ku Klux Klan is not dominating the Democratic National Convention. The fact that the Klan is not repudiated by name does not mean that a vast majority of the delegates would not have gladly done so should they have deemed it necessary. The convention voted by a fraction of only one vote to stand for religious tolerance, rather than openly condemning the Klan.

Amarillo, Canyon and the Panhandle generally are receiving columns of favorable publicity from the members of the Texas Press Association as a result of the visit of the Texas editors two weeks ago. They were surprised and gratified to find more in this section than they expected, and the royal treatment was the best the Texas Press Association has ever received.

The Hereford Brand has discontinued the publication of the semi-weekly edition and will start this week as a weekly publication. Publication costs are too high these days for the publisher to get out a semi-weekly edition unless it is well supported. The News has had the semi-weekly bug quite often during the past two years, when cold figures forbids this change.

Clarence Gilmore is a candidate for re-election to the office of railroad commissioner. Mr. Gilmore is one of the most valuable men in the state, and is thoroughly capable in this office. He is an outstanding official in every way, an honorable and honest man, and should be re-elected in the first primary.

A late minute appeal to the voters of Texas will be made by the followers of Barry Miller to defeat Will C. Edwards of Denton. Edwards has been a good friend of Canyon during his tenure of office in the legislature, and we owe him a political obligation, which we trust will be paid with a one hundred percent vote on July 26.

Senator Pat Harrison, democratic key-note, believes that America needs a Paul Revere, "not a Sphinx," in the White House. We have always been of the opinion that it was a good thing to know when to keep your mouth shut as well as to know when to holler out loud.

The Fourth of July is going to be a quiet day in Canyon. No particular celebration, but many private picnics and trips to the various beautiful canyons near the city.

What will Senator La Follette do? The Republican politicians are more concerned just now than the Democrats.

**Plainview News:** There are 200 homicides in Texas each year for every million population, Robert G. Story, former assistant attorney general, assigned to the court of criminal appeals, told members of the Dallas Bar Association at luncheon. This compares, he said, with 95 per million in Italy; 17 per million in France, 12 per million in Germany, and 5 per million in Canada. There are more homicides and murders in Texas each year than in the whole of Great Britain, the speaker asserted, adding that this condition is not confined to Texas or to New York, but is universally true for the whole of these United States. Of the 200 homicides in Texas each year, possibly 150 of the murderers should be hanged, and most of the others given stiff penitentiary sentences. If 150 murderers were hung in Texas in one year, there would be very few murders the next year. In England and Canada to commit murder almost invariably means the death penalty, hence there are few murders in those countries.

Wall Street predicts that America is on the verge of another wave of great prosperity. Every one figures that when the wave comes he will get out of debt and lay up a wad for the days of reaction. Chances are that all of us be just as foolish as we were in 1919.

It always—most generally always—rains in the Panhandle just before it is too late! The good rain Sunday night was in time to put over the row and cotton crops, and did not damage the grain crop which is being harvested.

Wheat is making from eight to fifteen bushels more per acre than was the estimate of two weeks ago. The Panhandle has the habit of happily surprising the people when so little is expected of the country.

Senator Morris Sheppard will speak in Plainview Monday morning, July 10 in the interest of his candidacy for reelection. He has made no other appointments in this section of the state.

The school system of Canyon should be the pride of every citizen. Canyon has one of the best schools in the state. Canyon has the leading Teachers College in the state. Canyon's chief business is education.

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Enough immigrants have registered at the American consulate at Kovno, Lithuania, to fill the Lithuanian quota to the United States for seven years.

The former Crown Prince is now selling threshing machines. The one operated by his father didn't prove a success.—Tampa Tribune.

What annoys us during the season for building political fences is the constant sound of the hammer.—Buffalo Evening News.

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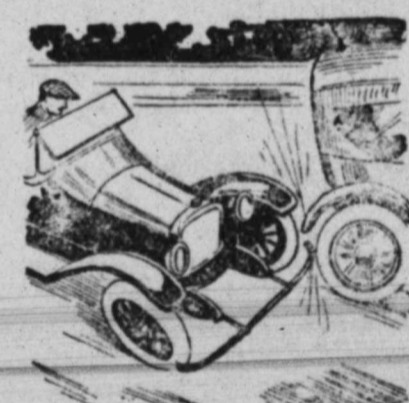
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### THREATENING GRASSHOPPER PEST

J. W. JENNINGS, County Agent.

It appears that there may be a real pest of grasshoppers this season. In fact they have already hatched out in large numbers over limited areas and there is danger of them doing great damage to cotton and row crops. They have hatched out in the grain fields, weed patches and, I think, in the alfalfa lands especially along the creeks.

Now while they are confined to relatively small areas where they cannot do much damage, if they are controlled, is the time to begin to use control measures. The following poison remedy is the best known means of control and should be applied to infested areas at once before they scatter over the fields of row crops.

This poison bait should be prepared strictly according to directions and applied just as carefully. Not very much good can be done by individuals poisoning alone, but the work should be done by communities, if it is to be really effective. By the communities going in together and mixing the poison, much money and labor can be saved in the purchase of materials and in the mixing of the bait.

Poison formula for Grasshoppers, Cut Worms or May Beetles:

- Wheat Bran—25 pounds.
White Arsenic or Paris Green—1 lb.
Lemons or oranges—6 fruits.
Low grade cane or sorghum molasses—2 quarts.
Water—1 gallon.

Mix the bran and poison thoroughly while dry, dilute the molasses with the amount of water named, and squeeze the lemon or orange juice into this diluted molasses. Then grind the rinds of the lemons or oranges with a meat chopper and add to the liquid. Then mix the liquid thoroughly with the poison bran mixture.

After an even mixture has been obtained, add more water and mix until a mash is obtained that, when squeezed in the hand, readily falls apart.

