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## Davis' Race Meet Begins Today At Clairemont

### Texas Ranks Third In Beef Production

With an estimated meat output of more than one billion, 347 million pounds on its farms and ranches last year, Texas ranked 3rd among all states in the production of this food product, according to a statement just released by the National Livestock and Meat Board.

The importance of Texas as a meat producing state also was shown by the fact that the cash sales of cattle hogs and sheep exceeded 584 million dollars, or an average of 1.6 million dollars per day.

Texas cattle ranked first among meat animals in the state's farm revenue, total cattle sales being \$473,412,000. The sale of cattle in 1948 accounted for about 81 cents of every Texas meat animal dollar.

The nation's production of meat last year totaled 21 billion, 541 million pounds, according to the board. The average American ate 146.1 pounds of meat in 1948, including 63.4 pounds of beef, 24 pounds of veal, 68.3 pounds of pork and 5.0 pounds of lamb.

About 20 pounds more meat was consumed per person in 1948 than in the average year of the pre-war period, 1935-39.

### Cattle Prices Advance At Southwest Markets

Some higher, some lower prices appeared at southwest farm markets during the past week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Cotton ranged from \$1.25 a bale higher to \$1.25 lower for the week, spot cotton closed Monday at 30.55 at Dallas, 30.80 at Little Rock, and 31.10 at New Orleans.

Yellow corn fell 13 -12 cents a bushel, and milo 10 to 12 cents a hundred pounds. White corn lost 4 to 6 1-2 cents, cats about 2 and 1/2 a penny. No. 2 yellow corn closed Monday at \$1.45 3-4 to \$1.47 1-4 per bushel, basis Texas common points. No. 2 yellow milo brought \$2.05 to \$2.10 a hundred. No. 2, white corn cashed around \$1.76 1-4 and No. 1 hard wheat from \$2.17 1-2 to \$2.24 1-2.

More rough rice went to market last week as new crop harvesting increased. Feedstuffs sold mostly unchanged to somewhat higher. Both alfalfa and prairie hay met with very slow demand, especially on the lower grades. Less went to market and more to storage. Peanut shelling started in south Texas, but rains delayed digging.

Trend of most fruit and vegetable prices continued downward last week with peas declining 25 cents a bushel, and cauliflower 50 cents a crate in Colorado's San Luis Valley. Potatoes held steady in Colorado, and sweet potato prices rose in southern Louisiana. Most products moved well at New Orleans on liberal receipts. Lettuce advanced at Fort Worth, but a long list of fruits and vegetables showed price declines.

Dressed meat sold largely steady to higher at eastern wholesale markets.

Spring chickens held firm and other poultry steady for the week. Good quality eggs found firm markets. Shipments from midwest areas made up shortages in the southwest. Canned or graded eggs ranged largely from 45 to 50 cents a dozen in and 45 to 55 in Texas.

Most cattle sold steady to 50 cents higher for the week at Texas markets, but calves and stockers declined at San Antonio and Fort Worth. Cattle advanced mainly 50 cents to \$1 at Oklahoma City. Choice steers and heifers set new highs for the year of \$28.40 and \$28.34 at Denver, but other grades and classes lost 50 cents to \$1.

Hogs lost 50 to 75 cents for the week at Texas markets, and \$1.25 to \$1.50 at Oklahoma City. Butcher hogs declined \$2.25 at Denver and sows \$1 to \$2. Pigs showed little change. Top butchers ranged from \$21 to \$22 in Texas, Oklahoma and Colorado.

he touched the statue of a general and the general came to life and climbed down off his horse. The man asked, "Where are you going?" and the general said, "I'm going to get me a gun and kill about a million durned pigeons."

Elisabeth Cobb, daughter of Irvin S. Cobb, and herself an author, says, "Critics are pigeons on a monument."

Hugh Davis' annual Race Meet will get under way at 2:00 p. m. today, August 18.

