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EASTLAND COUNTY DROPS INTO HUNTER COLUMN IN LAST SATURDAY'S VOTING

Closing one of the most heated off-year state campaigns in several years Eastland county, repeating results of the 1932 election, again gave Tom Hunter a plurality of the votes cast in last Saturday's primary.

Two years ago Hunter spoke at Lake Cisco on July 4, and in that campaign he won the distinction of carrying every county in which he addressed the voters. Eastland was no exception. This year, however, he was unable to get into Eastland county, but Frank Clark, of Fort Worth, spoke in his behalf.

Previous to the entry of Tom Hunter into the political arena of Texas this county has voted with the Fergussons. Even with the Fergussons out of the race personally, there remained many loyal partisans who supported McDonald as a portage of the former governor, which was seen in his running a close third in this county.

Joe Bailey, son of the former brilliant United States senator, was unable to overcome the influence of the national administration, which, it was understood, were supporting Tom Connally. Not only in Eastland county, but Bailey was eliminated in the vote of the entire state, and Connally won the nomination without having to go into the run-off.

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton carried the 17th district by receiving a majority over both of his opponents, Oscar Chastain and Judge C. O. Hamlin. He, too, was spared the tortures of the run-off, having a majority over both of his opponents of 2,120.

Lotief and Curry in Run-Off

Hon. Cecil A. Lotief, while polling a majority over his two opponents, Ed Curry and D. L. Kinnaird, of 450 votes in Eastland county, lost Callahan, which forces him in the run-off with Curry, if the latter so elects, as he was only 233 votes shy of a majority over both in the two counties.

George Davisson, Jr., and E. A. Ringold will contest the election in the August primary for representative from Eastland county, the 106th district.

Clyde L. Garrett defeated his opponent, W. D. R. Owen for county judge; Virge Foster was victorious over B.

B. Poe for sheriff; Mrs. May Harrison, present county treasurer, was eliminated by the slender margin of 17 votes. J. T. White and Mrs. Frances Thornton Cooper will engage each other in the run-off; B. E. McGlamery, county superintendent, failed to get in the run-off, being eliminated by T. C. Williams and S. C. Eldridge, who will oppose each other in the final nominating election; Arch Bint and Birt Britain were the high candidates for county commissioner from precinct 4; Joe Wilson and Joe Hicks were renominated for justice of the peace and constable, respectively, for precinct six.

How Eastland County Voted

Complete returns of Eastland county show the following results (as given to the press:)

Senator—Bailey, 2,441; Connally, 3,771; Fisher, 439.

Governor—McDonald, 1,162; Allred, 1,316; Small, 1,105; Hunter, 1,874; Witt, 257; Russell, 10; Hughes, 1,613. (Intermediate offices omitted.)

Congress—Chastain, 1,608; Blanton, 3,522; Hamlin, 1,391.

Representative, 107th district—Curry, 1,699; Lotief, 3,428; Kinnaird, 1,279.

Representative, 106th district—Ringold, 1,409; Davisson, 1,380; Lyerla, 587; Munn, 563; Parker, 659; Cox, 1,309; Threat, 399.

County Judge—Garrett, 4,566; Owen, 1,943.

District Attorney—Owen, 3,579; Lawrence, 2,861.

Sheriff—Foster, 4,250; Poe, 2,270.

Treasurer—Shepperd, 1,110; White, 1,632; Cooper, 1,870; Harrison, 1,615.

County Superintendent—McGlamery, 1,753; Eldridge, 2,584; Williams, 2,144.

County Commissioner—Bint, 728; Britain, 540; Honea, 178; Qualls, 123.

Justice of the Peace—Joe Wilson, 732; S. B. Sisk, 388.

Constable—Ballard, 196; Hicks, 1,011.

Earl Connor, Jr., was elected county chairman; J. E. Caffrey, East Cisco, and W. J. Armstrong, West Cisco, were elected precinct chairmen.

LOST—Pair of bi-focal glasses (spectacles)—horn rim. Reward if return to West Texas Utilities Co.