By R. R. Reppert, Entomologist. While the poison mash advised for grasshoppers is obtaining generally good results, we have several complaints that it was ineffective. In every one of these instances we found that directions in mixing and applying in some respect or other had not been carefully carried out.

In one case the farmer had allowed the druggist to convince him that calcium arsenate would do as a poison instead of the white arsenic. Be sure that what you get is "white arsenic" or Paris Green! In another instance the bran mash had been put out in piles over a small part of the field. The poison mash we have advised has been used for many years in many states and under all conditions and sources the best results when sown thinly and evenly over the entire infested area. Don't think that you have unusual conditions that require a departure from our recommendations.

In still another instance water was taken from a barrel formerly containing cresote stock dip was used to mix the mash. The odor of cresote in this water was so pronounced as to repel the grasshoppers. Lemons are used to attract the insects to the bait, and the use of water serves to neutralize this attraction.

Other mistakes are doubtless being made on various farms. The above instances will give point to our statement, expressed in a former letter, to "mix and apply the bran mash exactly as directed, leaving no part out." We may add "and putting nothing else in."

Another thing to be said in connection with this formula is that results, as indicated by dead grasshoppers, should not be expected too soon. Very few grasshoppers die from the effects of the poison the first twenty-four hours, and it will not be until the second day that a great many dead grasshoppers are found. They will continue to die from the effects of poisoning for a week or more.

### Jennings Does Not Advocate Replanting Cotton at So Late a Date

A number of farmers have been inquiring within the last few days about replanting cotton and there seems to be a prevalent opinion among many that there is plenty of time yet to replant, especially since the rain. I have also heard that some special interests in other places are advising and in fact urging the farmers to plant or replant large acreages of cotton. Personally I think it is entirely too late to plant cotton unless it be a few acres to serve as an experiment to determine how late cotton can be planted in this section and get maturity. My experience has been, and the records of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station bear me out in this statement, that it takes approximately four months from date of planting to open the majority of the mature bolls. Last season a small percentage of bolls were open three months from date of planting, but the percentage was very small. Some may argue that cotton planted now will be at very little disadvantage as compared to cotton planted two weeks ago, which in a way appears plausible, but two weeks difference in date of planting, at this time of the year may make a month's difference in maturity, as the older cotton which has a better established root system will show quite a difference in maturity, even though both dates of planting appear to begin to make growth at the same time.

However, I would advise leaving any cotton that is up and growing well, if it shows as much as a half stand. A half stand of early cotton is worth more than a full stand of real late cotton.

J. W. JENNINGS, County Agent.

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH. 3rd Sunday after Trinity. Service and Sermon, 8 p. m., conducted by Rev. E. H. J. Andrews. Young Peoples' meeting and Choir practice, 7:30. All are invited. E. H. J. ANDREWS, Pastor.

BAPTIST SERVICES. 10 a. m. Sunday School, John S. Humphreys, Supt. 11 a. m. Sermon, "Inspiration of the Scriptures." 2 p. m. Sunbeams. 7:15 p. m. R. Y. P. U. 8:30 p. m. Sermon. 8:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting.

CHURCH WEDDING MONDAY. Earl Wise of Quitaque and Miss Floy Hutchens of Chillicothe were married Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church at 3:30 o'clock, Rev. M. M. Beavers officiating. The church was decorated for the occasion. A number of friends of the young couple met them here to witness the ceremony.

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### HAS TEXAS COME TO THIS?

Star-Telegram: A man, who has generally proven himself an astute judge of Texas politics, made this remark the other day: "There is only one really capable man in the race for Governor, and he is not in the race."

His reference was to Lynch Davidson, but in amplification he expressed the opinion that at this time the race stood between two other candidates.

If this gentleman's judgment is correct—and he is a pretty good judge of Texas elections—Texas politics has reached a lamentable stage, a stage where the best qualified man, because of a variety of reasons and so-called issues, is not receiving the support to which his ability and qualifications entitle him. We can hardly believe that it is true. It is hard to conceive that the Texas voters can so disregard their own personal interests and the welfare of their State as to vote against the best qualified man in the race simply because he may not be a politician, a handshaker, a good mixer, or fill some of the other requirements of the average candidate.

If Lynch Davidson doesn't receive enough votes to put him in the run-off, it will be conclusive proof that the people of Texas prefer the politician to the business man; that they prefer oratory and handshaking to ability and efficiency.

Texas has an opportunity in this campaign such as it has not had for years. That opportunity is afforded by Lynch Davidson's entrance into the race for Governor. He offers a record

that no candidate can successfully attack, even from political standpoints. A lifelong prohibitionist, an early advocate of woman suffrage, two of the so-called issues that have proven stumbling blocks to other candidates, are eliminated from consideration in his case. Furthermore, he promises a safe, sane, businesslike, efficient administration; an administration with economy as its keynote and business efficiency all down the line, as against political expediency in the handling of the State's affairs. In other words, Lynch Davidson wants to handle the business of Texas just as he handled his own business, and the record of that business shows that he is thoroughly capable, for starting with absolutely nothing, working as a day laborer, he has built up a successful business. He doesn't want the office of Governor because he needs it; it will mean a financial sacrifice to him and a big one, but he can afford it. He wants the office simply because of the honor and the further opportunity it would afford him of being of some real service to his State.

Lynch Davidson is the first business man that has offered for state office in years. He is the first that has made business efficiency his platform, and if the Texas voters see fit to turn him down in favor of some other candidate, whose appeal may be more attractive, the taxpayers will have only themselves to blame when the old cry of higher taxes, increased governmental cost, and larger deficits, stare them in the face.

