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Splinters

A merry heart doeth good like a medicine.—Prov.

The Christian Church here has just finished with a revival meeting with Dr. John W. Darby in charge. Dr. Darby is from San Antonio and an evangelist of note, Benjamin is fortunate in having had the privilege of listening to a man of Dr. Darby's calibre for it is seldom that a village so small is able to secure the services of a man so well educated and with the background of years of experience to conduct their meetings. Dr. Darby is liberal minded, broad in his viewpoints and progressive. His meeting was well attended and highly successful. Twenty-eight additions were made to the church.

Saturday the people went to the polls and balloted. All was quiet but as Benjamin polled the largest vote this box has ever polled, there must have been some interest in the various races. When Munday split into two boxes Benjamin became the second largest box in the county and Knox City is the largest.

We could figure out why lots of voters didn't vote exactly like we did in the recent election. What we can't figure out is why "George B. Terrell" got 75 votes in Benjamin. George B. Terrell is a court name required by Jefferson T. Baker of Dallas especially to make a political race. It's about the rawest deal that Texans have had crammed down their throats in a long time. Now there are many newspapers sold in Benjamin and not one failed to keep the people posted on the "George B. Terrell" situation. Evidently people don't read the newspapers closely.

The death of William Guilick of Goree is regretted by all who knew him. "Uncle Bill" was Knox County's oldest old-timer. He knew many interesting stories and before he got in such wretched health would tell 'em. Jim Moody is now the oldest living settler in the county and "Uncle Trav" House is next. There are quite a few of the old timers that came to the county soon after its organization but not many that came before 1886.

TO THE VOTERS OF KNOX COUNTY

Please accept my sincerest thanks for the splendid vote of confidence given me in my recent campaign for Tax Assessor-Collector of Knox County.

I am proud of the large vote given me in the first primary and assure you that I shall appreciate your continued support in the run-off primary August 25.

It will be impossible to see every voter personally in the short time left to make the campaign so to those I fail to see, please consider this a personal solicitation of your vote and influence.

Respectfully,
Earl Sams.

AAA REPRESENTATIVE TO SPEAK AT SEYMOUR

I. W. Duggan, A. A. A. representative from Washington will be in Seymour Monday, August 6 for a discussion of the Bankhead Bill and the local cotton situation for 1934-35. All committeemen and all farmers who are able are urged to attend the meeting. The discussion will be a round table affair and many of the questions which have been asked by the farmers regarding this new law will be answered by Mr. Duggan.

Deacons Win Three Games To Top League

The Baptist Deacons tightened up during the past week to win three straights and incidentally place them at the head of the list in the local soft ball league. Last Friday the Christian Elders set a dizzy pace for the first few innings but fizzled out in the latter part of the game giving the Deacons a 54 to 25 win over the splashers.

Playing an entirely different brand of ball the Elders came back Wednesday to give the Deacons several uneasy moments and the game at the end of the ninth was a tie. The Deacons won out in the tenth 17 to 16 but knew that they'd been placed.

The Methodist Stewards dropped their first game of the week Monday to the Deacons in an insipid affair in which errors were prevalent. The score was 14 to 9.

The Backsliders tackle the Elders this afternoon and are expected to show up with more pep than a green bottle in an attempt to tie the Baptists who are a game ahead.

Standings of teams and players are given below.

Big Six Hitters

Batters who have been to bat 30 times or more.

	AB	R	H	Pct.
W. Bisbee	45	22	24	.533
Jackson	72	36	37	.514
H. Melton	61	23	27	.442
L. Bivins	48	24	21	.438
W. West	64	30	28	.438
A. Bivins	45	15	19	.422

Extra Base Hits

Home runs, L. Bisbee 4, Scifres 3, Sams 3, L. Bivins 3.
3 base hits, L. Bisbee 4, Jackson 4
2 base hits, Jackson 9, W. West 8, A. Bivins 7, F. Snody 6, Cook 5, C. Bisbee 5, Bentley 5.