Bankhead Highway To Pass Through Cisco Over Another Route

It is positive that the Bankhead highway will be re-routed through Cisco and taken off Avenue D. Mr. Leo Erlinger, engineer for district No. 23, was in Cisco the past week conferring with chamber of commerce officials regarding the most feasible route for this highway to pass through Cisco, according to Secretary Spencer, of the chamber of commerce. "There is no question about the highway commission taking the routing off Avenue D," said Mr. Spencer. Then the best and most feasible routing for the road through Cisco is now of importance. I discussed several routes with Mr. Erlinger, two of which he favored, and said he would recommend to the commission that one of these routes be designated.

"One of these routes will enter the city at the Humble service station on East 16th street, crossing the Katy road through an underpass, thence north on Avenue E to the T. & P. tracks, or West Second street, where it will parallel the railroad to near the cemetery to intersect the highway.

"The other route, and one that Erlinger seemed to prefer, is to leave the Eastland highway at the foot of the hill at the J. T. Stamps place east of Cisco, and instead of coming in over East 16th street, as at present, the routing would be to the right of the hill and to the T. & P. tracks east of the C. & N. E. shops; thence west on East Eighth street to the Katy tracks; thence west on West Eighth street to Front street or Legget avenue; thence in a northwest direction to the flat east of the Harrell farm where it would intersect the highway.

"If this route is chosen the plans are to build a new viaduct over the Katy road on East Eighth street, which alone will be a big asset for Cisco. Mr. Erlinger said he would recommend both of these routings as the best for the highway through Cisco," Mr. Spencer said.

PLEASANT HILL BAPTIST MEETING BEGINS SUNDAY

The Pleasant Hill Baptist church will begin a series of revival services Friday evening, August 3. There will be morning and evening services thru Sunday, August 12. Come and enjoy a warm fellowship; inspirational music and gospel preaching by the pastor, Elwin Skiles.

County Convention Delegates Elected By Cisco Democrats

Democrats of both West and East Cisco precincts elected delegates Saturday afternoon to attend the county convention. Judge Eugene Lankford presided as chairman of the West Cisco convention, and Judge J. R. Burnett was chairman of the East Cisco precinct convention.

After adopting resolutions endorsing the leadership of President Roosevelt, and the law-enforcing plank in the platforms of the candidates for governor, the convention of West Cisco named the following delegates:

Mrs. N. D. Gallagher, O. H. Burkett, Will Reagan, J. M. Flournoy, Eugene Lankford, W. J. Donovan, H. S. McDonald, Mrs. H. S. McDonald, Ed Daniels, Mrs. J. V. Heyser, Ed Huestis, James Moore, Mrs. James Moore, W. F. Keough, Mrs. W. F. Keough, W. J. Armstrong, L. H. McCrear, Will St. John, R. W. H. Kennon, B. A. Butler, F. D. Wright, R. W. Mancill, J. V. Heyser, Y. J. McCrear, Mrs. Y. J. McCrear, Joe Clements, Silliman Evans, N. D. Gallagher, Mrs. Will St. John, Louise Trammell and Ida Mae Collins.

After adopting a resolution instructing the delegates to vote as a unit East Cisco Democrats named the following to represent this precinct in the county convention:

J. R. Burnett, Con Gilmore, Bill Dill,

Final Tabulation of Election Bureau For Leading State Places

With an estimated 100,000 votes still not counted the Texas election bureau gave out its final tabulation of the vote for leading state and congressional candidates Tuesday night. Those figures show Allred still leading Hunter, the runner-up candidate, by 50,116. The figures are:

For Governor: Allred, 269,470; Hunter, 219,354; Charles C. McDonald, 189,001; Clint C. Small, 111,510; Edgar E. Witt, 56,598; Maury Hughes, 51,248.

Attorney General: William McCraw, 326,467; Walter Woodward, 319,464; Clyde Smith, 172,766.

For Railroad Commissioner: Smith, 237,647; Pundt, 200,868; W. Gregory Hatcher, 169,180; H. O. Thompson, 121,563; James McNeese, 65,865.

Congress, 17th District: 9 of the 12 counties complete—Blanton, 25,764; Carl O. Hamlin, 12,057; Oscar Chastain, 11,578.

The two high candidates will go into the run-off of August 25.

Price Rainbolt, H. S. Stubblefield, Doss Pelphrey, Bob Turner, Mart Agnew, W. Rasmussen, John Dill, Jake Honea, Birt Britian, Amie Richardson, Oscar Mason, M. D. Bailey, W. H. McNeely, S. B. Sisk, Ed Caffrey, Bud DeRossett, R. L. Garrett, J. D. Hall and Edgar Johnson.



