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HEARING JULY 19th. ON RIGHTS FOR PERMITS TO BUILD R. R.

for Plains Territory Assigned National Proportions When Examiner Boles Recommended Some Carrier Other Than Burlington or Santa Fe Control New Line.

Washington, D. C., June 17.—The scene of the biggest Texas railroad fight will be shifted to Washington a month hence. The International Commerce Commission today set the West Texas rail case hearing before the full Commission beginning July nineteenth. It is expected that the hearing will last for several days.

Starting as a local fight between the Santa Fe, the Burlington, and the Texas Panhandle and Gulf for the rich West Texas territory the case assumed national importance in the general consolidation of railroad schemes when Examiner Boles recommended that some road other than the Santa Fe or Burlington take over the Texas Panhandle and Gulf and finance. Strong exceptions have been filed to the Boles' report by carriers. When hearing starts the best brains of the Frisco, Burlington, Denver, Santa Fe and other railroads will sit as participants and on the side lines will be representatives of other major carriers.

There are four cases consolidated into one for the hearing. They are extensions of the Fort Worth and Denver west from Carey to the South Plains, extension of the Quanah, Acme and Pacific, a Frisco subsidiary, extension of the Santa Fe and application of the Texas, Panhandle and Gulf to build a line from Ft. Worth to Tucumcari.

RAIL REQUESTS TO BE ARGUED ON JULY 19

From Star-Telegram: Washington June 17.—The Interstate Commerce Commission Thursday announced that a hearing has been granted on the application of the four railroads seeking to build extensions into the South Plains of Texas and the date for such hearing before the entire commission has been set for July 19.

This is expected to prove the most important railroad case to be taken up by the commission during the summer, for not only are the four applicant railroads—Burlington, Santa Fe, Frisco, and the Texas Panhandle and Gulf—directly involved, but it has attracted the interest of many others.

President Loree of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Hudson and allied roads seeking an outlet to the Southwest has indicated he will have an observer present at this hearing, as have the Van Swearingens, who are seeking to consolidate the Nickel Plate system with a Southwestern connection.

At this hearing the report and recommendations of Examiner E. C. Boles, resulting from the hearings held at Plainview nearly a year ago, will be under fire.

These recommendations proposed that a condition certificate be given the Texas Panhandle and Gulf to build its line from Fort Worth to Tucumcari, and be allowed six months in which to perfect adequate financial arrangements through consolidation with some strong existing road other than the Santa Fe or Burlington and obtain agreement for joint operation of the Quanah, Acme and Pacific, a Frisco subsidiary, from Paducah to Floydada.

Upon this condition the Frisco was to be permitted to build from Panhandle, but found it impossible to meet these conditions in the time limit the Burlington would be permitted to build its branch lines, namely: Estelline through Plainview to a point near the center of Castro County and from a point near Lockney on this extension to Lubbock, while the Santa Fe would be authorized to build its line from Lida to Silvertown.

Briefs since filed with the commission show that these recom-

FORD PRICES ARE REDUCED ABOUT \$40 ON ALL MODELS

The Burson Motor Company, authorized Ford Dealers, announced that the prices on all models of Ford cars and trucks have been reduced by about \$40. This is one of the most drastic reductions yet made and brings the open models well below the \$700 mark on the delivered price. The Coupe with balloon equipment is now delivered in Silvertown for \$580 and the Tudor Sedan for \$595.

Origin and History of Chickens

By Charlie McLean
The Leghorn Family—
The Leghorn strain of chickens originated in Italy and was brought to the United States as early as 1866. Vesselmen going into the Mediterranean sea probably took some of the hens on board for supplies on the return trip, and bringing some of the left-over hens to a port in the United States.

The Leghorns are as some editor has said, "every color except black."

The Leghorn is an extremely handy fowl, laying nearly the year around, except during the molting time.

Plymouth Rocks—
The Plymouth Rock is a truly American breed of fowl being bred and named after the city Plymouth, Mass. These fowls were first bred by Mr. John C. Bennet and exhibited on Boston Common in 1848-9.