Club Batting

	AB	H	Pct.
Methodist	610	210	.344
Baptist	660	226	.340
Christian	543	169	.308

Club Standing

	AB	R	H	Pct.
Baptist	14	9	5	.643
Methodist	13	8	5	.615
Christian	13	3	10	.231

Results of Last Game

Friday, Baptist 54, Christian 25
Monday, Baptist 14, Methodist 9
Wednesday, Baptist 17, Christian 16.

Games Next Week

Monday, Christian vs Baptist.
Wednesday, Christian vs Methodist.
Friday, Methodist vs Baptist

TOM CONNALLY EXPRESSES THANKS TO VOTERS

To my Friends and Supporters:

It will be impossible for me to see personally and extend direct thanks to all my friends and supporters for their loyalty and support in the campaign which has just come to an end.

Because of the limited time between the adjournment of Congress and the date of the primary it was impossible for me to visit all counties in the state and to meet my friends and supporters. Allow me to take this means of thanking the Democracy of Texas for re-nominating me to a second term in the United States Senate.

To those friends and supporters who actively worked for me I want to express a very deep and keen sense of thanks and gratitude. It shall be my earnest desire to so serve the people of Texas during the next six years to justify the confidence and regard of all who gave my candidacy their support.

Tom Connally

Vernon Brewer left this morning for his home in Littlefield for the summer. He was accompanied as far as Dickens by Miss La Verne McCannies who will visit with relatives there for a while.

Earliest Settler In Knox County Dead

William Guilick, 87, pioneer ranchman and farmer of this section, died Saturday at his home near Goree. Until the time of his death Mr. Guilick was the oldest settler in the county. He was born in Elkhart county, Indiana, in 1847. He came to Texas in 1887 from Denver where he had been working. In making the trip he passed through the present site of Guthrie and came east to Benjamin and on to Graham. According to a newspaper interview in 1933 Mr. Guilick is quoted as saying that from Pike's Peak to Round Timbers in Baylor county, there were no houses or settlements of any kind. In the winter of 1879 he and Ham Calthorp brought a bunch of cattle to Lake Creek and turned them loose. They camped there that winter and the following summer, Calthorp's father moved to the Lake Creek country and built a home. He married in 1883 to Mary Jane Calthorp. Off working cattle when the country was organized, Steve Franklin filed on a section of land for him. This section he sold to J. H. Bates in 1886 and filed on another section. On this land he made his home until the time of his death. He is survived by his children.

RHINELAND AND SUNSET SCHOOLS TO START MONDAY

The schools at Rhineland and Sunset will open Monday. The schools are opening ahead of time and will turn out during the cotton picking season so that the children may help in the fields. By starting now the children will be able to get in a full year's work.

DALLAS FIRMS PAY BACK WAGES RESULT OF NRA

Dallas, August 1.—Firms in the Dallas District have paid voluntarily in back wages an average of \$266 per day for the last two weeks, according to H. P. Drought of San Antonio, State NRA Compliance Director.

"This amount is known to have been paid through the efforts of the Dallas office," Mr. Drought said.

"There is no way of determining the number of cases adjusted by firms voluntarily assuming obligations under provisions of their respective code. Firms are making extensive studies to ascertain if they are operating in accordance with their code.

"A number of complaints have been rejected because of the lack of sufficient information to indicate a violation," Mr. Drought said. Entire industries are conducting group meetings in order that members of the industry or trade associations can proceed in a uniform manner.

Heads of a number of firms have expressed a belief that approved codes are the nearest approach to the goal to which they have been striving to attain for the last several decades—to arrive at a common agreement, formerly called codes of ethics, Mr. Drought stated.

"Hardly a trade or industry in this country has not been subscribing, through voluntary efforts with the assistance of their Chambers of Commerce or trade associations, for voluntary adherence to sane business practices. Codes differ little from elements contained in their 'golden rule' ethics and saner competition drives," according to Mr. Drought.

Complaints against firms known to be violating provisions of the various permanent codes should be sent to Sherwood H. Avery, Executive-assistant, 1212 Republic Bank building, Dallas Texas. Complaint forms may be obtained at the local post office.