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STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16

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

Section 1. That Section 1 of article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 1. TAXATION TO BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM AS TO REAL ESTATE AND TO BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM AS TO ALL REASONABLE CLASSIFICATIONS OF PROPERTY; AND OCCUPATION AND INCOME TAXES; EXEMPTIONS; LIMITATIONS UPON COUNTIES, CITIES, ETC.

"Taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform. All property in this state, whether owned by natural persons or corporations, other than municipal, shall be taxed in proportion to its value, which shall be ascertained as may be provided by law. The Legislature may by general laws make reasonable classifications of all property other than real property for the purpose of taxation, and may impose different rates thereon; provided that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform. The Legislature may impose a poll tax. It may also impose occupation taxes, both upon natural persons and upon corporations, other than municipal, doing business in this State. It may also tax incomes of both natural persons and corporations other than municipal, except that persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits shall never be required to pay an occupation tax; provided that Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture, belonging to each family in the State, shall be exempt from taxation, and provided further that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town for any year on persons or corporations pursuing any profession or business, shall not exceed one-half of the tax levied by the State

for the same period of such profession or business."

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934. At this election, all voters favoring said amendment shall write, or have printed, on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform; and that all property in this state, other than that owned by municipal corporations, shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation, and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uniform; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax income tax and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; and exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family; and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

Those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform in this State, other than that owned by municipal corporations shall be taxed in proportion to its value as ascertained as may be provided by law; and providing that the Legislature may make reasonable classifications of all property, other than real property, for the purpose of taxation; and that the taxation of all property in any class shall be equal and uni-

form; and providing further that the Legislature may impose poll tax and occupation tax and income tax, and exempting from occupation tax persons engaged in mechanical and agricultural pursuits; exempting from taxation Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture belonging to each family, and providing that the occupation tax levied by any county, city or town shall not exceed one-half that levied by the State for the same period."

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30

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

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

"Section 16. All land mentioned in Sections 11, 12 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, now belonging to the University of Texas shall be subject to the taxation for county and school district purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned; provided they shall be rendered for taxation upon the values fixed by the State Tax Board and that the values fixed for school district purposes shall not exceed the values fixed for county purposes on the same land; and provided that the University of Texas from the University Available Fund, shall remit annually to each of the counties and school districts in which said lands are located an amount equal to the tax imposed upon said land for county and school district purposes."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State at the next general election, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or

have printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas subjecting the lands of the University of Texas to taxation for county and school purposes, and providing for the payment of said taxes to the proper authorities of the counties and school districts where said lands are located," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas subjecting the lands of the University of Texas to taxation for county and school district purposes, and providing for the payment of said taxes to the proper authorities of the counties and school districts where said lands are located."

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 42

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

Section 1. That Section 30, Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 30. The duration of all offices not fixed by this Constitution shall never exceed two (2) years, except that the elected officials of a city that has adopted and amended its charter as provided in Section 5, Article XI of the Constitution of Texas may, by amendment to such city's charter, hold office not to exceed four (4) years; provided, that when a Railroad Commission is created by law it shall be composed of three (3) Commissioners who shall be elected by the people at a general election for State officers, and their term of office shall be six (6) years; provided, Railroad Commissioners first elected after this Amendment goes into effect shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two (2) years, and one four (4) years and one six (6) years; their terms to be decided by lot immediately after they shall have qualified. And one Railroad Commissioner shall be elected every two (2) years thereafter. In case of vacancy in said office the Governor of the State shall fill said vacancy by appointment until the next general election."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State on the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words, "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting Home Rule Cities to so amend their charters that the elected officials of such cities may hold office not to

exceed four (4) years," and those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting Home Rule Cities to so amend their charters that the elected officials of such cities may hold office not to exceed four (4) years."