### Organized Effort Made to Kill Off Jackrabbits Needed Says Co. Agent

Some united effort should be made to destroy the jackrabbits in this county as they are beginning to destroy young cotton in large quantities. This is the first year that I have ever seen them attack cotton, but they may have been guilty of the offense before. I think their action this year can be explained in two ways, first we have had no rains this spring to destroy the young, and on account of the continued-drought the scarcity of other green stuff has caused them to go to the row crops for green food.

An organized drive is the only way to kill these predatory animals off in large numbers as will be necessary if any great amount of good is to be accomplished.

Let's organize a drive over the county at once and kill as many as possible. Ammunition and a little time is much cheaper than the loss of crops that will result from their activity. This will also prevent a larger crop another year.

J. W. JENNINGS, County Agent.

DR. SPENSE TO SPEAK. Dr. Spense, president of Alaskan Missions, will lecture at the Presbyterian church Sunday night at 8:15 o'clock. No collection will be taken.

REV. MERRILL WILL PREACH. Rev. Paul Merrill of Hereford will preach Sunday night at the Christian Church at 8:30 o'clock.

The best of medicine is sometimes unpalatable. Truth is no exception.

### Campbell Notes

The Campbell Singing Class and a few others attended church and singing at Bushland Sunday.

Mrs. G. R. Stratton returned home June 24th from Dallas where she has been visiting friends and relatives.

Kathleen Gordon-Cumming is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. R. Herrington in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Brown entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Herrington, Mrs. C. L. Gordon-Cumming and Marjorie Tuesday.

The Misses Dowell visited Opal Covington Monday afternoon.

Mrs. L. D. Covington returned home last Friday afternoon from Georgia.

Dea Burgan of Wichita Falls is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Burgan.

Estelle Foster entertained a crowd last Saturday evening with a birthday party in honor of Clyde Covington, all present had an enjoyable time.

Delayed From Last Week. About twenty members of the Campbell singing class went to Amherst, Lamb county, last Sunday. They were entertained with a basket dinner, including barbecued beef, pickles and coffee.

John A. Wilson has started combining his wheat which is turning out good. He has about six hundred acres. Bernice Dowlen has returned from Lubbock where she has been on a visit with friends.

Esther Downing of Canyon is on a visit of two weeks with Mrs. A. Stewart.

Mrs. Mollie Auld of Palm Beach, California, has returned home after visiting her mother, Mrs. Gus Thomas. Miss Neva Burgan, who has been sick the past week at her mother's, is

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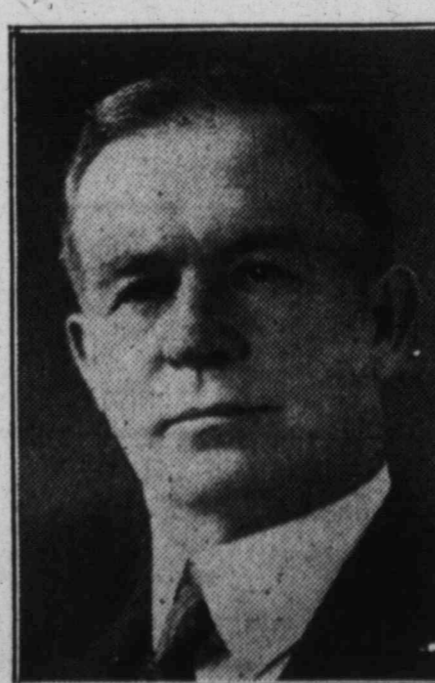
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### Orton's Grocery



LOCAL NEWS

Misses Ruth Stapleton and Alice White of Lockney were week end guests of Miss Willie Walling. On Friday night they were honor guests at a party at the home of Miss Frances Usery.

Rome, Naples, Algeria and a powerful love story against their grandeur. "THE WHITE SISTER" coming to the OLYMPIC THEATRE, Friday and Saturday, July 4-5. Admission 25c-50c

Mrs. W. M. Powers of Sweetwater was in the city this week the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. E. Harter.

Mrs. R. E. Harter left Wednesday for a visit with relatives at Sweetwater, Roscoe and Big Springs.

The officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday School will be entertained tonight at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Beavers.

All hall losses settled in full in your field by the Franklin people. See S. B. McClure. **tt**

Miss Edith Cousins of Houston spent Sunday in the city with friends. She is the daughter of Prof. and Mrs. R. B. Cousins, first president of the College.

Miss Mary Morgan Brown returned Thursday from Boston where she has been spending a month at the Emerson School of Oratory and was granted a degree.

Dean and Mrs. L. G. Allen left last week for a vacation trip to various points in central Texas and will probably go to the coast before returning home.

F. K. Williams—Wall Paper and Painting. 14tf

Mrs. F. P. Guenther entertained a number of women Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. H. W. Morelock of Alpine. Mrs. Morelock is visiting in the city while President Morelock is attending the National Educational Association meeting in Washington.

Bryan McDonald, Harry Delaney of Memphis and Miss Katherine Clark, a student in the college, attended the marriage of Miss Mary Nan Meharg and Keith Gamble of Stratford at the home of her parents in Plainview on June 24. The bride was formerly a student in the college.

The Perfect Photo Play "THE WHITE SISTER," The Best Star, LILLIAN GISH, at the BEST THEATRE in Town, on the BEST DAYS, July 4th-5th. **tt**

President J. A. Hill returned Tuesday from Austin where he spent a few days in conference with the presidents of the Teachers Colleges.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen and little daughter of Amarillo came in last Saturday to visit in the parental C. E. Dodson home. Mr. Allen returned home Sunday while Mrs. Allen is spending the week with her mother.

**HAIL INSURANCE. S. B. McClure.**  
Miss Bertie Lee Burkhalter is enjoying a new Ford sedan. She left Tuesday morning for Lamb County where she will take up home demonstration work.