M. E. Meeting Now In Progress Here

Thursday evening the Methodist Church began their revival meeting with Rev. M. V. Williams of Moran doing the preaching. The services are being conducted under the tabernacle each evening at 8:15 and in the Court room each morning at 9:30.

Brother Williams is a preacher of great power and enthusiasm and is bringing some great messages from God's word. You are urged to be present each evening and morning and lend your influence to the advancement of God's kingdom in our town. Brother Williams has not come to preach Methodism by to preach Christianity and all denominations are urged to feel free to work with us in this campaign.

TO THE VOTERS OF KNOX COUNTY

May I take this means of extending to you my appreciation for the splendid vote of confidence you gave me. I am particularly indebted to those staunch friends and supporters who so faithfully and untiringly supported my candidacy. No hesitancy entertained in recognizing the fact that one may be just as great in defeat as in victory, and that, defeat, is my part. Even though, so far as I am concerned, the race is over, the last chapter written in the book closed; it is with much pleasure that I look back on the past weeks, the many new friendships won, and the pleasant contacts made.

To my opponents, Mrs. Branton and Mr. Hughes, I am deeply grateful for the clean, free-from-mud-slinging campaign they conducted. They are both fine, upright and efficient; and will continue, I am sure, the same campaign policies in the run-off that were followed up until now. As respects the ultimate outcome, I refuse to prophesy or strive to affect in any way. May the best one, acting upon his or her own initiative and running his or her own race, win.

Again—receive my thanks for your manifestation of confidence, and, regardless of whether or not you supported me, receive my friendship.

Sincerely yours,
Vernon Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Britton of Stamford were in Benjamin Saturday visiting friends.

Knox City Ranchman Dies From Injuries

J. M. Craft, manager of the Bush ranch near Knox City died Saturday at the Knox County Hospital following injuries received in an accident while working on a feed mill at the ranch July 19. Craft was injured about the head and suffered a fall from which he never regained consciousness. He was 47 years of age and came to Knox County in 1920. Prior to that time he lived in Bastrop where his mother still resides. Since his residence in Knox County he has been connected with the Bush ranch. He married Miss Olive Armstrong in 1926. Mr. Craft is survived by his wife, two sons, J. M. Jr., and Tom Bush, his mother, two sisters and two brothers.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO HELP STUDENTS

Canyon, July 30.—Ninety-one Texas college boys and girls will receive aid of the United States Government in attending school at the West Texas State Teachers College during the 1934-35 session, according to instructions received by the college this week. The proportion of boys and girls helped under this plan must be determined on the basis of the college enrollment October 15, 1933.

No student whose family can possibly finance his education will be given aid under the FERA. No more than \$20 per month can go to one student and the average for the 91 students must be not more than \$15 per month. The instructions further state that only young men and women of character and ability to do excellent college work can be considered and no more than 50 percent of those to be helped can be chosen from the ranks of students who were in college anywhere in January 1934. It is the purpose of the Federal Government to help able and deserving students who have entered college or who have completed high school and have not yet had a chance to begin their college work.

"So far as the West Texas State Teachers College is concerned," said Dr. Hill, "every young man and woman who receives this aid will be chosen from among the many deserving, needy students who have done work of a 'B' grade or have maintained an average of 85 percent during their last two years in high school or while in college. They will be young people of fine character and high ambitions. We shall consider it our purpose to help the Federal Government build citizenship and provide leadership through education.

Unofficial Returns By Voting Boxes

Candidate	1	2	3	4	5	6	6a	7	8	9	10	11	Total
Nix	18	17	4	2	10	94	108	28	131	162	4	3	581
Covey	92	63	67	94	229	136	148	20	20	250	92	12	1223
Melton	237	95	77	115	37	30	37	93	18	115	27	12	893
Bullington	18	10	18	37	9	55	64	13	24	30	1	1	280
Patterson	191	69	68	131	88	80	93	70	62	173	30	6	1061
Williams	170	115	101	118	181	227	247	85	122	379	90	23	1885
Sams	258	142	131	132	82	52	91	126	61	337	58	19	1490
Isbell	30	20	13	17	21	46	42	0	4	24	9	1	227
Haymes	74	27	27	102	178	219	223	30	128	206	55	8	1277
Harris	67	70	69	90	147	246	228	101	113	246	85	8	1470
House	248	116	101	160	128	73	119	53	77	320	37	21	1489
Brewer	301	67	58	51	76	59	90	27	11	44	32	2	818
Branton	47	68	65	47	120	119	114	67	47	441	67	18	1220
Hughes	18	55	46	160	80	138	154	61	136	84	23	9	964
Hudson	135	58	51	80	65	59	66	28	67	206	28	9	853
Layne	15	9	3	23	15	54	51	9	26	35	8	4	252
Elliott	210	123	117	150	199	203	240	109	98	325	87	15	1696