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41

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

Section 1. That Section 5, of Article XI, of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

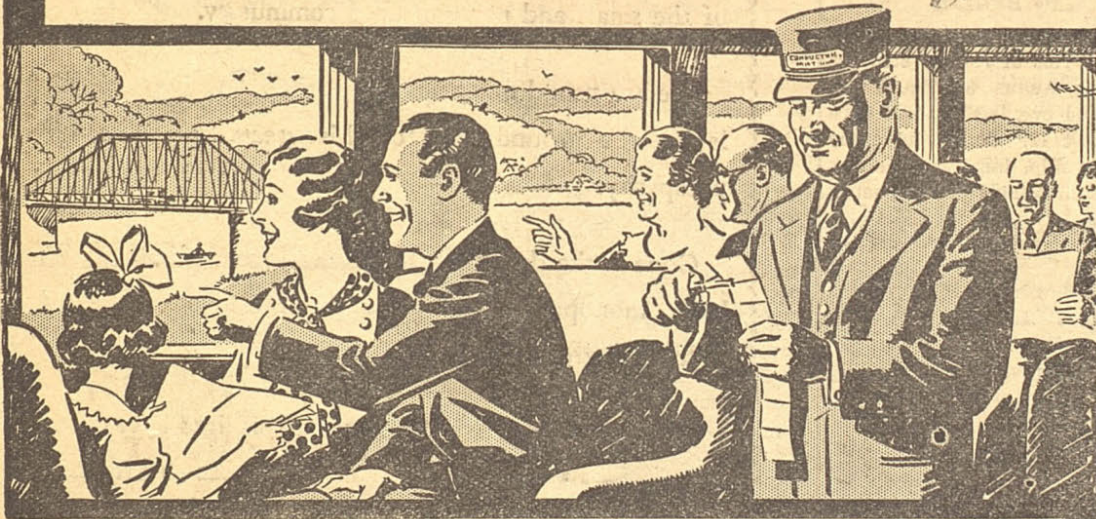
"Section 5. Cities having more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision inconsistent with the Constitution of the State, or of the general laws enacted by the Legislature of this State; said cities may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year, which shall exceed two and one-half per cent (2½) of the taxable property of such city, and no debt shall ever be created by any city, unless at the same time provision be made to assess and collect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund for at least two per cent (2%) thereon; provided further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every twelve (12) months."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at the next general election, to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1934; at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting any Home Rule City to alter, amend or repeal its charter every twelve (12) months;" and those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting any Home Rule City to alter, amend or repeal its charter every twelve (12) months."

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? —Ps. 27:1.

Lord, send thy light! So speed the humble prayer,
That suffering sense of darkness might be healed;
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As to the waiting thought come Truth, revealed.

—Annie Anderson.

The need of our day is more religion in terms of the spirit of Christ, and less controversy about non-essentials. . . . The people are hungry for great spiritual verities of Christianity. They are tired of doubt and speculation and abstract theories. What they are asking for today is not more sermons but more soul messages; not more services but more spiritual life; not more ceremonies but more Christlikeness of character.—Dr. John Dowell.

McDONALD'S GAME FIGHT

Charley McDonald, perhaps one of the strongest political campaigners in Texas, fell just outside of the goal in his game fight for the gubernatorial nomination, but the vote he received was a creditable one to any candidate, and one that any man may well be proud to claim. Having the support of former Governor Ferguson, McDonald was only 28,382 behind Hunter, who won the right to contest the race with Allred with his 212,918 votes, which placed him in second place in the race, when 901,354 votes were counted Tuesday night, from 252 counties. Allred's vote at that time was 263,331, or 50,116 in the lead of Hunter.

The campaign that McDonald made was a hard fought battle, without slander or mudslinging, having no harsh things to say of his opponents, but sticking close to his platform of principles from the start to the finish.

This was Charley McDonald's first race for a state office, but there has not been a campaign in the past ten or twelve years that he has not been in the thick of the fight, but always working in behalf of some other candidate. And his work has never failed to count, for lucky has been the candidate who had Charley McDonald pleading his cause before the masses.

While the people lost McDonald, yet another champion of the people is in the August 25th running, and the people still have an opportunity of turning the state government back to the masses, for probably no candidate before the people in this primary was more interested in the welfare of the masses than Tom F. Hunter, of Wichita Falls. Hunter's election is predicted by many of the forecasters of coming political events, a majority of whom believe that Allred will have polled his full strength in the first primary. However, much depends upon the proposal of McDonald, who has launched a movement to hold the McDonald forces together when he issued a statement Tuesday that his partisans remain together and vote en bloc in the August election, withholding his preference, but agreeing to take his dictation as to whom he will vote for by a majority expression of those of his followers. Of course should any large per cent of the McDonald forces decide to vote for Allred, and then do it, reforms advocated by the peo-

ple would mean the election of the former attorney general. This action, though, seems improbable, even should McDonald succeed in his plans. Rather follow the fortunes of the candidates more nearly aligned with the people—Tom F. Hunter—which would mean the triumph of that gentleman over the young man now leaving the state law office. Hunter and McDonald both stood for those ple and if the McDonald vote

does not go to Hunter it will be a surprise to the people.