Many of the better known horses of Texas have been entered in the meet. Such well known horses as "Big Train" and "Miss Prince" owned by Claude Barrington of Big Spring, "Lone D", owned by Pat Mays of Roscoe, "Blizard", owned by Rush Montgomery of Perrin, "Babe" owned by James Dunn of Fort Worth, "Smokey", owned by R. E. Wells of Weatherford, "Hard Times", owned by Joe Lively of Mineral Wells, "Diamond C. Ruth" owned by Finis Zinn of Mineral Wells. Other horses are "Big Oscar" and "Refund" of Plainview, "Billy Ban" a Lubbock horse and that well known mare "Straight Edge" trained by C. R. Kelley of Jayton. These are only a few of the many good horses scheduled to appear at the Race Meet.

According to Mr. Davis the first race of the meet will be a quarter mile, six horse race, from the starting gate.

Davis stated that the track was in good condition and that races of 220, 330, 440, 660 and 880 yards will be run. The feature race of the meet will be a quarter mile race for two-year olds, with the first two horses in these races to go into the finals with a \$50 entry fee, \$100 added.

The races will be held each afternoon through the 20th.

### NOTICE

Persons having equipment borrowed or out on loan from the Vocational Agriculture Farm Shop are asked to please return this equipment at once. An inventory must be made before school starts.

W. W. Thetford

### Local Names In The News

Mrs. M. D. Fuller and Patsy Hall had business in Lubbock last Tuesday.

Mrs. Verdine Winters is in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Dickerson of Girard had business in Abilene last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lee and family and Mrs. S. R. Lee had business in Spur last Monday.

Flora Lee Parker visited her grandfather, Mr. Neely, at Matador last week.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Beaty and daughter visited a few days last week in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Champion and son, Bill, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Less Matthews, this week.

Mrs. M. E. Bond and Mrs. Eunice Huls left Friday for Yellowstone National Park and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jones have returned to their home in Jayton after spending a few weeks vacationing in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McElyea and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Barton in Noble, Oklahoma, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doris Hurst and girls returned to their home in Santa Anna, California after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Beaver at Girard.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie King of Midland, Texas, spent last week end with Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cathey. The King children, who had been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cathey, returned home with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brendle were called to Lubbock Monday night to be with Mrs. Brendle's mother, Mrs. Lee Rice, who is ill. Word was received Tuesday night that Mrs. Rice was better.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Lou Emma Jones recently were: Mrs. Mary Jones of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Mat Dillingham of McCamey, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hembree and daughter of Ballenger and Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and family of Brandon, Mississippi.

## Jayton School Will Open September 5

### Six Pointers Listed To Help Veterans

Six pointers on what World War I veterans should do to obtain their national life insurance dividends were outlined Tuesday by the State Veterans Affairs Commission.

1. Wait until Aug. 29 before doing anything.
2. Obtain a dividend application form from one of the following sources: Office of the local county service officer, a United States Post Office, a Veterans Administration Office, Office of Veterans Affairs Commission service officer or veterans organization service officer.
3. Read the instructions and decide whether the procedure is understood. If not, get a service officer to help fill out the form correctly. That will help the VA to act more swiftly.
4. Be as neat as possible in spelling your name and listing your address. Give an address at which mail can be received for the six months following date of application.
5. If you don't remember your policy number, which is requested on the blank, don't worry. It will help speed service, but is not essential.
6. "Once the application is in the mail, don't worry about how soon payment will be made, and don't use the anticipated amount as a promissory note for personal debts." Some 17,000,000 veterans' records will have to be checked by the VA.

Mrs. T. H. Brown and family returned to their home in Jal. N. M., last Sunday after a two week's visit with Mrs. G. M. Brown.

### Tooth Decay A Progressive Disease

Tooth decay or dental caries is a destructive, progressive disease of the teeth. A large part of a tooth may be destroyed by decay with little evidence of decay on the surface, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Surveys of large groups of preschool children reveal that 50 per cent of them have decayed teeth at three years of age, 75 per cent at four years of age, and 90 per cent at five years of age. Six out of ten children age 4 and 5 have as many as seven or more cavities.

