

# THE CASTRO COUNTY NEWS

YOUR HOME NEWSPAPER

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## Musical Gray's Will Play Here All Next Week

Arrangements have been completed for the Musical Grays Stock company showing in their big tent to show in Dimmitt all week starting Monday, August 13, under the auspices of the Dimmitt Department. All new plays presented with good vaudeville between acts as usual the orchestra, "The Missouri" opening play "The Awakening" John Slater, 3-act comedy of life, told with many a An excellent acting cast is featured this year, including L. Gray, Verona Gray, Helene Gray, Erman Gray, Walsh, Thelma Collins, Frank Ora Manning, Joe Jones and

reasonable prices, 10c - 25c, seats only 10c. Ladies free every night with each adult. Doors open each night at 8. Show starts at 8:45. It is the same show that was in last summer. It is guaranteed to be bigger and better this

## Old Bible School September 15th

The fifteenth of September our Bible school will open at Methodist Church. All the in Castro county are invited. General Bible courses and stories will be taught. There is a class on the child's place in the church. A period devoted to craftsmanship for boys and sewing for the girls, and learn how to play and church doctrine of any kind taught.

## MESA BRIDGE CLUB

The Mesa Bridge Club met Mrs. Curtis Tate August 3. James C. S. Holland and Byrley won high score and Mrs. Benton won low score. Ice cream and cake were to the following members: James Buck Wood, Lawrence master, Marion Benton, Claude Harvey Youts and guests: James Byron Shipley, C S Holbyford Ricketts and hostess Curtis Tate.

Ira Lee Sanders of Plainview conducting a revival for the Christ at Lazbuddy this Three services will be held Sunday and dinner will be served on the grounds. The public is invited to attend all services.

and Mrs. W E McCuan enjoyed visit of Mr. McCuan's parents in Texas last week. The Jones and Ed West left week for market. They will be the World's Fair. and Mrs. Paul Frey who have visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank left for their home in Kansas, Wednesday.

James S C Huckabay, Joe Goland Carlos Reynolds were in on one day last week. and Mrs J R Gollehon left week for an extended visit in

## GIRL SCOUTS

Ten Dimmitt girls answered camp call with eighty other Panhandle girls Tuesday at their annual camp in Ceta Canyon. Mrs. W G Baxter chaperoned the Dimmitt girls. Mr. W G Baxter drove down from Amarillo every day with fresh supplies for the hungry crew. Those in camp are: Tina Mae Wright, leader, Vera Byrnes, Ouida Byrnes, Lorene Conner, Lucille Kirkpatrick, Maribel Carson, Hazel Hinson, Jewel Hinson, Dorothy Hastings and Wanda Gipson. The girls are enjoying all the lores of cut door life, swimming, hiking, games, cooking, and sleeping under the stars. All of them plan to pass their tender foot tests before they return. All of them will see the sun set in the canyon. We wonder how many of them will see it rise? Mail will reach your girls by addressing it to Happy, care of Girls Camp, Ceta Canyon.

## ROTHWELL - WAGGONER

In Amarillo Saturday evening at 10:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M C Cone, Miss Ruth Waggoner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H N Waggoner and Mr. J. R. Rothwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell were quietly married with Rev. R C Snodgrass officiating. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Patterson.

## CURTIS - MAYFIELD

Mr. Freeman Curtis and Miss Lorena Mayfield of Dimmitt were married July 22 at the home of the bride. Rev. Howell of Dimmitt performed the ceremony with a group of close friends present. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis spent a week visiting relatives including the parents of Mr. Curtis at Meadow, Texas. They plan to make their home at Fieldton where Mr. Curtis will teach school.