Rev. Lyn Claybrook, wife and two children, Virginia and Prince Edward, were in Amarillo Tuesday.

**Hail Insurance. S. B. McClure.**  
Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ballard of Amarillo spent the week end in the Tom Rowan home.

Mrs. J. C. Dowd was shopping in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Foster spent Sunday in the parental J. C. Dowd home.

**Hail Insurance. S. B. McClure.**  
The Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church in their regular business meeting.

W. D. Cox, Miss Myrtle Gill and Mrs. I. W. Huber spent Sunday at Vigo Park visiting Miss Gill's parents.

**Hail Insurance. J. D. Gamble.**  
President J. A. Hill and Rev. Lyn Claybrook will leave Sunday evening for Dallas to meet the State Board in the interest of a new Baptist church.

**Hail Insurance. J. D. Gamble.**  
Monday afternoon Mrs. Frank Hicks entertained with a party in honor of Miss Mildred Umphres of Houston, who has been visiting here for the past month. Many indoor and outdoor games were enjoyed by the merry group. At a late hour ice cream and cake were served for the following: Mildred Umphres, Annie May and Leona Veteski, Irene, Ellen and Agnes Hicks, Ruby and Carrie Guthrie, Billie and Nannie Lee Flesher, Armlee and Ruth Greenfield, Dannie Mae Stewart, Dorothy Fay Rusk, Zulma Black, Linnette Hargett, Glenna B. Eastwood, Winnie D. Hicks, Sanford Black Jr., and E. F. Hicks.

**Old reliable Franklin hail insurance. S. B. McClure.**  
Grandma Rogers of McLean visited in the city this week. She is the mother of J. E. Rogers.

Mrs. L. D. Covington returned Friday from Georgia where she spent a pleasant month visiting relatives. Her parents are living in the house where her father was born 87 years ago. Seven of her sisters spent week ago Sunday together.

Mrs. N. E. Shanklin of Salado came in last week to visit her son, J. W. Shanklin.

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Erie Fletcher entertained Misses Mae Hood, Artie Lowery and Verie Fletcher at a house party last week at the home of her sister in Pampa. Together with friends they drove to the Adge-Walls celebration Friday and Saturday.

They sin who tell us that love can die—"THE WHITE SISTER" at the OLYMPIC THEATRE, Friday and Saturday, July 4th and 5th. **tt**

L. L. Monroe was a business caller in Happy Wednesday.

Mrs. C. R. Bates of Amarillo visited friends here last week.

C. R. Burrow was a business caller in Amarillo Monday.

F. K. Williams—Wall Paper and Painting. 14tf

Mrs. H. W. Morelock went to Amarillo yesterday to have the tonsils removed from her daughter, Willa B.

President J. A. Hill, Davis Hill and Otis Mitchell will go to Floydada for the Fourth of July where Mr. Hill will speak.

Miss Mae Simmons, kindergarten teacher of the College, told the stories for 85 children Friday evening. It is hoped to have one hundred present tomorrow. The time is 6.45—on the Presbyterian church lawn.

**Hail Insurance. S. B. McClure.**  
The Parent-Teachers Association met with Mrs. Harvey Cash Friday afternoon. Refreshments of ice lemonade was served.

R. H. Wright was a business caller in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. X. C. Umphries and daughter, Mildred, of Houston, who have been visiting in Canton for the past month, will go to Lamesa tomorrow to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barrow.

**HAIL INSURANCE. J. D. Gamble.**  
Clarence Luce received a fractured wrist Sunday night when his motorcycle turned over with him on the wet paving, and throwing him about fifty feet.

Messrs. Paul Johnson, Olin Hinkle, Bryant Baker and Obed Baker, Ples Harper and Henry Price attended the Fifth Sunday meeting of the Tierra Blanca Association at Lakeview Sunday.

**Call 28 or 238 for Holcomb's. **tt****  
Archie Bates spent Monday in the city visiting old friends. He was a former Canyon boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bates, who now live in California. Archie recently moved from Dallas to Amarillo and is a traveling salesman.

W. T. Milam of Roswell, New Mexico, spent Monday here in the O. F. Thomas home.

Mrs. Ernce Harrell and son were here this week from their home in Arizona visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. L. G. Conner.

Mrs. A. A. Bennett of Austin is a guest in the C. N. Harrison home this week.

**Holcomb's Transfer, phone 28 or 238**  
O. W. H. Cook and C. D. Lester were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Harvey Cash Jr. broke his arm last week while cranking a Ford car.


Dr. S. L. Ingham and C. H. Jarrett celebrated their one hundredth birthday Monday evening by a dinner at the Ingham home. The ages combined of the two men completes a century.

Announcement was made Monday of the engagement of Miss Madia McAfee of Amarillo and Ben Mead of Chicago. The wedding will be the latter part of July. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McAfee, former residents of this city.

**Hail Insurance. S. B. McClure.**  
Mr. and Mrs. John S. Humphreys entertained a number of young folks at their home Tuesday evening with an open house party, in honor of their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Humphreys. Among those in the receiving line were Misses Attie Jean Humphreys, Dorothy Burrow, Alma Guenther, Luella Tate, Kathleen Jennings and Tip Bradford; and Messrs. Davis Hill, Flannagan Smith, Irby Carruth, Dan Sanders, Tate Fry and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Newlin. The house was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and iced courses were served to seventy callers during the evening.

**Hail Insurance. J. D. Gamble.**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McAfee of Amarillo chaperoned a party of twelve young people at a camping party at Wragge's Park over Sunday.

Fine rain, Yaas! Cut the weels!

**Judge's Joke**  
WOULDN'T IT BE A GREAT **OL'** WORLD IF THE FELLOWS WHO THINK THEY KNOW IT ALL COULD ONLY PROVE IT?  


This Week



SHENANDOAH PASSES. TOO FEW OWN HOMES. A LADY VICE-PRESIDENT. THE PEOPLE'S INDEPENDENCE.

