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LARGE CROWD HEARS JOSEPH W. BAILEY

Former Senator Joseph W. Bailey spoke here Monday night to probably one of the largest crowds ever assembled together in this city to hear a political speech. The crowd was variously estimated at from 2,500 to 4,000 people. Seats had been arranged on the vacant lot east of the postoffice and a portion of the square roped off to accommodate the crowds. Delegations were here from every town in the county and also Munday, Knox City, Throckmorton, Stamford, Aspermont and Goree.

The Senator was introduced by Hon. W. H. Murchison of this city in a highly laudatory address, stating among other things that Rochester and O'Brien were recognized socialist centers and that the socialists in these boxes entered the primary and gave Neff a majority over all candidates on account of Mr. Bailey's fight on socialism.

Senator Bailey followed his usual line of speeches that he has been making since the campaign started. Mr. Bailey told of alleged lies against him, one of which was that he favors the return of whiskey. That was a lie. He said also that he had never made a speech against prohibition or voted against it.

Discussing the labor question Mr. Bailey said labor is trying to rule the Government, and added: "Look at Galveston where organized labor is in control. They had a longshoremen's strike there and traffic stopped and the accumulation went on for months until \$100,000,000 in property was tied up."

"The union longshoremen refused to do the work and they would not let others do it. They beat those who tried to work into insensibility and with an iron heel crushed out their teeth. When an appeal was made to the authorities they jeered. That is a sample of union made government."

He argued against labor capital, the Catholic Church or the Baptist Church ruling this Government.

Mr. Bailey said if it was right for Nebraska and Kansas to help Texas regulate her liquor laws under the Federal dry amendment why not go farther and introduce their laws which permit whites and negroes to intermarry and negro and white children to sit together in the public schools. "Do you want that to happen in Texas if you do black your face to match your beard?"

For some time Mr. Bailey criticized the Socialists and said they should not be permitted to come into the Democratic primaries, and with legislative help he will prevent it when he becomes Governor. Their doctrines were ridiculed. They no more belong in the Democratic primaries than do the Republicans, he argued, and should be kept out of the coming primary.

Mr. Bailey condemned the Neff graduated land plank declaring it to be Socialist and as interfering with the right of private property.

Humanitarians in Congress would not vote \$10,000,000 for Texas, yet appropriated \$100,000,000 to feed Europe, said Mr. Bailey. While we would not vote for the Texas appropriation, never would he give a cent to Europe as long as charity was needed in this country.

"And you know they say I am a non-resident, that I live in Washington. They wish to God I did. They would give \$100,000 tonight if I were there. They will be damned for the lies they tell about me."

Mr. Bailey said they are again talking about keeping his name off the ticket, but they could not. "They will steal," he said, "but not attempt to steal openly. They will steal this election if you let them count behind closed doors, so I advise that the committee permit both sides to have representatives present."

The closed shop was described as un-American and the open shop as American. These shops, he said, are alternatives of the other and a man can not be for both. Mr. Bailey said.

Leaving Haskell, he spoke Tuesday at Stamford, Anson, and Merkel.

SEVEN-YEAR OLD GIRL SAVES BABY FROM DROWNING

Jannita Howard and her little baby sister, children of Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Howard living on Route One out of Haskell were crawling fishing Wednesday in some holes of water near the house when the baby fell into the water and went down. The baby had gone under for the last time but happened to be near the bank and little Jannita, seeing the water bubbling, reached her arm down in the water, catching the baby by the hair pulled it from the water to safety. "This is a very heroic act for this little lady, showing great presence of mind in this crisis that determined the life of a human being."

Food and Health Sanitation

Mrs. R. P. Robbins has just wired that she was detained in south Texas, but that she will be in Haskell August sixteenth, without fail. She is sent out by the State Department of Pure Food to inspect the sanitary conditions.

On another page of this issue will be found the speech of Hon. Pat. M. Neff of Waco as made at Dallas last week. The speech is taken from the Dallas News and is being run in the Free Press and paid for at our regular rates by the Pat. Neff Club of Haskell county.

Dr. M. Ward of Waco was in the city Monday on business.

PROSPECTS ARE EXCELLENT FOR COUNTY FAIR THIS FALL

The recent rains still increase our excellent conditions for the county fair which will be held the first Friday and Saturday in October. When it rains in west Texas we are always prosperous and the crops were never better and live stock of all kinds are in excellent condition. There is nothing that will help this county so much as a well organized fair. We need it and the harmony will be brought about by the co-operation of the town and country folks in establishing a permanent and stable organization for displaying the agriculture of the community upon which we depend.

The Chamber of Commerce have taken a leading part in the work of the organization and they deserve much credit in bringing about this needful enterprise. The Chamber of Commerce have been a success in Haskell since its organization and the things accomplished are of vital interest to our town and county. Remember the date and make ready for your exhibit of whatever you have to place in the fair.

L. M. GARRETT RETURNS FROM VISIT TO KENTUCKY

L. M. Garrett returned Wednesday morning from a trip to his old home in Kentucky. He left Scottsville, Kentucky on the 8th day of August, 1878, for Texas to make his future home and after remaining away for 42 years he again left there on the 8th day of August for his return trip to Texas. Coming to Texas on the same date is a singular coincidence in the life of Mr. Garrett and he had not thought of the affair until he was on his way home.

He visited his brother, R. W. Garrett and his niece, Mrs. S. E. Bryant and family at Scottsville. He also met many other relatives and friends around the scenes of his old home. He visited relatives and friends at Franklin, Ky. He also made a side trip over to Tennessee where he met a lot of relatives he had never seen and really did not know of them until he met them on this trip. On his return he stopped over at Mammoth Cave, Kentucky and says he only visited the month of the cave as it was so cold and dark inside he did not care for the experience of getting very far away from the light of God's sun. This cave can only be entered in safety with an experienced guide and you have to provide torches. No electric company has seen fit to light up this wonderful cavern with lights from a power plant. Mr. Garrett says this is doubtless the most enjoyable trip in all his life. He said the writer was unable to clearly understand his meaning. If you are interested you might ask him for an explanation.

E. L. HUNTSMAN RETURNS FROM NORTH CAROLINA WITH BRIDE

E. L. Huntsman surprised his many friends when he returned from North Carolina Saturday with his newly wedded bride. He was married to Mrs. Minnie Karkker of Wadesboro, N. C., a few days before they started for their home in Texas. Rev. Welch, former minister of Altus, Oklahoma, performed the ceremony.

May happiness and prosperity be their portion through life.

NORTHWEST TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION MEETS AUG. 20th

The annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Press Association will be held at Quannah Friday and Saturday August 20th and 21st.

The association is composed of newspaper men of Northwest Texas. Following is the program of papers and addresses to be given at this meeting: Address of Welcome—Judge C. Y. Welch.

Response—J. Claude Wells, Wellington Leader.

What is Our Duty to Print the News—J. C. Thomas, Childress Post.

The Treatment of the Editorial Page—F. H. Bowron, Graham Leader.

The Newspaper as a Business Institution—F. M. Littlepage, Bowie Blade.

The Future of the Printing Industry—Sam M. Braswell, Clarendon News.

America for Americans—E. A. Carlock, Paducah Post.

Will Two Dollars a Year Pay for My Paper—Ralph Shuffler, Olney Enterprise.

How to Figure Advertising Rates and Job Work—B. O. Brown, Vernon Record.

Round Table Talks—Everybody Take Part.

The Editor in Politics—W. A. Johnson, Hall County Herald.

Print Paper—Sam P. Harben, Richardson Echo.

Organization—Sam A. Roberts, Haskell Free Press.

Printers Price Lists—O. C. Harrison, Baylor County Banner.

Murphy and Eason Buy the Patterson Cafe

W. C. Murphy and E. B. Eason of Stamford recently purchased the W. H. Patterson Cafe and took charge of same last Monday morning. These gentlemen have done some remodeling and claim a very satisfactory patronage the past week. Mr. Murphy is a former Haskell County citizen and seems to be glad to return home. We predict for these young men a prosperous business in the city.

L. B. Hammock, editor of the Southwestern Journal at Knox City was here Monday night to attend the speaking date of Joseph W. Bailey. He called around to see us while in the city and reports prosperity and good crops in his home section.

NEFF FOLLOWERS ORGANIZE CLUB TUESDAY AFTERNOON

A Neff Club was organized at the Court house Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. B. M. Whitaker opened the meeting with a short address, after which Judge H. B. Jones was chosen chairman and C. E. Patterson, Secretary. A good attendance was present and the meeting was very enthusiastic throughout. Judge Jones and C. E. Patterson expressed themselves as being Thomason men in the first primary but will support the candidacy of Pat. M. Neff on the 28th of August.

HARMEN BECKHAM DIES AT HIS HOME IN GILLIAM

Harman Beckham, age 58, died at his home in the Gilliam cemetery Monday of last week after a lingering illness of several months. Mr. Beckham has been an invalid for many years and had suffered much in life. He was never married and lived with his sister Aunt Fronia Beckham most of the time. He had many friends who loved and cherished him and did all they could to brighten the life that was clouded with sorrow and affliction. He was buried Tuesday in Willow cemetery in this city and his remains were followed to the grave by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

Letter From R. C. Montgomery

Below we give the second letter written by R. C. Montgomery, president of the Farmers State Bank of this city who is now making an extended tour of the Pacific Slope, accompanied by Mrs. Montgomery.

Mr. Montgomery will be away a few more weeks on his vacation and he will have traveled many miles and visited many cities, viewing most of the greatest scenery resorts of the great northwest.

Butte, Montana, Aug. 2, 1920.