## FAREWELL PARTY

Saturday evening at 9 o'clock a farewell party honoring Miss Ruth Crump was given by Miss Thelma Jones and Miss Daphne Hutchings at the home of Miss Hutchings. A scavenger hunt and weenie roast were enjoyed by a number of friends who came to bid her farewell. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Truett Boothe, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wright Miss Tina Mae Wright, Miss Louise Fain, Mrs. Hutchings and daughter, Faye, Messrs. Giles Tate, Lon Woodburn, Bill Walker, Dan Boothe, Emmett Bost and Herschel Hutchings, the honoree and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas H Dean, Mrs. F B Boren and Jack and Don Spikes motored to Amarillo Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Lena Dee Thompson and Mrs. Faye Sweatt made a business trip to Hereford Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T A Singer motored to the Palo Duro Park Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H E Witte are in Waco this week for the graduation of their daughter, Elma who finished high school. Elma's friends here will be pleased to learn of her graduation.

J. J. Hastings and F. Louis Grafton took supplies to the Girl Scouts in Ceta Canyon Wednesday.

**DIMMITT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Sundy School 10 A. M.  
Morning Service 11 A. M.  
Evening Service 8:30 P. M.  
F. Louis Grafton Minister.

## Tarwater Fails To Get Clear Majority

State Representative A. E. Tarwater, candidate for re-election was in Dimmitt Thursday. There was some uncertainty as to whether there would be a run-off in the Representative's race at that time. Official returns from all counties except Bailey showed that Mr. Tarwater lacked 55 votes of receiving a majority over both Johnston and Hick Halcomb. Mr. Johnston was second man but had not determined Thursday whether he would enter the run-off or not.

## SINGING AT CLEO

Everyone is cordially invited to attend singing at Cleo, Sunday, August 12. As this will be the last singing at Cleo before county convention to be held at Dimmitt on the fourth Sunday, August 26, everyone is invited to come and help make preparations for that day. Everyone is invited.

## SUNNYSIDE 4-H CLUB

The Sunnyside 4-H Club girls met Wednesday, August 1, at 10:30 at the home of Avanel Gilmer. The president of our club took Miss Clark's place and showed us how to Swedish weave.

Mrs. Gilmer served dinner to the following members: Lavern Duke, Anna D. Bradley, Avanelle Gilmer, Pauline, Madge and Ella Jo Winders. Visitors were: Emma Lou Bradley, Robert Duke, and Neal Coventry. The Club will meet Aug. 15th at 9:00 o'clock at the home of Anna D. Bradley and each member is to bring a covered dish which they will take to Lavern Duke's for dinner.

Mrs. Duke and Cleary Winders are taking the Sunny Side 4-H Club girls to Hereford on a picnic. Each girl is to bring a quilt and 15 or 25 cents and some canned food. We will leave after the womens club has adjourned and spend the night and the following day.

## CHICKEN BARBECUE

Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock Miss Norra Cowsett and Miss Mayme Cox entertained with a chicken barbecue. Those who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McLean, Miss Florence Ross, Miss Louise Whitlow, Messrs. Frank Grafton, Allen Darling, Floyd Smith, Tom Hanks, and Carl Kemp and the hostesses.

Mrs. Jess Gladman and Mrs. K. Gladman were Plainview visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Crump and family are moving to Mobetie this week.

Mr. Charles Bowden of McLean, who purchased the Ralph Cox place was here this week and is planning to move here in the near future.

Andy Nelson and Messrs. Bill and Edgar Bailey of McLean were business visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Dean and baby, Mr. and Mrs. S P Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Huckabay and Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Reynolds and family spent Sunday at the Palo Duro park and Gordon Cummings ranch.

Mrs. R V McMahon and children left Monday for a visit with relatives at Bowie, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. S P Crawford are visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Burgess and family near Happy.

Mrs. Etta Brashears and Miss Sara, Mrs. W S Hembree and Miss Pauline were shopping in Plainview Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Gano Hastings returned home Friday after an extended visit with relatives and friends in Athens. Her parents and sister accompanied her home. They all left Monday for a few days trip to Ruidosa, N. M. and other points west.

