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## PIPE LINE WILL START FROM YATES TO COAST

P. H. Davis, representing a pipe line company out of New York City, and Joe Montague of San Angelo were here Thursday morning completing details for the right of way for the Transcontinental Pipe Line Company. The line will be built from Yates oil field to Texas City on the Gulf Coast.

Work on the line will commence in about sixty days or probably sooner, Mr. Davis said. The line will be of ten inch pipe with a carrying capacity of approximately 40,000 barrels daily. It is the intention of the company to have the line laid to deep water by the first of February. By laying the line during the winter months workmen will not interfere with ranchmen during lambing season, they said. Other pipe line companies have damaged ranchers considerable, they said, but the Transcontinental will do everything to avoid this.

The line will traverse this county and come about five miles north of Sonora. Two stations will be built near Sonora, one East, and one West. The line will go down the Llano valley and not be built the hill route as the Humble line was built. Exact locations of the two stations have not been made, but Mr. Davis declared that they would be only a short distance from town.

From here Mr. Davis and Montague went to Junction to secure right of ways from ranchmen in that section.

## Refrigerators and Ranges Sold Here

Since the advent of the West Texas Utilities to Sonora, electric ranges and refrigerators are becoming very popular with the housewives of this place. Both the Gilmore Hardware Company and the Utilities are disposing of many refrigerators. They each have been selling many

## HOSPITAL BEING TALKED FOR THIS COUNTY

At a regular meeting of the Sonora Lions' Club Monday at noon in the basement of the Methodist Church a hospital for Sonora was discussed. The Lions, together with several church organizations and the Chamber of Commerce, will sponsor the hospital move.

It is believed that the County Commissioners will give the county aid. A committee composed of W. C. Gilmore, Rector Cusenbary and B. W. Hutcherson, was appointed by President Caldwell to confer with the Commissioners in regards to financing the project.

It was pointed out that a hospital was needed in Sonora, and if under the direction of the County it would be more successful than if managed by any organization, and that everyone would feel that the hospital belonged to everyone.

It is believed that \$30,000 will be required to build a first-class hospital in Sonora equipped for surgical use.

Several of the business men and citizens have expressed their desire to see a hospital in Sonora and will lend every assistance possible to have one erected here. It is believed that public opinion will favor the move.

## Alvis Johnson, Jr., Gets Arm Broken

Alvis Johnson, Jr., son of Judge and Mrs. Alvis Johnson sustained a broken arm Wednesday morning, he fell from a load of hay on the Johnson lower ranch.

He was rushed to San Angelo immediately by Mrs. Johnson for attention. Thursday morning he was getting along nicely.

Judge Johnson, accompanied by Dr. Blanton, went to San Angelo early Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond were shopping in the city the latter part of this week.

## WARDLAW CARRIES SUTTON COUNTY BY SEVEN VOTES

### SHERIFF AND JUDGE'S RACE WAS A CLOSE CONTEST

Judge Louis J. Wardlaw, former Sonoran, but more recently of Fort Worth carried this county by a majority of seven votes over his opponent Dan Moody.

The sheriff and Judge's race was a "hoss" race. In the sheriff's race B. W. Hutcherson, present incumbent walked away with his opponent, G. W. Archer by a count of 56 votes. Archer defeated Hutcherson in the Sonora precinct by eight votes. Judge Johnson, who was seeking reelection rolled up a majority over his opponent, S. H. Stokes by 35 votes.

Returns from Sutton County including the State, District and County officers are:

### OFFICIAL ELECTION RETURNS

#### U. S. SENATOR

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Blanton	103	12	19	16	2
Connally	74	0	3	4	17
Cunningham	18	0	2	1	0
Mayfield	37	1	3	3	1
McLemore	1	0	0	1	0
Owsley	75	11	2	4	1

#### FOR GOVERNOR

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Hawkins	1	0	0	1	0
Moody	213	17	11	9	8
Wardlaw	189	1	32	28	15
Wilms	1	0	0	0	0

#### LIEUT. GOVERNOR:

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Darwin	6	0	1	2	0
Love	91	1	9	3	1
McCall	15	0	5	2	1
Miller	198	14	17	15	18
Parnell	40	1	3	42	0

#### FOR COMPTROLLER:

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Jones	56	0	10	7	1
Terrell	297	13	26	21	20

#### FOR TREASURER

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Harris	102	2	14	2	2
Archer	227	12	16	17	15

#### SUPT. OF INSTRUCTION

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Davis	60	0	9	4	1
Garner	45	2	10	9	1
James	43	1	2	4	1
Marrs	181	12	9	12	14

#### LAND COMMISSIONER

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Britten	10	0	6	0	0
Flynt	17	1	4	3	1
Robinson	229	14	22	17	18
Terrell	69	1	6	8	1

#### RAILROAD COMMISSIONER

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
J. Smith	70	1	8	6	1
Lon Smith	256	14	24	21	17

#### CRIMINAL APPEALS

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Morrow	202	2	12	16	6
Pierson	129	13	18	13	14

#### SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR

Totals: Hutcherson, 302; Archer, 246					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Hutcherson	206	18	29	29	20
Archer	214	1	18	10	3

#### FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Stokes	175	10	38	19	8
Johnson	236	7	8	20	14

#### FOR TAX ASSESSOR

Trainer, 542					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Trainer	415	19	46	39	22

#### FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

Mrs. A. J. Smith, 551					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Mrs. Smith	423	19	47	39	23

#### FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR

Saunders, 547					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Saunders	421	19	47	37	23

#### FOR CO. AND DIST. CLERK

Lowrey, 552					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Lowrey	425	19	46	39	23

#### FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Priest	150	1	5	11	15
Davis	140	1	5	11	15
Car. Burke	53	5	3	11	5

## STYLE SHOP MOVES TO NEW HOME THIS WEEK

Mrs. Long has been busy this week moving her stock of goods to her new home in the Long building, and opened for business today with a replenished stock of ladies' ready-to-wear, etc.