Prec. 1, Benjamin
Prec. 2, Truscott
Prec. 3, Gilliland
Prec. 4, Vera
Prec. 5, Goree
Prec. 6, S. Munday

Prec. 6a, N. Munday
Prec. 7, Rhineland
Prec. 8, Jas. Ptg.
Prec. 9, Knox City
Prec. 10, Hefner
Prec. 11, Brock

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Editorial

ITS ALLRED AND HUNTER

Well, its Allred and Hunter. Allred, with the organization that he has been able to build up during the two term tenure in the office of attorney general, was able to nose out his opponent in the first primary by a lead of about fifty thousand votes.

Tom, whose campaign is backed solely by Tom, is losing no time in going after the votes cast for McDonald, Witt, Small and Hughes, and in the light of development since last Saturday is making considerable headway in acquiring a goodly part of this support.

McDonald supporters, remembering the action of Tom Hunter immediately after the first primary two years ago when he quietly kept out of the Sterling-Ferguson tilt, will likely give Tom their support.

Small supporters, and this includes many of the larger daily newspapers in the state, have already indicated that they are lining up for Hunter.

Hughes and Witt were both emphatic in declaring that Jimmie was but small taters during the primary just over so their followers will likely think twice before throwing in with Jimmie.

Jimmie and Tom both live in the same voting box at Wichita Falls. Tom carried the box by a big majority. Where he is known best, he polls the heaviest vote. The home folks ought to know their men.

As there is but a comparatively short time to make the campaign, neither will have the time to cover the state so it depends upon the supporters of each candidate as to the effectiveness of their campaigns. At this time, Hunter has the advantage.

CRIME COSTS ANNUALLY \$12,930,000,000

A committee of United States Senators which had been making a study of the cost of crime in the United States places the figure at nearly \$12,930,000,000 annually. This is a staggering sum, so large that it is beyond comprehension. Every citizen who pays taxes, directly or indirectly, helps to foot this bill, and will continue to pay increasing amounts unless the wave of crime subsides.

Numerically the number of professional criminals is small indeed but they seem to evade arrest, or if captured, make their escape either from the jails in which they are placed, or through the courts.

In spite of the fact that criminals run rampant over the country robbing banks, kidnaping men an women and children, and shooting down citizens at the least provocation, there is little being odne about it. True officers spend much time and money in running them down and make arrests occasionally, but being arrested seems to be the least of their troubles. Every criminal knows there is a chance to escape jail, an dif prevented, there are the courts, bound by precedent and rules of procedure, which give them a 70 percent chance of being freed. Should, perchance, a verdict of guilty be reneered after four or five years of delay, and this verdict be sustained by the higher court after another two years, they always have a governor to appeal to for a parodn.

In dozens of courts in the Southwest today cases are being tried the second time andndthird time. The crimes vary from five to ten years of age. Children have grown into manhood and womanhood and new crimes are taking the attention of the public. The legislatures in the various states meet and adjourn without giving the matter serious thought. Every attempt to bring about a reform in procedure and to cut the red tape that binds and limits the power of our judges is defeated. Lawyers in the legislature are not willing to give the people an even ehance with criminals before the law. Years of effort to reform our courts and to simplify procedure in the cause of justice has brought few returns. Lawyers will not do the job for us. If the people are to be relieved from the constant menance of criminals; if the courts are to serve the people efficiently and without unnecessary delay, the laymen, not lawyers, will have to force the issue. If the lawyers refuse to act, then let us quit sending lawyers to the legislature.—Farm and Ranch.