The airship Shenandoah, sailing toward Albany, above the Hudson, last week, passed the Twentieth Century, the fastest New York Central train, coming from Chicago. The airship carried 120 human beings, the express train many more. The passengers on the fast train bent their necks looking upward, and thought how strange it was traveling up there in the air.

In a few years that well-appointed express train will be out of date as the stage coach is now. The young Vanderbilt boys and George F. Baker, real boss of the New York Central, would do well to begin planning now for transportation through the air. They have the terminals, can raise money, and should see the warning written in the sky by smoke from the exhaust pipes of the big flying ship.

President Coolidge tells real estate men he wants to see this country a home-owning nation. That's better than Henry Navarre's wish that every Frenchman should have a chicken, cooking on the stove. La Poule, au pot.

Frenchmen, seven millions of them, own the soil of France, thanks to the revolution. That's what helped them to hold Verdun.

The peasants own Sweden. That enabled Charles XII. to march with only 12,000 of them through Peter's great armies.

Too few own the homes and the land, in this country.

The Agricultural Department reports the worst crops in many years. That's bad news for those who eat the crops, but may mean better prices for farmers not able to make a living recently.

The Chicago Board of Trade expects higher prices for grain, and

with the wheat crop cut more than forty million bushels something ought to happen.

Federal District Judges Carpenter and Wilkerson set aside President Coolidge's pardon of Philip Grossman, in Chicago, denying the President's power in civil cases and adding: "To allow such power to the Executive is to strike a death blow at the independence of the judiciary."

That's a good saying and courageous. All Federal judges depend on the President for appointment and promotion.

It's also a saying for the people to remember in case they happen, some day, to get rulers that represent them, and nobody else.

At present our system "Allows such power to the judiciary as to endanger the independence of the people." You see it when the casting of one single appointed Supreme Court vote, in the majority, has power to over-rule an elected Congress. And when Congress is ruled by a bare majority, in a court beyond the people's control, that is not democracy.

If there exists any power greater than the people's power, then what we call self-government is a joke, as when a farmer lets his baby "drive the horses," the farmer, however, holding the reins, while the baby only thinks he is driving.

Well thought out power to recall every one of their public servants, whether elected or appointed by an elected official, is what the people will have eventually. That will come when they really take an interest in their government and thus prove their fitness to govern themselves.

Mrs. Genevieve Allen, of San Francisco, suggested that some woman be nominated for Vice-President. It isn't necessary to say what old politicians think of that. Nevertheless, young politicians will live to see things in politics more surprising.

The time hasn't come yet, however, for, strangely enough, at this moment more women than men would be shocked at the idea of a woman on the Presidential ticket.

Perhaps, some day, the world will bless the big war, although it did cost 250 millions and 20 million lives.

Poison gas will do more good than it has ever done harm; it has been used to destroy the boll weevil.

And now, in the Ukraine, Trotsky orders his army fliers to use gas against locusts and field mice.

We could use it here, a heavy variety, to destroy prairie dog colonies, snakes in their breeding places, and rats in city sewers.

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION TO GIVE PROGRAM SUNDAY EVE

Members of the local Baptist Student Union will conduct Sunday evening a song sermon, "Living for Jesus," at the regular preaching hour. Paul Johnson, president of the College B. S. U., will be in charge, with Faye Lockhart and Pies Harper at the pianos. There will be solos, duets, quartets, special choir numbers and assembly singing, all contributing their part to the general theme of the program.

The tentative program follows: Prelude by orchestra, 8:20-8:30. Congregational singing, "Stand Up for Jesus."

Prayer solo, "Just for To-day." Introduction to program, Paul Johnson.

Secretary's report of work, Ann Mansell.

Treasurer's report, Eppie Irons. Introduction to theme: 1. Estimate of Life; 2. Life cannot count for highest without Christ.

Choir, "His Way With Thee." Be a pronounced and positive friend of Christ's, brought out by song, "I

Know I Love Thee Better, Lord." Solo.

Jesus waits for strength, power, personality, of men laid on His altar to win victories, brought out by duet, "I Gave My Life for Thee."

Not only wants but has no other way if we disappoint him, illustrated by vocal solo, "He's Counting on You."

He wants our lives willingly offered Him; told in reading and a mixed quartet, "Altogether Thine, Lord."

Conclusion—Joy from Service—"It pays to serve Jesus."

JUDGE TATUM HERE.

Judge Reese Tatum of Dalhart was in the city yesterday in the interest of his campaign as a candidate for the Court of Civil Appeals. He states that he has the endorsement of every lawyer and every banker in his district. He is now District Judge and has made an enviable record.

A fifteen-story hotel and church will soon be built around and over the old Calvary Baptist Church on West Fifty-seventh street, in New York City, while the congregation will continue to sit in their accustomed pews.

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## Horse Races Will Be Feature of 4th Celebration in Amarillo

After a lapse of more than seven years, Amarillo is again to have horse racing. The new track and grandstand at the Tri-State Fair are completed and ready for use. Instead of waiting until the fair this next September, arrangements have been made to have a two day meet in Amarillo this week, Friday, July the Fourth and Saturday, July 5th.

The races this week will all be harness events, three races each day of three heats each. A large number of harness horses are in training in this section preparatory to shipping East for the opening of the big circuits this month and have been racing at Vernon, Childress and Wichita Falls. It is stated that practically all these horses will be in Amarillo the Fourth of July.

Purses totalling \$1,500 will be offered to the winners.

Forty to 50 horses will be entered by owners from several states. One owner from Phoenix, Ariz., will enter four horses. Strings of horses will be here from Ardmore, Oklahoma, Colorado, Central Texas and other places.