Decay begins most frequently in the small pits and fissures on the chewing surfaces and at the points of contact between the teeth. Pits and fissures with structural flaws should be filled at once to prevent decay.

Dr. Cox said, "Dental examination and care should begin with the three year old child, and periodic examinations and necessary care should follow, thereafter, as often as the dentist advises. The first baby teeth should be kept in a healthy condition until it is time for them to be lost."

"With periodic dental examination and adequate dental care for each child, beginning at three years of age, the great majority of the children will reach adulthood with good dental health."

### Roaches Can Be Effectively Controlled

There are 3 species of cockroaches which are common in Texas. The German roach, the Oriental roach and the American roach. These insects have become quiet a pest in most homes, in that they transport filth and germs from sewage lines and other filthy places to the food that we eat to eat.

The eggs are laid in capsules containing about 13 pairs, and are deposited in dark corners and crevices and are often brought into the house in paper bags and cardboard boxes, for this reason roaches may be found in the cleanest of homes. From the time the eggs hatch until the insect becomes full grown requires about a year.

The cockroach feeds upon about the same food as man, which makes the home an ideal hibernation place. The roach may be controlled without much difficulty if the job is done properly. For best results in controlling the cockroach, remove all foodstuffs, utensils, etc. from the cabinets and storage closets and wash them out with soap and water to remove the musty roach odor, and then spray with a 2 per cent Chlor-dane solution, making sure that all cracks, crevices and baseboards are thoroughly treated. When replacing the utensils, do not wipe off the spray residue. One treatment should last for about 6 months if the residue is left on the treated surface. For further information, contact your County Agent.

Registration for the 1949-50 school term will begin September 5, J. S. Hinds, Jayton school superintendent, announced this week. All teachers for the new term have been hired and are expected to be in Jayton in plenty of time to get acquainted before school begins.

Supt. Hinds asks that every pupil that can register the first day and be in school every day during the term if possible as the number of teachers for next year will be determined by the average daily attendance.

The school buses will make their regular runs beginning Sept. 5. Mr. Cox and Mr. Cooper will continue as drivers again this year. Mr. Truman Murdoch will operate a bus on the new Purley route.

The teacher roster for the new school term was announced as follows:

- Mrs. Ethel Florence, First Grade;
- Mrs. L. B. Taylor, Second Grade;
- Mrs. Wesley Robbins, Third Grade;
- Mrs. J. S. Hinds, Fourth Grade;
- Miss Zephie Brown, Fifth Grade;
- Wesley Robbins, Sixth Grade;
- Mr. Robbins will also serve as Grade School Principal.

The Seventh and Eighth Grades will be departmentalized, and teachers from the entire system will be used. The High School teachers were listed as follows:

- Mrs. Mayme Fowler, English;
- Mrs. Opal Jones, Home-Making;
- Walter Thetford, Vocational Ag.;
- R. E. Cooper, High School Principal, Business Administration and Math;
- J. S. Hinds, Superintendent, Math and History.

### Trustees Express Appreciation To Voters

The Trustees of the Jayton School wish to express their appreciation for the interest shown in the recent 'Bond Assumption' and 'Maintenance Tax' election.

There were 82 votes cast in the 'Bond Assumption' election, 65 votes for the assumption and 17 against. There were 76 votes cast in the 'Tax' election, 54 in favor of the tax and 22 votes against.

This is a step forward in building a better school. We covet such support by the patrons of the Jayton School.

The Board of Trustees

### Andrez Albarez Host At Barbecue

Andrez Albarez was host to more than 50 of his friends from Jayton, Spur, Stamford, Hamlin and Clairemont, last Thursday evening at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Carins, southwest of Clairemont.

Andrez served his guests with barbecued chicken and mutton with all the trimmings. The food was prepared as only Andrez can prepare it.