She returned a few days ago from Dallas (where she made additional purchases for her shop. Mrs. Long has gradually kept improving her business until now she has one of the best ladies' shops in West Texas. She has ample and convenient room in her new home to display her goods.

Mr. Long who owns jointly with his wife, will move his barber shop in the basement of the new building. This affords him one of the most up-to-date barber shops in West Texas.

The Long building is a credit to any town, and Sonora should be proud of it and of the Longs as well.

Railroad Commissioner: Jefferson Smith 164, 803; Lon Smith 461,210. Judge Court of Criminal Appeals: Morrow 400,182; Pierson, 225,008.

#### FOR REPRESENTATIVE

Baker 111, Stevenson, 321					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Faker	86	5	1	17	2
Stevenson	275	11	0	16	19

#### FOR CONGRESS

Hudspeth, 461; Reid, 27					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Hudspeth	354	17	41	31	19
Reid	24	0	1	1	1

#### FOR COUNTY CHAIRMAN

L. W. Elliott, 19					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Elliott	14	4	0	1	0

#### FOR COMMISSIONER NO. 2

Hudspeth, 19; Cusenbary, 6					
Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Bond, 25; Adams, 43					

#### FOR COMMISSIONER NO. 3

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5
Bond	0	0	9	0	16
Adams	0	0	33	0	5

Joe Logan polled a total of 422 votes for commissioner of no. 1 p. cont.

## ALDWELL BROS. SELL 3,600 LAMBS AT 10-12 CENTS

Aldwell Bros. are this week delivering 3600 February mutton lambs to San Angelo. 1200 are going to a Mr. Tjer at Wichita, Kansas, to feed pens, and the balance of 2400 are being delivered to Patterson and Brooks, Kansas. The lambs are averaging close to 70 pounds and brought 10 1-2 cents weighed at the Aldwell ranch. This is the mutton end of a lamb crop out of 8,500 ewes.

The lambs are being moved by truck. Trucks double decked, can carry from 70 to 80 at a load, and one truck hauled over a hundred. Several days will be required to get the animals to the San Angelo pens for delivery.

Lem Johnson foreman at the Aldwell ranch, this morning reported about 2 1-2 inches of rain at the house, while over the range it was considerable lighter. Draws are running, he said.

## Savell Will Erect a New Building

Theo. Savell will let a contract this week for the construction of a tile, brick building 17x70 feet on his lot where the City Market formerly stood. Work on the new building will be started by the first of next week, Mr. Savell said.

He has a five-year lease to Penick & Sauter for the structure.

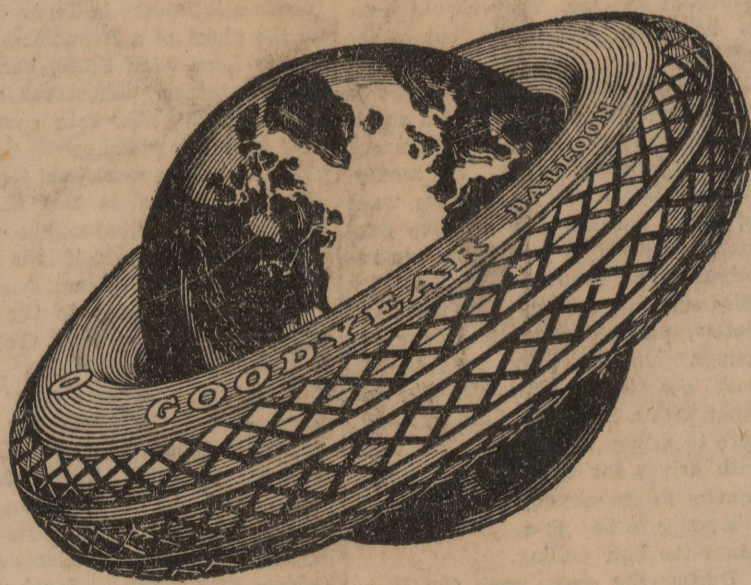
Penick & Sauter purchased the market equipment from H. P. Cooper a few weeks ago and are now operating it in the rear of the W. O. Hightower & Co. store.

It is understood that they will purchase additional equipment when the Savell building is completed.

#### NOTICE TO TELEPHONE USERS:

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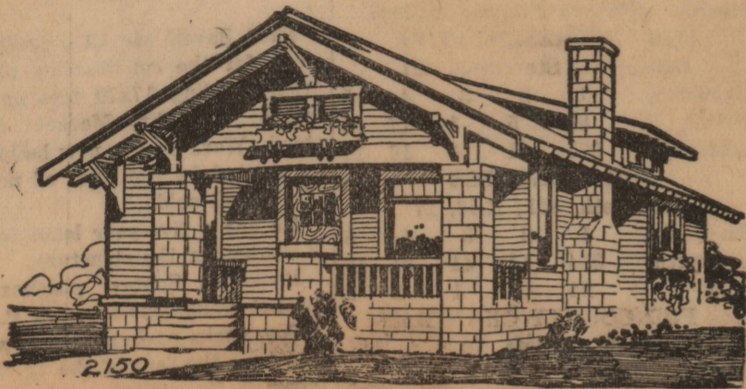
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Washington, D. C. August 4.—The curtain is about to raise on the election campaign drama, the fur about to fly. Two amiable, good-natured gentlemen, either of whom would grace the White House, now smile at each other across the continent. Soon they will be at grips. The smiles will toughen and grow rough, the verbal swings will pack a punch, and the mixing will begin.