Many unusually fast horses will be entered, and lovers of racing are expected to have an opportunity to see many fast events. Horses that are close to record holders will participate in the events on July 4 and 5.

### WATERY

Randall County News: All of Randall County is underlain with sheet water, which guarantees a never-failing well at any spot where one would desire to sink one. The water is pure, soft and cool, and exists in inexhaustible quantities at a depth of 30 to 100 feet. Randall County is in the shallow water belt of the Plains.

State Press, in Dallas News: Tell it often. A lot of people ride through the Plains on trains and imagine that water is to be had only at great pain and expense. They find it almost impossible to dissociate the Plains from the old idea of "desert." The water that underlies the Panhandle Plains comes down subterraneously from the mountains of New Mexico and Colorado. It is inexhaustible. But is enough use made of it, as things now go? Isn't it possible that there could be and ought to be more irrigated spots in the region here mentioned—little gardens and orchards for family use? Farming is on a big scale in the Panhandle. Men ride as they farm, and they cultivate big tracts. Under such psychology it may be natural for them to neglect little things, such as the little garden and the dozen fruit trees at home. A windmill and a tank make possible miniature oases. Also an occasional shower bath. Had you thought of it, that after the American people had spent billions of dollars putting in luxuriant and ornate bath tubs most of them are now discovering that they don't want bath tubs, but showers? They are getting back to the primitive rain abdication. Does every windmill in the Panhandle have a shower bath in connection. If not, why the delay? The water is there, the wind is there. All that is needed is a rubber hose or a small iron pipe, a tin can with perforations in the bottom, an elevation to swing it on, and reasonable privacy. After a dusty day there is nothing that adds more to the joy of life than a cleansing with fresh water. All that is said here about oases and baths is intended to remind the people every-

where that the true values of life are very cheap and easily come by. Let every home be an oasis, and every oasis have a shower bath.

### Pleasantview Items

Roy and Edith Gibson visited with friends near Canadian from Wednesday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gregg spent the week end at Quittaque, visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ball spent Sunday at the Dolcater home east of Canyon.

Misses Edith and Goldie Gibson and George Crawford of the College spent Saturday night at the J. L. Lovorn home and attended the Singing at Bushland Sunday.

### Deeds Filed This Week Transferring Randall County Land

The following deeds as furnished the News by the Randall County Abstract Company, have been recorded in the County Clerk's office.

- J. T. Swink to Mrs. Hattie Swink, part sec. 32, block B-3, Consideration \$1,250.
- E. J. Helms to J. Odell Gillham, south half sec. 189, block M-9, Consideration \$6,000.
- J. T. Service, et al to D. Mac Stewart, et al, lots 9-10, block 34, Canyon City, \$600.
- R. L. Lester to Annie V. McCarty, lot 7, block 2, Normal addn to Canyon, Consideration \$750.

Specifications for the new Republican World Court plank call for one just long enough to reach from Cleveland to the White House.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

### TO THE MUSICAL PUBLIC

I have been detained here, am so busy that I have not mailed cards personally announcing my coming, though you can depend on it I will be at Canyon this summer, not later than August the first. Hold your piano tuning for me, and you shall not regret.

I enjoy coming, and you may depend on it. I will be there about August the first. Hold your pianos for me.

C. DAUGHERTY.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned, until 2 p. m. o'clock, the 14th day of July, A. D. 1924, at Canyon, Texas, at the court house for the furnishing of all labor and materials in the construction of a one story frame school building for Common School

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Common School District, No. 17,  
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Randall County, Texas.

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION RELATING TO GRANTING OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10. Proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the Legislature may grant pensions to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows, who have been citizens of Texas prior to January 1, 1910, providing that all soldiers, sailors and their widows eligible under the provisions hereof shall be entitled to be placed upon the rolls and participate in the pension fund created hereunder; levying a tax of seven (\$07) cents on the one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation of property in this State for the payment of such pension, providing that the Legislature may reduce the rate of pension for such purpose, fixing a time for the election to be held on such amendment and making an appropriation to pay the expenses thereof. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever, provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent or disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors, who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1910, and to their widows, in indigent circumstances and who have been bona fide residents of this State since January 1, 1910, and who were married to such soldiers or sailors prior to January 1, 1910, and to indigent or disabled soldiers who under the special laws of the State of Texas during the war between the States served in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raiders or Mexican marauders and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia of the State of Texas who were in active service during the war between the States and to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1910, provided that the word "widow" in the preceding lines of this Section shall not apply to women born since the year 1861, and all soldiers and sailors and widows of soldiers and sailors eligible under the above conditions shall be entitled to participate upon the pension rolls and to share in the distribution of the pension fund of this State under any existing law or laws hereafter passed by the Legislature; and also to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law, provided the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together, in the home. There is hereby levied in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the Constitution of Texas a tax of seven (\$07) cents on the one hundred (\$100) dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia; provided that the Legislature may reduce the tax rate herein levied and provide further that the provision of this Section shall not be construed so as to prevent the grant of aid in cases of public calamity.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1924, at which all voters shall have printed or written on their ballots: "For amendment of Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows who have been a resident of this State since January 1, 1910," and "Against amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers and their widows."

Sec. 3. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State, and the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the general funds of this State not otherwise appropriated for expenses of publications and elections thereunder.

Approved, March 20, 1923.

S. L. STAPLES,  
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Secretary of State.

### NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Randall County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Randall County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the welfare of Freda Menke, a Minor, file

No. 150, Probate Minutes of Randall County, Texas, B. F. Fronbarger has filed an application in the County Court of Randall County, on the 16 day of June, 1924, for appointment as guardian of said Freda Menke in place and stead of Chas. R. Flesher, resigned, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 7th day of July, 1924, at the Court House of said County, in Canyon, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said welfare are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Canyon, Texas, this 16th day of June, 1924.