Editor Free Press:

My last letter was written from Cody Wyo., where we were picked up by the big yellow touring cars of the Yellowstone Park Co., carrying eleven passengers each in addition to the driver and hand baggage. My first thrill was up through the Shoshone Canyon, where the road was hardly wide enough for one car, except at intervals it was widened so as to enable cars to pass each other. Several times we met cars which had to back up until we found a place wide enough to pass. On one side would be a mountain and on the other side the canyon, about 500 feet to the bottom. Our first stop was at noon at Parkersburg, Buffalo Bill's old hunting camp where he entertained the Prince of Wales once, and where he would take his friends on hunting trips for big game in the early days. Parkersburg is an ideal camp, located on the Shoshone River in the pine woods, surrounded by mountains. After a good dinner we continued our ride to Canyon Camp in the Yellowstone Park, where we spent our first night in the Park. This camp is located at the falls of the Yellowstone. The lower falls are over 300 feet and very pretty. The canyon here is 1500 feet deep, but it looked to me to be at least a mile down to the river. From here we went to Old Faithful Camp, where the geysers by that name is always on the job and every sixty-five minutes goes up into the air about one hundred and fifty feet. Several other geysers are more or less busy, but not so large as Old Faithful. The next day on our way over to Lake Camp we passed over the Continental Divide, where on one side the waters flow to the Gulf of Mexico, and the other side to the Pacific Ocean. Lake Camp is located on Yellowstone Lake. A beautiful body of water some ten miles wide and twenty-two miles long. We stopped over here an extra day and went fishing. At the lower end of the lake across the river is a bridge. The water was probably ten to fifteen feet deep and so clear we could see the bottom and the trout too, but to save my life I couldn't catch one. While on the bridge fishing a black bear came along and swam across just below us. He could have had the bridge just as well if he had tried it. From Lake we went back to Canyon Camp for another night's stop, and the last day we continued on to Mammoth Springs camp. On this last drive just after leaving Canyon we saw our only grizzly bear, and he was some bear. We also went up to the top of Mt. Washburn, 10500 feet high, where we could see over the Park, a splendid view. Yellowstone Lake, forty miles away, did not look to be over ten miles. But I am not going up there any more, the road is too narrow to suit me. In all, we traveled one hundred and sixty-five miles in the Park, and we saw a great many things not mentioned in this letter. For every mile there was something new and interesting. At one place we passed a big Buick car that had gone over the side of the Canyon just the day before and was resting up against some trees about half way to the bottom. It looked as though badly in need of repairs. Several people were injured in the accident but no one killed. We spent our last night in the Park at Mammoth Springs Camp, where we saw a herd of buffaloes. The next day we came out of Gardner, where we got our mail, and on to Butte, arriving here in the evening. This is a town of seventy-five thousand people, mostly Irish, Italians and former citizens of the Balkan States, with a few Americans thrown in. The big mines of the Anaconda Copper Co. are located here. They would cost \$20,000,000. I am promised a trip down in one of the mines to see it. If I get out will tell you about it later.

With best wishes,

R. C. Montgomery.

WEST SIDE BARBER SHOP INSTALLS NEW FIXTURES

The West Side Barber Shop, owned by R. L. Harrison, has installed three new up-to-date barber chairs and other new fixtures which will add much to the shop in beauty and convenience. Mr. Harrison believes that nothing is too good for his customers and he is striving to please them in every way possible. We are always glad to note an improvement in Haskell and we have cause to rejoice for there are many substantial improvements being added to our city daily. Let the good work continue.

FILLING STATION SOON TO BE ERECTED IN HASKELL

R. J. Kelsey and his sister, Miss Lula E. are here this week from Dallas working on the proposition of a filling station which will be erected on the Hunt Lot west of the county jail. They hope to begin work within the next two weeks and rush to completion as rapidly as possible. This is to be one of a chain of filling stations that are being placed in various other towns over this section of the state and many of the stations have been completed and are now in operation. Mr. Kelsey says he is meeting with encouragement on every hand from the citizens of Haskell and the station is now assured.

BELL TAILORING COMPANY WILL OPEN STORE SATURDAY

The Bell Tailoring Co., are putting in a new Men's Made to Measure store and Tailor shop on the east side of the Square in the Lamm Building and will be ready for business by Saturday. This is one of a chain of stores which is doing business in many towns in Texas, and J. P. and W. E. Byrd of Fort Worth who have charge of the Haskell store and shop are very enthusiastic over the outlook of the fall business.

This will be when completed, one of the most up-to-date stores of its kind in West Texas and we predict a satisfactory trade will be given the enterprise.

HENRY ALEXANDER IS NOW IN MARKET BUYING FALL STOCK

Henry Alexander is away this week visiting St. Louis and Chicago buying the fall stock of dry goods for the E. G. Alexander & Sons big stores. He expects to buy heavily for the fall trade in anticipation of the excellent crop prospects that are now manifest over the trade territory of Haskell and Seymour where these stores are located.

Van Buskirk and Family Return This Week

Mr. and Mrs. Van Buskirk and daughter Miss Ruth returned from their summer vacation Wednesday morning. Mr. Van Buskirk met his wife and daughter in St. Louis after his return from a fishing and hunting trip in Colorado and they visited in Kansas City and other cities before returning.

Visits in Illinois

Uncle Tom Lemmons returned from a trip to Quincy, Ill., where he visited his mother who is 90 years of age and reports a very enjoyable trip. He also met his sister who lives in Chicago, which increased his happiness two fold. He went up by the way of St. Louis, and returned by the way of Kansas City. He reports the rains very spotted and some parts of Missouri they are in the grip of a drought, while other places flourish with an abundance of rain. The wheat and oat crop throughout the entire country traversed by Mr. Lemmons was very good. The corn crop in Oklahoma, on both lines is very good according to Mr. Lemmons, but he says on returning, that Haskell looks good to him.

A Haskell Beautiful

A State Civics Exhibit will be held in San Antonio in November. All residents of Haskell who have attractive flower beds, trees, yards, or orchards are asked to have pictures made of same. Pictures depicting the beauty of your grounds and not the houses are most desired.

Haskell has unlimited civic possibilities, and the people are realizing these opportunities by the civic improvement that is being made in our city. There are now many attractive yards; most especially pleasing are the cemetery, court house, Methodist Church and jail grounds.

The Civic Committee of the Magazine Club intends next spring to have a Plant Exchange; so everyone who now has flowers is urged to save flower seeds, bulbs and plants.

The fall of the year is the time to put out many shrubs, and Mr. Wells has a supply he will sell. Let us all co-operate in making the most beautiful town in West Texas.

Civic Committee, Magazine Club.

Church of Christ Meeting Will Begin Sunday

Elder W. M. Speck of Goldwalth will be at the Church of Christ Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock services to assist the pastor, P. A. Conway, in a series of meetings to be held here. Elder Speck is a brother to H. E. Speck of Abilene, who is well known to the people of Haskell.

The services will be held at the church a few blocks north of the square and all are invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Fields of Dallas were here for two days this week visiting relatives and old friends. They were returning from a vacation in Colorado, and stopped over here.

J. E. GRISSOM & CO. MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN STORE

J. E. Grissom & Company on the north side are making some marked improvements in the Millinery and Ready-to-Wear Departments down stairs at their big store. Mr. Grissom began business under the firm name last year and it has been characterized by the progressiveness of the other Grissom Stores that have been a standard of merchandise in our city and elsewhere since they began their business career many years ago.

REID'S DRUG STORE INSTALLS NEW FOUNTAIN

Reid's Drug Store on the west side has installed a new fountain which is quite an improvement to their fashionable drug store and soda drink parlor. This firm is very progressive and is striving to always keep abreast of the times with reliable goods. We again declare we are rejoiced to see the improvements that our business men are making.

R. O. McFarland of Donley County Visits Haskell.

R. O. McFarland of Hedley was in Haskell Wednesday and made this office a pleasant call. He is one of the enthusiastic breeders and promoters of the swine industry of Texas, being an active breeder of the famous Poland Chinas and owns some of the best blood in the state. He shipped from his home herd a four months old male, sired by Chief Price 2nd, to H. W. Richey of the Tompkins ranch northeast of town which is a beauty in form and quality and comes from a long line of prize winners of Texas and other states.

Mr. Richey came from Ellis county last year, bringing a herd of Poland Chinas with him which he is breeding and he expects to keep up to the standard of perfection by adding the best blood of the state continually. The sire in the Richey herd is Boles Chief, a son of Max Big Chief the largest boar of the breed in Texas, weighing 1125 pounds at two and one-half years old. He died last spring leaving a record unbroken for size and good form.

Mr. McFarland is a strong advocate of county fairs and stands ready to assist us in any way in perfecting and perpetuating the organization of the county fair of Haskell county. He gave us a hint that he might locate in the near future not a great ways from this city. Men like Mr. McFarland are always welcome to a home among us, we need men like him to help develop the wonderful resources of the many industries that would prosper in the banner county of west Texas. (Haskell county.)

21 MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED DURING MONTH OF JULY

There have been 21 marriage licenses issued in Haskell county during the month of July, which shows that Dan Cupid has been very busy and has made wonderful progress, even outstripping the month of June, which is famous as the month of weddings.

Below we give the names of those who have joined themselves together for better or for worse and become partners in life's struggles.

William E. Scheets and Miss Orle Jones.

J. C. Chamberlain and Miss Flora Walling.

Ino. H. Baker and Miss Grace Dickerson.

Emile Cornblise and Mrs. Ernestine Cornet.

C. E. Smith and Miss Cervilla Mullins.

W. A. Boyett and Miss Nellie G. Bridon.

C. C. Abarnatha and Miss Rosa Strickland.

H. C. Hawes and Miss Pearl Johnson.

Erline Cox and Miss Bessie Dilard.

Jeff Dillard and Miss Bessie Cox.

W. W. Kitley, Jr., and Miss Anna Rector.

B. M. Hicks and Mrs. Ethel Lee.

Andrew M. Seacy and Miss Ina Eugene Moore.

Marcus S. Sutton and Miss Beatrice Hill.

Walter Porter and Miss Fay Wright.

Luther A. Proctor and Miss Leona Elliott.

Troy Eubanks and Daisy Mae Lawson.

Lloyd Stephens and Miss Pearl Page.

Jess Pennington and Miss Sylvia Marrs.

Ered Callahan and Floja Jordan.

Now is the time for all good men to do the quick brown fox jumped over the when the sun shines bright on my old

All Day Singing at Weaver School House Next Sunday

We are requested to announce that there will be an all day singing at Weaver school house 6 miles south of Haskell on the Post road next Sunday August 15th. Dinner will be served to all who attend. They also extend a special invitation to good singers and lovers of music all over the county and adjoining counties to come and be with them.

J. F. Jones of Sweetwater, who is connected with the firm of Jones, Cox & Co., was in the city Tuesday shaking hands with his many friends. Mr. Jones is in the sheep business in the Sweetwater country and says that the sheep business is a paying industry.

M. B. Howard of the Howard community was in the city Saturday and reports good rains and good crops. Benton is some good farmer and he has something in the way of a good crop this year to brag on.

OFFICIALS APPEAL FOR AID FOR ORPHANAGE

Albany, Texas, Aug. 11.—The Reynolds Presbyterian Orphanage at Albany burned Monday night was a total loss. Practically nothing was saved. One hundred and twenty orphans are without a home. All bedding, clothing, cooking utensils and provisions burned. We send out this news to the world so that all may help if possible. Send anything in the way of clothing, bedding, cooking utensils or provisions, especially money contributions. Help is what we want and need at once. The loss is about \$35,000. A dormitory will have to be built at once to house these orphans. Send all contributions to S. C. Coffey, Mayor of Albany, or Richard Dyess, County Judge.

S. C. Coffey, Mayor of Albany.
Richard Dyess, County Judge,
Shackelford County.

POULTRY ORGANIZATION URGED TO PLACE BIRDS IN COUNTY FAIR

The members of the Haskell county Poultry Association are urged to get their poultry ready for the county fair which will be held Friday and Saturday October the first and second. We are going to need some good coops and let's get them ready now so our birds will show up and have a fair chance to win. We have some splendid young birds over the country and we are sure the showing will be equal to or above the expectations of the promoters of the fair, and let's not have an ugly unsightly coop cut the quality of our birds down and make a poor showing to the visitors.

