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DOUGLAS, GARRISON AND HEALD WINNERS IN SECOND PRIMARY

The winners in the second primary for County officers were: K. E. Douglas for County and District Clerk, C. C. Garrison for Sheriff & Tax Collector and J. M. Heald for County Treasurer.

There being an unusually large number of votes cast for a second primary is evidence that considerable interest had been aroused. Saturday evening when the returns were being tabulated considerable interest was manifest in the Treasurer's race on account of the small lead one would have with the returns from one box and the other box would come and give the other a lead, however, the outcome gave Mr. Heald a majority of about nineteen votes it is reported.

Family Reunion Held At P. A. Jasper's August 25

A family reunion of unusual interest was held at P. D. Jasper's 10 miles southwest of Silverton August 25. The following relatives and friends were present:

T. W. Jasper and family of 9 children, 2 of whom are married. Mrs. Mary Preston and husband and two children Virgel and wife all of Friona Texas.

Mrs. Bettie Hodges one daughter Mrs. Virgie Harris and husband and 6 children of Silverton W. H. Jasper and wife and 3 daughters of Texhoma Oklahoma.

C. R. Jasper of Lubbock Texas Mrs. Kittie Washington and 3 children two of whom are married Mrs. Bud Morris husband and 2 children Laurence Washington all of Flomot Texas. P. D. Jasper and wife and 4 children of Silverton Texas. Mrs. Annie Ross and husband of Tulia Texas. Mrs. Fannie Thompson and 5 children of Memphis Texas. N. S. Jasper and wife and 4 children, one of whom are married Mrs. Hazel Dozier of Sherman Texas. Mrs. Kalie Spear and husband and 5 children of Tulia Texas. C. M. (Melt) Jasper and wife of Silverton Texas, uncle on father side M. F. Jasper and wife of Dublin Texas, uncle and aunt on mother side W. R. Carruth and wife of Stephenville Texas, and son Pierce Carruth of Lubbock Texas. Mrs. Martha Bowman and daughter and family of 4 Mrs. Ellie Duim all of DeLeon Texas. Tom Hileman a cousin and his friend Mr. Taylor of Canyon Texas. Mrs. Tom Jaspers mother and brother Mrs. Mary Burh and Jim Burh of Canadian Texas. Mr. Mayfield and wife and 3 daughters Mrs. Belle Savage all of Silverton Texas. Uncle Ed. Burleson and wife Mrs. J. L. Francis and wife, A. M. McMinn and wife and 3 children his mother and one niece all of Silverton Texas. H. L. O'Riddell mother and sister and wife and wife's father Mr. Johnson of Silverton Texas. Mrs. Susie Stratton of Tulia Texas. Mr. Dozier of Spearman Texas. Mr. Foster and wife of Friona Texas, all report a fine time of the Jasper family present. Absent one: B. M. Hodges his son and wife and 2 children and J. W. Walters Bursons C. R. Jasper wife and daughter. 11 relatives present beside the family making a total of 116 for dinner, others came after noon. Perry Studio made pictures of crowd. Dinner consisted of light bread, pickles and beef.—Reporter.

To the citizens of Briscoe County:

I wish to thank the many voters in Briscoe County who supported me in the recent primaries. Your loyalty to me at the ballot box was an expression of confidence that I shall never forget. Although it seems at this time that I lack a few votes having a majority, it does not lessen my appreciation of those who voted for me. Again, I thank you! Respectfully, Mrs. Frances Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Holderness of Ft. Worth were here recently to visit Mrs. Holderness's mother Mrs. Nannie Haynes and to get their children who had been spending the summer with their grandmother.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MUSICAL SOCIAL

(Given by Maud Dee and Eva Lee Skeen)

Skeen's kept a "sharp" look-out for the forty five members of the "staff" for they thought the members would perhaps need to "scale" the wall and "slide" down inside.

Some tied "the key" of their "flat" about their necks and acted "natural," as an "accidental" loss could have "bar" red their entrance.

Mrs. Gourley and several others members of the orchestra furnished abundance of music. Every one missed "Mr. Odor tooting his trombone and his wife's sweet smiles.