After the barbecue music and dancing was enjoyed by the guests.

Vacationing in Ruidosa, N. M., this week are Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Mason and family and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gardner and family.

**BOYCE HOUSE**  
"Gives You Texas"



A good many years ago, the West Texas Press Association was holding its annual banquet in Big Spring. Max Bentley of Abilene, the toastmaster, said, "We have with us tonight, his excellency, the lieutenant governor of the State of Chihuahua, Mexico." A handsome, dark complexioned man, wearing a dress suit, arose, bowed at the applause, and said:

"Ladies and gentlemen, I do not speak verve good English language but yet sees a great-t-t pleasure to be here."

Then he poured out about 200 words of Spanish with gestures and wound up the burst with, "George Washington." That was the only thing that any of us understood but we guessed he had been praising the Father of Our Country, so we applauded.

Came another flow of Spanish, this time ending with "Abraham Lincoln" and again we applauded. A third volley of Spanish, winding up with "Woodrow Wilson" and we clapped again.


Then the speaker began to get worked up and gradually he grew excited and shouted angrily in Spanish, winding up in English with, "You can all go to h---", and sat down.

We were dumbfounded. Bentley arose and said, "Ladies and gentlemen, you have just been listening to Dorrance Roderick, publisher of the El Paso Times."

A man dreamed that he could touch inanimate objects and bring them to life. To try out this gift,

**LOOPHOLES in the Law**

By WILL WILSON  
Past President, Texas District and County Attorneys Association



(Editor's Note: This is one of a series of short case histories, all taken from court records, showing how legal loopholes often enable criminals to escape punishment in Texas. Will Wilson is chairman of a special steering committee of the State Bar, which is working for revision of the antiquated Criminal Code of Criminal Procedure in order to eliminate these loopholes.)

John and Mary had been drinking heavily and were, in fact, drunk. In this condition they got into an automobile, with John driving, and rode out into the country. Out of town a few miles, John turned off of the public highway and drove onto a farmer's private property. As the car was weaving and skid-

ding along the farmer's road, John saw a pick-up truck coming along the road toward him. The pick-up was driven by the farmer, and he had his three small children in the back.

John was too drunk to avoid the pick-up. He smashed into it. The farmer's three children were badly injured and the truck itself was demolished. In an argument with the farmer following the accident, John admitted that he was drunk. He was charged with driving while intoxicated and brought to trial.

He was acquitted and went scot-free because he was driving on a private road—the farmer's own road—and not on a public highway. The State Bar of Texas is working to get rid of the legal loopholes that made such an outcome possible.



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### NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm, or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Jayton Chronicle, will be gladly corrected when called to our attention.

### Church Of Christ

The Church of Christ meeting which has been in progress since last Friday night is having a good attendance. Bro. H. Love of Rotan is doing the preaching. Mr. Randolph East of Spur is conducting the song service.

Song drill and bible study, for the young people, is held each evening at 8:00 o'clock.

If you have not attended services thus far, we urge you to come and meet with us. Sermons for the remainder of the meeting are as follows:

Thursday night: "Where Are The Dead."

Friday night: "Salvation of Cornelius."

Saturday night: "Salvation of the Thief on the Cross."

Sunday Night: "Four Inquirers Concerning Salvation."

### The Methodist Church

August 21, 1949

Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Services at 11 a. m.

Sermon: "Confession", Rom. 10-10, Lev. 5-5, Jer. 3-13.

Evening Services at 8 p. m.

Young People and Juniors at 7:15 p. m.

Wednesday Night Bible Study at 8 p. m.

Our Revival will begin September 18 and continue through September 25. Bro. S. A. Sifford of Tuscola, Texas, will do the preaching.

You are always welcome at the Methodist Church. Come, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sewall and Mr. and Mrs. Beryle Murdoch and children left last Saturday night for California where they will spend two weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Avon Sewall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenady and son of Aspermont spent last Sunday in Jayton with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stephens and children of Sweetwater visited with friends in Jayton last Sunday.