See your secretary, W. M. Free about coops and let's arrange uniform coops and show to the people of Haskell and other counties who visit the fair that we are really in the poultry business.

S. G. DEAN AND J. C. HOLT RETURN FROM SOUTH TEXAS

S. G. Dean and J. C. Holt of this city returned Saturday night from a tour of South Texas. They went from Haskell to San Antonio and from there to Hodo City. Near this town is the famous fresh-water lake, Madena, which is doubtless the largest artificial lake in the United States. Old Castroville is near this lake, which is one of the oldest towns in Texas. Messrs. Dean and Holt visited this old town and Mr. Dean says most all of the houses are adobe except a large church in which the Catholics hold services, which is built of brick and mortar. Some of these old buildings no doubt were erected more than one hundred years ago and have maintained their rugged appearance and are in good repair, considering the inhabitants of this quaintly old town. From Castroville they went on to La Pryor, Uvalde and on to Crystal City, where Mr. Dean spent two weeks and Mr. Holt passed on to other parts of Texas. Mr. Dean returned home from this point and when he arrived at Stamford he found J. C. Holt and they came in home on the same train. Both these gentlemen had a good time and enjoyed the trip immensely.

SINGING CONVENTION WILL MEET AT PLEASANT VIEW

It has been formerly announced that the Haskell County Singing Convention will meet at Pleasant View (Grasshopper) six miles east of Weimert for an all day session with dinner on the ground the fourth Sunday in August, the 22nd, which is our regular day in the month. We are very anxious for a large attendance of good singers and lovers of good singing who are interested in the promotion of better singing for Haskell County, to attend.

Pleasant View is waiting for us with a big welcome. Will you be one of those who will help to make the convention a success on the above day and date? We appreciate the interest the ministers of Haskell county are taking in the convention and they are especially invited to come and be with us on every occasion.

Yours for a better convention,
Virgil A. Brown, Secretary.

Pennington-Marrs

Mr. Jess Pennington and Miss Sylvia Marrs were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Marrs in this city Sunday August 8th at 2:30 p. m. Elder P. A. Conway, pastor of the Church of Christ of this city performed the ceremony. Cream and cake was served to a few relatives and specially invited guests and friends of the family who were present.

The bride is one of Haskell's most beautiful and accomplished young ladies with a large circle of friends. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pennington of Pinkerton and is a prosperous young farmer. This happy young couple who have begun their married life so auspiciously deserve all that kindly fate can give and we sincerely hope that unbounded prosperity and unalloyed happiness may be theirs. They will make their home in the Pinkerton community where the groom is engaged in farming.

Roy Hubbard is attending the Laundrymen's Convention at Galveston this week.

Dr. J. E. Harrell and daughter Miss Bessie of Throckmorton accompanied by Misses Balchman and Weaver were here Monday night attending the speaking date of Joseph W. Bailey.

A VISIT

to the "Store of Good Furniture" will be of real interest to the prospective home furnisher. Here you will find the newest ideas in furniture displayed — an ideal outfit for every home awaits your inspection.

WELLS FURNITURE STORE

It's a cinch to figure why Camels sell!

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You should know why Camels are so unusual, so refreshing, so satisfying. First, quality—second, Camels expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos which you'll certainly prefer to either kind smoked straight!

Camels blend makes possible that wonderful mellow mildness—yet all the desirable body is there! And, Camels never tire your taste!

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For your own satisfaction compare Camels puff by puff with any cigarette in the world at any price!

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes for 20 cents, or the package of 100 cigarettes at a glass-paned paper-covered tin. We strongly recommend this latter for the home or office supply or when you travel.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.

NEWSY LETTER FROM THE PLEASANT VIEW SECTION

The good rains of this week came in time to save the crops of this community. Some of the early rains had dried up pretty badly. Some of the farmers have been quite busy cutting their maize. Cotton at this time is the best prospects that was ever grown in this section of Haskell county. With the good season that is now in the ground we are bound to make a wonderful yield if nothing happens to the crop in the future.

Rev. J. R. Beaman of Wehert is holding a meeting at this place. The church has been greatly revived, two converted, four reclaimed and six additions to the church. The meeting may go on another week. The quarterly conference will be held here next Saturday.

Mrs. Lowe has returned from a visit to her son in New Mexico.

Elmer Lowe is now building a new residence.

Jim Gaines returned home this week from a wandering trip over Texas and says that home is the best place for boys.

Mrs. Edna Butler of Cooke County is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. W. O. Sargent went to Knox City Saturday to see her brother John Griffith, who is reported real sick at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Parsons of Waxahatchie are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Margaret Marr of Abilene is visiting in this community.

Reporter.

A Card of Thanks

Dallas, Texas, August 7, 1920.—I wish to express my profound gratitude and deep appreciation to the voters who supported my brother in his recent campaign for sheriff of Haskell county. Our family appreciates this honor at the hands of the splendid citizens of the county.

We think that his election was a tribute to our dead father and mother, who were pioneers, good citizens and who now sleep beneath the soil of the county they helped to settle.

I am only sorry that I can't shake the hand of each one and express by word of mouth the sentiment I feel toward them all. I shall not live to see the day that I am too proud that I am a native of Haskell county, and that I learned some of life's lessons from her men whose true manhood and rugged honesty made them master tutors in the school of experience. Although years have gone glimmering into the track bags of things that were, I can still today the names of many to whom I owe debts of gratitude, other than the one expressed here. I shall never for one moment forget those pioneer men and women who blazed the trails with nerves of steel and hearts of oak. I wish to express the gratitude of our family to all, both the old settlers and the new citizens who have paid one of our number.

Sincerely,
Walter Cousins.

O. O. Vernon and daughter, Miss Minnie and Mrs. John Vernon of Rule, were pleasant callers at the Free Press office Friday.

OUR BANK IS OF VALUE TO YOU

There are many ways in which a good, strong Bank may be of value to you.

Our unalterable policy is to be of the greatest possible value to the largest possible number of people, regardless of whether or not they are customers of ours.

Our welfare is dependent on the welfare of this community, so we have a vital interest in each individual who composes it.

Do not hesitate to call on us whenever we may be of service.

THE BANK THAT BACKS THE FARMER

THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK

CAPITAL \$60,000.00 SURPLUS PROFIT \$4,000.00

HASKELL, TEXAS.

F. Burleson of south of town says that crops are the best he ever saw in the west. That is good news to us, Haskell county will pay back with interest all it borrowed in the drought of 1918. The windy west is the greatest country on the globe, with a population of thrifty people, who even exceed the greatness of the country.

Pride in Homes

Some homes are models of neatness; others are models of carelessness. It takes some time to keep the lawns mowed, the gates swinging well, the fences in repair, but the time is well spent. The person does not live who is not affected by his surroundings.

Photographs on the wall have changed the lives of children. A woman is a better housekeeper in a beautiful home better painted and furnished. A teacher does better work in a beautiful room. The office man is a better worker if he has good desks and carpeted floors. If these things are true, then is it not important to let the children grow up with home surroundings beautiful and clean?

S. D. Gossett and son John of Cottonwood were in the city Saturday. They report the best crop up to the present they have ever seen in that part of the section and are wondering how how they will get their cotton picked. If this good weather keeps on, that is going to be a question, sure enough.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE PINKERTON SECTION

The Baptist meeting began Friday night. Brother Stevenson and Brother Miller are doing the preaching and Prof. J. C. Tremain is doing the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jackson and daughter Miss Jessie, returned from Wallington Friday. Mrs. Leida Williams and children accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Neal and family are visiting relatives in Parker county. T. C. Steward and family have been visiting in Bell county the past two weeks.

J. W. Wheeler and family are visiting in Oklahoma this week.

Mrs. Nancy of Elk City, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frick this week.

Miss Annie Hall of Cottonwood is visiting her brother, D. E. Hall this week.

J. M. Helms and wife made a trip to Hamlin Monday.

Mrs. J. F. Norman is visiting her son Fred Norman at Ennis.

The singing school at this place is progressing nicely.

Reporter.

To the Members of the Democratic Executive Committee

You will please meet me in the District Court Room at Haskell Saturday August 21, 1920. In precincts where no chairman was elected, the old one will hold over.

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RELATING TO TAXATION BY SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17 Proposing an amendment to Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by exempting independent and common school districts from the limitation of a total tax of one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

SECTION 1. That Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution be so

amended as hereafter to read as follows: (Creating a new Section 3.)

Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State occupation taxes and a poll tax of one (\$1.00) dollar on every inhabitant of this 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 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 the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the state and the legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general or special law without the local notice required in other cases of special legislation; and all such school districts, whether created by general or special law may embrace parts of two or more counties. And the legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties. And the legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax-paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose, shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporate cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law.

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 throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1920, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the Amendment to Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the limitation upon the amount of school district tax of one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation shall not apply to independent or common school districts created by general or special law," and all those opposed to said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots "Against the amendment to Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the limitation upon the amount of school district tax of one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation shall not apply to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

Sec. 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.

Sec. 4. That the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) 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.

C. D. MIMS, Secretary of State. (Attest—A True Copy.)

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NEWS ITEMS FROM THE BUSH KNOX SECTION (Throckmorton County)

Here we are again, still calling for rain. We have had some showers but not enough to do the cotton much good. Cotton has some almost grown bolls on it. Get to looking for your socks. The grasshoppers are still plentiful yet.

On Sunday, July 25th, Mr. Austin Hare and Miss Lula Belle Smith were united in holy matrimony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Fairview. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Hare of Weaver. We hope for them a long and happy life.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gordon of Hamilton returned to their home Sunday after a several day's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Price, Homer and Anell Hanna who are attending school at Abilene, came home Saturday.

Mrs. Baker has been very low, but is some better at this time.

The singing at this place was well attended Sunday.

Several from this community attended the singing at Throckmorton Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Yockam of Event, Texas are visiting their son, Mr. McNutt and family.

The singing school is progressing nicely with 30 enrolled.

Orval Beasley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Beasley, is very low with typhoid fever.

M. P. Taylor, Huey Roper and Roy Henson made a flying trip to Woodson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Price, Mrs. H. T. Fisher, Misses Ollie McNutt, Elsie Trotten Lois Gordon, Charlie Trotten visited at Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lawson's Sunday.

Miss Willie Odell of Woodson has been visiting relatives in this community for a few days. She returned to her home Tuesday. Belton Redwine and Mrs. Addie Hibbitts accompanied her home.

Mrs. C. S. Lawson, who has been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Everett of Throckmorton returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Henson visited Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Trotten Sunday.

Preaching at both churches was well attended Sunday.