A list of questions were asked and answered with a state abbreviation and disguised musical terms by all but the musical Romance (a love story of the civil war) caused the laughing contest to be sure Mr. Thomas laughed as well as singing above all.

Soon after the refreshments were served all expressed their selves of having an enjoyable "time." Then all left for their homes to "rest."

It was "treble" pleasure to have the young people to "pedal" together.

By a "Staff" member.

Jack Wright Celebrates Birthday

Last Thursday was Jack Wright's birthday and a few boys helped him celebrate. From 6:30 p.m. until church time, they played everything from hide-and-seek to re-tailing "the donkey." Ralph Gunter, among all the blind folded contestants won the prize for putting the tail nearest the right place. George Thomas won first place as a good harvester, finding the most candy-corn hidden in the yard. Also he won the was a one-legged race the medal in "The Boor War." There opposing lines and George Snapskin's huskies won; but in the Simons Soldiers' Drill Fred Biffle's men won by a good score.

Each boy gave Jack a good wish on the Birthday Cake, and Jack made them all come true by blowing out every candle on the first trial. Each boy then received a piece of the cake and eskimo pie, candy and fruits, also a candle for making his own wishes come true. They brought Jack gifts that would gladden the heart of any boy, and Jack appreciated them he says more than he could tell. The boys said they liked it all from the grape-punch served by Marie Thomas and Elva Wright when they first arrived to the candy pipes given them as they said good-night. The following were guests: Wesley and Dick Bowden, Max Burson, Donald Anderson, Fred Biffle, Albert and Klee Dickerson, Harry and Grier Bowers, Aron Frieze, Allan and Buster Dickerson, Ralph Gunter, Kempis Thompson, Al and Lee Stevenson Walter and George Snapka, Gale Meeker.

Mrs. Joe Graham and her mother Mrs. Ross and her two daughters all of Quitaque visited in the homes of Mrs. Roscoe Fort and Mrs. C. D. Wright last Friday.

SUMMERS & SUMMERS SELL DODGE SEDAN TO SHERIFF GARRISON

Summers and Summers, local dealers for Dodge Bros. cars announce the sale of a Dodge Sedan to Sheriff C. C. Garrison. The car was delivered Wednesday.

To the citizens of Briscoe County:

I take this method of thanking those that assisted me in the race for Sheriff and Tax Collector. The many pleasant things of the campaign; the new friends and the old ones I want to keep as a permanent possession. If there were any unpleasant things I mean to cast them away. My best wishes go out to all the people of this great County. To my opponents my good will. To my supporters the gratitude of my heart.

Very truly yours, R. F. Stevenson.

Miss Alma Jo. Livingston, who has been operating the linotype at the News office for the past few weeks has accepted a position as teacher of history in the Happy High School for the coming term.

I. C. C. IN SESSION; R. R. REPORT POSSIBLE AT ANY MOMENT

From Plainview Herald:

That the Interstate Commerce Commission will take prompt action on the application of the Texas Panhandle and Gulf, Santa Fe, Fort Worth and Denver and Quanah, Aeme and Pacific applications for permission to build in West Texas is indicated in correspondence to the Herald.

Oral arguments were heard before the full commission in July. The commission is in vacation this month, but convenes in September. Jay Jerome Williams, Publisher of The United State Daily, Washington, D. C. at the request of the Herald detailed the regular reporter of this paper on Interstate Commerce Commission activities on an assignment to determine possible date of action on these applications for certificates of necessity and convenience.

The case referred to in the memorandum returned herewith have been closed and now awaits final action of the Commission.

Mr. Williams' reporter state, "With reference to the probable date of decision, Examiner Davis in charge of these cases, said: 'Your guess is as good as mine, and I have reason to believe his statement is literally true. This is vacation month for the Commission. When its meetings commence again next month it will doubtless decide these cases as quickly as possible. Mr. Davis said but he has an idea how long a time preparation of the final report and order will take.'

BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TO MEET HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

The Floyd County Baptist Association will meet with the Silverton Baptist church next Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Prominent speakers of the Association are on the program. Reports of the past year's work will be received from the churches in the Association and other matters which will be of special interest to Baptists will be dealt with. However, it is said that the Baptists desire that all who will come whether a Baptist or not—Learn more about Baptists.

M. L. KIZZIAZ QUILTS LUMBER BUSINESS; WILL MOVE TO ABILENE

M. L. Kizziaz, who has been connected with the lumber business in this section of the country for many years has resigned his position with the Floyd County Lumber Company, of which the Silverton Lumber Company is a subsidiary, to accept a position as district manager for a large Dallas building and loan association. He will have his headquarters at Abilene and will have 32 towns in his district. Mr. Kizziaz has had charge of the Silverton yard since it was opened here and has made many friends in the community. He has lived at Floydada for a number of years and is held high esteem by the lumber fraternity generally. In making the change, Mr. Kizziaz states he believes he will have a bigger field of labor and that he will place his children, who are graduates of the Floydada High School, in Simmons College at Abilene.

Annis Fowler Entertains

Little Miss Annis Fowler entertained a number of her friends Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 with a water melon party games were enjoyed the first part of the designated hour, and later, delicious watermelon was served. Misses Hazel Fort and Gladys Smithee assisted Mrs. Fowler during the afternoon. Those enjoying the hospitality of Annis were: Jim and Tom Nichols, Tom Jenkins, Garner Guest, J. S. and J. T. Weldon, Gilkerson, Julia Ann Odor, Doris Gourley, Erlene Jane, Jess and Pauline Buckhannan, Kathern Norrid, Gaynell Douglas, C. Mella Fort, Jack Evans, Barbara Fowler, Wilma Dickerson, Todd and Imogene Burson.

C. B. Thomas, roofing contractor of Plainview, was here this week to finish the roof to the new two-story Burson building.

EVERYTHING SET FOR SCHOOL OPENING MONDAY

Everything is in readiness for the opening of what is expected to be the most successful term in the history of the Silverton Public School, according to a communication from Supt. J. W. Reid. A complete list of the faculty is printed on the special school page in this issue of the News, together with a general invitation to school patrons and others to assemble at the school auditorium Monday morning at 9 o'clock to attend the opening exercises.

The school board has met requirements of the State Board of Education in securing much additional library and laboratory equipment, the institution of a study hall and the securing of a highly qualified and efficient faculty. Supt. Reid urges that all students bring their book cards and report cards the first day as failure to do so means unnecessary delay. Business men of Silverton, interested in the school are sponsoring a full page advertisement this week boosting the school.

Everyone should make a vigorous effort to start their children in school the first day and allow them to attend every day during the entire term. When parents make every effort to keep their children in school it is an acknowledgement that they are vitally interested in the education of their children.

There are several reasons why the children should be started the first day. First—The boy or girl gets an even start with their class mates which gives them the same opportunity to do the work and make good grades. It is always a discouragement to the pupil to come in late and find the class ahead. The back work to make up while the regular work is carried on, is a huge task and often so discouraging that the pupil will drop out of school or lag in the work and probably fail. Second—The late pupil is a drag on the class because they do not know the work behind and have great difficulty in comprehending the work that is being done when they enter. Is it fair to the other pupils to hold one out from starting on time and make that pupil a drag on the entire class?

LOCAL - PERSONAL

Clarence Byrd is driving a new Chevrolet recently purchased from the Patton Chevrolet Co.

Merrell Hardware reports the sale of Sanders disc plows recently to Mr. McDonald and Noah Cox.

Josephine Daniels is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Daniels, who is nursing at the Plainview sanitarium.

Mrs. A. A. Turner and son Oran visited relatives in Lubbock this week.

R. L. Johnson and family visited in Plainview Wednesday.

W. A. Boone has completed a fine overhead tank at his home recently.

R. M. Carter and wife spent last week in Channing visiting the former's parents.

Otis Draper has returned to Amarillo where he is working at the carpenters trade.

Elaine Hagood expects to leave today for her home at Quanah after a visit of several weeks with her mother Mrs. Earl Simpson.