All concede that a majority of those who voted for the candidates eliminated in the July election will swing over to the people's champion, which will mean that the people, and not the special interests, will have a friend in the governor's office.

WILL CURRY FORCE?

Friends of both Cecil A. Lotief and E. M. Curry, leading candidates in the flatorial race from the 107th representative district, are speculating as to the probability of Curry forcing a run-off in that race. Some state that Curry is a good loser, as well as a good sport, and they don't believe he will force Lotief to make another race for the office. Lotief secured a majority of 450 over both Curry and Kinnaird in Eastland county, but he lost Callahan, Curry defeating him in that county by

a plurality of 122 votes. The combined vote of Eastland and Callahan counties of Curry and Kinnaird tops that received by Lotief by 233 votes, and friends voice their opinion that on this slender margin they believe Curry will not contend for a run-off. However, so far as the Citizen has been informed none have authority to speak for Mr. Curry, and those who predict he will not force Lotief into a run-off are relying on his sportsmanship, and the narrow margin the two opposing candidates have over Mr. Lotief.

The vote for the three candidates in the two counties was as follows:

Eastland County—Lotief, had 3,428; Curry, 1,699; Kinnaird, 1,279; Lotief's majority over both, 450.

Callahan County—Lotief, had 1,045; Curry, 1,167; Kinnaird, 561; Curry's plurality over Lotief, 122; Curry and Kinnaird's majority over Lotief, 683.

Vote of both counties—Lotief, 4,473; Curry, 2,866; Kinnaird, 1,840. The vote shows that while Lotief received a plurality of 1,607 over that polled for Curry, he is short by 233 votes of a majority over both of his opponents, in the two counties. It is on this slender margin that the fun-off will be staged—if there is a run-off.

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5.00-19....	8.34	7.20	1.14	4.56
5.25-18....	9.27	8.00	1.27	5.08
5.50-17....	10.15	8.75	1.40	5.60
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CECIL A. LOTIEF Thanks Voters of District

I take this means of thanking the voters of the 107th Floterial District for their loyal support given me at the polls Saturday. I construe the nice lead given me to be an endorsement of my efforts in waging a battle for the masses in your legislative halls at Austin.

I hereby pledge to you again that I will be honest to the trust imposed in me and that I shall remain faithful, conscientious and endeavor to carry out your wishes.

With sincerest good wishes to every citizen, I remain.

Your Servant,

CECIL A. LOTIEF
State Representative

F. F. A. Encampment at Lake Cisco To Begin August 6' Last to 8

J. M. Bird, Cisco's vocational agriculturist, states that the sixth annual tri-district F. F. A. encampment will open at Lake Cisco August 6, and continue through August 8.

"We are expecting one of the largest attendance in the history of the movement, with 350 to 400 boys from 35 or 40 schools. In addition we are planning on 35 or 40 teachers to accompany the boys. Also other leaders of the movement will include P. G. Haynes and J. B. Rutland, of Austin, the state and assistant director of vocational education at the A. & M. college; E. R. Alexander and J. C. Dykes, professors of vocational education at the A. & M. college; A. J. Spangler, of John Tarleton college at Stephenville, and probably L. A. Woods, state superintendent of education. These notables will act as directors of the conference to be held during the encampment which it is hoped will aid in arriving at some solution of the problem of the present economic, social situation of the farmers, and means of securing benefits through relief organizations established by the federal and state governments.

A program of entertainment, as well as instruction, has been arranged to make the stay of the visitors enjoyable as well as instructive. This program will include sports of various kinds, boxing, water polo, swimming, boat tilting, horse shoe pitching, etc.

"The large attendance mentioned is indicated by the number of those who have already notified us of their coming," Mr. Bird said.