The meeting will start at this place Saturday night before the third Sunday in August.

Billie Boy.

AUTHORIZING ONE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT AD VALOREM TAX BY CITIES AND TOWNS OF FIVE THOUSAND OR LESS POPULATION.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12. Proposing an amendment to Section 4 or Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by cities and towns having a population of five thousand or less than one-fourth of one per cent to not exceed one and one-half per cent, and making appropriation therefor.

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

Section 1. That Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution be so amended as hereafter to read as follows:

Section 4. Cities and towns having a population of five thousand or less may be chartered alone by general law. They may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law, but no tax for any purpose shall be lawful for any one year which shall exceed one and one-half per cent of taxable property of such city; and all taxes shall be collectible only in current money and all licenses and occupation taxes levied, and all fines, forfeitures and penalties accruing to said cities and towns shall be collectible only in current money.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of 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, 1920, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment of Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by towns and cities having a population of five thousand or less than one-fourth of one per cent to not exceeding one and one-half per cent of any one year," and all voters opposed to said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the Amendment of Section 4, Article XI of the Constitution increasing the total tax rate that may be levied by towns and cities having a population of five thousand or less from one fourth per cent to not exceeding one and one-half per cent of any one year."

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

Section 4. That the sum of Five Thousand 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.

(Attest—A True Copy.) C. D. MIMS, Secretary of State.

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Doubtless it is a little early to plant, but the ground can be made ready and almost anything that can be grown in the spring can be grown in the fall. The fall garden should be just as good and just as productive as the spring garden. Black-eyed peas, beans, Irish potatoes, early maturing corn and many other vegetables will make good gardens. Let us see that we do not let the time pass by and make no preparations for the fall garden. Conditions are ideal for us this year.

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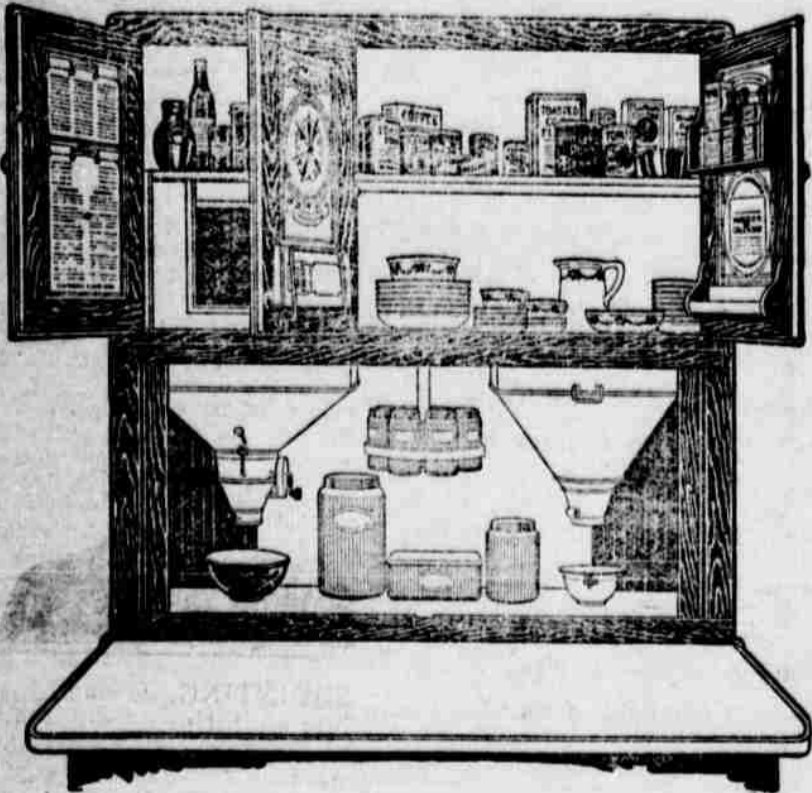
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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To All Persons Interested in the Welfare of Charles Furrer, Walter Furrer and Mary Elizabeth Furrer, Minors, That T. W. Johnson was on the ____ day of _____, 1920, appointed by the County Court of Haskell County, Texas temporary guardian of the estates of Charles Furrer and Walter Furrer and temporary guardian of the person and estate of Mary Elizabeth Furrer, all Minors, and by virtue of said appointment has received temporary letters of guardianship of the estate of Charles Furrer and Walter Furrer and of the person and estate of Mary Elizabeth Furrer, all minors, which appointment will be heard and made permanent at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1920 the same being the 6th day of September, A. D. 1920, at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors may appear and contest said permanent appointment if they see proper to do so.

Herein Full Not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, 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 Haskell, this 11th day of August, A. D. 1920.
(Seal) Emory Menefee, Clerk
County Court Haskell County, Texas.

A Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our good friends and neighbors for their kind words of sympathy and ministrations of love during the sickness of our beloved wife and sister and the death of our baby. We will always remember you in kindest thoughts for your efforts to console in this dark hour of sorrow. May Heaven's richest blessings rest on each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tucker.
Mrs. E. R. Tucker.
Mrs. Blanche Yancy.

Mr. J. H. Campbell and family of Reed Okla., are visiting their niece, Mrs. W. F. Burt and family.

J. B. Nanny of Howard was in the city Saturday and reports his father I. W. Nanny and his brother J. W. visiting him from Mason county. His father is about 80 years of age but enjoys good health.

T. J. Watson of Rule was in the city Saturday on business.

RELATING TO THE MANNER OF COMPENSATION OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS.

House Joint Resolution No. 7. A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas, proposing an amendment to the constitution of the State by adding to Article 16 thereof a new Section, to be known as Section 60; providing for the compensation of public officials.

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

Section 1. That there is hereby added to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, a new section to be known as Section 60 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which shall read as follows:

Section 60. Compensation of Public Officials: All State, district, county and precinct officers within that State shall receive as compensation for their services a salary, the amount of which, the terms and methods of payment and the fund out of which such payments shall be made, shall be ascertained, declared and fixed by the Legislature from time to time; provided that the Legislature may make such exceptions as it may deem advisable.

This section shall supersede all other provisions of this constitution fixing and declaring the compensation of officers by salary, fees or otherwise and all provisions for salaries or other compensation for public officials, executive, legislative or judicial.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1920, at which election the amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and shall make the publication required by the constitution an duty of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State, and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters, the following words:

"Official Ballot" "For the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding thereto Section 60, providing for compensation of public officials." Against the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding thereto Section 60, providing for compensation of public officials."

Those voters who favor such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "Against the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing compensation for public officials." Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through them, the words "For the amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing compensation for public officials." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.

Sec. 3. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of this amendment and the election to be held hereunder.

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Recent Speeches and Declarations

Denying that J. W. Bailey is a Democrat and challenging his war record and his position on prohibition, P. M. Neff gubernatorial candidate, spoke at the Dallas City Hall Auditorium Monday night, August 2nd, to a capacity crowd. Mr. Neff, whose audience was very enthusiastic and responsive, said that Mr. Bailey has sought to array class against class; that while Mr. Bailey poses as a friend of the farmers he has never done anything for them and is now attempting to deceive them by a false issue—that of the so-called labor question, eight-hour day and open shop. He asserted that the "red circular" and another circular, ostensibly issued by union labor, are, in fact, "put out by Bailey and his cohorts" and that unknown men who refuse to give their names, are distributing these circulars over the State. He asked what, as Governor, Mr. Bailey can do with regard to the open shop or eight-hour day.

Mr. Neff stated his own position on labor matters at some length and detail—in effect that both labor and capital have the right to organize, to collective bargaining, to transact business through representatives of their own choosing; that a man has a right to quit his job at any time and another man the right to take that job and be protected by law; that a man has the right to join or not to join the union; that he has the right of private contract—to work such hours and for such pay as another man or organization may contract with him for. Some time after Mr. Neff had made this statement he was interrupted by a question:

"How do you stand on the open shop—yes or no?" In reply Mr. Neff repeated, in effect, the above statement, prefacing it with the observation that there are various definitions of the open shop—Mr. Bailey having one and some others having another. Mr. Neff's expression on this point was received with a great deal of applause. Indeed, the applause and encouragement was profuse and enthusiastic throughout the speech.

Bailey and the Ticket

Mr. Neff said Mr. Bailey will not vote the national Democratic ticket in November because he is against all the things Governor Cox stands for and "Mr. Bailey boasts that he never changes his mind." He named the League of Nations, woman suffrage, prohibition and other things as points on which Mr. Bailey disagrees with the national party and its presidential nominee. He recalled that Bailey said he would never vote for a man who stood for the things Wilson and Sheppard stand for. Cox does stand for those things. Then Bailey will not vote for Cox, said Neff.

He insisted that Mr. Bailey's war record alone is enough to cause the people to vote against him for Governor. He also dealt with Mr. Bailey's prohibition and woman suffrage attitude and said, furthermore, he is not in sympathy with the aims and aspirations of the churches that he "decries preachers and derides women."

The campaign issue, said Mr. Neff, is whether Baileyism or Democracy shall survive in Texas, and Bailey's campaign is entirely "one of false issues."

"Stand pat on election day and end Baileyism forever," cried Mr. Neff to great applause.

Dr. Rosser Makes Talk

In view of considerable discussion over the State of the "attitude of the doctors" special interest attached to the remarks of Dr. C. M. Rosser of Dallas, who was chairman of the meeting.

"Many medical men in Texas," said Dr. Rosser, "have not been favorable to the candidacy of Mr. Neff. Some differences arose, as differences will arise, but after careful consideration and discussion, to my mind those differences have passed." He then said he was never more earnest in his life than in appealing to every man, in this hour, to take a position for the right.

Mr. Neff made no reference to this matter, but he took occasion to say that he had carried Moody, "the home of John Patterson, whose slayer I once defended, and about which the other side has attempted to cause misrepresentation." He said Mr. Bailey has not carried his home county town or ward; that he has been repudiated by his own county convention, although he (Bailey) had declared that he would never have an office if home people would not support him for Governor.

Neff People Meet

Monday afternoon some 250 or 300 Neff supporters from various parts of the State met at the Adolphus Hotel, in Dallas in executive session, to discuss campaign plans. According to some of those present talks were made by Cone Johnson, M. M. Crane, Cullen F. Thomas and others. The campaign committee met again Tuesday morning in the office of John Davis, it was said. The City Hall auditorium, which will seat 1,200, was crowded with all available standing room taken and many outside who were unable to get in at all. About 100 were from Waco. A large delegation with brass band, came from Fort Worth, and entertained the preliminaries with a parade, band music and songs—one of which was a jazzy creation with this refrain: "Good evening, Mr. Neff—Neff—Neff. I'm glad to see you here today." This inspired Patrick O'Keefe to jig.

While the crowd awaited Mr. Neff's

arrival Gen. M. M. Crane was called for and spoke, Judge J. E. Cockrell introduced Mr. Neff.