W. M. Peck financier of Comcordia, Kansas, was a business visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Crouthers had a number of guests Sunday including Ivey Moon, a brother of Mrs. Crouthers, and Lena Phillips a cousin, of Hale Center, Mrs. W. D. Long, of Lockney, an aunt, and Mrs. Harry Boyle and her son Walter, of New York City.

T. M. Nichols attended the funeral of J. W. Moore, of Estelline at Memphis last week. Mr. Moore was a prominent banker of Estelline and a cousin of Mr. Nichols.

H. R. Brown has completed the putting in of a concrete driveway, porch and walks at his home in the north part of town.

Mrs. J. T. O'Neal and her son-in-law, Merritt Carrouth and wife, left last week for Tioga where Mrs. O'Neal will live with relatives for a few months seeking an improvement in her health.

THE RAILROAD NEWS

The Tulsa secretary of commerce, V. G. Hill received a letter from Ireland Hampton, of Fort Worth, concerning the railroad situation on the Plains recently, which is given below. It sounds encouraging to boosters of the T. P. & G.

Fort Worth Texas August 16, 1926. My dear Hill:

The I. C. C. has dismissed for a vacation and will probably convene about the last of September, and will take up the railroad problems where it left off. I am sure that a permit will be granted the T. P. & G. and look forward for the announcement in the early part of October.

Yours very truly, Ireland Hampton

METHODIST REVIVAL SAID TO HAVE BEEN MOST SUCCESSFUL

The Methodist meetings which closed here Sunday night under the direction of Rev. W. M. Bowden and his evangelistic party, is said to have been one of the most successful ever held here. There were something like 60 public professions of faith and 29 additions to the Methodist church. About 20 signified their intentions of joining the Baptist church, eight the Presbyterian church and three the Church of Christ. Rev. Bowden was especially successful as an organizer and personal worker and created an interest on the part of the children and young people perhaps never before achieved here. His personality won many friends for him and the church not only among the church people of every denomination but among those who did not belong to any church. The music during the revival was especially interesting, E. J. Thomas of Dallas being in charge. There was a large choir at all times the junior choir and an eleven piece orchestra, and two pianos. The Bowden orchestra was augmented by local musicians and Mrs. W. M. Gourley presided at one of the pianos in her usual efficient manner. The vocal duets and solos by Rev. Bowden and Mr. Thomas were above the average heard in revival meetings and were enjoyed by all. The evangelistic party left here Monday morning for Elk City, where they will be in a meeting.

MOODY, POLLARD and HATCHER WINNERS IN SECOND PRIMARY

Dan Moody's lead of nearly two to one over Gov. Mariah A. Ferguson held steady on the face of returns late Monday from 248 counties out of 252 in the State 138 complete. The vote:

Moody	476,735
Ferguson	255,005
For Attorney General, Claude Pollard of Houston, maintained his lead of approximately 10,000 votes over James V. Allred of Wichita Falls. The vote:	
Pollard	347,251
Allred	338,304
W. Gregory Hatcher, treasurer, had a substantial lead over his opponent, J. R. Ball. The vote:	
Hatcher	301,710
Ball	261,431

BURSON MOTOR SELLS TEN CARS IN AUGUST

August is generally considered a bad month for business, but the Burson Motor Company sold ten Fords anyway. Those buying Coupes were: Raymond Bonat and A. P. Donnell; Touring models were sold to M. A. Morris, Horace Lightsey and E. R. Long; Roadsters to Grady Wimberly, Willie Chandler, A. C. Martin and Roy McMurtry, and Wayne Hogan bought a two door Sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Patton accompanied by Mrs. E. E. Merrell and her sister motored to Plainview yesterday.

METHODIST QUARTERLY CONFERENCE POSTPONED

The Quarterly conference of the Methodist church which had been announced for Saturday night has been postponed, according to pastor W. L. Jenkins. A communication from Presiding Elder E. E. Robinson states that the date will be announced later.

W. I. Cannady, general manager of the Floyd County Lumber Company, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Bain spent a couple of days recently in Plainview having some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crouthers visited Borger and other towns in the oil field Tuesday and Wednesday.

