

# THE SANDERSON TIMES

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## NO INTERFERENCE BY BOARD SEEN IN BENEVIDEZ CASE

The State Board of Pardons is expected to interfere no longer with the scheduled electrocution of Emiliano Bnaveidez, Mexican ranch laborer, on a conviction of slaying Henry Calcote, Eldorado ranchman.

The Mexican is slated to go to the electric chair next week-end, possibly Saturday. He is also accused of murdering three other members of the ranch family.

The board's hands-off policy is expected since the Mexican government has not taken advantage of a 90-day reprieve to submit evidence in behalf of Benevidez.

The original clemency had been requested of Gov. Coke R. Stevenson and the Board by Secretary of State Cordell Hull upon solicitation of the Mexican embassy.

The Mexican government asked the delay in order to check on how Mexican nationals purportedly had helped turn Benevidez back to Texas law enforcement officers at the border below Sanderson after he had escaped the net thrown out under discovery of the quadruple murder.

District Attorney O. C. Fisher of San Angelo, who prosecuted the case, had planned to protest further delay in carrying out the mandate of the jury and the court. The case had been upheld by the Court of Criminal Appeals.—San Angelo Standard-Times.

## District Governor To Speak to Rotary At Wednesday Lunch

On Wednesday, August 12, the Rotary Club of Sanderson will welcome Roscoe C. Pryor, governor of the 129th District of

## RANCH EMPLOYEE SUCCUMBS TO HEART ATTACK

Funeral services for Rupert Hayden Gilbert, 42, were held in Fort Stockton Monday morning from the Methodist Church with the Rev. A. C. Douglas, pastor, officiating. He had suffered a heart attack.



ROS COE C. PRYOR

An employee on the West Cattle Co. ranch west of Sanderson, Gilbert was found dead by a fellow employee between two and three o'clock Saturday afternoon. The two men had started out to round up horses and had separated with the understanding that they would meet at a certain windmill. After arriving at the appointed meeting place and waiting for about thirty minutes, his companion started out in search of him. The body was found lying under a tree with his horse standing nearby. Indications were that Gilbert had become ill and had gotten off the horse to lie on the ground, using his gloves as a pillow. It was understood that he had suffered a short illness several days before the heart attack Saturday.

The body was brought to the Oberkamp Funeral Parlor and was carried to Fort Stockton Sunday in an Oberkamp coach. Survivors include his father, S. E. Gilbert Sr. of Roswell, N.M.; a sister, Mrs. E. F. Noelke of San Angelo; and a brother S. E. Gilbert Jr. of the U. S. Navy.

## Beauford Jester To Discuss Campaign In Radio Talk Friday

Corsicana, August 5—Opening his runoff battle for the State Railroad Commission, Beauford Jester will discuss the importance of his campaign in a radio speech to a statewide audience from his home town, Corsicana, at 4:30 p. m., Friday, August 7. The talk will be carried over a fifteen station network.

## Terrell Salvage Board Begins Campaign for Scrap Metals

To meet the nation's war needs for scrap iron and steel and other salvage materials, a new intensive drive will be started this month in Terrell County, it was announced by R. E. Corder, chairman of the local Salvage Committee. The local drive is part of the nationwide drive announced by Donald M. Nelson, WPB chairman.



BEAUFORD H. JESTER

"As the war becomes more intensive on the various foreign fronts," Mr. Corder said, "the need for scrap materials has steadily increased." He declared that while collections of various types of salvage have already been made here from time to time, the expanding requirements of the war program have made it necessary to obtain much larger amounts of materials.

"The American steel industry this year hopes to produce a record-breaking 85,000,000 tons of steel—as much as all foreign countries put together can make. Our country alone this year is going to produce three tons of steel for every two tons the Axis can turn out.

"To bring steel production up to the industry's 1942 capacity of 90,000,000 tons, however, our steel industry needs an extra 6,000,000 tons of scrap steel for its furnaces. Every ton of scrap we can send them will swell our national production of tanks, ships, planes and guns."

In addition to scrap iron and steel, the materials to be collected are brass and other non-ferrous metals and rubber.

Mr. Corder stated that persons who bring in their scrap iron and other salvage materials are notified to leave them in the old dirt tank west of the home of Mrs. W. E. Stirman. Persons who have more scrap iron, steel and rubber or other materials than can be hauled in are asked to notify the commissioner of their precinct and a county truck will pick up all such materials that have been piled up in a convenient place. Persons who want to contribute the materials are informed that the Salvage Committee will properly dispose of them and that the proceeds will go to the Red Cross or other worthy causes. Those who do not wish to contribute the metal are asked to keep the metal until the day of the big Junk Rally which will be announced soon. Efforts are being made to have a junk dealer on hand for this occasion who will gladly pay the market price for all salvage material.