## Gift Campaign Is In Second Period

Going up! Swinging away for the finish, all attingle with high hopes and nearly-realized ambitions, candidates in The News' now famous New Deal Gift Distribution have swelled their totals to splendid marks. From now on to the finish it will be an exciting race between the leaders to see who will capture the first grand prize, a 1934 Chevrolet Standard Six Sedan, worth \$642.00. This car has been purchased from the Dimmitt Motor Co., Inc. The first period of the campaign which closed Monday night, was a tremendous success, but a strange coincidence, unusual in affairs of this kind has appeared. Each of the leading candidates benefitted so equally during the period just close that a hair-line decision, almost, is required to determine today's leaders. Unexpectedly, therefore, the competition to determine the ultimate winners depends almost entirely upon the results obtained by the various contestants in the great race between now and the final moments. There are the facts in a nutshell! The struggle for supremacy must be fought out in the next few days, for the campaign closes in just a few more days. The second period ends Monday, August 20.

## NAOMI LEE CIRCLE

The Naomi Lee Missionary Society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. D. Neumayer. Various business was transacted after which a very pleasant social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments consisting of apricot ice cream and angle food cake was served to the following members: Mesdames Homer Newton, Joe Gollehon, Chas. Dean, Jess Gladman, P. P. Robb, C. O. Bernes, Bill Webb and the hostess.

Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Robb Monday, August 13 at 8:30. We are anxious that each member be present. We have time for everything else, so why not time for the Lord's work?—Reporter.

## BRIDAL SHOWER

A pre-nuptial bridal shower honoring Miss Ruth Waggonner was given by Misses Ona Fay and Lilla Mae Smith at the home of Mrs. Harry Rothwell Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A beautiful color scheme of pink and white was attractively arranged throughout the floral decorations. There were approximately fifty-five guests present and many beautiful and useful gifts were received.

Rev. Allen Darling who has been visiting with Rev. Louis Grafton will be in Snyder for the remainder of the summer. Miss Louise Whitlow and Miss Norma Cowsett were shopping in Plainview Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Rideway and daughter of Lamesa are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. L G Manning.

Mrs. Dilmond Neumayer, Mrs. Ed West and Mrs. W A Jones were Hereford visitors Sunday.

Mrs. K Gladman and son Danny of Arkansas City, Kansas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gladman.

Miss Ruth Wright who is in training at Lubbock visited her parents this week.

Mr. H C Webb returned Sunday from Biloxi, Miss., where he attended an insurance convention.

Mrs. Roy G Smith and daughters Lilla Mae and Catherine left Wednesday for a few days visit with friends and relatives in Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Whitlow were visitors in Kress and Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J T Smith of Clarendon, father of Clarence Smith were visitors here over the weekend.

## Bear With Us Cotton Growers Can Get Papers

There will be, of necessity, for the duration of the big circulation campaign of The Castro County News, a great deal of confusion and delays in subscribers receiving their papers. New subscribers need not worry if they do not receive the first issue following date of their subscription. But if they do not get the paper within two or three weeks they are urged to get in touch with the News office.

Some folks are getting two papers because of inaccurate addresses. These things are all a part of a subscription campaign and will be worked out in time. There is one important thing to remember, however, more important than anything else. CHECK THE EXPIRATION DATE ON YOUR PAPER.

Opposite your name on the paper or wrapper is a figure which denotes the date your subscription expires. The first numeral designates the month and the second, the year. For instance, if your subscription expires in October of this year the date reads "10-34." If you renewed for one year with one of the contestants your new date should read "10-35." If you renewed for two years it should be "10-36."

A subscriber who turned in a five year new subscription should have either 8-39 or 9-39. Check these VERY CAREFULLY. It will avoid bother, both for you and for us.

## ATTENTION BOY SCOUTS

You have less than three weeks in which to pass your second class tests. This must be done if you plan to take the trip with the troop. If you need to earn the money for your trip see your scoutmaster at once.