A one month old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, who lives on a farm with Lyle Stodghill, died yesterday about noon.

Kelz, Coleman and Blanton Garrison are visiting relatives in Motley County this week.

Marriage license were recently issued by our County Clerk to Loyd N. Phillips and Miss Era Inez Oliver.

FIRST BALE OF COTTON GINNED HERE AUG. 31st

The Silverton Gin Company ginned the first cotton of the season here Tuesday August 31. The first bale last year was ginned on Sept. 3. The bale weighed out 478 pounds and was raised by R. W. Ivey who lives in the Antelope community 24 miles east of town. Mr. Ivey lives on the W. R. Durham place and this is his first year here having come from Hunt County. He has 200 acres in cotton and says that a yield of one-half bale to the acre would be a conservative estimate, barring some unforeseen disaster. He says he has one of the finest row crops he ever saw and that he would not think of moving back to east Texas. The cotton was of the Mebane and Kash varieties and was sold to Walter Ferguson for 19 cents. A bonus of \$2250 was presented Mr. Ivey by the men of Silverton the fund being raised by J. C. Pharr. A similar bonus will be given on the first bale of plains cotton. Mr. Blakney ginned the cotton free and he will the first bale from on top the cap rock. Mr. Ivey was well pleased with the price he got for his cotton and stated that they were paying only 17 in Memphis. He says that he expects to bring another bale this week.

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Young People's Party Sat. Night.

In the Young Peoples fourfold Evangelistic Campaign to increase membership, to read chapters in the Bible, to do choir service, and to bring someone into the church the Gold side won an entertainment from the Purples. About Sixty young people, gathered at the home of Miss Carable Biffle on Saturday night, after church everyone had a good time with music and conversation for a while especially enjoyable were the songs by Thomas, the evangelist singer. Mrs. Wright hastily improvised three contests. D. L. Morgan and Earl Gammon, as Captains, chose sides which guessed against each other (1) the names of popular automobiles, (2) "nuts to crack." (3) Mother Goose charades. And D. L. S. bunch outgessed their opponents by a few points in the three efforts. The refreshment committee were Misses Maud D. Skeen, Pauline Bowden, Hazel Fort, Dora Pyeatt, Fay Christopher and Messrs. Dooley Moore and "Shot" Allard served gallons of lemonade and cake to the large company of young folks who were loath to say farewell at this last social event which they were to enjoy together after two weeks of close comradeship in church services daily, and two or three previous social gatherings.

To the voters of Briscoe County.

This is to express my thanks to you who by your vote have returned me to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Briscoe County. To those who did not vote for me I wish to say that I have no ill feeling towards you and I shall at all times try to conduct myself and perform the duties of my office in a manner that will command your support and respect. C. C. Garrison.

Make Your Plans Now to Attend the Briscoe County Fair October 1 and 2

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Briscoe

On the 9th day of August A. D. 1926, the Commissioners Court of Briscoe County being in regular session, there came onto be considered the petition of L. J. Bedwell and fifty others, praying that an election be ordered to be held in the hereinafter described territory, to determine whether or not a two-thirds majority of the property tax paying voters residing within the said hereinafter described territory and voting at said election, desire the creation of a road district for the purpose of taxing themselves for

maintaining public roads within said boundary, and asking that Road District No. 19 be created embracing the following territory, to-wit:—Beginning at the South East corner of Briscoe County, Texas; Thence West with the South boundary line of Briscoe County, about five miles to the west line of section 34 Block 3, T. & P. Ry. Co.; Thence North with section line to the N. W. corner of Section No. 33, same Block; Thence East with North section line one-half mile; Thence North two miles to Section No. 44, same Block; Thence South to N. W. Corner of Block; Thence North 2 miles to

the North line of Section No. 31; same Block; Thence East with section line to the N. E. corner of section No. 31; Thence North to N. W. corner of Section No. 41, same Block; Thence East with section lines to N. E. Corner of Section No. 53, same Block; Thence East with Section lines to the N. E. corner of said section No. 53; Thence North about one half mile; Thence East one mile to the East County line of Briscoe County; Thence South with said East County line of Briscoe County to the S. E. Corner of said Briscoe County, the place of beginning.