This breed did not last long however, and the true fowl we know today as the Plymouth Rock were bred by Mr. D. A. Upham and exhibited in 1868-9. Mr. A. H. Drake of Stoughton, Mass., has a strain of Plymouth Rock that he has bred for the last nineteen years, which have not a drop of Spaulding blood in them. They are a true color and shape.

The Wyandotte Family—
Authorities disagree as to the origin of the Wyandotte family of chickens, but it is thought that they were introduced into America about 1866. This breed of poultry being gentle and do not have a tendency to fly. They are good forager and lay the year around.

The birds are a silver in color, having considerable markings on the wings and breast. The hens weigh about six and one-half pounds, while the cocks weigh about eight and one-half pounds. Most people prefer the clean legs on the Wyandotte fowl although hens with feathers may be found.

The Orphington Family—
The Orphington breed of fowls were bred by the late William Cook in England. These chickens have a fine meat and have the ability to lay many eggs a year. There are ten different varieties of this breed, the black, white, buff, diamond, jubilee, and sprangled Orphingtons with many more.

The single comb breed is in the greatest demand and anyone starting out in the business should raise the single comb variety.

The Orphington chickens possess great vitality. It is said that in Africa where there is every kind of tick, flea, and pest, the Orphington hen would lay every day.

H. M. Bowers has returned from a business trip to Kansas City.

There has been about two inches of rainfall here this week.

The report is that there is soon to be three more brick buildings for Silvertown.

Recommendations are not acceptable to any of the parties at interest and are opposed also by the Chambers of Commerce of Fort Worth, Dallas, and the South Plains committee.

DAN MOODY DEFENDS QUALIFICATION FOR ECONOMY-BUSINESS

Gainesville, June 23.—Attorney General Dan Moody defended his qualifications to give the state an economical business administration as governor in an address here Wednesday. He declared that the attorney general's department operated on 80 per cent of its use. "Jim Ferguson had no hand in running my department," he said.

PANHANDLE WHEAT SHOWS HIGH TEST INSPECTOR SAYS

Panhandle wheat is testing more than 63 pounds to the bushel and making as much as 39 bushels to the acre.

All previous high-test records at the Amarillo grain exchange were broken yesterday when a car received by the Kearns Grain company, from Miami, tested 63.7 pounds to the bushel.

The wheat was grown by L. G. Christopher, south of Miami, and is yielding 39 bushels to the acre.

Grain men say that there are many fields in the Panhandle that will average more than 35 bushels.

—Amarillo Daily News

Wheat Making 20 to 35 bu. to Acre

Several combines, among them the Earl Simpson, Fred Buchanan, Burson and others, cut considerable wheat during the past week. The wheat has been hauled to Tulsa as fast as harvested and is bringing from \$1.13 to \$1.16 per bushel. Thus far the wheat is reported to be making a yield of from 20 to 35 bushels to the acre, considering the price, it is pointed out that many farmers will clear enough for their labor of raising the wheat to pay for the land the wheat was raised on. Rains the past two days have delayed harvest somewhat, but no damage has been reported, in fact most people are proud of the rains to date, if they will cease now until the wheat is harvested.

PRESBYTERIANS TO HAVE CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM SUNDAY

Announcement is made that the Presbyterian Sunday School will present a special Children's Day Program Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. The following program will be given:

Song, "Come Thou Almighty King."
Prayer, Bro. Henderlite.
Song, "In the Garden."
When Jesus Was a Child, by Primary Class.
Reading, Annis Fowler.
Reading, Derrell Northcutt.
When Mother Speaks, Beginners.
Reading, Margie Northcutt.
God's Helpers, Pantomime song, by Beginners and Primaries.
Reading, Robert Allen, Sedgwick.
Fairy Pantomime, Beginners.
Song, "Birds' Nest," Primary Class.
Reading, Allyn Bain.
Duett—Jeraldine Biffle, Evelyn Cobb.
Drill and Songs, by Seniors and Primaries.