## FLAGG

The meeting closed Sunday evening with several new additions to the church and several reclamations. Seven were baptized Sunday afternoon. Bro. Smithee preached us a farewell sermon Sunday evening as his wife here is up and he and his wife are entering Baylor University. We think that there were none in this entire neighborhood who did not regret to lose these fine people and it was with tears and sad hearts that many bade them goodbye. We hope and believe that their year with us will have a lasting influence for good with many. Mr. and Mrs. W A Senter and Avis Jean are attending a family reunion at Leuders. Mr. and Mrs. C A Hogue visited near Earth Monday.

L C Gage and E G Snapka were business visitors in Lubbock Saturday.

Visitors in the J K Tidmore home Sunday were: Ray Stephens and wife, Doris Kirksey and Elsie Irene Longan.

Miss Fly Bell spent Saturday night with Misses Mildred Simmons and Maude Low Gilliland.

The JUG club met in the afternoon of last Wednesday with Christine Moore. Cookies and lemonade were served to all members present and Helen Johnson who was a visitor.

Lois Mundell spent Monday night with Leola Longan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stephens and Joy Sue were in Flagg Tuesday afternoon.

We haven't seen anyone who has changed his mind about needing a rain.

Miss Louise Pain of Crowell is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Paul Hembree.

Miss Vera Bymes returned Friday from a few days visit in Tulia, Plainview and Amherst.

Mr. Jim Skipworth was called to the bedside of his sister Mrs. Ira Hachtettler of Pomona, California. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duree and family of Idaho are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. Rayman Glasgow of Henrietta is visiting Mr. Ross Cox.

## Cotton Meetings

All cotton growers in the county who did not sign up (on days designated) for their allotment of tax exemption certificates, should do so at once, according to an announcement from the county agent's office. Instructions from State Headquarters says that the final date for applications will be set some time this month. Cotton contracts for 1934 have been modified to permit unrestricted use as livestock feed including pasture hay and roughage crops from land covered by contract including rented acres. Harvesting and use or sale of seed from meadow pasture and forage crops will also be permitted cotton, wheat, corn and tobacco contracts. These modifications were prompted by the extreme drought situation.

## Good Crowd Attends Housewarming Sat.

Over two hundred Castro county people visited and inspected the plant of The Castro County News, Saturday afternoon of last week when open house was held. Punch and cookies were served to the visitors. The flowers were won by Mrs. A. C. Grant. The whole affair was declared a huge success by the publishers of The News.

## HART H. D. REPORT

The Hart H. D. Club met with Mrs. Bill Johnson, July 26. Miss Clark was present and gave a demonstration on making fruit drinks out of rhubarb juice and lemons, oranges and pineapple. Mrs. M. F. Saunders gave a demonstration on making bound button holes.

There were 14 members present, Mesdames Rayford Davis, C B Priddy, Ray, Jones, Lennie Nash, Herbert Wells, M F Saunders, Claude Stewart, L G Sears, Gob Whitlow, Bill Ewers, J J Keaton, Percy Hart, Marvin Nash, Miss Clark and the hostess.

The next meeting August 9 will be with Mrs. M F Saunders at which time we will have our yearly birthday party.—Reporter.

The Alice Bagby Circle met at the Baptist Church, August 6th. A very interesting program was rendered. There were twenty members and one visitor present.

Mr. and Mrs. J P Martin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Martin and baby have returned home after an extended trip through northeast Texas and Oklahoma.

Miss Mabel Kimbell returned home last Sunday from Kress where she had been visiting her sister.

Mrs. Lena Dee Thompson and daughters Miss Lilla Mae, Mrs. W. A. Murphy, Mrs. Faye Sweatt and Lena Frances visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. H P Austin at Portales last Sunday. Another sister, Mrs. Vernon Pylant and family of Colorado City were there also.