Such is the prelude to the 1928 campaign. The fight is to be for blood, though the gentlemanly fighters would disclaim such intention now. Presently they will be saying things, in the heat and turmoil, that they would not say today. For when two such men fight, they hit hard. And whether the prize be the fair lady, or fame, or fortune, or sovereignty over a nation, the game is one of survival; and the fight grows bitter near the end.

Last week and this, the stage hands work. Hoover, the first star to step on the stage, will speak his opening lines on August 11. He will formally accept the nomination then. In doing so he will face a throng of 90,000 at Palo Alto, his California home. His voice will carry, on the wings of radio, across the continent and the seas. He will announce his attitude then on the questions of the hour and the problems of the date.

As this is written, Hoover is putting the finishing touches on his speech. It probably will be given into the hands of the press sometime this week, possibly before this is put in type. This is done to enable the newspapers to have it in ample time to set. They will hold it until a flash over the wires releases it. Thus hundreds of editors, possibly thousands, will know in advance—but in confidence—what the Republican standard bearer will say.

Alfred E. Smith will follow a similar course at Albany eleven days later, on August 22. The date was fixed after a series of interviews with the radio kings. They have virtually named the day and hour so that the speech may have the widest possible audience. The airways will be cleared and 96 stations will hook up—a record number—to carry the voice of the Democratic nominee to millions of listeners.

That is good business for the nominee and good business for the radio makers. There ought to be a good many sales of new radio sets between now and then. The radio people came out last week with an announcement that there will be no charge to Hoover or Smith for the service but would be absolutely free. It is a matter of fact, the proposition is a cold-blooded business transaction, for while the cost of the radio hook-up will be large, the stimulation to sales of radio equipment will be enormous.

Nobody is giving something of value these days. Least of all are the Lords of the Air. They should make a handsome net profit out of the hook-up.

In the meantime the furniture is being arranged on the political stage. To begin, both sides have announced that they would accept any money, without limit, that supporters want to give. The Republicans have generously agreed to give handsome receipts for all donations. Undoubtedly the Democrats will try to go them one better, possibly engraving their receipts. This campaign is going to cost not less than \$7,000,000; and what with a human inclination to adhere to money in the bank, and what with drives for this, that the other worthy things already in full swing; it's going to be no easy task to finance the hair pulling.

During the past week the Democrats seem to have the edge on their opponents insofar as outward harmo-



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### Mrs. Carl Morrow Honored at Bridge

Mrs. Louie Stuart on Monday evening entertained at the Woman's Club building with five tables of bridge, complimenting Mrs. Carl Morrow, who is leaving for Burnett, Texas, where she and her husband will make their home.

At bridge Mrs. Sterling Baker won high guest score and Mrs. Claud Keene second high. Mrs. Morrow was awarded the guest prize.

Delicious cake and peach melba were served to the following: Mesdames Sterling Baker, Carl Morrow, C. S. Keene, Stella Stanley, E. F. Vander Stucken, Theo. Savell, Mike Murphy, A. G. Blanton, John Fields, Brian Hunt, Chas. Evans, V. F. Hamilton, Rector Cusenbary, S. T. Gilmore, J. W. Wilson, Roy E. Aldwell, Ira Shurley and Misses Guila Lowrey, Lucille White and Jo Anna Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Schrier of Merton and daughter, Miss Frankie, were here Tuesday visiting. The Schriers formerly lived here and have many friends in Sonora.

#### NOTICE

Holders of third liberty loan bonds should present them at the bank and have them sent in for redemption prior to September 15th, as no interest will be paid on the bonds after that date.

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ny is concerned. Senator Moses and Work, on the Republican side, clawed at each other in New York. The Doctor came back to Washington and the Senator went to work in New York. as manager over the important Eastern territory from Maine to North Carolina. After the scrap, harmony prevailed. During the scrap, there were some peppy encounters. These two good warriors, the Doctor and the Senator, apparently don't like each other a little bit, but have agreed to work in harmony for the common weal.

The ladies of the Republican Auxiliary have pitched their tents for a day in Washington last week and listened to practical political advice from Mrs. A. T. Hart, Vice-Chairman of the National Committee. Eighteen names were represented. They were as active as a pot of boiling tea. One of the big things that they are going to do is to put Hoover's picture in every kitchen in the land. One irreverent wag was suggested that kitchen parties thus would be reminded of both candidates—of Smith by the cocktail shaker and of Hoover by the picture on the wall.

Last week saw a continuance of the odities referred to in previous articles. Pennsylvania Republicans in Philadelphia got a chill from reports that the keystone State is swinging Smithward because of the nominee's prohibition views, and Democratic leaders in Texas conjured up the ghost of a Republican victory in the Lone Star State, because of their internal differences over Al Smith. From Wisconsin came word that Al Smith would sweep the State if election there were held tomorrow. From Ohio, word is that the State will have to be thoroughly covered, and at great expense, if it is to keep in the Republican column.

Equally disquieting to the Democrats was the news from the South. North Carolina, Tennessee, Florida and Alabama for the time being, would seem to be developing strong Hoover sentiment which the dries are fostering mightily. This correspondent will make a trip soon to the Southern battlefield. Reports reaching him from usually reliable sources indicate that the solid South may be broken this year and that Hoover may make inroads in the territory south of the Mason Dixon line. It is said there may be as many as six Southern States that will go Republican. Usually this sort of talk is just so much hooey. This year, there might be something to it.

A large proportion of the South is reported at this time to be bordering on open rebellion against Al Smith leadership, and Democrats are said to be flocking to the Hoover standard. Reverse conditions are said to obtain in Illinois, which usually goes Republican by heavy majority, in Wisconsin and other Middle Western States.