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section to be known as Section 48-b, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment of health units, and authorizing a tax in support thereof.

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

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same hereby amended, by adding a new Section to Article III of said Constitution to be designated Section 48-b, reading as follows:

"Section 48-b. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide for the organization of county-city health units and the operation thereof and to authorize counties and cities to provide a tax of not to exceed twenty cents (20c) on the One Hundred Dollar (\$100) valuation of taxable property in counties and cities for the purpose of financing the said county-city health units; provided that no such tax shall be authorized except by a vote of the people residing in the city or county in which said tax shall apply. The foregoing tax shall be levied only on county valuations."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the second Tuesday in November, 1949, at which election all ballots shall have written or printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to pass laws for the creation and operation of county-city health units and to authorize counties and cities to vote a tax in support thereof;" and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to pass laws for the creation and operation of county-city health units and to authorize counties and cities to vote a tax in support thereof."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment. Section 3. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this Resolution and the Constitutional Laws of this State, and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Section 19 of Article 16, so as to provide that the qualification of no person to serve as a juror on grand juries and on petit juries shall be denied or abridged on account of sex; providing that existing provisions of the Constitution shall be construed in conformity herewith; providing for the submission of this amendment to a vote of the people of Texas; providing the time, manner and manner thereof; and making an appropriation for such purpose.

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

Section 1. That Section 19 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 19. The Legislature shall prescribe by law the qualification of grand and petit jurors; provided that the qualification of no person for service on grand juries or on petit juries shall be denied or abridged on account of sex, and no person shall be exempt from service on grand juries or petit juries on account of sex."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the second Tuesday in November, 1949, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the amendment to the State Constitution qualifying women as grand and petit jurors."

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

Section 3. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this Resolution and the Constitutional Laws of this State, and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

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Flour, Prints, 25 lbs.	\$1.69
Plums, big can, heavy syrup	19c
Tea, 1-4 lb. Orange Peko, glass	35c
Vinegar, Gallon Jug	45c
JAR LIDS, Only	10c
Pork and Beans, 2 cans	25c
Corn, No. 2 can, 2 cans	29c
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**Lunch Cloths**

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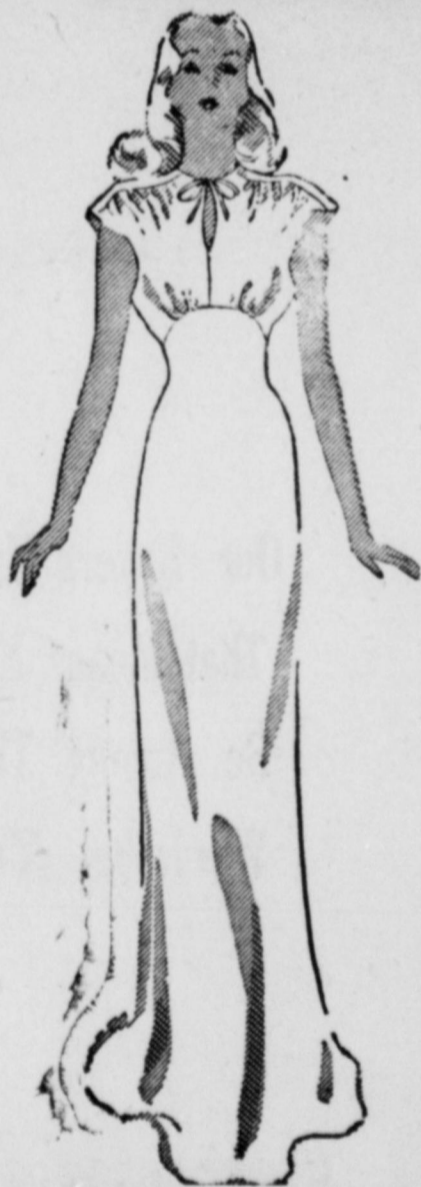
**Pillow Cases**

35c

**Curtains**

Cotton and rayon panels. Colors: Rose, green, blue, red wine, and egg shell.