Grasshopper Damage

By W. M. Gourley
Already the grasshoppers are at work in this county doing some damage on the row crops and poisoning at this time where damage is shown would be more economical than waiting until more damage is done. The following formula for grasshoppers poison is very effective and will prove valuable in most all cases.

Mixture:
25 lbs. of bran (free of shorts)
2 lbs. of white arsenic (pure)
3 lemons
2 quarts of cheap syrup
3 1-2 gallons of water.

First mix the bran with the white arsenic. Then add the lemons juice and the ground up pulp of the lemons. Dissolve the syrup in the water and wet the poisoned bran with this, stirring to dampen the mash thoroughly. Place small bits of the poison at the end of the rows next to the pasture usually, and place out early in the morning or late at night. Be careful to not put it out where stock or poultry can get to it.

TWO MORE BRICK BUILDINGS FOR SILVERTON

Material was bought this week by Jno. Burson for the erection of two brick buildings to be used by the bank and postoffice. It is understood that the buildings will be back of the Peoples Pharmacy or across the street from the Burson Motor Company building. They will be 25 x 40 feet each in size and construction is expected to start within the next few days. It is thought that the bank will occupy the small building temporarily as Mr. Burson has contemplated the construction of a larger building which will probably be started as soon as definite information on the railroad situation is received.

CHEVROLET STILL INCREASING PRODUCTION

During the first five months of 1926, up to the first of June, a total of 307,332 Chevrolet cars were produced, an increase of 102,444 cars over the same period in 1925, when total production reached 194,888 units. Sales will continue to break precedents throughout the summer months, Chevrolet sales officials predict.

"Our constant endeavor to improve our product, taking advantage of the most modern appliances known in the automobile industry, with never relaxing vigilance on maintenance of quality, is meeting with the sincere appreciation of the public," said W. S. Knudson, president of the Chevrolet Motor company.

"The \$10,000,000 expansion program of the company, providing facilities for production of one million Chevrolet cars during 1927, is well under way at this time, with ground broken and building additions being made at Chevrolet plants throughout the country. Machinery necessary for the increase in our production is now in transit from the manufacturers, and by January 1, the company will be fully prepared to go ahead with its enlarged program."

P. T. A. WILL MEET THURSDAY, JULY 1

An important meeting of the Parent Teachers' Association has been set for Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and all members are urged to attend.

Arthur F. Duggan is the new president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Duggan is a live wire from Littlefield and makes the following statement: "I fully realize the high precedent that has been established by Col. R. Q. Lee, the retiring president." Mr. Duggan wants to make the chamber "bigger and better," more active than ever, he says.

Intestinal Worms Found Among Young Turkeys

By W. M. Gourley.
The writer visited a local farm this week and inspected a flock of turkeys that were apparently diseased. Upon investigating thoroughly an abundance of tapeworms and round worms were found in the intestines of the dead turkeys. The turkeys were poor, droopy, feathers ruffled and were not at all thrifty. The following treatment is well recommended for destroying the worms. To each fifty birds use one-half pound of finely chopped tobacco stems. Steep the tobacco in hot water for two hours, and mix with a mash or ground grain. Two doses should be given two days apart. The treatment should be administered in the morning on empty craws and no feed should be given during the days of treatment. After the two days treatment Epsom salts should be placed in the drinking water, dissolving 1-2 pound in 1 gallon of water. The yards and houses, coops, should be sprayed with a strong solution of Kresol dip or bichloride of mercury to

MOODY SPEAKS IN THE PANHANDLE

Confining himself almost wholly to denunciation of Jim Ferguson's political record in Texas, Dan Moody last night appealed to 2,500 Amarillo and Panhandle voters to put an end to graft, waste and debauchery, which he charged are now being practiced through the influence of the highest office in the state.

The young, red-blooded attorney general, who is but 33 years old, and who received the greatest majority two years ago when elected that Texas ever gave a candidate, talked for nearly two hours at the auditorium.

He walked on the stage as Dave Derden's band played Dixie and the crowd stood cheering wildly. Lee Satterwhite took charge of the meeting and introduced Jim Guleke, who presented the speaker of the evening.

Mr. Guleke praised the honesty integrity and courage of Dan Moody.