Mr. and Mrs. J T Mooty of Big Square were business visitors in Dimmitt Wednesday.

## Candidates Standing

JUNE McCOWAN	486,000
LENA DEE THOMPSON	1,203,000
LORENE CONNER, Cleo	1,197,000
CECIL MONTGOMERY	1,208,000
ROSE DOBMEIER, Nazareth	1,203,000
FRANCIS JACKSON	1,216,000
L. G. COOPER, Hart	1,192,000
PURVIS DANIELS	492,000
CLARA BOONE	1,203,000
LOLA LONGAN, Flagg	1,188,000



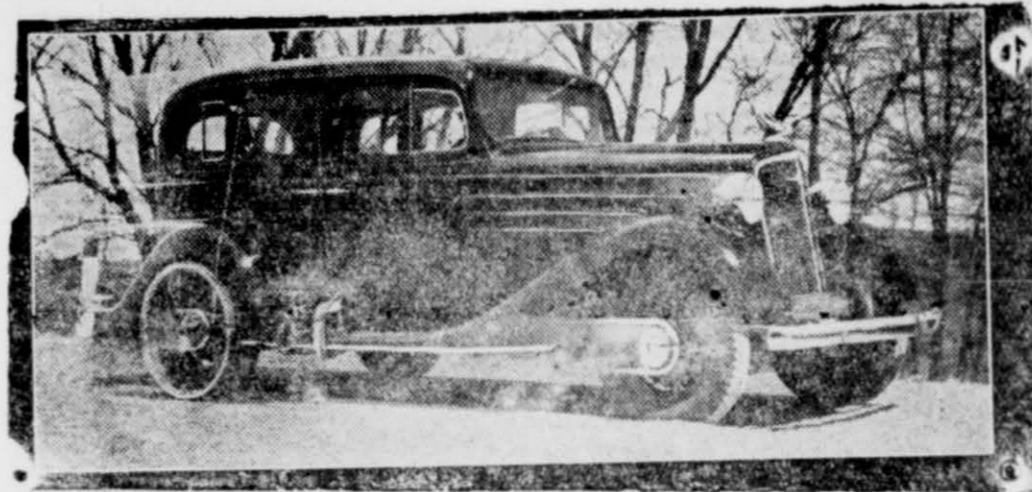
# Real Live Wire Candidates Will Not Slow Down

Some Candidates Seem To Think That Because The First Period Is Over They Have Won Their Prize

## Just A Little Tip To Them

Owing to the closeness of the campaign it is suicidal to lag for a single moment. You must not let down but get right after them in this last big vote period if you wish to win one of these big prizes that are being offered to the contestants in this history making campaign.

### GRAND CAPITAL PRIZE



CHEVROLET COACH

PURCHASED AT A COST OF \$642.00 FROM DIMMITT MOTOR COMPANY, INC.

Second Grand Prize  
**\$100 in cash**

Third Prize \$50.00 IN CASH

The Persons Who Wish To Win Will Really WORK Not ALIBI Themselves With What They MIGHT Do Later On!

## DID YOU WORK YESTERDAY?

As Is Shown in the Published List, Many Have Been Dropped From the Race

Only The "Live Ones" Remain

Second Period Ends Monday, August 20 at 9 p. m.

Due to the extreme closeness of the standings and the keen competition manifest, it will depend to a great extent on what is done in this Big Second Period As to Who Will Be THE FINAL WINNERS. Don't

Think, because the first period is over that the race is too. It is Close. Make No Mistake About That!