It was pointed out that no tin cans were wanted in this collection because of the fact that there is no can shredding plant near enough to this point to which cans can be shipped without the expense being greater than the metal gained from the cans. For the same reason—no rendering plant near—no fats are wanted at this time. The saving of fats has been found feasible only within a 100-mile radius of a rendering plant.

"An increasing number of boys from this city are already seeing active service," Mr. Corder said. "We on the home front must see to it that industry shall not lack the materials needed for adequately arming and equipping them.

"Every housewife can play an important part in this drive. She should carefully inspect all of her household furnishings—to find out what equipment she has that has outlived its usefulness.

"An old iron pot or a knife in the kitchen, the steel springs of an old upholstered chair in the attic, some discarded pipe or heating equipment in the cellar, unused wire clothes hangers in a closet—these are a few of the items that will provide pounds and pounds of scrap.

"Waste kitchen pots, and rubber, are also needed badly and should be turned in.

"Please get out this scrap—and get in the scrap."

"The people of Texas need a war veteran and a fully qualified Railroad Commissioner who will see to it that every industry regulated by the commission can and does function at its maximum in our war effort," Mr. Jester declared.

A native of Corsicana, Jester is a graduate of Texas University and served from 1932 to 1935 as chairman of the university's board of regents. He interrupted his law studies to go overseas in 1917 as an infantry captain in the 90th Division. He saw action in the St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne offensives. Returning to the law after the Armistice, he completed his studies and has practiced in Corsicana ever since. He has taught a Sunday school class in his Methodist church since 1924, and since 1935 has been a member of the State Advisory Board of the National Youth Administration.

The July War Bond quota for Terrell County was met by residents of the county with a little to spare. The quota was set at \$15,500 and purchases amounted to \$15,734.80 according to figures obtained from the Sanderson State Bank and the local post office. Quotas previously had been figured on the maturity value of the bonds but beginning in July they are figured on the actual sale price.

Postmaster Clyde Griffith reported the sale of \$1,312.50 in bonds and \$509.80 in stamps and C. P. Peavy reported sales of bonds amounting to \$13,912.50 making total sales for the county, not including sales at the Dryden post office which were unavailable at this time, \$15,734.80, or \$234.80 above the quota.

According to figures set for the entire state for August the quota will be a few hundred dollars lighter than that set for July. Reports from the bank and post office indicate, however, that few persons are contributing toward this quota. The August quota was met only because of several heavy purchasers and a greater effort must be put forth if the county is to continue meeting these quotas each month. It is urged that every person in the county put at least 10% of their monthly earnings into War Bonds and Stamps.

## WAR BOND QUOTA IS 'OVER THE TOP' IN TERRELL COUNTY

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## BUYS CORRIEDALE RAMS

E. W. Hardgrave reports the purchase of several Corriedale stud rams at the San Angelo Sheep show and sales last week. He purchased one ram from Malcolm Moncrieffe, Big Horn, Wyo., at \$125; one H. C. Noelke ram at \$100; one ram from Bean of Calif., at \$95; two rams bred by Hoyt at \$90; and ten purebred Corriedale range rams at \$450. He was accompanied to the sale by Mrs. Hardgrave and from there they went to Abilene where Mrs. Hardgrave remained for a visit with their son, Lee Hardgrave and family.

Miss Lauretta Dillard left Saturday for Abilene where she will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnson.

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## Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson Is Hostess To Wednesday Club

Members and guests of the Wednesday Bridge Club were entertained by Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson at her home on club day this week. Bouquets of assorted summer flowers furnished the decoration for the entertaining rooms.

Mrs. John Reininger won high score prize and Mrs. Bustin Canon was winner of second high.

The hostess served peach ice cream, cookies and a fruit drink to Mesdames Bustin Canon, Roy Bogusch, James Kerr, John Reininger, Steve Stumberg, J. R. Link, C. P. Peavy, W. H. Savage, Hugh Rose, Mary Lou Keller, D. M. Wells and James Caroline.