And it appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty qualified property taxpaying voters residing within said territory; it is therefore ordered, considered, and decreed by the court that an election be held at the School House in Gasoline said place being within the above described territory, on the 11th day of September A. D. 1926 said date being not less than 30 days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not a two-thirds majority of the property tax paying voters residing within the above described territory and voting at said election desire the creating of a road district for the purpose of taxing themselves for the purpose of building and maintaining public roads.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published within the county of Briscoe, there being no

paper published within said territory, said notice to be published for four weeks prior to said date of election, and said notice shall be posted in three public places within said territory, such posting being for at least three weeks prior to said election. Said election shall be held at the Gasoline School house and L. J. Bedwell, is appointed presiding judge of said election and Earl Wise and Edgar Morrison are appointed Clerks. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of Texas and returns shall be made as provided by law. All qualified voters who are property tax payers residing within said territory, shall be allowed to vote, those desiring to vote for the creation of said district shall have written or printed on their ballots: "For the proposed new district," and those opposing shall have written or printed on their ballots "Against the proposed new district." A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of Briscoe County Texas, and attested by the County Clerk shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notice to be published and posted, as above called for.

T. L. ANDERSON
County Clerk of Briscoe County Texas.

C. D. WRIGHT
County Judge of Briscoe County Texas.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

to all property owners and to all interested parties that at the first called session of the thirty-ninth Legislature of the State of Texas to be convened in the City of Austin, Texas, on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1926, there will be introduced a bill in respect to County, Texas, and the substance of such proposed law is as follows:

An act to create Road District 8 in Briscoe County, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the Commissioners Court of said County in respect to the organization of said District; validating the authorization issuance and sale of certain Road Bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said Road District; approving and validating all orders of the Commissioners Court of said County in respect of said Road District, Bonds and Taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; and declaring an emergency.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1926.

C. D. Wright,

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Briscoe County—

Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to summon J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, the unknown heirs of J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, both deceased, the unknown heirs of J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, both deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day, hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Sixth-fourth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said sixth-fourth Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Briscoe County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Silverton, on the 4th Monday in October A. D. 1926 the same being the 25th day of October A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of August A. D. 1926 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 514, wherein D. M. Miller is Plaintiff, and J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, the unknown heirs of J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, both deceased, the unknown heirs

of J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, both deceased, and the unknown heirs of J. J. Jenkins and wife Mrs. J. J. Jenkins, both deceased. Defendants and Plaintiff sues defendants in trespass to try title to recover the right, title and possession of the following described land located in Briscoe County, Texas, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake 510 ft. East of the N. E. Corner of Block No. No. 28, in the town of Quitaque, Texas; Thence South 730 feet to a stake; Thence East 507 feet to a stake; Thence North 730 feet to a stake for the N. E. Corner. Thence West 597 feet to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres of land, same being a part of Survey No. 28, in Block 3, Cert. 2876 T. & P. Ry. Co., also, one acre of land out of said Survey No. 28, Block 3, Cert. 2876 T. & P. Ry. Co., adjoining said above described 10 acres tract, said one acre being described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning 450 feet East of the N. E. Corner of Block No. 28, in the town of Quitaque, Texas; Thence South 730 feet to a stake; Thence East 60 feet to a stake; Thence North 730 ft. to a stake; Thence West 60 feet to a stake; the place of beginning.

Plaintiff claims title by virtue of chain of conveyances from the State of Texas down to and vesting in himself, also by virtue of the three, five and ten year statutes of limitations, and alleges that defendants are claiming some right or lien on said land by reason of an abstract of judgment dated July 14, 1914, in County Court of Briscoe County, Texas, in cause No. 73, styled J. J. Jenkins vs. J. H. Askey, and A. J. Askey for \$240.43, recorded in Vol. 1 page 83 of the abstract of judgment records of Briscoe County, Texas, but which judgment has in fact been paid and fully extinguished and has also expired by operation of law same being barred by the 3, 5 and 10 years statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff prays for title and possession of said land and that any cloud created by said abstract of judgment be removed, and for relief both general and special in law and in equity.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under my Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Silverton, Texas, this, the 4th day of August A. D. 1926

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

W. E. LASATER

Masseur-Chiroprator

Burson Motor Co. Bldg.