He declared at the outset there would be no mudslinging, saying, "I am not so foolish as to believe I could dirty that fellow up."

"The crying need of Texas today is to free itself of the curse and blight of the thing we call Fergusonism," said Mr. Moody. He declared Texas had suffered from "Fergusonism" since 1914, and that the most constructive and progressive thing the state can do is to end it on July 14.

"There is but one issue in this campaign—it is Fergusonism, and whether it is to be tolerated any longer," said Mr. Moody.

Fergusonism Means Graft
"Fergusonism means graft, waste, extravagance and the use of public power for private gain; it means placing the highest office in the state on a trafficking basis. It has been placed on the auction block to be sold to the highest bidder, and the man responsible is not accountable to the people of the state as a public official."

Mr. Moody was given close attention. He did not mention the name of Lynch Davidson, and avoided personalities, dealing chiefly with citing circumstances that have characterized the Ferguson administration.

He was hoarse and appeared tired from his strenuous campaign of the past three weeks.

He explained his acceptance of the Ferguson challenge for the loser in the primary to resign, as the calling of Jim's bluff.

"I did it to give the people of Texas an opportunity to put him out of office on July 25," he said.

BRISCOE CO. FAIR CATALOGUE MAILED

The Briscoe County Fair Catalogue is being mailed out at the local post office today. The catalogue contains sixty-four pages and contains complete information regarding the Fair as well as a good representation of firms in page and half-page ads who are profiting from the welfare of this county.

The officers of the Fair Association desires that every home in the county have a catalogue and have mailed to everyone whose name appears on the Poll Tax list. However, this does not get everyone, and every other possible means will be used to see that a catalogue goes into the home; the candidates, many of them at least, will have extra catalogues and will gladly give you one if you have not received one already, or you are invited to call at the office of the Briscoe County News or the Quitasne Post for one.

destroy the worm eggs.

The tapeworms and other intestinal worms rob the birds of food nutrients. They also bring on "summer" rot. These worms are found in both turkeys and chickens especially the young stock.

THE VOICE OF THE LIBERTY BELL



This is one of the two new official posters of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, opening in Philadelphia June 1 to celebrate 150 years of American Independence. The Exposition will continue to December 1. Dan Smith, the artist, has symbolized the epoch in history which the tolling of the Liberty Bell in Independence Hall, July 4, 1776, marked and has depicted the growth of the United States from the original thirteen states, represented by the thirteen stars which emerge from the mouth of the Liberty Bell.

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JNO. BURSON

News that Jno. Burson has let the contract for the erection of two brick buildings has been received with pleasure by citizens of Silverton. It is hoped by the entire citizenry that this is merely a small beginning of Mr. Burson's building activities and that it means that the small shacks now occupied by the bank and post-office will immediately be torn down and so do away with a very dangerous fire hazard. We have no doubt that many business men will "follow suite" and join Mr. Burson in any building program that he will start. It is known that many have been waiting for him to demonstrate his faith in the town, by making permanent improvements, before they would do likewise. With a bumper wheat crop being harvested, excellent prospects for row crops and cotton, and the possibility of favorable railroad news being had within the next 60 days—and a building program being started by Jno. Burson—it looks like things ought to be pretty lively in Silverton this Fall. Let's go Silverton!

FATHER

Who is it wears the patch work hose
And seldom goes to picture shows,
That his girl may have fine clothes?
It's Father!

Who is it wears last summer's hat
That his boy may make a sporty frat,
And thinks it's quite all right at that?
It's Father!

Who is it buys bread and meat
And keeps the shoes on all our feet,
And then gets shoved in a back seat?
It's Father!

We've Mother's Day and Poppy Days
And lots of holidays;
But almost all are Labor Days—
For Father!

Get out his slippers and easy chair
Caress and smooth his rumpled hair,
And let him know you're glad he's there;—
Your Father!

Sunday wear a flower of red,
(A white one if the deal soul's dead)
And reverently bow your head, in thanks, for such
A Father!