Friends and fellow-citizens: Much political history has been made in Texas during the last six months. We have witnessed three seemingly decisive political battles, in many respects, without a parallel in the history of our country. The only question about which these battles have been fought is whether Democracy or Baileyism shall survive in Texas. (Applause.) That is the only issue that is today before the citizenship of Texas.

Notwithstanding we have fought three battles, after an extensive and intensive campaign, the Democrats of Texas in May gathered in their convention, and standing upright, an' fearless, administered to Joseph W. Bailey, the most stinging rebuke and most terrific and decisive whipping that any would be political leader in Texas has ever received.

What Missouri did to Jim Reed and what Georgia did to Jim Watson, and what the San Francisco did to both of them, was but a Mayday festival compared to what Texas has done and is going to do for Joe Bailey. (Applause.) He has carried scarcely 12 counties in the State, and in a convention composed of more than 1,400 delegates there was not one representative voice raised in his behalf. Notwithstanding this merited rebuke he came forth once and maligned the party and slandered the leaders of Democracy.

Points to Primary Vote

In answer to the slanderous charges he made against the Democratic party more than 500,000 of the Ivanhoes of Texas Democracy marched to the polls and by their vote on July 24th, registered their disapproval of this betrayer, this repudiator of the Democratic party of Texas and the Nation; and again on last Saturday the people through their representatives gathered in their convention halls, and from the Red River to the Rio Grande, and from the treeless plains of the Panhandle to the towering pines of eastern Texas, resolutions went throughout the State declaring that in the political life of Texas there was no room for this alien candidate for Governor in this State.

Yet Another Battle

Notwithstanding these battles fought and these victories won, we must call once more the forward Wilson-Cox-Roosevelt Democrats to fight the battle once, and as the nominee in the Governor's race to overthrow Baileyism in Texas. I call fourth tonight the sons and daughters of Texas to fight once more for the honor of their party in their State.

On August 28th the Hindenburg line is going to be drawn: on the one side is Woodrow Wilson, on the other side—on the other hand is going to stand those who hate Woodrow Wilson and who have repudiated the splendid achievements of the last seven years; on one side of that line is going to stand those who helped to whip the Kaiser and on the other side is going to stand those who, Achilles-like, sulked in their tents and refused to defend or aid in the selling Liberty bonds; on one side is going to stand those who believed in all the Democratic achievements of seven years past; and on the other side is going to stand those who have repudiated the achievements of our party in the last seven years; on one side is going to stand those who stand today openly on the top of the Cox-Roosevelt platform, and on the other side is going to stand those who gathered clandestinely beneath the platform for the purpose of dynamiting it.

Under Which Flag

On one side of that line is going to stand the forward looking and on-going forces of Democracy of this State, and fight on more beneath the Democratic banner of progress and its prosperity all that Democracy has fought and worked for in these recent years, and thus drive out of Texas forever Bailey and Baileyism from the State.

And in speaking of the resolutions adopted in Texas on last Saturday I desire to call your attention to one handed me this afternoon, and in reading this I desire to state that when that stripling from El Paso, the Honorable Ewing Thomason, told Joe Bailey to run off the campaign in Cooke County Mr. Bailey, from his home in Washington, replied in these words: "I would not hold any office anywhere if I could not carry my own county." He did not carry his county; did not carry his city; did not carry his ward; did not carry his neighbors' votes where he lived for years.

And in that connection I desire to say that on the 24th day of July, in the little city of Eagle Springs, on the borders of McLennan and Coryell counties, where I was born and spent my childhood days, I received every vote but one that was cast there. I desire to say that in the town of McGee, where I spent my mature-youthful years, I received practically the solid vote, and I desire to state that in the town of Moody, where John S. Patterson once lived, and whose slayer I defended in the courthouse of my county, and about which the Bailey forces are today through the public distribution and through their platforms are saying slanderous things, I desire to say, without ever visiting the town, and without ever speaking to any man in it during this campaign, I carried the town, above my opponents, the last one of them.

Resolutions From Cooke County

Here is the resolution adopted last Saturday by the Democracy of Cooke County and I never spent an hour in Cooke County in all my life; here is the resolution:

"We endorse the candidacy of Pat M. Neff for Governor of Texas and commend him to the Democratic voters of Cooke County. We regret and condemn—I will not read that—"It is our judgment that Joe W. Bailey is not a resident of Texas or eligible to the office of Governor and we believe he is not a resident of Texas—of this town or county, and has no lawful right to take part in the primaries or elections of any kind."

Bailey and the Office

That is the voice of the Democracy of Cooke County that Joe Bailey said he would not hold the office if he could not carry it. You can hardly tell what Joe Bailey means any more by what he says. He came to Texas, and with great unction, he says, "There is no office within the gift of the people of Texas that I would have if tendered to me, and therefore I have returned to Texas to talk to my countrymen about some great functions of government."

He added that you could not put much confidence in what a candidate of office said. It was measuring other candidates by his own yardstick when he said that and a moon had scarcely a week's waiting after he made that statement until he was seeking office at the hands of the Texas people.

No man should be elected Governor of Texas who has within the last year sought to destroy the Democratic party. Mr. Bailey, within this year, has conspired with enemies within the party, with the view of destroying the party.

Prediction of New Party

In a speech in New York last year he said the organization of a new party is inevitable and to the secretary of the Texas Democratic party of Texas in which he said, "I am thoroughly convinced that if the real Democrats of Texas are not willing to become Socialists they must separate themselves from those who are trying to socialize the party in Texas."

"I am ready," he declared, "to declare that separation," and then he journeyed to Texas from his fashionable home in Washington and made his speech in Hill county, where he openly and insolently declared that it was his intention to organize a new party in Texas, and he and the impeached Governor of Texas agreed in secret council to meet in Fort Worth for the purpose of organizing the new party. They met, they declared, they conspired; Jim Ferguson for some satisfactory reason kicked Joe Bailey out of the conspiracy and organized the new party himself.

Where Bailey Stands

Then when Bailey found that he could not settle the ship from without, he commenced boring holes from within. When he found that he was too puny to destroy the party and too weak to split the party he announced for office within the party. (Laughter.)

And today he is only interested in one party, and that party is Joe Bailey himself. (Applause.)

In the light of all this, how any Democrat can get his consent to repudiate his party, to insult his intelligence, and to blacken his judgment and his conscience by voting for Joe Bailey to be the Governor of his State is a thing I can not understand. (Applause.)

No man should be elected Governor of Texas who has slandered the achievements of the Democratic party during the last seven years. Texas is the greatest Democratic State in the Union and Texas ought not to have in the Governor's office of this great Democratic State one who has repudiated the achievements of the party and slandered the leaders of the party for the last seven years in this country. (Applause.) There isn't a plank in the platform which he has not slandered.

He said in Wichita Falls that looking at the Democratic achievements for the last seven years from top to bottom it had not accomplished one solitary thing that met with his approval. And I think I can speak with enough authority of the Democrats of both the State and the Nation to say that Joe Bailey has not done one solitary thing the last seven years that meets with the approval of the Democrats of either State or Nation. (Applause.)

A voice: Can you say that he is a Democrat? He's an autocrat.

Bailey and the Platform

Mr. Neff: In answer to that I will say that I don't believe that any person should be elected Governor of Texas who is not a genuine Democrat. Measuring Joe Bailey by that splendid Democratic platform adopted at San Francisco a few weeks ago, he is not a Democrat. There is not one plank in that platform that meets with his approval. That platform declares that the paramount issue is a League of Nations; a League of Nations is the crystallized thought, represents the patriotic impulses of six thousand years of human history. It is the one thing that has cut its way like chariot wheels through all the centuries and the impulses of civilization has ripened into the one thought expressed in the League of Nations; and the platform at San Francisco says it is the paramount issue. Bailey is against that. That platform declares for the closing of every saloon and keeping them closed beneath the American flag. It is for national prohibition. It recognizes the whiskey traffic as the one great evil of all the land and it so declares itself. Bailey is opposed to that plank. That platform declares for the equal suffrage, declares that the time has come when woman should be taken out of her political slavery and that she should be placed side by side with man to share her responsibilities and meet her duties as citizens of this proud republic and this good State and Bailey is opposed to that.

Measures of Bailey

There isn't anything in the platform that meets with his approval and therefore I say that, measuring him by the platform at San Francisco, he is not a Democrat. (Applause.) Measuring him by Cox, the nominee, who stands on that platform, measuring him by Cox, Bailey is not a Democrat, because Bailey said that no man was a Democrat who was in favor of woman suffrage and the first thing that Cox did after his nomination was to give his approval to equal suffrage in the nation. (Applause.)

Therefore Bailey, by his own statement, is not a Democrat, when measured by the Cox standard. Bailey is not a Democrat when measured by the Wilsonian standard. Is Wilson a Democrat? The Democrats of Texas in this very hall a few weeks ago declared him to be the highest and noblest exponent of Democracy in all the land. (Applause.)

And the Democrats of the Nation, in San Francisco a few weeks ago, declared that Wilson was the greatest living Democrat of the age. (Applause.) Bailey says he is a Socialist. Bailey says he is not a Democrat. Therefore they aren't one and the same and I say that measuring Bailey by the Wilson standard he is not a Democrat.

Measuring Bailey by the achievement of the last seven years under a Democratic administration he is not a Democrat because he is not in favor of one single thing that the Democratic party has accomplished in this Nation and in the world for the last seven years. Therefore, my friends, you can not measure him by any standard in this world except his own standard, to show that he is a Democrat. I do not think we should elect in Texas a Governor, one who will not support the nominee of the national Democratic

convention.

Bailey and the Ticket

Mr. Bailey will not vote for Cox. Bailey says so himself. He said so in his Covington speech. He has said so from almost every stump in Texas. This is what he said: "As long as I live I will never vote for any man for office who holds to the political convictions of Woodrow Wilson and of Morris Sheppard." Now Woodrow Wilson and Morris Sheppard and Jim Cox all have the same political convictions, standing upon the same platform and fighting the same political battles; therefore, Bailey declares himself that he will not vote for the nominee next November. (Applause.)

Now, I feel perfectly safe in stating that because you know that Joe Bailey proudly proclaims that he never retracts anything that he ever says and that he has not changed his opinion about any matter on earth for the last thirty years. (Applause.)

You know he says that after August 28 he is going to buckle on his armor and go forth to battle for the national Democratic ticket. You know Bailey always appears at his best as a warrior. (Applause.) Invisible in war and invincible in peace. (Applause.)

What Will He Talk About

I wonder what Bailey will talk about when he goes to speak in behalf of the national Democratic party. There is not a thing in the platform that he endorses. I dare say there is not a State in the Union that would permit him to speak in that State. (Applause.) Do you think that the twenty-seven States of the Union that granted women the right to vote would permit Bailey to come to one of those States and speak in behalf of anything in this world? The only joint debate that I know of that could take place would be the debate that would take place between Joe Bailey and himself. (Applause.)