Office hrs. 8:30 to 11:00 A. M. and 1:00 to 5:30 P. M.

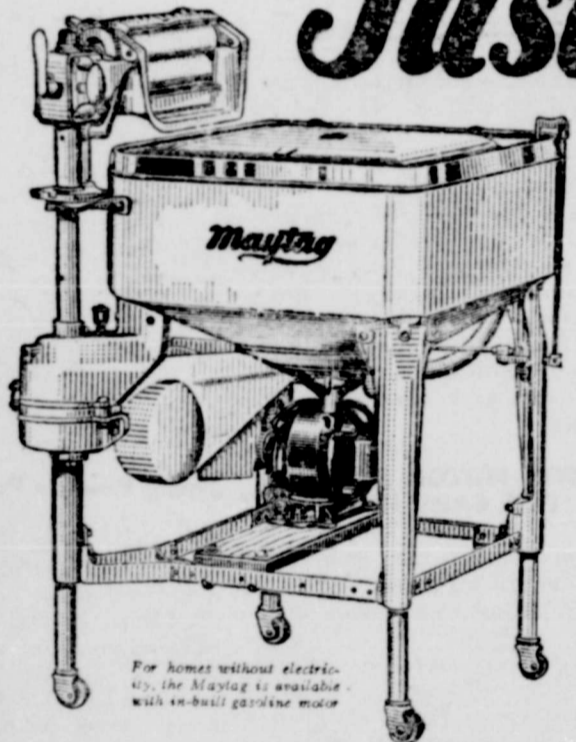
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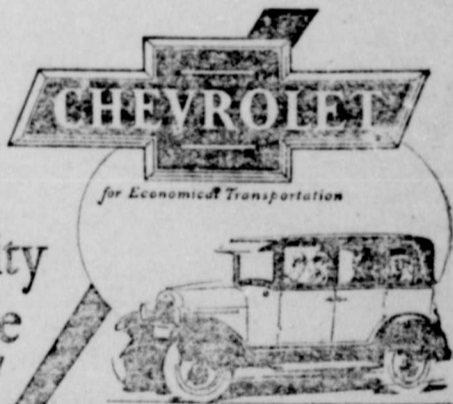
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Monday morning September the sixth at nine o'clock the patrons and public in general are invited to meet in general assembly in the school auditorium with the school authorities, faculty and pupils to inaugurate what we hope and expect to be the most successful school year in the history of the Silverton school.

Faculty

Following is the faculty complete:
 J. W. REID, B. S. Superintendent
 W. C. TODD, A. B., Principal
 W. M. GOURLEY, B. S., Voc. A.
 JOHNNIE GATEWOOD, A. B. Eng.
 WAUNITA ROBINSON, B. S., V. H. E.
 FRANCIS WILSON, Spanish
 MOENA LANE, 7th. Grade
 SADIE SUMMERS, 6th. Grade
 PEARL DAVIS, 5th. Grade
 RUTH FRYAR, 4th. Grade
 FAYE CHRISTOPHER, 3rd. Grade
 ANNA LEE ANDERSON, 2nd. Grade
 AVYCE RUSH, 1st. Grade
 AUDREY BORUM, Primary.

The school authorities are to be commended for their untiring effort to meet all the needs of the school as suggested by the Dept. of Education.

This has been done by the addition of much needed library and laboratory equipment, the institution of a study hall and securing a highly qualified and efficient faculty.

All students are requested to bring book cards and report cards the first day. Failure to do this means unnecessary delay, please do this and you will greatly aid your teacher.—J. W. Reid, Supt.

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SUNRISE BREAKFAST

An account of the sunrise breakfast partaken of by about 75 young people of Silvertown should have appeared in last week's issue, but as it did not here it is at this time.