## War-Made Shortage Will Reduce Choices Of Interior Paints

Before long, paints of many types are going to become scarce. Mrs. Bernice Claytor, specialist in home improvement for the A&M College Extension Service, says the shortages will be felt especially in paints, varnishes, and enamels for interiors. The reason is these require natural or synthetic resins. For some time synthetic resins have been earmarked for exclusive war use, and lately the War Production Board has ordered a 50 per cent cut in the amount of natural resins manufactured for civilian purposes.

Here are some of the specialist's suggestions for choosing and using interior paints to the best advantage.

Semi-gloss paint, which washes well and is not too harsh in appearance, is suitable for kitchens and bathrooms. Flat paint gives a "soft" appearance and is best for large areas such as walls and ceilings. It soils less quickly than gloss paint, but it will not stand up as well under washing.

Calcimine is the cheapest wall paint available. Though it cannot be cleaned, it can be washed off entirely and a new coat applied. The specialist cautions: "Don't use calcimine on smooth woodwork or on walls which have been covered with oil paint." The coating eventually will chip off and make later repainting far harder.

Enamel should be used only on very smooth surfaces, for it makes holes, chips, and scars more noticeable. Homemakers who want to avoid the trouble of sandpapering and planing uneven surfaces, should use a gloss or semi-gloss paint instead of enamel.

## OPA Administrator Stresses Importance Of Press and Radio

Region OPA Administrator Max L. McCullough this week publicly expressed his appreciation to the press and radio for the fine part which they have played in getting information on price and rent control and rationing before the people.

"The Office of Price Administration's program, which reaches into every home and every business house in the nation, has been a difficult one to publicize," Mr. McCullough declared, "and the press and radio have done a splendid job in disseminating information.

"War-time has doubled the tremendous responsibilities which these informational media have, particularly on the home front, and our office is grateful for the splendid cooperation which we have received from them.

"Time and again the press and radio have answered our call when help was needed to get information before the people, and their cooperation has aided us immeasurably. The price program, though far from complete, would have certainly bogged down long ago had it not been for publication and broadcast of information," Mr. McCullough concluded.

## Hitch-Hiker Sign Given New Meaning By Motor Association

The old familiar hitch-hiker sign—four fingers closed and thumb—may have a new meaning when the educational campaign for drivers just launched by Texas Motor Transportation Association gets under way.

Instead of indicating that he wants you to slow down and give him a lift, a passing motorist who leans out of his car and gives you this signal will be warning you that you are driving on a partially flat tire.

Following suggestions of conservation-conscious members who have been giving thought to every angle of tire-salvage, the association has endorsed this plan and hopes to make the custom universal, not only for the duration, but for peacetime as well.

Roughly speaking, the procedure is for all motorists to keep a weather eye out for tires on the vehicle just ahead—whether it be truck or passenger car—and if there is indication of a partially flat tire, make it a point to pass such car when it can be safely done, giving three short blasts of the horn to attract attention, followed by the "hitch-hiker" signal which will inform him of an impending puncture or, worse still, a possible blow-out.

Automobile associations and other transportation organizations throughout the country will be asked to cooperate in the movement with the hope of contributing, by this means, to the tire-saving program of the Office of Defense Transportation and other defense agencies.

## TO REPORT FOR DUTY

Troy Druse and Bert Herbert were notified this week that they were to report Monday morning at San Antonio for active duty with the Air Corps. They volunteered in the latter part of March and since April 1 have been on a waiting list of cadets. They will enter training immediately.

## BICYCLISTS

Putting the idea of riding bicycles to save tires into practice, Douglas Bell, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Bell, and Bland Gates Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gates, left Friday of last week on their bikes and arrived in Alpine that evening. After spending the night with Mr. and Mrs. Duane E. Smith, they returned to Sanderson Saturday.

## WAAC Applications May Now Be Filed At All Army Stations

Lieut. Col. Marvin B. Durette, commander of West Texas Recruiting and Induction District, Lubbock, stated this week that his office is now accepting applications from women for the WAAC auxiliaries.

Col. Durette stated that women previously recommended to Washington whose applications for officers candidacy are awaiting final decisions as to eligibility as officer candidates may be enrolled as auxiliaries without prejudicing their rights if later selected as Officer Candidates.

Applicants who have already sent applications to the War Department are advised to resubmit them to the nearest Army Recruiting and Induction Station.

Applications will be accepted from women, without regard to color, between the ages of 21 to 45.

Questions will be answered and application blanks provided at one of the following Army Recruiting Stations: Amarillo, Plainview, Odessa, Sweetwater, Big Spring, El Paso and Fort Bliss.

## Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Brown are in Rocksprings this week-end where they are attending the Angora Goat show and sale which is being held Thursday, Friday and Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. M. J. Shurley.

## Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Williams left Sunday for a week's visit in Waxahachie, San Antonio and other points.

## Buddy Peterson of San Antonio, has been in Sanderson for the past two weeks visiting with his cousin, Don Frason.

## Women Meeting

J. A. Bell

## BARBECUE AND DANCE

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stumberg entertained at their new ranch home Thursday night of last week with a barbecue and dance. About sixty-five guests gathered for the feast on the lawn and enjoyed the dancing which followed with music furnished by a Mexican orchestra.

## P. E. Gray went to Houston last Wednesday to return Mrs. Gray home. She had spent several weeks there receiving medical treatment.

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## It Happened in Sanderson TEN YEARS AGO

This week—Remember?

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In making the announcement in regard to the opening of school on Sept. 12, Supt. B. J. Beannan stated that a full nine months term will be held with fewer subjects than were taught in the past.

O. H. McAdams left Thursday morning for Artesia, N. M., where he will attend a district conference of the Rotary Club for the presidents and secretaries.

Tom Breeding, Al Creigh Jr., and Willis Hargill, representing the Clarence Halle Mulkey Post No. 160 of Sanderson, attended the annual State American Legion Convention which was held at Corpus Christi on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The following people from Sanderson are attending the Paisano Baptist Encampment: Rev. and Mrs. Ira Harrison, Mrs. A. D. Brown and children and Mrs. J. R. Black and sons.

Mrs. E. P. Halley and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Mrs. Carl Cochran and son, Bill, returned last Friday from a visit with relatives in San Antonio and Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Frazier, who spent several days in Bandera the past week, returned home Tuesday.

## LIBERTY LIMERICKS



A real estate man from South Bend said—"We'll bring this war to an end if all of us sign On that old 'dotted line' When Uncle Sam asks us to lend."

Our land will be worth a lot more if it's kept free! Help your county reach its War Bond quota... put 10% of your income into War Bonds every pay day! U. S. Treasury Dept.

## WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

Iraan Herald—Four teachers have been elected by the Sheffield Independent School Board to fill vacancies, and two more will be elected this next week.

Big Bend Sentinel, Marfa—Presidio and Jeff Davis County 4-H Club boys gave a good account of themselves last week at the 4-H Club camp at Foster Park near Terlingua, according to Joe L. Matthews, Presidio County agent, who was in charge the three boys from this area.

Big Bend Sentinel, Marfa—Presidio County citizens marched to the polls Saturday and chose a new sheriff, a new county attorney and new county commissioner, all of whom will take office January 1, 1943.

T. C. (Creed) Taylor, whose votes totaled 688, giving a plurality of 129 over his opponent, Joe D. Bunton, sheriff at present.

Bill L. Holland, county attorney beginning January 1, whose plurality over R. I. (Bob) Bledsoe, as present county attorney, was 17 votes.

Monahans News—Flying enthusiasts and plane owners in Monahans rejoiced greatly at the reopening of the local Municipal Airport early this week after it had been closed for several months on orders from the air force officials.

Fort Stockton Pioneer—One of a number of prospective sites in this part of Texas, an area 17 miles northwest of Fort Stockton is being considered as a possible location for an advanced army flying school.

Dr. E. R. Herrington, civilian engineer in the offices of the Albuquerque District, U. S. Army Engineers, is in Fort Stockton this week directing the work of a crew of local men engaged to dig test holes and collect soil samples which will be sent to the Albuquerque office for analysis there.

Alpine Avalanche—Despite the acute tire situation which doubtless kept a number of people away, the attendance at the 22nd annual session of Paisano Baptist encampment, located 11 miles west of Alpine, is near normal. It was stated the first of the week.

Fort Stockton Pioneer—Designation of a Fort Stockton Defense Guard company moved a step nearer realization last night when Capt. Emmett W. Beauchamp, acting as the special representative of Major Earl Bell, commanding officer of the 48th Battalion, with headquarters at Pecos, headed a group of Battalion officers here to sign



U. S. Treasury Dept. "Our latest batch of War Bonds is bringing almost immediate action."

## As I Was Saying . . .

By Aynah Nemus

It seems that many of you readers of this absobant column, that is proportionately and not numerically, are wondering about the name under the heading. In most of the columns one happens to casually fall into when perusing the news the writer inserts two mysterious initials which could be anybody's initials; and the readers are still far from knowing just

## RATIONING

The outlook for obtaining sugar supplies from the Caribbean has "taken a turn for the worse" because of submarine warfare and the amount of shipping diverted to war purposes, the OPA said. The Office asked sugar refiners in Louisiana and Texas not to ship to sugar markets in Indiana, Illinois and Ohio until at least September 1 because of a shortage in their home states. OPA said these restrictions will have to be continued if receipts from Cuba and Puerto Rico are below expectations.