(Seal) ETHEL WOODS, Clerk,  
County Court, Randall County, Texas,  
1213

### Notice of Application for Letters of Guardianship.

No. 178. THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Randall County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Randall State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the welfare of Paul Easley Foster Jr., a minor, P. E. Foster has filed in the County Court of Randall County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the estate of said minor, which said application will be heard at the next term of said court commencing on the First Monday in July, A. D. 1924, the same being the 7 day of July A. D. 1924, at the Court House thereof, in Canyon, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minor may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: Ethel Woods, Clerk of the District Court of Randall County, Texas.  
1312

### Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Randall County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of this notice in the County of Randall, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the welfare of Rose Johnston, Henry Lytle Johnston, Winford Wesley Johnston, and Grace Darling Johnston, minors, Sallie A. Hardin has filed in the County Court of said Randall County an application for Letters of Guardianship of the said Rose Johnston, Henry Lytle Johnston, Winford Wesley Johnston, and Grace Darling Johnston, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the First Monday in August, A. D. 1924, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Canyon, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: Ethel Woods, Clerk, County Court, Randall County, Texas.  
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### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Randall County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon A. L. Hartzell, by making publication of this citation once each week

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for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof. In some newspapers published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Randall County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof in Canyon, Texas, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1924, the same being the 4th day of August, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1003, wherein J. C. Whittenburg and Otto Pietzsch are plaintiffs, and Asa Horn, R. E. Huston, A. L. Hartzell, Frank W. Hays and the First National Bank of Plainview are defendants, the nature of plaintiffs' suit being to recover the amount due, principal, interest and attorney's fees, on three Vendor's Lien notes, all dated March 15, 1922, one note being for the principal sum of \$1800.00, payable in 36 monthly installments of \$50.00 each, with interest thereon from date at the rate of eight per cent per annum; one note for the principal sum of \$1,000.00, payable on or before February 27, 1924, with interest thereon from date at the rate of ten per cent per annum; and one note for the principal sum of \$900.00, payable on or before February 27, 1925, with interest from date at the rate of ten per cent per annum; all three of said notes being executed by the defendant Asa Horn and made payable to the order of the plaintiff J. C. Whittenburg, at Canyon, Texas, it being alleged that the plaintiff Otto Pietzsch is the present owner of the last two of said notes, and plaintiff J. C. Whittenburg the owner of said \$1800.00 note; that said three notes were given as part of the purchase money for lots Numbers 5 and 6, in Block 9, of the Conner Addition to Canyon City, Randall County, Texas, as shown by the map of said addition, of record in the Deed Records of Randall County, Texas:

That the defendants R. E. Huston and A. L. Hartzell, being purchasers of said property, have assumed the payment of said notes; that the defendants Frank W. Hays and the First National Bank of Plainview, have caused judgments to be placed of record in Randall County against the defendant R. E. Huston, and are asserting some character of claims against said property, which claims are inferior to plaintiffs' Vendor's Lien thereon; plaintiffs seek foreclosure of their Vendor's Lien on said property against all of the defendants, and also seek foreclosure of a chattel mortgage lien on certain personal property, executed by said Horn in favor of said Whittenburg, to better secure said \$1800.00 note, for order of sale and for writ of possession, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: Ethel Woods, Clerk of the District Court of Randall County, Texas.  
1314 By R. C. Brown, Deputy.

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**Candidate Column**

The News is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following candidates in the Democratic Primary in July, 1924:

- For State Senator, 31st District:  
J. W. REID, of Randall County.
- For County Judge:  
RECTOR L. LESTER.  
WORTH A. JENNINGS.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
JNO FRY.  
JOHN A. WILSON
- For County Treasurer:  
G. R. (BOB) REID.
- For County and District Clerk:  
MRS. ETHEL WOODS.
- For County Assessor:  
TOM REDDELL.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:  
J. C. PIPKIN.  
W. C. BAIRD.  
D. E. COVINGTON.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:  
A. P. THORNTON.  
PARKER D. HANNA.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:  
J. J. BAUER.  
ALFRED BELLAH.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:  
W. E. BENNETT.  
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**THE PASSING DAY**

By Will H. Mayes, Department of Journalism, University of Texas.

It is surprising how few people pay enough attention to affairs of government to be able to vote intelligently. Even the greater number of those who attend political conventions and howl themselves hoarse do not know what it is all about or just why they get so excited, and not one in twenty of them have any real part in the shaping of platforms or in the nomination of candidates, though they may think they do. A few shrewd politicians lead the masses around as though they owned them, and those who are led do not know enough about what is going on to be aware of the fact that they are merely the dupes of the leaders. It is deplorable that people know so little of government, for really there is no democracy where the voters are too uninformed to cast an intelligent ballot.

This ignorance of government is not confined to the masses. It permeates legislative bodies. The average lawmaker knows little or nothing of law. He merely does the bidding of those better informed. Often he thinks he knows enough to act, but he does not know enough to realize that he is just a tool of wiser heads. Legislation is a science, to know which requires years of study and experience, but strange to say, many think they understand it, just as almost every person thinks he knows how to write. This country will be better governed when it has fewer legislators in both national and state governments and when men are elected for their ability as lawmakers rather than for their popularity.

After all, it may be a good thing for Texas that there are so many candidates for governor going up and down the state offering to relieve the people of most of their burdens for \$4,000 a year and the use of the governor's mansion at Austin. Along with all the charges of extravagance and graft and efficiency in state government there is a modicum of truth that may not be brought to light except through exaggeration. Texas is not as well managed as it should be, and perhaps this applies from the highest to the lowest in office. Neither will Texas ever be free from mismanagement, for you can not expect more of government than of business, and every business man knows that at times he woefully mismanages his own affairs. If the candidates do nothing more than get the people to thinking deeply enough to assist somewhat in matters of government, through their suggestions and through economy on their own part, much good will be done.