# Castro County News

Dimmitt, Texas

CAMPAIGN DEPARTMENT OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK

TELEPHONE

#### PROBATION RESOLUTION NO. 2

That the Legislature of the State of Texas, by a two-thirds vote of both Houses, do hereby amend the Constitution of this State, Article 16, Section 61, which shall read as follows:

#### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereinafter read as follows:

#### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 21

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

#### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 39

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 16, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

#### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 5 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

#### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 42

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 30, Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

Section 2. The duration of all offices not fixed by this Constitution shall never exceed two (2) years, except the elected officials of a city that has adopted and amended its Charter as provided in Section 37, Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amendment to such city's charter hold office not to exceed four (4) years; provided, that when a Railroad Commission is created by law it shall be composed of

three (3) Commissioners who shall be elected by the people at a general election for State officers, and their term of office shall be six (6) years; provided, Railroad Commissioners first elected after this Amendment goes into effect shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two (2) years, and one four (4) years and one six (6) years; their terms to be decided by lot immediately after they shall have qualified. And one Railroad Commissioner shall be elected every two (2) years thereafter. In case of vacancy in said office the Governor of the State shall fill said vacancy by appointment until the next General Election.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State at the next general election, to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words: "For the Amendment of Section 3 of Article VII of the State Constitution providing for the levying and collection of taxes and fixing the maximum amount thereof which can be collected and expended each biennium."

Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

Section 2. Within the territory of any county or counties now existing, the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote of both Houses, create new counties, combine existing counties and parts of counties and abolish existing counties and change county boundaries at will, provided that no new county shall be created with an area of less than nine hundred square miles nor shall any existing county be reduced in area so as to contain less than nine hundred square miles, unless such new county or such remaining county, and both shall have a population of not less than fifty thousand according to the last United States census prior to the date of the creation or change of such county. When any part of a county is stricken off and attached to, or created into another county, the part stricken off shall be held for and obliged to pay its proportion of all liabilities then existing of the county from which it was taken, in such manner as may be prescribed by law.

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934. At this election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words: "For the amendment to Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote of both Houses create new counties and change the boundaries of existing counties."

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DR. ELMER MOORE  
Dentist  
Phones—Res. 15 — Office 16  
Dimmitt, Texas

### FOR EVERY TREE 250 Gallons Water FREE

The City of Dimmitt will deduct 250 gallons of water for every tree on your place during the month of August. For instance if you have ten trees around your home you will be entitled to 2500 gallons of water FREE during August. This is being done in an effort to help save the trees and it is the sincere hope of the City Officials that no one will permit their trees to die for lack of water. We believe this offer will materially aid in helping to keep alive the trees of Dimmitt.

### CITY of DIMMITT

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### ... Climaxes Continental's 59 Years of Leadership!

Continental Oil Company's half-century of quality leadership reaches a climax in New and Improved Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil. It is the result of over two years of research and experiment and 963,000 miles of road tests.

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ONE OF THE PRODUCTS OF CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY  
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Every Wednesday Night, over NBC including  
WFAA-WBAP at 8:30 p. m. Central Standard  
Time, Harry Baham — Jack Benny and His  
Music and John B. Kennedy.  
Conoco Products For Sale By  
Fred Boswell Dimmitt, Texas



**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION  
NO. 14**

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That there be added to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be numbered Section 2-A and to have five (5) lettered sub-divisions and which section shall read as follows:

"Section 2-A.  
(a) General management and control of the affairs of the County shall hereafter be vested in the Commissioners' Court, provided that in the exercise of powers not specifically granted to the Commissioners' Court by the Constitution and Amendments thereto, the Court shall be subject to the authority of the Legislature of the State, and the Court shall also be subject to all general laws of the State now in force not in conflict with the provisions of this amendment until such laws are modified or repealed.