The candidates themselves were resting for the fray. Hoover, home in California, did what Hughes failed to do 12 years ago. He made peace with Hiram Johnson. They buried the hammer at Palo Alto. For years they were bitter opponents, but recently the feeling has been dying down. Now they are friends again, and rumor hath it that the Damon-Pythias combination of old may be rivalled by the Herbert-Hiram combination of 1928.

And so it goes. It is the eve of the battle, the hush before the storm.

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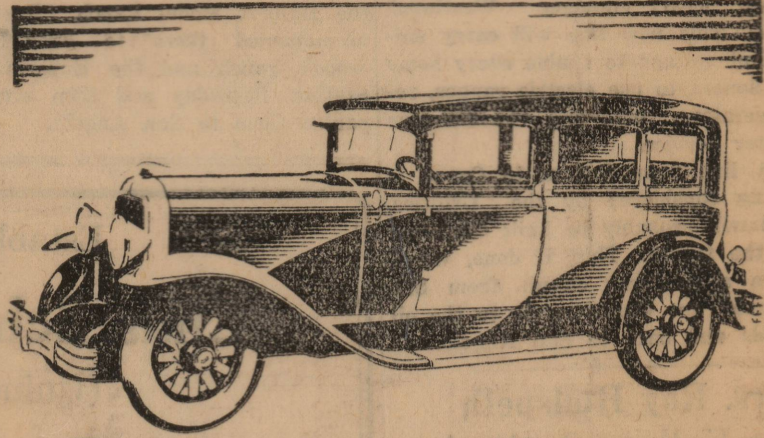
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PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING LEGISLATURE TO GRANT CONFEDERATE PENSIONS REGARDLESS OF DATE PENSIONER CAME TO TEXAS OR WHEN WIDOW MARRIED PENSIONER OR WHEN SHE WAS BORN

H. J. R. No. 15.  
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing a tax levy for Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows, and providing for submission of same to the qualified electors of State at any election to be held on first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, and providing the necessary proclamation and appropriation to defray expenses of proclamation publication and election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of State of Texas:

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

"The Legislature shall have power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public moneys to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient, and to their widows in indigent circumstances under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient to indigent and disabled soldiers, who, under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war, between the States, served in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders, and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia who were in active service during the war between the States, and to widows of such soldiers who are indigent circumstances, and who are or may be eligible to receive aid under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient, and also grant 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 for 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 State ad valorem tax on property of seven (\$.07) cents on the one hundred (\$100) dollars valuation for the purpose of creating 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 herein levied, and provided further, that the provisions 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 electors of the State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment authorizing aid to Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows in indigent circumstances, and authorizing tax levy thereof," and against for the constitutional amendment authorizing aid to Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows in indigent circumstances, and authorizing tax levy thereof." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, 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 the State. The sum of \$5,000.00 or so much thereof as may be needed is hereby appropriated for the expense of publication of said Amendment.

Mr. Sauter is in charge of the market at present, and Mr. Penick will move his family here in the near future to make their home.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT, AUTHORIZING LEGISLATURE TO EXEMPT FROM TAXATION PARSONAGES, AND CERTAIN PROPERTY OF ASSOCIATION FOR RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT.

(H. J. R. No. 20)

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution of the State, so as to authorize the Legislature to exempt from taxation any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to such church or religious society, and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious and physical development of boys, young men or young women operating under State or National organization of like character; providing for an election upon such proposed Constitutional Amendment, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

Section 1. That Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution be so changed as to read hereafter as follows:

All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes, actual places of religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a State or National organization of like character; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be brought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and such institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1928, 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, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive use as dwellings for the ministry"; and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive use as dwellings for the ministry."

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

Sec. 4. The sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the

Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay expenses of said publication and election.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROVIDING FOR A STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND RELATING TO TERMS SCHOOL OFFICERS

R. J. R. No. 14.

Proposing to amend Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 16, providing that the term of all officers of the public free school system including State institutions of higher education, may be fixed not to exceed six years; proposing to amend Section 8 of Article 7 of said Constitution, authorizing the appointment or election of a State Board of Education to serve not to exceed six years; requiring said amendments to be submitted to the people for adoption and making appropriations therefor.

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

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended thereto Section 16 as follows:

"The Legislature shall fix by law the terms of office of the public school system and of the State institutions of higher education, inclusive, and the terms of members of the respective boards, not to exceed six years."

Sec. 2. That Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"The Legislature shall provide by law for a State Board of Education, whose members shall be appointed or elected in such manner and by such authority and shall serve for such terms as the Legislature shall prescribe not to exceed six years. The said board shall perform such duties as may be prescribed by law."

Sec. 3. The foregoing constitutional amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

(1) "For the Amendment to Article 7, adding Section 16, providing that such officers, including boards of institutions of higher education, shall serve for a term not exceeding six years."

"Against the amendment to Article 7, adding Section 16, that school officers, including boards of institutions of higher education, shall serve for a term not exceeding six years."

(2) "For the amendment to Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution, providing for the appointment of a State Board of Education."

"Against the amendment to Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution providing for the appointment of a State Board of Education."

Each voter shall scratch out one of the above listed clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment to which it relates.

Section 4. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendments set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of five thousand dollars (\$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 the holding of said election.

Electric light and power service was available to 2,800,000 residents of Texas on January 1, 1928. This is an increase of 41 per cent in two years.

Gorman.—Gorman fair dates have been set as September 19, 20 and 21.