It is a pity that the public gets so excited about who is to be governor and gives so little study to all the other offices. A governor without the support of other efficient officers is utterly helpless. He has somewhat more influence than any other officer in the state, but is powerless to do anything worth while without the help of others. He soon comes to realize this after he gets into office. Generally, during his first term he conscientiously endeavors to bring about

the improvements he talks about during his campaign, but after that he sees the futility of his efforts and finds that the state can get along about as well when he is in foreign lands as when he is in his office. He may be just as eager as ever to serve the state, but he has learned that after all he is but a small part of the big thing we call government.

One who travels a bit over Texas is forced to the conclusion that the prosperity of the people in the different sections of the state is in almost exact proportions to the extent to which diversification of crops is practiced. Where cotton is the only crop grown and the farmers buy everything for their families and their stock, the houses are unpainted, the farms look worn and dilapidated and there is a general air of poverty and thriftlessness. Where cotton and corn are grown the farms look a little better. Where, in addition to these, there are fruits and vegetables and all kinds of feedstuffs the appearance of poverty is changed to one of thrift.

I am aware that the people have been told this many times and that they still go on growing cotton and figuring on the gross price received per acre, without stopping to count the money that is paid out for feed bills and living expenses. Strange to say, they are encouraged just now to grow cotton to the exclusion of other crops by many merchants, and especially by merchants who are also farm landlords. These get their percentage of the gross income of the farmer and are not concerned about his living expenses so long as they do not exceed his receipts. In fact, as long as the farmer can pay his debts with his cotton the landlord-merchant figures that it is better for him, for he gets about all the farmer makes either in rent or in payment for feed, clothing and provisions.

A salesman who travels in both Arkansas and Eastern Texas told the writer recently that there is a noticeable difference between farm conditions in the two states—that Arkansas looks far more progressive and that the farmers are making more money, are living better and are seemingly better contented. When asked for a reason for it, he said that it was because they nearly starved to death from 1914 to 1917 in Arkansas growing cotton and that they now produce everything they need for a living, so far as it can be done, on their farms. The result is that they do not get into debt for these things, and their cotton money is almost clear profit.

Exclusive cotton farming not only is poor business for the farmer, but it results in the farmer and his help being idle about half the year, while he and all his family work themselves nearly to death the rest of the time. The only way to succeed in any business, and farming is a business, is to do steady, every-day work with time off occasionally, of course, for vacations. No one can succeed by working half the time and idling the rest of the year. The manufacturer who would work his plant half the time, and let everything go to waste except his chief product, would soon be bankrupt. His success depends on full time operation, on keeping his expenses at the minimum, and on the elimination of waste. The farmer needs to learn that he should apply the same principles to his business.

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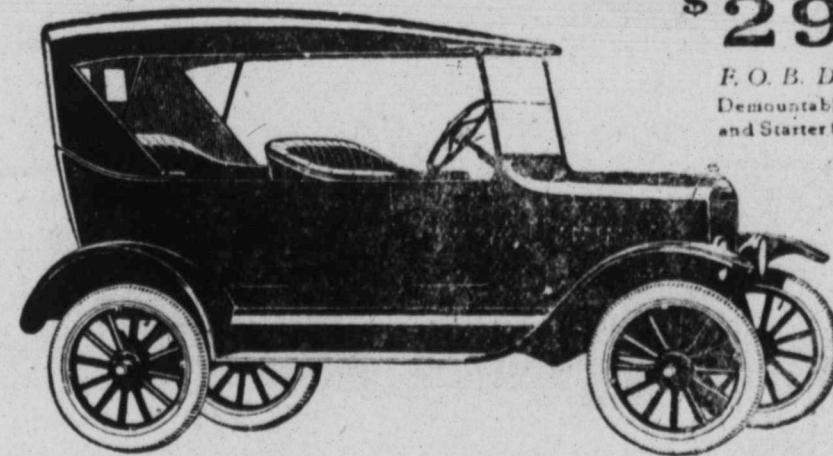
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Wayside Items

A pretty good rain fell Sunday night at Wayside. More than for a long time. Gardens and growing crops will be benefitted.

Happy Happenings

Miss Jewell Morton of Plainview is visiting with relatives here this week. Miss Gladys Miller spent Sunday with Hazel Brown.

TO THE VOTERS OF RANDALL COUNTY.

At the time I withdrew from the County Treasurer's race I felt that, I was justified in making the statement which appeared in the Randall County News.

ed in various newspapers, advising that this Law did not change the per diem of the County Judge and that the old law governed.



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"INSPIRATION OF SCRIPTURES" BAPTIST PASTOR'S THEME

Rev. Lyn Claybrook, pastor of the Baptist church will preach again Sunday morning on "The Inspiration of the Scriptures." He will speak specifically on the proofs that the Bible is the word of God.

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The Fascist plan of supporting right with might, irrespective of written law, seems to have got a following in many countries since the war. Mitsuru Toyama, a sort of Japanese Robin Hood, is said to exercise a powerful influence over the fortunes of Japan.

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Near-sighted children, in the opinion of the council of British ophthalmologists, should be awarded no scholarships intended to fit the incumbents for teaching. The opinion has naturally caused considerable dissent, especially among parents, but it is probably based on sound sense and looks to the ultimate good of the greatest number.

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Her Make-Up Deadly. Lillian Warren, of Canada, adopted a modern "make-up" when she reached California, and so shocked her wheat-growing sweet-heart, Dana Stewart, 30, that he committed suicide by shooting.

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