## WAR BOND PURCHASES

July sales of war bonds totaled \$900,900,000, second highest monthly amount on record and \$250 million above June sales, Treasury Secretary Morgenthau said. The highest monthly total was that of January when the amount was \$1,060 million. Mr. Morgenthau said the August quota has been placed at \$815 million. "Because of seasonal variations in income distribution, it would not be practical to establish monthly quotas at a uniform figure of \$1,000,000," he said.

up members of the local company.

In turn the applications will be approved by Major Bell and the state headquarters of the Adjutant General's office in Austin, and an official inspection will be set for the local company.

## What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The 75-millimeter gun is a divisional weapon used by the Artillery as an anti-tank gun. It has been replaced to some extent by the more modern "105", known as the heaviest of divisional weapons. The 75-mm gun costs \$12,000 and has been converted by our Ordnance into a "blaster" twice as efficient as in the first World War.



This gun gets maximum power for minimum weight and cost, and the American people are providing the finance through the purchase of War Bonds. If you do your share and invest 10 per cent of your income in War Bonds, adequate supply of this efficient gun can be assured our fighting forces. Buy War Bonds every pay day. U. S. Treasury Department

## A WEEK Of the War

Price Administrator Henderson announced that maximum gasoline prices in the rationed area of the 17 Eastern states and the District of Columbia will be reduced 2½ cents gallon beginning August 5. He also announced reduction of 0.9 cents for kerosene, 11 cents on distillates and light heating oils, and 15 cents a barrel on residual fuel oils.

Mr. Henderson said the reductions were made possible under the recent agreement worked out by the Office of Price Administration, the Office of Petroleum Coordinator and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, whereby the Defense Supplies Corporation will absorb the extra transportation costs for moving petroleum into the Atlantic seaboard areas.

Commerce Secretary Jones reported the Defense Plant Corporation will finance a two-point program to convert existing steel dry-cargo barges into tank barges to transport oil, and to improve existing inland waterways. The Bureau of Mines estimated the national gasoline demand for July, August and September will be about 17 per cent less than in the corresponding period last year, eliminating the necessity for a large winter accumulation of stocks.

## SUPPLY & MAXIMUM PRICES

The OPA established a wholesale ceiling on milk and cream, sold in bottles or paper containers, at the distributor's highest March level. The action was taken to prevent a price "squeeze" on milk retailers by some milk distributors. The Office set a ceiling price of four cents a pound for waste kitchen fats now being sold by housewives in the salvage program, and a ceiling price of five cents a pound for the sale of the same fats from meat dealers to renderers.

Price Administrator Henderson established a 60-day temporary ceiling on whole sale and retail lamb prices, at the highest levels charged by each seller during the period July 27-31. The temporary ceiling on lamb prices, effective August 10, places every major meat item except poultry under Government price regulations. The OPA said Armour and Company, Swift and Company, and Wilson and Company, Inc., have agreed to submit for auditing the sales records of all their branch houses for the purpose of refunding to their customers (wholesalers and retailers) all charges made in excess of the maximum for beef and pork.

President Roosevelt told his press conference there are three reasons for the current meat shortage in the East and some mid-Western states: (1) it is the

## ★ AT THE PRINCESS

SABOTEUR (Sunday & Monday)

Sanderson is out of the region of defense production, but the readers of newspapers are aware of the secret destruction that is carried on in those plants by fanatics, diabolical minds that think of nothing but destruction. We read of an explosion in an armory, a fire in an aircraft plant, an oil tank mysteriously destroyed; we read of this and pass it off because it is so far from us. But those actions are there, and they vitally affect every person living under a free America.

The picture Sunday and Monday describes some of this action, and the brains behind it in a story of a boy, falsely accused of being a saboteur, and who must prove, himself, in a very little space of time, his innocence. The cold-blooded intent, the merciless pursuit of

off season for beef. (2) People have a good deal more money with which to buy more and better cuts of meat. (3) This country has around 4,000,000 men under arms for whom meat supplies must be prepared months in advance. Mr. Roosevelt said the people will have to expect new shortages from time to time because that is a part of the price of winning the war.