If he advocated anything in this world that the Democratic party had anything to do with, why he can't just debate that himself because he has already denounced everything that the Democratic party has been connected with for all these years.

I think that Texas ought to have this year elected to the Governor's office one that is at least on speaking terms with the Democratic party of both the State and the Nation. (Applause.) Joe Bailey is not even on speaking terms with anybody connected with the national Democratic party. (Applause.)

I don't think we should elect a Governor in Texas who belittles the women who berates the preachers and who is not in sympathy with the work of the churches of our country. (Cheers and applause.) Of women he said in a public speech that he would prefer to have saloons in politics than women. That is his standard of a woman. He gave out an interview from Washington in regard to equal suffrage in Texas and he said "I am opposed to granting equal suffrage to the women of Texas because we have already too many ignorant voters in Texas." (Laughter.)

As to the Women

Now Bailey can fool part of the people part of the time and all the people some of the time, but he can't fool any of the women any of the time. (Laughter.) Therefore, the women of Texas on the 28th day of August are going to march to the ballot box with flags unfurled and present an unbroken army in opposition to Bailey and Baileyism in this State. (Applause.) Because the preachers of Texas have no faith and no confidence in Joe Bailey and have the courage to say so he denounces them throughout the State. (Applause.)

Bailey and Preachers

And he warns them—Bailey is the greatest hand to warn (laughter)—"I warn the preachers of Texas that unless they cease talking about me from their pulpits they are all going to hell," and he did that just as a friend to the preachers. He isn't in sympathy with any of the ideals or any of the teachings of the church. He talks with much borrowed wisdom about the separation of Church and State. We are all in favor of the separation of Church and State, but what Bailey had in his mind he wanted to separate in Texas Church and State and get somebody in Texas to hold the great moral forces of Texas until Joe Bailey could get back into office in this State. (Applause.)

A Voice—What about the Times Herald?

Mr. Neff—You needn't bother about the Times Herald; the Times Herald always gets what it wants.

A Voice—You ought to be ashamed of yourself, Times Herald.

Mr. Neff: No man should be elected Governor of Texas who wages a campaign upon a false issue. No man should be elected Governor of the great State of Texas who wages a campaign upon what he knows to be absolutely a false issue in the campaign. He is not only waging a campaign upon a false issue, but he is waging it by misrepresentations.

Those Campaign Circulars

I hold in my hand a document entitled "Labor's Lead. Mr. Farmer: Join with labor. Vote for and work for Pat M. Neff for Governor. Election Aug. 28, 1920. If Mr. Neff is defeated join again with labor and vote for T. H. McGregor, the Republican candidate for Governor in the general election, Nov. 2, 1920." That is a bogus document. It is a marvel. That is the second edition of the red circulars that were scattered before July 24, in which it said, "Vote for Thomason or Looney or Neff, vote against Bailey." Now, Looney didn't put them out, Thomason didn't put it out and Neff didn't put it out. Neff hasn't put this bogus, fake, fishy, fictitious document out before the people of Texas. Joe Bailey and his henchmen in this State are scattering this document throughout Texas. (Applause.) No man is worthy of the confidence or the comradeship of the people of Texas—who will put out a bogus document like that. Now, certainly I am not and no friend of mine is circulating that. It isn't being scattered among labor organizations; it pretends to be the friend of labor organizations, but that document is being scattered today by unknown parties who refused to give their names, where they came from or where they were going. They are scattering this and putting it in the hands of the farmers of Texas for the purpose of prejudicing some of them against my candidacy and mak-

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NEFF ANALYZES BAILEY'S POSITION

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...them believe that Bailey is their friend, when Bailey as he has always been, is now and always has been an enemy to the farmers of this country. (Applause.)

Bailey and the Law

Bailey doesn't seem to know the law of Texas and I excuse him for that. I think a person who hasn't lived in Texas for twenty-five years—I don't think he is supposed to know the law. (Applause and laughter.)

Mr. Neff: He is a constitutional lawyer.

Mr. Neff: He is a constitutional lawyer except that the Supreme Court of the United States hardly ever agrees with him. (Applause.) In regard to the cause of capital and labor, I am glad that my views are in accord with the great principles in regard to capital and labor as set forth in the Democratic National platform built at San Francisco a few weeks ago. (Applause.) I am a friend to both capital and labor, to the employer and the employe. I believe that both capital and labor has a right to organize, has a right to collective bargaining, has a right to do business and transact business at all times about all matters through duly selected representatives of their own choosing. (Applause.)

I believe that a man has a right to quit work whenever he wants to and that when he quits a job any other American citizen has a right to go and do the work that his neighbor did not want to do. (Applause.) And that in doing that work he should have the protection of the laws of his country in the quiet and peaceful pursuit of his toil. (Applause.)

As to Labor Unions

I believe that every man in Texas has a right either to join or to stay out of a union and that every man in Texas has a right of the freedom of a contract, to make a contract to work for anybody under any conditions as to time and price that he is willing to contract to work for him for. (Applause.) The law of Texas reads as follows on that point—I am sure Mr. Bailey has never read it.

"It shall be unlawful for any and all persons engaged in any kind of work or labor, manual or mental or both, to associate themselves together and form trade unions and other organizations for the purpose of protecting themselves and their personal work, personal labor, and personal service in their respective pursuits and employments; provided that nothing herein contained shall be held to interfere with the terms and conditions of private contract with regard to the time of service or other stipulations between employers and employes." I helped to pass that law. (Applause.) I was for the law when it was enacted in 1890. It has been on the law books ever since and I would like for Mr. Bailey to say whether or not he is in favor of either repealing or amending that law—that is as soon as he reads it, he never has seen that law, he don't know anything about it.

Bailey is Quoted

Mr. Bailey from this platform a few nights ago stated the following: "I never understand"—it is hard for him to understand—"how any self-respecting laboring man can ask the law to take from him the God-given right to make his own contracts for his own personal services. I am one of the men who believes in the dignity of labor, and as long as I believe in this dignity and its usefulness I shall assert that the carpenter has the same right to make his contracts as the lawyer has to make his."

Well, the carpenter has today the same right under the laws of Texas to make any kind of a contract in reference to his employment that the lawyer has to make in reference to his employment.

I don't understand why Mr. Bailey raises the issue that the carpenter ought to be permitted to make contracts like a lawyer. Why, there is no law in Texas, in the books or out of the books, in the court decisions or anywhere else, that denies a man, whether he be carpenter or following any other pursuit in this country to make any kind of a contract he wants to make in reference to his employment.

A Bogus Campaign

It is a bogus campaign. He is raising bogus issues; fictitious issues, and to be a little plainer, he is laying down false issues in this campaign, seeking to prejudice some people against my candidacy and in his favor.

And then he digs further; do you believe an eight-hour day can be applied to the home? Who has ever suggested anything about an eight-hour day for the home, or the factory or for the farmer or for anything else? Why does Mr. Bailey come and inject into a campaign something about a law-made eight-hour day in this country? He is actually trying to make the farmers of Texas believe that the labor organizations had passed a law in this country that forces them to work eight hours and no more and no less. Why, friends, there is no such law as that in Texas, and no one, so far as I have ever heard of, has ever suggested the wisdom of ever passing any such law as that. (Applause.)

Eight-Hour Law

The law in Texas in reference to eight hours is a law in reference to the employes of the State government, the government as an employer, the other side of the contract are the employes, in order that the work of all the employes may be equal and uniform. The State of Texas says the employes of the State government can work eight hours a day; but that is for the employes of the State government, and nothing else. Then the other law in reference to the time, a person shall work is in regard to those who work upon the trains in Texas; those who work at the throttle and guide the engine that pulls you over the railroad tracks. The government of Texas thought that the trainmen ought not to be worked overtime and as the law contains the time that the engineer sits at the throttle how long he shall work. I want to know if Bailey is in favor of repealing or amending that law.

I would like for Bailey to get something definite with some other matters connected with this campaign. (Cheers and applause.) Then the law in reference to the employment of the people in Texas is a law that regulates the time that women shall work in the factories and in the theaters and in the shops in Texas. The law threw its protection around the women of Texas for a good reason that I shall not here describe, and the law says that the women of Texas shall not be worked by anyone in this State except certain number of hours each day and each week.

Will Meet Bailey Anywhere

I will meet him anywhere at any time about any issue that he will make in Texas because I know it will be a false issue. He says he is the only man in Texas that has the courage to come out against labor organizations; yet he says that only 8 per cent of the laboring men of Texas are organized. Now, it certainly would take a great deal of courage for a big man like Bailey to denounce an organization that has only 8 per cent organized. (Cheers and applause, laughter.)

When did Bailey become so brave and courageous? It has been since the 30th day of March, because on that day in the city of Wichita Falls, when he made a speech there, he was asked if he was in favor of the open shop and he was asked if he was in favor of collective bargaining, and to both of these questions he had just as well been asked to sell Liberty bonds. He said nothing. (Applause.) If he is courageous now, he was certainly a coward then.

Eight-Hour Day by Law

Mr. Bailey further stated, and subsequently among all of these apostles of an eight-hour long day:

"I have never found one of them willing to apply it in his home, and as long as I don't want a law to abridge my ideas—right to work—I am not going to vote for any law that abridges my right to work." Isn't that a perfectly fair proposition. (Laughter.) Yes, that is a fair proposition, and the only thing about that proposition that he submitted to his hearers on that occasion is that it is a false proposition. (Applause.)

He calls upon the apostles who advocated an eight-hour law-made day; who is advocating anything like that in Texas? No one. There is not a human being anywhere in Texas that I ever heard of, either a candidate for Governor, anybody that has ever been in the Legislature or in hopes of being; no labor organization, no capitalist, no one anywhere that I have ever heard of or that you have ever heard of that advocated anything about a law-made eight-hour day in this country. (Applause.)

Do you know why Bailey is talking that way? He is sending out to the farmers fictitious literature and is telling them that in a little while that they are going to pass an eight-hour day for hands on the farm. He knows there is not any person in this world either in the asylum or out of the asylum anywhere that ever thinks of passing an eight-hour day law for the farmers of Texas. Bailey does not think so himself and neither does anybody else, and I say he is waging his campaign upon a false issue and he knows it is a false issue. (Applause.)

Yes, here he comes, he commences: "And fellow-citizens, I want to tell the men of labor that if they insist upon this universal eight-hour day—"

Where did he get any information that any laboring men even wanted an eight-hour day law passed—"the time will come when it will be applied to the farmers as well as the factories. They can apply it to the farms as easily as I can to the factories."

He knows that is not true. The factories work all the time the year around, sunshine and storm, but the farm work is controlled by the seasons, farm work is controlled by the exigencies of the hour.

When the wheat is to be cut it must be cut now and the law even provides a man can work on Sunday under conditions of that kind and work twenty-four hours a day.