ACCIDENT INTERRUPTS AN OUTING OF CISCO PEOPLE EN ROUTE TO RUIDOSA

On account of an auto accident a planned outing of Mrs. T. J. Dean, her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Lennon and baby, was interrupted compelling them to return home Tuesday afternoon, instead of basking in the genial climate of Ruidosa, as per their previous arrangements. Learning of the accident Mr. Dean departed Monday evening for Colorado to bring them home, where they are now recovering from slight bruises, lacerations and shock, caused when the car in which they were traveling left the highway near Roscoe and rolled down an embankment.

Mr. Dean said that Mrs. Dean was driving while holding little Betty Dean Lennon, her granddaughter, in her lap, and for the time being her attention was distracted from the road, causing the car to take its own course, which for a moment, was not down the highway, but over the embankment before she could regain control of the machine. Mrs. Dean and little Betty Dean received slight cuts in the accident, she a knee injury, while the little Betty Dean's hurts were in her back. Mrs. Lennon was not hurt. Their friends are congratulating them on their miraculous escape, as the machine is said to have turned over twice in its tumble down the embankment.

Cattle Purchase To Star Here In Next Ten Days

EASTLAND, Aug. 1.—Corn-hog blanks are in the county agent's office and should be ready to be signed by the first of next week. Also the cotton sales and tax exemption blanks are in and will be in the community next week.

Listing of cattle for sale can be done here at the Chamber of Commerce and buying should start sometime within the next 10 days. The holdup at present is due to the lack of necessary forms and blanks.

The buying will be done on the necessity basis. That is, those who are in worse condition, out of water and feed, will be served first.

Purchasing will be made as follows: Calves, \$4 to \$8; yearlings, \$10 to \$15; cows, \$12 to \$20.

The minimum price will be paid in each class for condemned animals. There are two payments made, the purchase price and benefit payment and the price of benefit payment is as follows: Calves, \$3; yearlings, \$5; cows, \$6.

An example as to how the purchase and benefit payment works is as follows: Suppose John Doe has a cow he sells and gets the top price of \$20 for said cow, \$14 will be paid as the purchase price and \$6 will be paid as a benefit payment.

Now suppose John Doe has said cow mortgaged to Mr. Jim Smith. The purchase price is paid to both John Doe and Mr. Smith and the benefit payment is made to John Doe. Thus John Doe can do what he desires with the benefit payment while the purchase price is to be applied to the mortgage.

MRS COOPER APPRECIATES SPLENDID VOTE RECEIVED

To the Voters of Eastland County:

I wish to express to you my grateful appreciation for your splendid support given me in the July 28 primaries, which enabled me to be one of the two to contest the election in the August run-off primary. I am appealing to you for your continued support, and pledge you a faithful discharge of the duties of the office as the treasurer of Eastland county should I be nominated and elected to the office. My one aim is to serve the county, and reflect credit upon my administration, thereby proving myself worthy of the confidence you have reposed in me by your splendid support.

(adv) Sincerely,
Mrs. (Frances) Thornton Cooper.

ulating them on their miraculous escape, as the machine is said to have turned over twice in its tumble down the embankment.

A sister of Mrs. Dean resides in Colorado, and she went to their rescue as soon as the accident was reported to her, and brought the three to her home.

Extry Session Of Legislature Called For August 27th

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson has called the legislature to convene in extra session at Austin on the 27th day of August. The call is for the purpose to provide relief measures to take care of Texas' needy during the winter, and for such other purposes as the governor may designate.

Federal Home Loan Body Will Organize Saturday

There will be a meeting of the Federal Home Loan corporation Saturday night at the offices of the Southern States Finance Corporation, according to T. Hunter Foley. He said the corporation's charter has arrived, and this meeting is for the purpose of perfecting an organization and the election of officers.

Transferred to Texas

A radiogram to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kilborn, from their son, Chesley Kilborn, at Honolulu, announces that he has been transferred to the San Antonio air field. He is with the army air service, but did not say what his duties would be on his return to Texas.

WORK ON LEERAY ROAD SCHEDULED TO RESUME IN THE NEAR FUTURE

Secretary Spencer of the chamber of commerce has recently returned from Austin, where he conferred with the highway commission relative to the resumption of work on the Leeray road.

"I was informed that an appropriation of \$36,500 had been made for this highway, and that work would be resumed on this project at once. This appropriation is sufficient to put down a caliche base, but the topping would come under another bid later.