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**Angelo Junior College to Open Sep. 12**

San Angelo, July 27.—Definite announcement that the San Angelo Junior College, which will be thrown open to students of West Texas on September 12, will have full affiliation with all senior colleges and universities in Texas and the south not later than January 1, 1929, has been made by E. L. Nunnally, registrar. The students doing work in the new college will be enabled to get affiliated credits for their work before their initial term is half over. The affiliation cannot be granted before the first of the year, after the college is opened in the fall.

Inspectors from the state department of education are to visit the institution soon after its opening to work out the details for its affiliation. San Angelo's liberal attitude toward the college and the willingness with which the local people are to support the institution is seen in the fact that fifty per cent of the students who graduated from the high school here in the spring are to be enrolled.

A tuition fee of \$125 for non-resident students and \$75 for resident students will be charged. The difference in the registration fee is due to the fact that the college is municipally owned, and will be partly supported from the local school fund, and it is estimated that resident students will represent families whose taxes will equal the difference in the resident and non-resident fees.

A strong faculty has been employed to direct work of students in the new college, employment of the following faculty members having been made by Felix E. Smith, superintendent: Leslie T. Bare, head of the science department; Rose Sharp Brewer, head of the English department; C. C. Minatra, head of the department of education; John S. Pratt, head of the history department; R. R. Masterson, head of the department of business administration; E. H. Thomas, head of the department of mathematics; E. L. Nunnally, head of the language department and registrar; Miss Mary Kirkpatrick, librarian and instructor in education.

**Livestock Rail Rates Reduced 12 Per Cent**

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, July 31.—A reduction of approximately 12 per cent in railroad rates on livestock moving eastward from Chicago, and moving between points in central territories, was ordered today by the Interstate Commerce Commission, effective October 1. The present key rate on livestock shipments to the east, the commission said, is the charge of 58.5 cents to the 100 pounds made for shipments from Chicago to New York. This rate the commission ordered reduced to 50.5 cents. From central territory to New England, the Commission added, new rates should be made October 1 which conform to the New York-Chicago schedule. From Lexington, Ky., and like points to New York, the schedule of rates on calves, hogs and sheep and cattle was also made 50.5 cents with the usual differentials applying.

A mileage scale for cattle shipments in central territory was laid down by which the livestock rates after October 1 will be made nine cents per 100 pounds for distance of 800 miles with proportionate charges for intermediate distances. "The rates above found reasonably approximate at 12 per cent reduction," the decision said in explaining the finding. "They are not, however, arrived at by computing a percentage reduction in the present rates, but they are based upon the original central territory scale."

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**Utilities Building Line from Angelo Here**

The West Texas Utilities have let contract for the building of a high voltage line from Christoval, thence to Eldorado and the re-insulation of the line from Eldorado to Sonora. The work will require about ninety days, local Manager Westbrook said. This new line will carry sufficient voltage to enable every home in Sonora to use electric ranges, refrigerators, etc., and should give better service.

A line from Sonora to Ozona is being considered by the Utilities, and will probably be built sometime in the future. This, if done, would give a complete circuit from San Angelo to Ozona and to the oil fields and back to San Angelo.

**Mrs. Roy Hudspeth to Kellogg Sanitarium**

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hudspeth left Monday morning for Battle Creek Michigan, where Mrs. Hudspeth will remain some few weeks for her health. She will be under the care of the Kellogg Sanitarium while there.

Her many friends here hope she will soon return with improved health. Mr. Hudspeth will return via San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Joy and little daughter, accompanied by Miss Ora Leakey, were visitors in Sonora Wednesday.

No charges were made in fresh meat and packing house products rates. The commission ordered refund to shippers, amounts which they have paid as bridge tolls on northward shipments of livestock from Kentucky points, but denied all other applications for reparation. The decision resulted in a complaint filed by the independent supported by livestock producers.

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**GUESTS AT THE HALBERT MODEL RANCH LAST WEEK**

B. M. Halbert and Son had as their ranch guests for two days last Friday and Saturday Dave Riddell of Honmouth, Oregon and Buren Thomas of Oakland, Kentucky, both prominent breeders of registered Angora goats. They each selected and bought a stud ram from the Halbert Model Ranch. "Buster" accompanied them to Fred Earwood's ranch and the Experiment Station, Saturday and then accompanied them to San Angelo.

Mrs. H. N. Sneed and two small children arrived this week from Washington, D. C. to visit with her father and mother Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grimland. They will be here for several months.

Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson was taken to San Angelo Monday to a hospital where she is under the care of the doctor. At present Mrs. Hutcherson is resting nicely.

B. B. Dunbar was here from the ranch Friday morning and reported good rains in his part of the country.

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### City Garage Sold 3 Cars Recently

The City Garage, local dealers for the Whippets and Willys-Knights, sold three cars recently. They are: John Valasquez, a new Whippet coach; Earnest Harold, used Ford touring and W. D. Lumpkin a used Ford roadster.

### Every Dollar Paid

We have paid every dollar that we have claimed due our customers when they have suffered a loss by fire in the eleven years that we have been agents for fire insurance companies in Sonora. We represent the very best of fire insurance companies.

We kindly ask that you assist us in eliminating every necessary hazard about your homes and business buildings that you possibly can, thereby eliminating the risk which will help you to get a cheaper rate. Write, phone or better still better come to see us and let us insure your property in a good reliable company.

T. L. Benson

### New Engineer for West Texas Utilities

Mr. Harris, of Vernon Texas, has arrived in Sonora to succeed Ira Clary, resigned, as chief engineer. Mr. Harris has been with the West Texas Utilities Company for several years and is an experienced engineer.

He and his family will occupy the duplex near that of Manager West-ager Dudley Westbrook.