The News will soon be able to report the names of the new teachers for next term. The trustees have spent much time recently in an effort to equalize taxes in the district. Next issue of the News will probably contain the list of candidates as their names will appear on the ballot. Mrs. Haynes is having a garage built on the Hotel premises.

Beauty Parlor Opening

BILLIE HAYNES
in all branches of Beauty Parlor Work—
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Society

"Happy Go Lucky" Club

The club met Thursday afternoon at Miss Marguerite Dickenson's home. An enjoyable afternoon was spent by music, and planning what the club would do this summer. The club will be a help and an educational value as well as a pleasure. Delicious pineapple ice cream and angel food cake were served to the members present. The club will meet next Thursday afternoon with Miss Anna Lee Perry. The afternoon will be spent in sewing.

BAPTIST LADIES HAVE CLEAN UP DAY

Monday was clean-up day at the Baptist Church with the W. M. U. ladies. At noon a most tempting dinner was served. The husbands were invited to partake of this dinner and were "on time". The afternoon was spent in working and cleaning the church inside. Also the weeds were cut and the ground around the church cleaned up. After the work was finished a wonderful lesson taught by Mrs. Buchanan, from the Mission Study Book, "The Wandering Jew in Brazil." —Reporter.

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the church on last Monday at 4 p. m. The bible lesson, led by Mrs. Jenkins, was interesting. After the lesson an enthusiastic business meeting was held. Plans were made to entertain the board of stewards on their next meeting. A number of the ladies plan to attend the district meeting of W. M. S., at Plainview, on the 29th and 30th. It was also agreed that the ladies would entertain the intermediates each week during the vacation period. A number of resolutions as to our loyalty to our Sunday School Supt. was made.

We especially urge our ladies to attend each meeting and help keep everything going during the summer months.

Mrs. G. C. Patton entertained the Ambassador Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church on Friday evening with a social. Contests and games were enjoyed by all until a late hour.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mesdames J. S. Fisher, H. W. Simpson, Earl Simpson, W. M. Draper, D. O. Bomar, J. L. Stodghill, J. W. Gunter, W. W. Melton, E. E. Merrell, Clifford Allard, R. N. Malone, and G. C. Patton. Messrs. J. W. Gunter, R. M. Carter, G. C. Patton, E. E. Merrell, W. M. Draper, J. L. Stodghill, W. M. Melton, O. C. Allard and D. O. Bomar.

To Destroy Insects

There are two classes of insects which are very harmful and destructive to the garden and truck crops, viz the sucking and the biting or chewing insect.

The sanjose scale which is killing the peach and plum trees of the country and the squash bug belong to the sucking insect family, while all those insects such as the grasshopper, potato bugs, and worms which eat the leaves of the plant, belong to the biting or chewing insect family. The biting or chewing insects do more damage to the garden crops, flowers and vines.

Remedy for biting or chewing insects: Spray the plants with a mixture made of 1-2 lbs. of arsenate of lead to 50 gallons of water. If you will add about 5 lbs. of lime to this mixture it will adhere or stick to the foliage or leaves of the plant much better. This mixture will kill 90 per cent of the insects which attack the garden crops. If you desire to make this spray in a small quantity, put 1 tea spoonful of arsenate of lead to each gallon of water.

Remedy for destroying sucking insects: Spray with kerosine emulsion; take one gallon hot water, dissolve 1-2 lb. of strong laundry soap in water, then take away from fire and add 2 gallons of kerosine to the hot water. Thoroughly mix this solution, then add 15 gallons of cold water and the spray is ready to put on the loogs which are on the plant.

It is best to use a spraying chine to apply these materials, but in case you do not have one, use a garden sprinkler.

Candidate ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following named candidates are asking for the office under which heading their name appears; subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 24, 1926:

- FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:**
Charles Clements.
R. C. Joiner, Re-election
- FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:**
W. E. Huffhines.
Meade F. Griffin.
C. D. Wright.
E. S. Rowe

- For COUNTY JUDGE**
O. R. Tipps,
J. N. Morton.
Miner Crawford.