YOUNG BOOSTERS PLAN SERVICE COOPERATION FOR CITY DEVELOPMENT

For the purpose of studying plans to bring about better things for Cisco a number of boosters of the younger men gathered around the festive board Monday night to discuss a plan of organization for future civic service. However, one of the leading participants in the meeting stated "there was nothing done, nothing said, but at the proper time the public might expect to hear something of importance."

Those present included Chas. Kleiner, R. L. Ponsler, Dr. Hubert Seale, J. L. Thornton, F. D. Wright, A. Sandhofer, George Boyd, J. B. Pratt, J. Wood, John Cox, B. F. Altman, Charles Holland, Rex Page, H. G. Bailey, Elliott Bryant, Smith Huestis, G. R. Nance and D. H. Gorman.

The Citizen will continue to keep its ear to the ground to report future developments.

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CARD OF THANKS

There are many things that one can feel and say after an election, but none as sincere as the words: "Thank You!" You have shown by your vote that you have approved of my serving you as your District Attorney, and at the same time impressed upon me more fully the duty I owe Eastland County in seeing that the affairs of this office are carried out efficiently and diligently, and that the offenders are brought before the courts. I take this means of extending to all, whether they voted for me or not, my wholehearted cooperation, and I am sure that the people will help me accordingly. I pledge you faithful service, and want to express my grateful appreciation.

GRADY OWEN

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Elberta peaches ready to can.
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BY

FRANK HAGERMAN
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"No Foundation For Rumor C. of C. Want To Depress Wages"

It having been told the Citizen that the chamber of commerce officials had "advised the National Construction company that workmen could be secured at a lower scale of wages than they were paying," inquiry was made as to the truthfulness or the rumor, Secretary Spencer said:

"I have heard of this rumor, and I want to say it is without foundation. I have spoken to Mr. R. L. Ponsler about the rumor, and complimented him on the construction company maintaining such a splendid scale for the workmen, as I deemed it an inspiration for the workmen to perform better work. The Hickok people thought the rumor may have been maliciously inspired, though we have not been able to trace it to its source.

"Instead of advising lower wages for the unemployed of Cisco, I have done everything possible to boost wages and increase employment. Certainly nothing of this kind has originated in the chamber of commerce, nor have I heard of any member advising any employer that men could be secured at a lower wage scale than they are paying.

"No one is better pleased than I am that the construction company

T. C. WILLIAMS THANKS FRIENDS FOR SUPPORT IN THE JULY PRIMARY

I am thankful from the depths of my heart for the splendid vote that Cisco and surrounding country gave me in the election Saturday. A last report was circulated in every voting box in the county that I had no chance to be elected that I was opposed to the common schools and that my home people would not support me. Such a report, circulated too late for people to investigate lost hundreds of votes for me. The report came to Cisco early Saturday morning but it had no effect on the people of my home box. The vote in Cisco indicated that the report was false and untrue and given for no other purpose than to get votes.

I am not opposed to the rural schools and reports to that effect are given out by people who are looking for votes. I am in favor of the people having the say about their schools and being given a chance to build up their schools instead of tearing them down. Some people misunderstood my idea about placing the children above the 5th grade out of the small schools. My idea in this statement is simply to place the children in the upper grades in crowded schools where the teacher is unable to teach all in the larger school. Not require this in all schools but only those schools where conditions demand some grouping. If a school is able to teach these upper grades, permit them to do so.

I am very happy indeed to be in the finals in this race and I hope that each of my friends will become active from now on until and on election day to off set any last minute campaign rumor such as was circulated the last days before election in the first primary. I want to again thank my friends from the depth of my heart for their wholehearted support given me last Saturday. T. C. WILLIAMS.

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I AM GRATEFUL

To all of my friends for the splendid support you gave me in the primary election July 28. The loyalty of my friends enabled me to be one of the two who will go into the run-off election August 25, and with the continued support of such loyal friends as you have proven to be you will elect me your next County Commissioner.

Believing all are familiar with the service I gave the people of Precinct 4 while your Commissioner in the past, I deem it sufficient to say I will give you the same efficient performance of duty if I am again elected your County Commissioner.

Assuring you of my appreciation of your continued support, permit me to again THANK YOU.

BIRT BRITAIN