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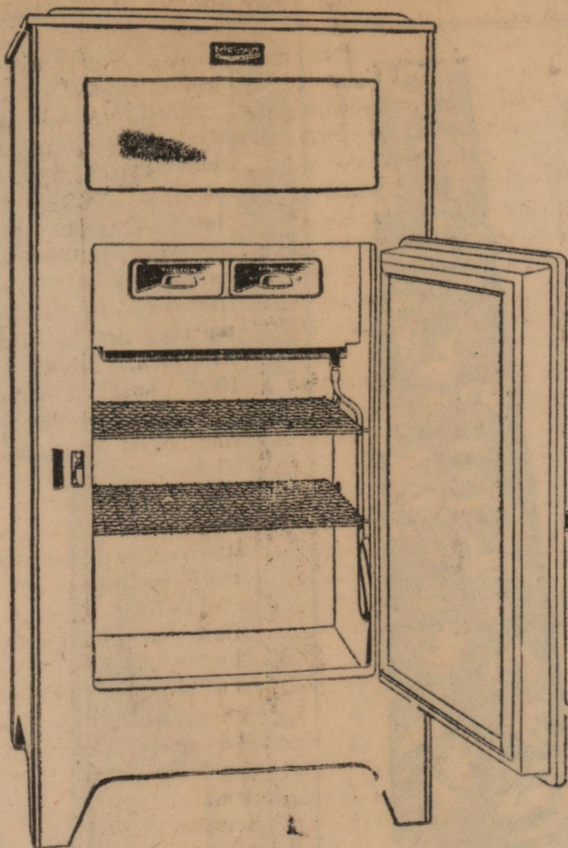
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**WHAT DOES THE GOVERNMENT COST TEXAS?**

1. Press dispatches state that the University has asked for "appropriations" totalling about \$7,000,000.00 for the next biennium.
2. Loss of State taxes on two million acres of land in West Texas.
3. Loss of "county taxes on same.
4. Loss of road taxes on same.
5. Loss of "school" taxes on same.
6. Loss of "development and improvements" on same, for if these lands were sold they would soon double in taxable value, on account of homes being built and other improvements, and the Constitution

says "shall be sold" for the Endowment and maintenance of the University.

7. These 2,000,000 acres have been "tax exempt" for 70 years, an awful handicap to and burden on West Texas Counties, and should be sold on account of the above taxes and to "endow" the University.

8. With all this money we should have a University of the FIRST CLASS, equal to Yale, Harvard, Princeton, etc., and take it out of politics.

9. It is said these lands are "leased" for only 10c to 12 1-2 c per acre, although other lands near them are leasing for 50c to 70 per acre.

10. It is claimed that the University costs \$400.00 to \$500.00 per student, while the public schools receive only \$15.00 per student.

11. The above costs do not include matriculation fees, laboratory and athletic fees, etc.

12. The above costs do not include the \$50,000.00 now received annually from leases, and interest on the bonds in the \$8,500,000.00 Permanent Fund, and does not include the annual "oil royalty" of \$2,000,000.00, that goes into the Permanent Fund.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Herschel Boggs,  
 San Angelo, Tex.

**New Examinations for Pro. Agents**

Washington, D. C., June 2 1923.—The United States Civil Service Commission announced today that it expects to begin certifying eligibles in August for positions of prohibition agents, investigators, and inspectors throughout the country. The delay, the Commission explains was due to the failure of Congress to make an appropriation for this unusual examination task at the time when the law passed placing the prohibition forces within the classified service.

The Commission states that it is certain that there will be a shortage of eligibles in some sections of the country. For these sections the examination will, of course, have to be reannounced at an early date.

Following the usual practice, those who failed in the first examination may enter the reannounced examination if they wish to do so and if they had not been barred as a result of the Commission's character investigations. A lowered age limit may also prevent the reexamination of some of the original competitors. In view of the fact that the salaries of prohibition agents, inves-

**Personal Mention**

Tom Sandherr and daughter were here from the ranch Tuesdya.

Mrs. T. R. Driskell returned from Junction the fore part of the week where she had been with her little son who had his tonsils removed. Cassius Taylor was among Sutton ranchmen visiting in the city Tuesday.

Johnnie L. Martin and family were here from the ranch Tuesday in their Fordor Ford sedan.

Roy Smith, contractor, spent the week-end in San Angelo with his family.

Ira C. Green, agent for Uncle Sam's medicated salt, recently purchased a new Whippet coach of the City Garage, local agents here.

Bob Kinchen, automobile salesman of San Angelo, is here selling Whip-pets and Willys Knights for the City Garage.

Miss Grella Cawyer, niece of Johnnie Johnson, is at the Clayton Puckett ranch for a visit with her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Mayer left the first of the week for Colorado where they will spend several weeks. Mr. Mayer's father and mother are in Colorado.

W. F. McBride manager of the Sonora Drug Store, and Mrs. McBride, were visitors to San Angelo Sunday returning unday night.

R. D. Trainer's new home of eight rooms is near completion. The Trainers moved into their home last week. It is one of the most convenient homes in the city.

Clayton Puckett, "Uncle" Johnnie Johnson and grandson were here from the Puckett ranch on business Monday.

Edgar Shurley was in from the ranch Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Hunt were visitors from their ranch the first of the week.

Theo. Savell was among business visitors in the city Tuesday. Mr. Savell says he had a good rain on his ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Rector Cusenbary

investigators, and inspectors have been materially increased, it is likely that the character of the examination will be changed, and it is possible that the tests will be more difficult than those given in the first examination.

Such changes as are made will be for the purpose of improving the selective value of the examination.

were in from the ranch Monday. Mr. Cusenbary attended the Lions' meeting while Mrs. Cusenbary assisted with the luncheon.

Chas. Evans, local wool buyer for S. Silberman & Sons, of Chicago, Ill.,

returned from that city the latter part of last week where he had been to confer with officials of his company. While there Mr. Evans visited the woolen mills and scouring plants.