- For COUNTY CLERK:**
Clay Fowler
R. E. Douglas
C. L. (Chas.) Dickerson
M. R. (Bud) Alexander

- For COUNTY SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR**
C. C. Garrison, Re-election
E. L. (Lucian) Evans
R. F. (Bob) Stevenson

- FOR TAX ASSESSOR**
R. E. Brookshier, Re-election

- FOR COUNTY TREASURER:**
Mrs. Frances Dawson.
Mrs. J. F. Ragland
J. M. (Uncle Johnnie) Heald

- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY**
C. B. Shrewsbury
Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1
J. R. Foust.

- Commissioner Prec. No. 1**
T. L. Strange (Re-election)
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 4:**
H. T. Gill

- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:**
W. M. (Max) King-Re-election
L. E. Graham

- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 2:**
W. C. Roberson,
B. D. Witcher
J. T. Wood

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- Tudor (Balloon) O. Price \$640; New P. \$595
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Order of Sale

The State of Texas—
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Briscoe County, greeting:
Whereas, on the 13th day of April A. D., 1926, Jackson Collier recovered in the District Court of Briscoe County, a judgment against C. W. Sutton for the sum of Twelve Hundred and no-100 Dollars and costs of suit;
And whereas the said judgment is a foreclosure of a Vendor's Lien on the following described property, to-wit:
All of Lots Numbers 9 to 16 inclusive, in Blk No. 36; also the West one half (1-2) of Lots Nos. 8 and 17 in said Blk. No. 36, all of which said lots and parcels of land, located and situated in the town of Quitaque, Briscoe County, Texas, as said lien existed on the 3rd day of Dec., A. D., 1920, and that said property be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said judgment. And if said property shall sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, the excess should be paid over to the said C. W. Sutton. But if the said property pay off said sums of money, the balance due shall be made as under execution, and such order of sale shall have the force and effect of a writ of possession, and the officer executing the same shall make a good and sufficient deed and place the purchaser of said property in possession thereof within thirty days from date of sale.

Therefore, you are hereby commanded that you proceed to seize and sell the above described property, as under execution, and make good and sufficient deed, and to place the purchaser of the same in possession thereof with-in thirty days after the day of thereof to the payment and satisfaction of said sum of Twelve Hundred and Thirty and no-100 Dollars, together with the interest that may be due thereon, and all costs of suit. And if the said property should sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, then you are hereby directed to pay over the excess thereof to the defendant. But if you fail to find said property or if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy said judgment, then you are directed to make the money, or any balance thereof remaining unpaid, out of any other property of defendant, as in case of ordinary executions.

Herein fail not, but due return make hereof within sixty days, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court of Briscoe County, at my office in Silverton, this 12th day of May, A. D., 1926.

T. L. ANDERSON,
Clerk District Court, Briscoe Co.

Proposed Amendment To The Constitution

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 and Section 49 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit officers of the National

Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States to hold public office in Texas.
Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 33 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the time of the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended by adding after Section 6 thereof 6a, which shall read as follows:

Section 6a. All agriculture or grazing school land mentioned in Section 6 of this Article owned by any county shall be subject to taxation except for State purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment 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., 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county, to the same extent as land privately owned" and "Against the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county to the same extent as land privately owned."

Section 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. The expense of publication shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
Emma Grigsby Meharg,
Secretary of State
(A Correct Copy.)

Proposed Amendment To The Constitution

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9
A Joint Resolution relating to the amending of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners; providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System, under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature.
Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16, Section 58 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 58. The Legislature shall have full power and authority to provide by law for the management and control of the Prison System of Texas; and to this end shall have power and authority to place the Prison System under the supervision, management and control of such trained

and experienced officer, or officers, as the Legislature may from time to time provide for by law.

Section 2. The above Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held November 2, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "For the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners." And all those opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "Against the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners."

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by law.

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

Approved, April 4, 1925.
Emma Grigsby Meharg,
Secretary of State
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Proposed Amendment To The Constitution

House Joint Resolution No. 9

A resolution proposing an amendment to Art. 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Section 3, eliminating the provision authorizing the Legislature to create special districts and making an appropriation therefor.