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**KICKERNICK NYLON GOWNS**

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New woolens for fall. Wool Jersey, Tweeds, Herringbone weaves. Variety of solid, checked and plaid patterns. 60 inches wide.

\$1.98 yd.

**Strutter Cloth**

Genuine strutter cloth. Air fast, "guaranteed not to gas fade." New fall colors. 42 inches wide.

\$1.79 yd.

**Rayon Gabardine**

Fine quality rayon gabardine. 42 inches wide. New fall colors: Black, green, rose, red and royal.

\$1.29 yd.

**Plaid Gingham**

Sew 'em yourself from Camels new fall fabric collection. Choose from a myriad of colors. Sanforized, mercerized, guaranteed color fast.

79c yd.



Spur, Texas

**FOR SALE:**  
Planting Seed. - Nortex Red Oats \$1.50 per bu. Wintex Barley, \$2.00 per bu. Bring your own sacks. Jimmy Montgomery

**FOR SALE:**  
320 acre farm. Practically all in cultivation, improvements not so hot, but the water is fine, has a new windmill. Priced to sell. \$40.00 an acre. Located 12 miles N. E. of Jayton See Mrs. Nona Starcher, Spur, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kelley and Claudine took Mr. J. M. Kelley to Lockney last Saturday when he will visit with his sister, Mrs. Byers, for a few days.

Mrs. Lovelle Blain and children of Seymour spent last week in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Byers and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Blain.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Jenkins and children of Garland, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Raldo Goodall and Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Kearney last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Allen are attending Market at Dallas this week.

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22**  
Proposing an Amendment to Article I of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto another Section following Section 15, providing that the Legislature may provide for trials in lunacy cases without a jury; further providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article I of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding another Section thereto following Section 15, to be designated Section 15-a, to read as follows:

Section 15-a. The Legislature shall have the authority to enact all laws necessary to provide for the trial, adjudication of insanity and commitment of persons of unsound mind and to provide for a method of appeal from judgments rendered in such cases. Such laws may provide for waiver of trial by jury in cases where the person under inquiry has not been charged with the commission of a criminal offense, and shall provide for a method of service of notice of such trial upon the person under inquiry and of his right to demand a trial by jury.

Sec. 2. That the foregoing Constitutional Amendment be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the second Tuesday in November, A.D., 1949, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon: "FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that the Legislature may provide for trials without a jury in lunacy cases" and "AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that the Legislature may provide for trials without a jury in lunacy cases." Each voter shall scratch one (1) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one (1) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. That the Governor of the State of Texas issue the necessary proclamation of said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19**  
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for Civil Service in certain counties upon a vote of the people therein. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Article a new Section, to be known and designated as Section 62-c, reading as follows:

"Section 62-c. The Legislature is authorized to provide for the creation of Civil Service Systems for county employees in the respective counties of this State, but any system so authorized and established shall be approved by a vote of the people in said county. Any Civil Service System established by virtue of this Section shall apply to appointive offices only, and the limitations on term of office heretofore provided by Section 20 of this Article shall not apply, but the duration of such offices shall be governed by the provisions of such Civil Service System. This Section shall not apply to counties having a population less than seventy-five thousand (75,000) people."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electorate of the State at an election to be held on the second Tuesday in November, 1949, at which election all ballots shall be printed or written thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Civil Service in counties upon a vote of the people therein" and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Civil Service in counties upon a vote of the people therein."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment, and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation of said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1**  
Proposing an amendment to Section 2 of Article VI of the Constitution, repealing the provision making the payment of a poll tax a qualification for an elector; requiring the Legislature to pass a general registration law for voters; providing for the necessary election, proclamation and publication by the Governor, and making an appropriation. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is amended hereby so as to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 2. Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one (21) years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in the State six (6) months next preceding an election and the last six (6) months within the district or county in which such person offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; provided that before offering to vote at any election a voter shall have registered as an elector before the first day of February next preceding such election. This provision shall be self-enacting. The Legislature shall pass a general registration law requiring registration of voters at a time not later than the first day of February for each election to be held for that calendar year, and the Legislature shall have power to prescribe a registration fee. The Legislature may authorize absentee voting."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held on the 8th day of November, 1949, at which election all ballots shall be printed thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provisions in said Constitution making the payment of poll tax a requirement for voting, and providing for a general registration law." "AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provisions in said Constitution making the payment of poll tax a requirement for voting, and providing for a general registration law."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. 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 not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 28**

Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Texas by adding to Article XVI thereof a new Section to be designated as Section 63, authorizing the Legislature to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the several counties of this State; providing that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and that administration authorized by the qualified voters of such county, and providing that administration of said system may be committed to the statewide municipal retirement system authorized under Section 51f of Article III.

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

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section, to be numbered Section 63, which shall read as follows:

"Section 63. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the counties of this State under such a plan and program as the Legislature shall authorize; provided, that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and shall first be authorized by vote of the qualified voters of such county. Administration of such system may be committed to the same body as may be set up to administer the municipal retirement system provided for by Section 51f of Article III."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors to be held throughout this State on the second Tuesday in November, 1949; and at said election the ballots shall have thereon the words "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees," and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees." Each voter shall strike out one of said clauses on his ballot, leaving the one unmarked which expresses his vote upon the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the foregoing proposed amendment published as required by the Constitution for proposed amendments therein.

Sec. 4. If at said election, a majority of the votes cast are "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees," the foregoing proposed amendment shall become Section 63 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, and proclamation shall be made by the Governor thereof.

Sec. 5. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), 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 proclamation, notice and election.

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 21**

Proposing an Amendment to Article V, Section 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the Judge of the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law; providing for the proclamation and submission to qualified electors of the State.

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

Section 1. That Section 7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Sec. 7. The State shall be divided into as many judicial districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a General Election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall be licensed to practice law in this State and shall have been a practicing lawyer or a Judge of a Court in this State, or both combined, for four (4) years next preceding his election, who shall have resided in his district during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the period of four (4) years, and shall receive for his services an annual salary to be fixed by the Legislature. The Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County Seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power by General or Special Laws to make such provisions concerning the terms or sessions of each Court as it may deem necessary."

"The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Courts when the presence thereof is absent, or is from any cause disabled or disqualified from presiding."

"The District Judges shall be in office when this Amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under the present election or appointment."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on November 8, 1949, at which time all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing that the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law," and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing that the District Court shall conduct its proceedings at the county seat of the county in which the case is pending, except as otherwise provided by law."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provisions for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.



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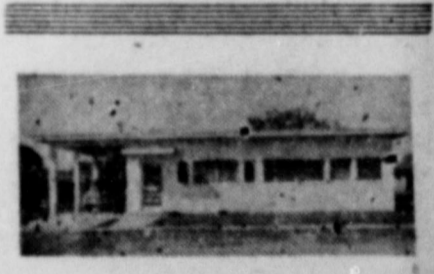
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 28  
Proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature of the State of Texas to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts; providing for the governor's proclamation and submission to the electorate.  
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Article a new Section to be designated as Section 60, reading as follows:  
"Section 60. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide by law, for the establishment and creation of hospital districts in the counties of this State under such conditions as the Legislature may fix by law, and to provide for the support of said districts by a tax on the ad valorem properties situated in said counties; providing, however, that before any such district shall be created it shall be approved by a vote of the people in said district."  
Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electorate of the State at an election to be held on the second Tuesday in November, 1949, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon for its counties using voting machines (the said machines shall provide for) the following:  
"FOR The Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts"; and  
"AGAINST The Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts."  
Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment, and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.  
Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

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