(b) All duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the District Court and County Clerk shall hereafter be performed by an officer to be known as Record Clerk; all duties heretofore performed by the County Tax Assessor and the County Tax Collector shall hereafter be performed by one officer known as Tax Clerk; and in the counties where the sheriff performs the duties of the Tax Collector he may hereafter perform the duties of the Tax Clerk. The Record Clerk and the Tax Clerk shall be elected to hold office for a term of two (2) years and until their successors shall be elected and qualified. The Commissioners' Court shall have authority to combine the office of County Treasurer and the office of County Surveyor, or to combine either, or both, of said offices with any county office. Within the maximum and minimum limits prescribed by the Legislature the Commissioners' Court shall have authority to fix the compensation of all county and precinct officers, except County Auditor, County Judge and County Commissioners. The Legislature shall fix the compensation of District Judges, District Attorneys,

County Judges and County Commissioners and may provide for a County auditor and prescribe his duties and fix his compensation and the number and compensation of his assistants. The Commissioners' Court shall fix the compensation of and determine the number of deputies, assistants and clerical personnel of all precinct officers and county officers except the county auditor.

(c) City and county officers and employees may, in addition to their duties as such city and county officers or employees, be required to perform such other similar duties for cities, towns and districts within the county, or for the county, as may be mutually agreed upon and contracted for between the Commissioners' Court of said county and the governing board, or boards, of such cities, towns and districts; and the cost of such service shall be provided for in said contracts and paid by such county, cities, towns or districts into the Treasury of the county or city, town or district, as provided for in said contract. All such contracts shall be approved by the Attorney General of this State and such contracts shall not cover a period longer than two (2) years.

(d) The Legislature shall have authority, by general law, to provide for complete forms of county government and organizations different from that provided for in this Constitution to become effective in any county when submitted in such manner as may be prescribed by the Legislature to the qualified voters of such county in an election held for such purpose and approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting in said election. Provided, however, that no such law shall impair the right of the Commissioners' Court to determine the compensation of county and precinct officers other than the County Auditor, to fix the number of assistants, deputies, and clerical personnel which said officers may employ; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations as to particular and total tax levies for any or all county purposes; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations on counties to incur public debts.

(e) In any and all cases where provisions of the Constitution of this State are in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment, the provision of this Amendment (Section 2-A, Article IX) shall control; provided, however, should any county adopt a Home Rule Charter under authority of any provisions of the State Constitution or Amendment thereto, this Amendment shall not be applicable to such county.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State, qualified to vote on Constitutional

Amendments, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words:

"For the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners' Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government and different than as now provided by law."

"Against the Amendment of Article IX of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners' Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government, and different than as now provided by law."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy.  
W. W. HEATH,  
Secretary of State.

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION  
NO. 16**

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 1. Taxation To Be Equal and Uniform As To Real Estate and To Be Equal and Uniform As To All Reasonable Classifications of Property; And Occupation and Income Taxes; Exemptions; Limitations Upon Counties, Cities, Etc.

"Taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform. All property in this State, whether owned by natural persons or corporations, other than municipal, shall be taxed in proportion to its value, which shall be ascertained as may be provided by law. The Legislature may by general laws make reasonable classifications of all property other than real property for the purpose of taxation, and may impose different rates thereon; provided that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform. The Legislature may impose a poll tax. It may also impose occupation taxes, both upon natural persons and upon corporations other than municipal, doing business in this State. It may also tax incomes of both natural persons and corporations other than municipal, except that persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits shall never be required to pay an occupation tax; provided that Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture, belonging to each family in the State, shall be exempt from taxation, and provided further that

the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town for any year on persons or corporations pursuing any profession or business, shall not exceed one-half of the tax levied by the State for the same period of such profession or business."

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934. At this election, all voters favoring said amendment shall write, or have printed, on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations, shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation, and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; and exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family; and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

Those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation; and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax, and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family; and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

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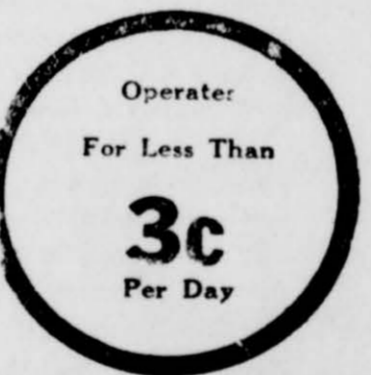
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