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

Section 1. That Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution be so changed as to read as follows: (creating new section.)

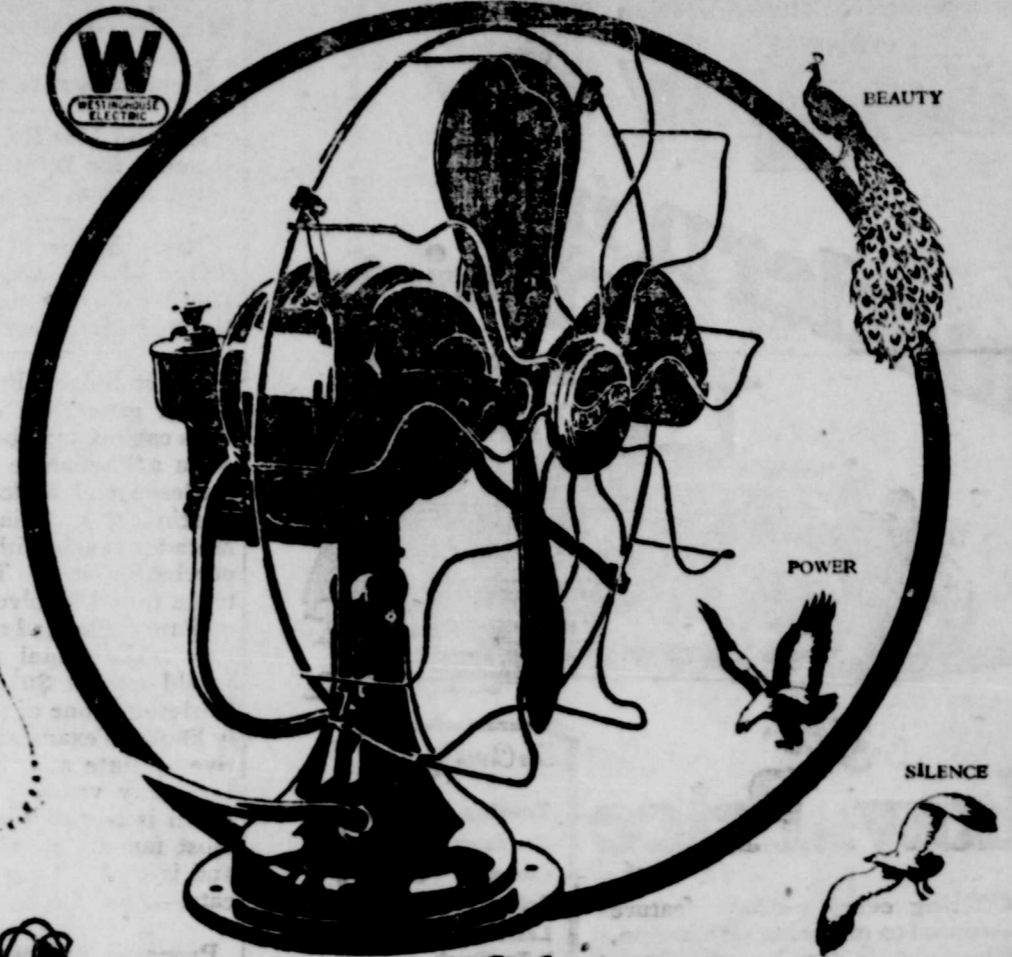
"Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State Occupation taxes and poll tax of one dollar on every inhabitant of the State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount not to exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of the said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this State; provided, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient to meet the needs of the State, the State Board of Education may appear before the Legislature and request an increase of the same. Contests and games between the members of the State Board of Education shall be held at the State Capitol building on Friday evening with a view to the promotion of the State's interests and the welfare of the State." and all those opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts." and all those favoring said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts."

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

Section 4. That the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, 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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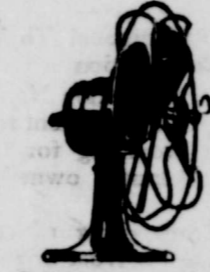
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