About 4:30 A.M. the crowd gathered at the church and promptly at five the canopy of ten cars loaded to capacity paraded out the main street toward Schott cap. It was still dark enough that the lights had to be used in going down the cap rock and the scene was one never to be forgotten. The procession stopped at the Scott tank, when old sol came up preparations for breakfast were well under way. Bacon crisped over a camp fire on the end of a forked stick was the order of the hour. Eggs by the dozen scrambled in a momouth skillet wielded by E.J. Thomas, erstwhile singer chief. Coffee by Crouthers. "Don't everything taste good?" It was reported that a few bashful youths went away hungry but it was on account of their bashfulness and not on account of a dearth of food. Ask D.L. Morgan. It was a perfect morning. Every body happy. An accident over the camp fire resulted in a painful burn to Miss Jo. Haynes but she refused to let her pain mar the occasion and smilingly denied the seriousness of it. W. M. Gourley, who was supposed to have been one of the chaperones, almost missed breakfast as he thought the affair was to have been near Antelope Flat or some where else on toward Clarendon Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Crouthers and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Odor were the chaperones.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Watson, parents of Jim Watson and Mrs. Jno. Burson, who have been here, went to Brownfield Tuesday where they will visit other relatives.

L.A. Siegel, of Quitaque, is here this week to relieve M. L. Kizziar as manager of the Silvertown Lumber Company, the latter having resigned.

W. M. Draper and family returned last Friday from Union, near Brownfield, where he held a very successful to day revival meeting for the Baptist church there. He visited his parents while there.

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Elmer Gammon who formerly lived here but who now lives at Cordell, Okla. was here this week.

John Pharr, who is living with his mother Mrs. J. V. Pharr at Plainview, was married Monday Aug. 23 to Miss Lois Young, at Plainview.

J. S. Fisher went to Plainview Tuesday morning taking his father J. A. Fisher, who has been visiting here. The elder Mr. Fisher will visit a daughter at Tokio before returning to his home at Benjamin, Knox County.

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J. T. Lemons of Tulia was here was here Thursday.

County, Texas, and the substance of such proposed law is as follows:

An act to create Road District 7 in Briscoe County, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the Commissioners Court of said County in respect to the organization of said District; validating the authorization issuance, and sale of certain Road Bonds thereof, and providing for their payment by the annual levy, assessment and collection of general ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in said Road District; approving and validating all orders of the Commissioners Court of said County in respect of said Road District, Bonds and Taxes, or certified copies thereof, and constituting such orders legal evidence; and declaring an emergency.

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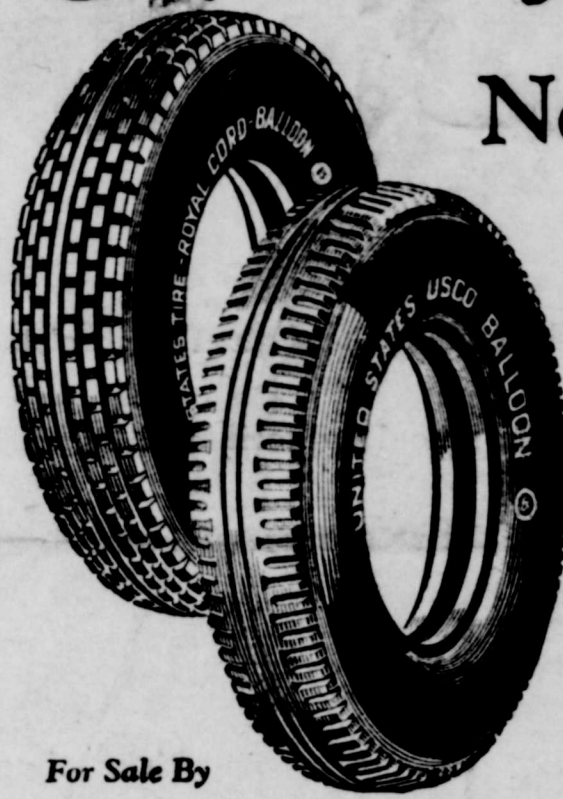
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to be convened in the City of Austin, Texas, on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1926, there will be introduced a bill in respect to Road District No. 7 of Briscoe