NATIONAL HELP FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

In state legislation, then, let us demand (1) laws that will encourage home ownership instead of discouraging it, and (2) laws which will reward the conservation of forests and soil fertility instead of penalizing it.

And in national legislation it is high time to demand the adoption of a policy which the National Grange has long advocated—namely, the setting aside of \$100,000,000 of the federal income taxes collected from individuals and corporations for redistribution to the states for the support of public school. We should like for every reader to ponder the truth of what we said last year:

"This whole nation is now as truly one single economic unit as any state or county was a century ago; hence whatever income, inheritance should be levied on a national basis and a large proportion of each redistributed to the states on the basis of population."

Take vehicles, for example. A generation ago farmers bought wagons or buggies made possibly in the same county, almost certainly in the same state. Now every year we send hundreds of millions outside each state and outside the South for automobiles and tires, leaving millions in profits for manufacturers in distant states.—Prog. Farmer

JULY 26, 1934.
BE IT REMEMBERED: That the Honorable Commissioners' Court convened in Special Session on this the 26th day of July, A. D. 1934 with the Honorable J. W. Melton, County Judge Presiding and with all members of said Court present.

The following proceedings were had to-wit:
STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF KNOX,
IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF KNOX COUNTY, TEXAS. SPECIAL SESSION, JULY 26, A. D. 1934 ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF ELECTION

BE IT REMEMBERED that upon this the 26th day of July A. D. 1934, the Commissioners' Court of Knox County, Texas, met in Special Session with the following Officers present, to-wit:

J. W. Melton, County Judge Presiding

Wm. Griffith, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

O. L. Patterson, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

O. W. Welch, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

D. C. Osborne, Commissioner Precinct No. 4

C. R. Elliott, Sheriff and

M. T. Chamberlain, Clerk of the County Court, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court, being present, and the following proceedings were had to-wit:

BE IT REMEMBERED that upon this the 26th day of July, A. D. 1934 the Commissioners' Court of Knox County, Texas, met in special session, for the purpose of counting the votes, and canvassing the returns of a Special election, and declaring the results of said election held on the 21st day of July, A. D. 1934, which said election was held pursuant to an order of this Court made and entered upon the Minutes of the Court on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1934, to determine whether or not the "Sale" of Beer, Wine, Vinous or malt liquors, containing not more than three and two tenths per centum (3.2 per cent) of alcohol by weight shall be permitted or prohibited within Knox County;

And the Court finding that said election was duly held on the 21st day of July, A. D. 1934 after legal notice thereof, and due returns thereof having been made by the officers of said election, and the Court having counted the votes cast at said election, and having duly canvassed the returns thereof, finds that 649 votes were cast "FOR" the sale of Beer, Wine, Vinous or malt liquors, containing not more than Three and two tenths per centum (3.2 per cent) of alcohol by weight and that 1504 votes were cast "AGAINST" the sale of Beer, Wine, Vinous or malt liquors, containing not more than three and two tenths per centum (3.2 per cent) of alcohol by weight. That said election resulted in favor of prohibiting the sale of Beer, Wine, Vinous or malt liquors containing not more than three and two tenths per centum (3.2 per cent) of alcohol by weight within the said Knox County, Texas.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUSTED AND DECREED by the Court that the sale of beer, wine, vinous or malt liquors containing not more than three and two tenths per centum (3.2 per cent) of alcohol by weight, within the territorial limits of Knox County, Texas, be and the same is hereby absolutely prohibited, until such time as required votes in said territory may at a legal election, held for that purpose, may by a majority vote, decide otherwise.

And it is further ordered that this order be published for four consecutive weeks in some newspaper published in said Knox County, Texas, to be elected by the County Judge of said Knox County, for that purpose, and teh Clerk of this Court is hereby directed to furnish the County Judge with a certified copy of this order for publication in accordance with law.

J. W. Melton, County Judge Presiding

Wm. Griffith, Commissioner, Prs-cinct No. 1

O. L. Patterson, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

O. W. Welch, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

D. C. Osborne, Commissioner Precinct No. 4

ATTEST: M. T. Chamberlain, County Clerk, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court Knox County, Texas.