When the cotton has to be gathered it must be gathered now, and Bailey has sense enough to know that the rules that apply to the factories of this country can not and do not apply to the farming interests of this country. (Cheers and applause.)

Influx to the Towns

And now he says that the country boys are all coming to town because he says that the country boys come to town and find that the town boys has easier work and more pay and a better time than those in the country.

Now this is Bailey's cure for that. We will admit that there is an influx somewhat too large from the country to the town, but this is Bailey's cure for that.

He says in substance, let us make the conditions of the working man so bad in town, so poor, so drudgery, so uninviting that when the country boy comes and looks at the poor man in town and labors hard to make a living then the country boy will go back to the country disgusted. (Prolonged cheers and applause.)

He actually thinks—no he doesn't, either (Laughter)—no he doesn't think so; I started to say that he actually thinks that argumen is going to catch a few of the splendid farmers of this country to vote for him, but he underestimates the intelligence and patriotism of the farmers of this country.

Neff has a Solution

I have a different solution for the problem and I have advocated it throughout Texas in my speeches in my behalf for my candidacy for Governor. I am in favor of making the work and the life in the country more attractive to the boys of the country. I am in favor of improving rural life. I am in favor of making the school-houses the political and social information and the inspirational center of every community, place where the boys and girls of the neighborhood gather in a social way and let them meet the

people; and let the country people have some of the attractions in the country that they have in the city. Bailey is opposed to that.

I am in favor of that purpose for using all the money that the Federal Government desires to appropriate to build good roads in the country. Bailey is opposed to it. (Applause.) I am in favor of maintaining the parcel post law that brings the country in closer touch with the city and the town in closer touch with the country. Bailey is opposed to that. I am in favor of rural mail delivery where the boys in the country can get letters from their sweethearts directly just like the boys have their mail delivered to them in town. Bailey is opposed to the rural delivery of mails. (Cheers and applause.) Yes, I am in favor of the country boy learning to run an automobile with one hand and let him court the girls over the public highways. (Cheers and applause.) Bailey says and he said in one of those splendid, hold statesmanlike addresses of his—he said it ought to be made a felony and offense for any man to run an automobile over the public highways of this country. He rode two horses.

Farm Loan Banks

I am in favor of the law in regard to loaning money to the farmers of Texas that enables them to own their homes and improve their homes and by the aid of the Government loan make more attractive the country homes in this country. Bailey is opposed to the law that has put \$30,000,000 to 15,000 farmers of Texas under our recent Democratic administration as a help to make the State of Texas a home and Bailey is opposed to that law. I am for improving rural life, making it as attractive to the boys and girls of the country as it is possible to do, and I am opposed to laying burdens on the laboring man in town, putting burdens upon his shoulders that he ought not to bear just for the purpose of using him as a badge man to run country boys back to their home. (Applause.)

Bailey and Farmers

When did Mr. Bailey become a friend to the farmers of Texas? In all his career in the past in the Senate I challenge him tomorrow night wherever he speaks in Texas to point to just one thing that he ever advocated for the interest of the farmers of Texas. (Applause.) There has never been introduced in Washington when he was a member of Congress even one bill that was originated by somebody else that had for its purpose the upbuilding and improving of the farmers of Texas but

what that bill did not meet the stubborn opposition of the Senator from Texas.

Strange to me that Mr. Bailey can not find anything wrong in Texas except what he says labor organizations are doing. There is not anything else wrong in Texas. He never has chipped one word about the profiteers in Texas. (Applause.) A profiteer or a grantifier in Joe Bailey's eye can do no wrong. He has not said anything about the combination and the organization of a few of the millionaires of Texas banded together a few days ago in Texas to run down the price of cottonseed in Texas. There are many questions and definitions in regard to what is an open shop and a closed shop.

Bailey has one definition and other people have others.

I will state to you what I believe and you can state whether or not it comes within the definition of your idea, whether it is a closed or an open shop. I have stated to you that I believe labor organizations and capital had the right to organize for its own protection.

Capital and Labor Contracts

I believe that capital and labor have the right to contract through bargaining and that each of them have the right to do business with each other at any time through their duly elected representatives; that I believe a man had a right to quit work at any time he wanted to quit work, and when he quit work that any American citizen had the right to take his job and that the Governor of Texas ought to give protection to that man as he followed that peaceful pursuit. (Cheers and applause.) I further stated I thought every man in this country had the right to either join a union or stay out of the union and that every man in the country had the right and the freedom of contract to make any contract that was suitable to the employer and the employe both as to wages and number of hours and if any man in Texas wanted to make a contract to work for \$1.50 or \$2 a day or any man wanted to make a contract to work for 50c an hour for twelve hours a day he had a right to make that contract with anyone in Texas that wanted to make that contract with him. (Cheers and applause.)

Open shop and closed shop has no place in the Governor's race in Texas. (Cheers and applause.) Joe Bailey had just as well discuss open communion in the Baptist Church of Texas. (Cheers and applause.) I want the newspapers to ask Joe Bailey, have him to state tomorrow night what he would

do when he becomes Governor in reference to either the open shop or the closed shop. (Cheers and applause.)

You newspaper men will confer a great favor on me if you will transmit that direct to this alien candidate for Governor in this State.

Mr. Neff—Hurray for Pat.

Mr. Neff—Well, what you do is to stand pat on election. (Cheers and applause.)

Work Day or Night

Joe Bailey had just as well inject into this campaign the question as to whether or not people should work in the daytime rather than at night in Texas. (Cheers.) I imagine he would inject that in the campaign.

He could make a splendid speech about the horrors that would come to Texas when all these apostles advocated a law that would make the people of Texas work at night-time. Bailey could picture how the women, both in town and in the country, will sit about the lonely firesides at night with the little ones, with disturbing elements around them, while the husbands and brothers are at work somewhere at night, and then he will say, "My countrymen, are you in favor of a law like that?" (Cheers and applause.)

If Joe Bailey was advocating that theory in Texas that people should work in the day time and not work at night and basing his campaign on that issue alone, there are some people in Texas who would vote for him.

Fort Worth Principles

I want to sk through the newspapers, Joe Bailey, to answer what he has done with the Fort Worth fundamental principles. He came back to Texas and when failing to organize his new party when Jim Ferguson would not even associate with him, going off by himself and proclaimed some great fundamentals and announced to all the world that he was willing to die; that he would never rest in Texas until he and those great fundamentals had been approved by the citizenship of Texas. He has abandoned every last one of them. Do you know why he has quit them? Because he has found that the people of Texas was not paying any attention to his fundamentals.

Two months ago Bailey had not said one word about either an open shop or a closed shop. He even refused to answer the question as to what they meant. He even refused to tell the people at Wichita Falls whether or not he was in favor of collective bargaining. He did not answer that.

Mr. Neff—He did not know.

Mr. Neff—He doesn't seem to know

yet. He is making an insincere campaign. He is arraying one class of people in Texas against another and having done that he would not be fit to be governor if he was elected. (Cheers and applause.) Why should he array the employer against the employe? Why should he array the farmer against the stockman? Why should he array the landlords against the tenants? Why should he array lawyers against carpenters? Why should he array one class of people against another, which would absolutely disqualify him for rendering faithful and efficient services in the Governor's office. (Applause.)

Bailey's Employments

Some years ago Bailey received a splendid fee and Texas was directed to quiet the parties in Texas, but if he keeps up this tirade against this class of citizenship in the State of Texas, if he becomes Governor, there will not be enough money in the treasury of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company for him to quiet again the people of Texas. (Applause.) He is making an insincere campaign. There is an advertising matter that he puts in the papers of Northern Texas proclaiming his fidelity to the prohibition cause. (Laughter.) In South Texas he states to them that he is in favor of light wines and heavy beers. (Laughter.)

We'll put him in his bier later.

I don't feel, my friends, that any one should be elected Governor of Texas who is not in sympathy with the prohibition law in Texas. (Applause.) Prohibition has been written into the organic law of both the state and the Nation. Bailey did not help to write it in either the State or the Nation. He is not in sympathy with prohibition. He said in his Covington speech that he had been employed by the Association Opposed to National Prohibitions.

That organization was organized for the purpose of making ineffective the national prohibition amendment in this country and so far as I am concerned I object to any man occupying the Governor's office of Texas who is in the employ of a national organization that has for its purpose the setting aside and the nullifying of the prohibition laws of this country.

Mr. Bailey said from many platforms in Texas during the early spring that if the people of Texas would be satisfied with a reasonable enforcement of the prohibition law that prohibition would be settled in Texas. Well, if the

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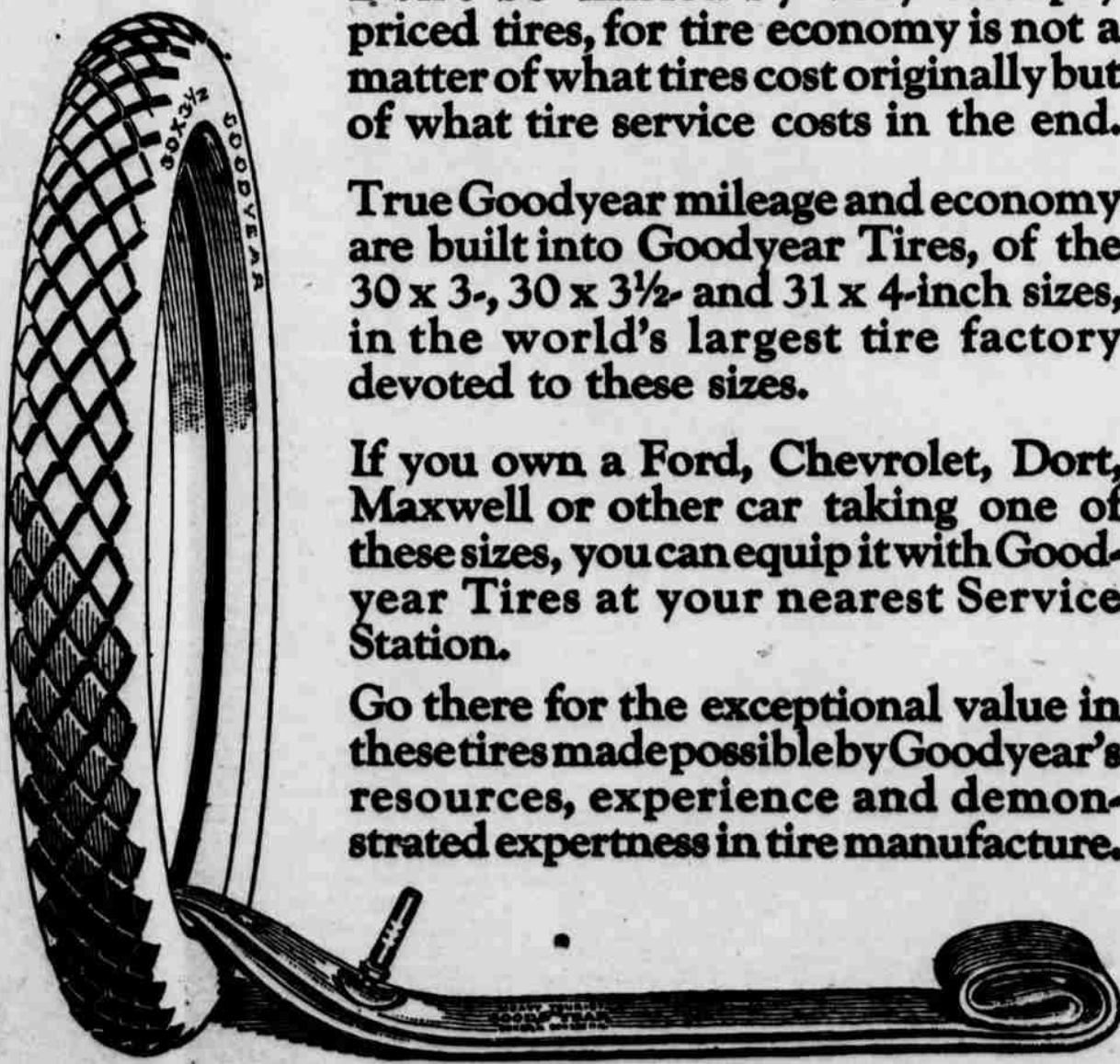
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The growing importance and popularity of tailored suits is easy understood when you consider the service and pleasure you get out of a nice tailored suit as compared to other garments you buy. Our efforts to provide the prettiest and latest styles in suits will be appreciated if you view this advance showing of handsome suits. The style features are longer coats, straighter line silhouette; skirts severely plain. Trimmings used are hand embroidery, tucks, fur and buttons. Navy, Brown, Reindeer and Rust colors are predominating. Linings are very pretty fancy silks. Prices