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**Angelo Preparing for Fall Exposition**

San Angelo, August 4.—R. H. Henderson, President of the All West Texas Exposition that will be held here September 17-22 has announced the appointment of all of the department heads who will direct the big programs that will be featured this year.

Walter Beal, secretary, who had charge of that office in the exposition organization last year, has been retained and already has accomplished a great deal of work toward making preparations for the program.

Horse races will be a daily feature of the exposition program, and will be managed by the sports division, of which Ira R. Jackson, of San Angelo, is manager. Five races each of the six days of the exposition have been planned, and some of the fastest horses in the country will be entered.

Officers in charge of the exposition other than the president and Mr. Beal, are John P. Lee, vice-president; L. B. Horton, treasurer, and the executive board composed of W. E. Blanton, R. H. Henderson, Claude C. Wild, D. J. Burk, Sam Hodges, W. B. Hunter, W. E. Yaggy, L. B. Horton, Rupert Ricker, and T. C. Atwood.

County agent Dor W. Brown is superintendent of the agricultural department.

Mrs. A. J. Cleary is superintendent of the woman's department, with Mrs. Thomas Head in charge of the textile division; Mrs. J. C. Landon, in charge of the art division. Mrs. Oscar Appelt superintendent of the culinary division; Mrs. John Hemphill in charge of the floral division and Miss Emma Barth superintendent of the better baby conference.

W. B. Hunter is chairman of the poultry and pet stock division.

Elaborate fire works, carnival attractions and other highly entertaining features are being worked out for the exposition.

**Dude Ranch in Leakey County**

We learn that Jack Hoxie the celebrated movie star, is to establish a dude ranch at Leakey.

The information we have is that a 2000 acre tract of land is being tendered Mr. Hoxie, who in turn with his associates is to make an expenditure of several hundred thousand dollars in equipping the property.

As an attraction for tourist, a dude ranch cannot be surpassed. The Frio canyon has the scenery and can draw the tourists. A dude ranch beats a state park in different ways. We hope our Leakey friends all sorts of success in this undertaking. Once established, the resort will give the Frio canyon and all of Real County a vast amount of publicity. Forward! Let's help go forward.—Camp Wood Crony.

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**Watermelons Do Well in Sutton County**

The writer had the pleasure this week of eating part of a melon from the Tom Driskell garden, and we never tasted any better melon anywhere than this one.

Mr. Driskell had a few vines in his garden at the back of his house, and from indications (provided no one gets in the patch at night) will have as good melons as you are able to find anywhere. He has two that will average about fifty pounds. This is not to be laughed at, for fifty pound melons are pretty good size anywhere. The melons have had very little attention, and have done exceedingly well considering that and the dry weather.

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**Mrs. Brian Hunt Entertained Girls**

Mrs. Brian Hunt entertained the Girls' Bridge Club last Saturday week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Theo. Savell.

Four tables of bridge were played. A plate luncheon was served to the guests.

Mrs. Guy Hagan of Brady is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clayton Puckett at the Puckett ranch this week.

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JOHNNY DID GET HIS HAIR CUT

"Johnny get your hair cut" is exactly what he did. He came to the Lions' meeting Monday at noon with all his hair clipped except a small curl left on top of his head. John is now a member of the hiersute tribe, and if he doesn't watch out he will be mistaken for an ex-convict or the immigration officers might arrest him. Anyway, John will be relieved of combing his hair for at least a while.

Miss Alice Karnes left Sunday for San Antonio where she will join Miss Josie Bellows, a cousin, and a party of several others who are leaving Saturday for an extended trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rose were here from their ranch near Juno visiting relatives.

**Sonora Dairy Has  
2 Milking Machines**

Two De Laval Milking machines are now doing the milking at the Sonora Dairy. Each machine will milk a cow in from three to four minutes, according to D. T. Speed, proprietor of the dairy.

These two machines do the work that four or five men would do and is much more sanitary than milking by hand. By air compression, the milk is drawn into airtight containers direct from the udder.

This new addition, together with other late improvements, places the Sonora Dairy among the more modern dairies in the larger cities.

About twice a year Mr. Speed has his dairy herd inspected by a licensed veterinarian, and if any of his herd is found to have disease the animal is immediately ejected from his premises.

Mr. Speed is milking about 48 cows now and is rearing more than 150 gallons of pure milk daily. This figures approximately three gallons of milk from each Jersey cow.

**W. A. Miers Goes  
to Mayo Brothers**

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miers left Wednesday via the Santa Fe from San Angelo to Rochester, Minnesota where Mr. Miers will be treated by the famous Mayo Bros. It is understood that he will be there for several weeks for diagnosis and treatment.

Mr. Miers has been suffering for several months and was in a critical condition a few weeks ago when he was taken to San Angelo Hospital for treatment.

His many friends over West Texas hope to see him return soon with good health.

**C. G. Dunklin Raised  
to Ass't. Cashier**

C. G. Dunklin, employee of the First National bank has been raised by that institution to Assistant Cashier, auxiliary to Geo. H. Neill, by that institution to Assistant First Assistant Cashier.

Mr. Dunklin has been in the services of that bank for several years and has not only won the esteem of the public in general, but has made a valuable employee.

In appreciation to Mr. Dunklin's untiring efforts, the voters of this city unanimously elected him Mayor last spring.

S. T. CLUB ENTERTAINED  
BY MRS. J. W. McDANIEL

The S. T. Club was entertained last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. J. W. McDaniel in her beautiful home. After holding a short business session, the charming little Miss Dorothy Baker gave a lesson in painting handkerchiefs, pillow slips, etc. Miss Baker is very talented in this art. Her first teacher was Mrs. E. C. Reasonover and later she had a special course at A. & M. College.