I, J. W. Melton, County Judge of Knox County, Texas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, do hereby seelct Benjamin Post a newspaper published within Knox County, Texas, as the newspaper in which to publish the order of the Court made, passed and entered on the 26th day of July, A. D. 1934, declaring the results in a local election held on the 21st day of July, A. D. 1934, in Knox County, Texas, and

I FURTHER Direct that the County Clerk of this County and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of said County deliver a certified copy of said order declaring the results of said election to Charles Bisbee, the Editor of said newspaper for publication, and that the said Benjamin Post publish the same for

four consecutive weeks as required by law.

J. W. Melton,
County Judge, Knox County, Texas.
STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF KNOX,

I, M. T. Chamberlain, County Clerk Knox County, Texas do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Order Declaring Result of Election, as the same appears of record in Vol. 5, page 553, of the Minutes of the Commissioners' Court, Knox County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of office this the 31st day of July, A. D. 1934.

M. T. Chamberlain,
County Clerk, Knox County, Texas.
By Lucille Hunter, Deputy.
(SEAL)

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN: Black horse mule, 9 years old, 15 1-2 hands high, unbranded. Reward. League Ranch, Jack Idol, Manager.

METAL STOCK TANKS

All sizes heavy metal stock tanks and cisterns at low prices.

Chas. Moorhouse

Chas. Moorhouse was in Baylor county this week on business.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

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

Section 1. That there be added to Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be numbered section 2-A and to have five (5) lettered subdivisions and which section shall read as follows:

"Section 2-A.
(a) General management and control of the affairs of the County shall hereafter be vested in the Commissioners Court, provided that in the exercise of powers not specifically granted to the Commissioners Court by the Constitution and Amendments thereto, the Court shall be subject to the authority of the Legislature of the State of Texas, and the Court shall also be subject to all general laws of the State now in force not in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment until such laws are modified or repealed.

"(b) All duties heretofore performed by the Clerk of the District Court and the County Clerk shall hereafter be performed by an officer to be known as Record Clerk; all duties heretofore performed by the County Tax Assessor and the County Tax Collector shall hereafter be performed by one officer known as Tax Clerk; and in the counties where the sheriff performs the duties of the Tax Collector he may hereafter perform the duties of the Tax Clerk. The Record Clerk and the Tax Clerk shall be elected to hold office for a term of two (2) years and until their successors shall be elected and qualified. The Commissioners Court shall have authority to combine the office of County Treasurer and the office of County Surveyor, or to combine either, or both, of said offices. Within the maximum and minimum limits prescribed by the Legislature the Commissioners Court shall have authority to fix the compensation of all county and precinct officers except County Auditor, County Judge and County Commissioners. The Legislature shall fix the compensation of District Judges, District Attorneys, County Judges and the County Commissioners and may provide for a County auditor and prescribe his duties and fix his compensation and the number and compensation of his assistants. The Commissioners Court shall fix the compensation of and determine the number of deputies assistants and clerical personnel of all precinct officers and county officers except the county auditor.

"(c) City and county officers and employees may, in addition to their duties as such city and county officers or employees, be required to perform such other similar duties for cities, towns and districts within the county, or for the county, as may be mutually agreed upon and contracted for between the Commissioners Court of said county and the governing board, or boards, of such cities, towns and districts; and the cost of such service shall be provided for in said contracts and paid by such county, cities, towns or districts into the Treasury of the county, city, town or district, as provided for in said contract. All such contracts shall be approved by the Attorney General of this State and such contracts shall not cover a period longer than two (2) years.

"(d) The Legislature shall have authority, by general law, to provide for complete forms of county government and organizations different from that provided for in this Constitution to become effective in any county when submitted in such manner as may be prescribed by the Legislature to the qualified voters of such county in an election held for such purpose and approval by a majority of the qualified voters in said election. Provided, however, that no such law shall impair that of the Commissioners Court to determine the compensation of county and precinct officers other than the County Auditor, to fix the number of assistants, deputies, and clerical personnel which said officers may employ; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations as to particular and total tax levies for any or all county purposes; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations as to particular and total tax levies for any or all county purposes; nor shall such general law change the present constitutional limitations on counties to incur public debts.