## THE WAR FRONT

Lt. Gen. Stilwell's China headquarters reported U. S. airmen have broken the back of an elite force of Japanese bombers and fighters assembled for the purpose of driving them out of China. The climax was reached July 30, the communique said, when 17 Japanese and new types zero fighters were shot down. Gen. MacArthur's Australian headquarters announced allied planes conducted raids on Japanese positions from Amboina Island in the Netherlands East Indies to Guadal-Canal Island in the Solomons. The Navy announced the sinking of four United Nations merchant vessels by enemy submarines.

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## MY FAVORITE BLOND

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## LARCENY, INC.

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## YOUR ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR



is working harder than ever right now

Summer's heat means extra duty for your electric refrigerator. The hotter the weather, the longer and harder it works to protect your perishables and to provide you with the added quantities of ice cubes, frozen desserts and cold drinks you need.

No matter how high the temperature soars, you can depend upon your economical electric refrigerator to provide constant, food-saving cold. And although it may be using a little more electricity now, the small added cost is far outweighed by the food savings it makes possible.

ON GUARD 'ROUND THE CLOCK to safeguard your food supply. Help your refrigerator do its job more efficiently by defrosting regularly, opening the door as little as possible and allowing leftovers to cool before storing them.

COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY Buy U. S. War Bonds and Stamps



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**JOINT RESOLUTION**

S. J. R. No. 21  
The Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto, immediately after Section 49, a section to be known as Section 49a, to read as follows:

"Section 49a. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of Public Accounts in advance of each Regular Session of the Legislature to prepare and submit to the Governor and to the Legislature upon its convening a statement under oath showing fully the financial condition of the State Treasury at the close of the last fiscal period and an estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements for the then current fiscal year. There shall also be contained in said statement an itemized estimate of the anticipated revenue based on the laws then in effect that will be received by and for the State from all sources showing the fund accounts to be credited during the succeeding biennium and said statement shall contain such other information as may be required by law. Supplemental statements shall be submitted at any Special Session of the Legislature and at such other times as may be necessary to show probable changes.

"From and after January 1, 1945, save in the case of emergency and imperative public necessity and with a four-fifths vote of the total membership of each House, no appropriation in excess of the cash and anticipated revenue of the funds from which such appropriation is to be made shall be valid. From and after January 1, 1945, no bill containing an appropriation shall be considered as passed or sent to the Governor for consideration until and unless the Comptroller of Public Accounts endorses his certificate thereon showing that the amount appropriated is within the amount estimated to be available in the affected funds. When the Comptroller finds an appropriation bill exceeds the estimated revenue he shall endorse such finding thereon and return to the House in which same originated. Such information shall be immediately made known to both the House of Representatives and the Senate and the necessary steps shall be taken to bring such appropriation to within the revenue, either by providing additional revenue or reducing the appropriation.

"For the purpose of financing the outstanding obligations of the General Revenue Fund of the State and placing its current accounts on a cash basis the Legislature of the State of Texas is hereby authorized to provide for the issuance, sale and retirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by said fund on September 1, 1943, providing such bonds shall not draw interest in excess of two (2) per cent per annum and shall mature within twenty (20) years from date."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas, at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State Obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

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shall be of such denomination as may be prescribed by law, and shall be payable in not to exceed twenty-five (25) equal installments beginning one (1) year from date of issuance; and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to set aside into a special fund annually at the beginning of each fiscal year until all of said bonds shall have been paid off and discharged, a sufficient amount of the first moneys coming into the Treasury for the use and benefit of the General Revenue Fund not otherwise heretofore obligated to the payment of bonds and interest, a sufficient amount to pay the interest becoming due and the bonds maturing during such fiscal year. From said Fund, the Treasurer shall pay the interest on said bonds as it comes due, to the credit of the Available School Fund; and shall pay off said bonds as they become due and deposit the amounts so paid to the credit of the Permanent School Fund. The power hereby granted to issue bonds is expressly limited to the amount stated and to five (5) years from and after the adoption of this grant by the people."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the third day of November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

Those voters opposed to such Amendments shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast is in favor of the Amendment, the same shall become part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have it published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of this State.

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

Section 1. Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 22-a and reading as follows:

"Section 22-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by local or general law (without the necessity of advertising any such local law), in counties having a population in excess of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants according to the then last Federal Census, to create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

Those voters opposed to such Amendments shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast is in favor of the Amendment, the same shall become part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

Sec. 5. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

serve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, nor to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education."

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proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit the accounting officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education.

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballots, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary 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 from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

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