\$35.00 to \$125.00

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We have just received a shipment of Novelty Skirts in pretty wool materials. Colors are navy and fancy checks. The various pleats are found plentifully used. . . . **\$13.50 to \$35.00**

New Sweaters

New Sweaters and Scarfs are now on display and sale. Some very pretty combinations to go with separate skirts.

The New Dresses

Some very attractive values are offered here this week in new Early Fall styles in Dresses. Tricotine, Serges, Satin, Georgette and Jersey materials just in. Priced at **\$18.75, \$26.75, \$27.50 up to \$97.50**

The New Coats

Are here in Cloth, Plush and Fur. They are all new models in lengths from 33 inches to 48 inches; many with fur trim and collars. Pretty examples of the new style ideas.

New Fall Millinery

You may not think that you are ready for a Fall Hat just yet, but a glimpse of the many new models that have just arrived will convince you that with your fall suit or dark frock it is time for the smart enlivening touch of a new hat. Our stock is one of the largest that we have ever shown in Haskell and will be in charge of Miss Spires this season, who will be glad to assist you in making a selection.

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DICK'S THEATRE

Mrs. C. H. Huffman and son Herman of Lockney are visiting Mrs. Huffman's sister Mrs. J. A. Webb and family of the west part of town.

Wm. Wells of the Wells Furniture Company and little daughter Willie, Mae went to Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. W. C. Vickery returned to her home at Abilene early in the week after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Alexander.

Mrs. Beel, (Nee Fannie Cummins) of Van Horn is visiting her aunt Mrs. L. M. Garrett and the family of F. G. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hudson returned Monday from their summer vacation trip to Colorado Springs and other western points.

W. H. C. Brown, a former citizen of Haskell County, who is making his home at Melrose, N. M., was in to see us Wednesday morning just before he took the train and paid us for six months' subscription to the Sunshine Special to come to his address.

T. W. Welch and L. J. Dillard of Cook Springs were in the city Saturday on business.

Dr. J. W. Harcrow of Atheas and his father L. J. Harcrow of Rochester, were in the city Monday and made this office a pleasant call. Dr. Harcrow is an eye specialist and will remain at Rochester for awhile and do some optical work. He is shipping his household goods and office fixtures to Brownwood where he has selected a location and will make his future home and practice his profession.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ivey and daughter Mrs. Della Simpson of Jud, and their grand children Misses Jewel and Birdie Lee McDonald of Hill county who are visiting them were in the city Monday.

Miss Nante McDaniel of the Haskell National Bank returned from her two week's vacation Saturday night. She had been visiting her aunt Mrs. E. McDonald of Streetman, who returned home with her and will visit the family of F. L. Daugherty of this city.

D. R. Crown and Joe Grunnell of Rochester were in the city Saturday on business. Mr. Grunnell lives at Chillicothe.

Mrs. H. W. Richey of the Tompkins Ranch was in the city shopping Saturday.

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NEFF ANALYZES BAILEY'S POSITION

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people of Texas will not be satisfied with a responsible endorsement of the law that the prohibition question is now settled in Texas. He says: "I heard Mr. Bailey say: 'I wish you prohibitionists of Texas would enforce too strictly the prohibition law because if you do the people are going to repeal that law.'"

Would Bailey become so self-conscious about the responsible endorsement of the prohibition law? I haven't heard him say anything about the number or staff size of Texas.

At our club Joe Bailey your Governor, there will be a little distillery in the back yard of many a Texas home. You elect the Governor by the electoral vote and the prohibition law is a Texas law that the boys will not know how to repeal because it is in the State. (Applause.)

Bailey's Record

"You, my friends, there is one other thing in my opinion disqualifies and makes absolutely Joe Bailey from ever being honored with the Governor's office of Texas. I don't know how you feel. Yes, I think I do. I had not believed that either this year or any other year in Texas any should be elected Governor of this State who was a leader during the war. (Cheers and applause.)"

Bailey says, or rather Bailey denies, the right of the American Republic to take its place on the side of freedom in the world war. And in his El Paso speech he said: "When my countrymen declared war; I shut my mouth." Yes, a man that could afford to lock his jaw when our boys were fighting behind the American flag in the Argonne battlefields, he could afford to lose his jaw then. He ought not to be permitted now to talk with such a glib tongue as candidate for Governor. (Applause.) Bailey would not even make one four-minute talk for the American flag during the war.

Bailey would not even ask a friend and his countrymen to buy even one Liberty bond for fear the purchaser might lose 10 per cent on his investment.

During all the war when humanity was being assassinated and when the world was running red with blood and

our boys were standing in the bloody trenches in the Argonne forest with rifles drawn fighting the Hun, Joe Bailey's voice was silent.

Hear countrymen! Hear! He is reprehensible in many ways. Goodwin was deported and DeLoe was sent to the penitentiary but Joe Bailey runs loose in Texas. (Cheers and applause.)

International Affairs

He says that this Nation has no concern about the people anywhere else in this world. I say, my friends, that any man who maintains a narrow, selfish, national view about his relation to his fellow-man and the relation of his country to the rest of the world does not partake with emotion, does not care to labor or efficient service in the Governor's chair. I really think he feels that war about it, carrying out his same idea that it is no concern of the people of Texas who runs a saloon in New Jersey and it is no concern of the people of Dallas County if a man has a home in Canal County and it is no concern if a man is shot down in cold blood across the ocean. I denounce, my friends, such a narrow view.

We are all a part of the great human race. Show us the centuries, countless things, (tragic death, has been the eternal punishment that has run through all the history of this American Republic, when in its splendor, came into being not by accident but by the desire of one who holds in the hollow of his hand the destinies of the world and I think that Texas ought to touch elbows and join hands with the patriotic citizenship of the Nation; that the Nation ought to join hands and touch elbows with the onmarching and that if we work for the uplift of humanity throughout this wide world that this American Republic of ours will never fulfill its mission until it has helped peoples and civilized and Christianized the human race. (Applause.) I believe that there is a divinity that shapes our ends and that Texas has a part of the great American Republic and will not have placed in executive chair one who does not have a wide and high vision of the service he owes and the service that his country owes to humanity everywhere. And then, friends, I thank you one and all for this splendid gathering tonight and myself indebted to you in the sincerest appreciation and calling to arms tonight the Democracy of Texas, calling to arms the greatest and best of all the land, let us drive Baileyism forever from Texas on the twenty-eighth day of August of this year.—(Political Advertisement.)

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stodghill of Post were in the city shopping Saturday.



LARRY SEMON

The Fourth Estate lost one of the cleverest cartoonists in the country when Larry Semon heard the call of the siren. What the newspaper readers lost the motion picture fans gained, for Larry is now the comedy king. He writes and directs all of his features and never imitates another. In "The Grocery Clerk" he introduces the slumming cat.

Notice to Teachers

Teachers examination for all grades of certificates will be held at the county court house in the city of Haskell Monday and Tuesday, August 23rd and 24th.

Mrs. Ed Robertson,
County Superintendent.

The Parent-Teachers Association will give a "Benefit Forty-Two Party" Thursday evening August 19, 1920, at the Public Library. Proceeds to be used for better equipped school grounds. Everybody come and help the cause.

S. A. McDaniel and family of Childress were here this week visiting old friends and relatives. They are former Haskell county residents and seemed very glad to be back on their native soil once more.

Judge E. L. Riddling of Wetmore was in the city Saturday on business.

Jefferson Had a Platform

Speaking of platforms, Thomas Jefferson, first of the Democrats, wrote as good a platform as any. It contained ten planks and ninety-eight words. Jefferson called it "A Decalog of Canons for Practical Life," and here it is:

1. Never put off till tomorrow what you can do today.
2. Never trouble another for what you can do yourself.
3. Never spend your money before you have it.
4. Never buy what you do not want because it is cheap; it will be dear to you.
5. Pride costs us more than hunger, thirst and cold.
6. We never repent of having eaten too little.
7. Nothing is troublesome that we do willingly.
8. How much pain have cost us the evils that have never happened.
9. Take things always by the smooth handle.

Mrs. H. S. Post, son and daughter, Gaines and Miss Francis accompanied by Miss Fanny Ballard returned last Wednesday from an extended trip over a greater portion of the northwest visiting Colorado, California Utah and other States, returning home by the Grand Canyon. Gaines has promised to give us a brief sketch in next week's issue of the Free Press of the most interesting attractions seen on the trip.

J. D. Roberts and son J. D. Jr. were here from Wetmore Saturday. Mr. Roberts is a stock and grain farmer who always has the goods to show that he is a real farmer.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society, the Mary's will entertain the Martha's with a garden party on the lawn of Mrs. Clarence Lewis, Monday August 16, at five o'clock p. m. All members are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Bunn McCurley of Wichita Falls is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vernon of Spur are visiting relatives here this week spending several days at the home of J. F. Pinkerton in the west part of the city. Uncle Sam as he is generally called, moved to Spur last spring after a 40 years sojourn in Haskell county, living most of the time on his farm in the Pinkerton community.