Ice cream and cake were served to about fourteen members.

Dr. Franklin, president of San Marcus Academy, was here the first part of the week in conference with Rev. J. A. Stephen with whom he left later to attend the Paisano Encampment. Rev. Stephen will not be here Sunday to fill his regular appointment.

Mrs. J. A. Stephen is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ben Wayne Gregg, of Austin this week.

NOTICE TO TELEPHONE USERS

All bills are due by the 10th, of each month, and if not paid by the 20th, service will be discontinued.  
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All visitors invited.

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**T. L. Benson Sells  
More Livestock**

T. L. Benson reports the following livestock sales recently:

Sold for John Hargis to Gus Hartgraves 1600 mixed lambs; for Price Turner of Stiles to Bob Preston of Midland, 105 heifers; for Walter Young of Big Lake, to Gus Hartgraves 800 mixed lambs; for Jess Coy of Eldorado, 100 steer yearlings; for J. A. Whitten of Eldorado to C. O. Ridley, 70 steer yearlings; for Joseph Vander Stucken to Leonard and Aubrey Baugh 100 heifer yearlings; for N. B. Williams of Waco to E. E. Steen 1200 ewes and 400 mixed kids; for C. O. Ridley to Cass Bledsoe of Goldswaite, 130 for Glasscock and Evans to A. E. Neal of Menard, 200 steer yearlings.

Sold the following to northern feeders:  
3600 wether lambs of Aldwell Bros.; 3300 yearling wethers for Cauthorn Bros.; 1600 mixed aged ewes for Halbert & Hoggett; 300 yearling wethers for N. B. Williams; 300 yearling wethers for S. I. Nicks; 250 yearling wethers for Arthur Mund; 350 mixed kids for Artie Joy; to Ed Shurley; 250 mixed kids for Henry Wyatt to E. D. Shurley.

HARRISON'S MOTHER DEAD

F. O. Harrison and niece, Mrs. Pirtle were called to Del Rio last Wednesday to the death bed of Mr. Harrison's mother, Mrs. F. O. Harrison, Sr. Mrs. Harrison was 69 years old. She is survived by four children her husband having passed away four years ago. Interment was made in the Uvalde cemetery on Thursday.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

I am now prepared to do light blacksmith work, sharpen lawn mowers, knives, repair guns, and do general repair work. Special attention given to gas engine work.

A. C. FAMBROUGH

BLEEDING GUMS HEALED

The sight of sore gums is sickening. Reliable dentists often report the successful use of Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy on their very worst cases. If you will get a bottle and use as directed druggists will return money if it fails.

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**To The Voters of Sutton**

Although I had no opponent for the office of which I now hold, I wish to express my appreciation to the voters who favored me in the election last Saturday. The faith and trust you have in me will be so regarded in the discharge of my duties to the people.

At any time I might be of assistance to you, do not hesitate to let me know. I am your servant and it will be my aim to continue to give you all a square deal.

Thanking you again, I am,

**J. D. Lowrey**

YOUR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK,

**To My Friends:**

This is to let you know that I appreciate every vote given me in the Primary last Saturday. I am proud to know that my friends have faith in me which is attested by the number of votes cast in my favor.

I had a good man, Mr. Archer, to defeat and found him to be a gentleman in every respect. I have no ill feeling toward anyone. Every man had his own privilege to vote his own way.

It will be my aim to discharge the duties of my office to best of my ability, and in doing so, I ask your co-operation.

Sheriff and Tax Collector

**B. W. Hutcherson**

**An Appreciation**

I wish to thank my many friends who supported my candidacy for county judge, although defeated by a small majority. I appreciate every vote given me last Saturday.

I have no hard feeling toward anyone. My campaign was a clean one. I was making the race on my own merits and not the demerits of my opponent. I was seeking the same office as that of my opponent, that of County Judge.

**S. H. Stokes**

**MY Appreciation**

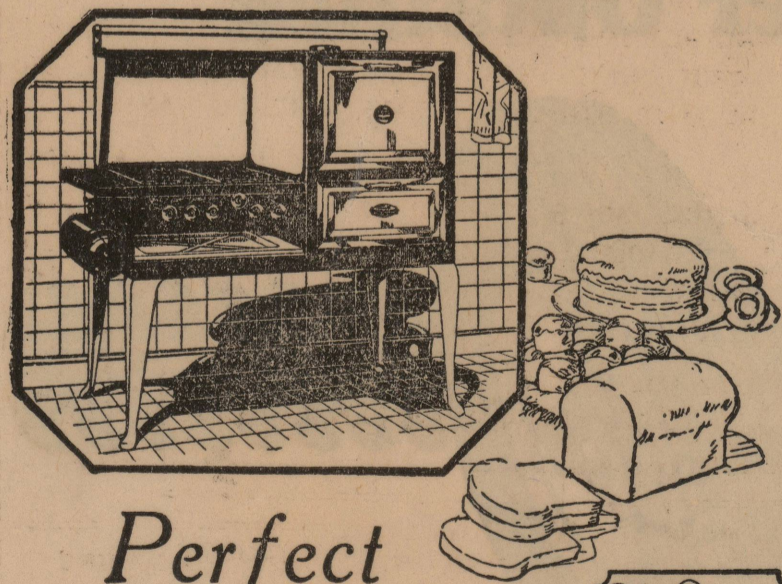
Is extended to the many who voted for me last Saturday in the Democratic Primary. Although I had no opponent at this election, I appreciate very much the support given me.

I shall remember this courtesy, and will always strive to serve you in the future as in the past.

Gratefully yours,

**Mrs. A. J. Smith**

County Treasurer of Sutton County



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