"(e) In any and all cases where provisions of the Constitution of this State are in conflict with the provisions of this Amendment, the provision of this Amendment (Section 2-A Article 9) shall control; provided, however, should any county adopt a Home Rule Charter under authority of any provisions of the State Constitution or Amendment thereto, this Amendment shall not be applicable to such county."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State, qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November A. D. 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words:

"For the Amendment of Article 9 of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government and different than as now provided by law."

"Against the Amendment of Article 9 of the State Constitution by adding Section 2-A thereto, giving the Commissioners Court general management and control of county affairs, and authorizing the Legislature to provide more economical forms of county government, and different than as now provided by law."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy.
W. W. Heath, Secretary of State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30

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

Section 1. That Section 16, Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 16. All land mentioned in Section 11, 12 and 15 of Article 7 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 purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned; provided they shall be reentered 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 electors of the State at the 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 Amendments 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."

A true copy.
W. W. Heath, Secretary of State.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 21

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

Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 1. The Legislature shall have the power to create counties for the convenience of the people subject to the following provisions:

First. In the territory of the State exterior to all counties now existing, no new counties shall be created with a less area than nine hundred square miles, in a square form, unless prevented by the preexisting boundary lines. Should the state lines render this impracticable in border counties, the area may be less. The territory referred to may, at any time, in whole or in part, be divided into counties in advance of population and attached, for judicial and land surveying purposes, to the most convenient organized county or counties.

Second. Within the territory of any county or counties now existing the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote of both Houses, create new counties, combine existing counties and parts of counties and abolish existing counties and change county boundaries at will, provided that no new county shall be created with an area of less than nine hundred square miles nor shall any existing county be reduced in area so as to contain less than nine hundred square miles, unless such new county or such remaining county, and both shall have a population of not less than fifty thousand according to the last United States census prior to the date of the creation or change of such county. When any part of a county is stricken off and attached to, or created into another county, the part stricken off shall be holden for and obliged to pay its proportion of all liabilities then existing of the county from which it was taken, in such manner as may be prescribed by law.

Third. No part of any existing county shall be detached from it and attached to another existing county until the proposition for such change

shall have been submitted in such a manner as may be provided by law, to a vote of the electors of both counties and shall have received a majority of those voting on the question in each."

Section 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution 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 proposed amendment shall write or have printed in that ballot the words:

"For the amendment to Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of Texas, providing that the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote of both Houses create new counties and change the boundaries of existing counties."

Those voters opposing said proposed amendment shall write, or have printed on their ballot the words:

"Against the amendment to Section 1 of Article 9 of the Constitution of Texas, providing that the Legislature may by a two-thirds vote both Houses create new counties and change the boundaries of existing counties."

A true copy.
W. W. Heath, Secretary of State.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13

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

Section 1. That Section 3 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 3. Taxes shall be levied and collected by general laws and for public purposes only; and the total amount of revenue which the State shall be authorized to collect during such biennium from taxes, licenses, permits and fees, (except fees paid by students to state educational institutions, and except rentals, bonuses and royalties obtained from public lands and other public property) shall not exceed a sum reasonably estimated to equal the product obtained by multiplying the number of inhabitants of this State by the sum of Twenty-two and 50-100 (\$22.50) Dollars; provided however, the total amount of such revenue which may be so collected, shall be reduced by the amount of any surplus funds or unexpended appropriations remaining at the close of the preceding biennium. The expenditures of the State government of funds derived from the sources

above referred to shall never exceed during any biennium, a sum equal to the product obtained by multiplying the number of inhabitants of this State by the sum of Twenty-two and 50-100 (\$22.50) Dollars, provided however, that the population of the State (in determining the amount of revenue which may be collected from taxes, licenses, permits and fee or expended from the revenue thus obtained) shall be determined by the then last preceding Federal census, to which population shall be added or deducted, as the case may be, for each year that has lapsed since the last Federal census, the average yearly increase or decrease of the population as shown by said Federal census when compared with the Federal census which immediately preceded said last Federal census. Provided, further, that in case of war, riots, or insurrection, or a statewide calamity caused by earthquake, fire, flood or an epidemic which seriously threatens the health of the citizens of this state, the Legislature shall have authority, by a two-thirds vote of both Houses, to suspend for a definite period this constitution limitation as to the amount of money which may be collected and expended during the biennium."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1934, at which election each ballot shall have printed the words:

"For the Amendment of Section 3 of Article 8 of the State Constitution providing for the levying and collection of taxes and fixing the maximum amount thereof which can be collected and expended each biennium."

"Against the Amendment of Section 3 of Article 8 of the State Constitution providing for the levying and collection of taxes and fixing the maximum amount thereof which can be collected and expended each biennium."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against, so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy.
W. W. Heath, Secretary of State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41

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

Section 1. That Section 5, of Article 11, of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so as to hereinafter 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 (2 1-2 percent) 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 percent) thereon; provided further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every twelve (12) months."

Sec. 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 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."

A true copy.
W. W. Heath, Secretary of State.

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 hereinafter 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 and 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; 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 and 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."

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; 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 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."

A true copy.
W. W. Heath, Secretary of State

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2

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

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas, Article 16, be amended by adding thereto another Section, Section 61, which shall read as follows:

"Section 61. All district officers in the State an all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000), or more, according to the then last preceding Federal census, shall hereafter be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties of this State the Commissioners' Court shall be authorized to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis; and in counties having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000) according to the then last preceding Federal census, the Commissioners' Court shall also have the authority to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis. All fees earned by district, county or precinct officers shall be paid into the County Treasury where earned, for the account of the proper fund, provided that fees incurred by the State, county and any municipality, or in case where pauper's oath is filled, shall be paid to the County Treasury, when collected, and provided that where any officer is compensated wholly on a fee basis, such fees may be retained by such officer, or paid into the Treasury of the county as the Commissioners' Court may direct. All Notaries Public, County Surveyors and Public Weighers shall continue to be compensated on a fee basis."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to vote of the qualified voters of this State and the next general election to be held on Tuesday, after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1934, 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 adding Section 61 to Article 16, abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court to determine whether County officers in counties containing less than twenty thousand (20,000) population shall be compensated on a fee basis or a salary basis; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court in all counties of this State to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee or a salary basis."

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas adding Section 61 to Article 16, abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court to determine whether county officers in counties containing less than twenty thousand (20,000) population shall be compensated on a fee basis or a salary basis; and authorizing the Commissioners' Court in all counties of this State to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee or a salary basis."

Each voter shall scratch out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting for or against said proposed amendment.

A true copy.
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- FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
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- FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
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J. Lyndal Hughes
- FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR
Earl Sams
Lee Haymes
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M. T. Chamberlain
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C. R. Elliott
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
E. L. Covey
- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
Lewis Williams
- FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. 2:
Orel Patterson
- FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. 3:
Onie Welch
- FOR PUBLIC WEAIGHER, PREC. 3:
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FOR
County Judge

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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 hereafter read 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 11 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, 1934, 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." A true copy.

W. W. Heath, Secretary of State.

TO THE VOTERS OF KNOX COUNTY

I desire to express to the voters of Knox County my deep gratitude for your loyalty and splendid vote that you gave me July 28. The vote which I received is extremely gratifying and I construe it as an indorsement of a progressive organization of our school system. Your vote indicates your appreciation of years of service in the various school positions, and of one that has always been professionally active and thoroughly familiar with the school conditions of Knox County.

It will be impossible for me to see all of you at your homes again, but I shall endeavor to see you and solicit your continued support. Should I fail to see you let this express my sincere thanks, and my desire to serve you as your next County Superintendent.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. E. F. Branton.

TO THE VOTERS OF KNOX COUNTY

I wish to thank my friends of Knox County for their support given me in the recent campaign for County Judge.

Although I will not be in the run-off on August 25th it has been a pleasure to have met and talked to every one and I know that you realize that if I had been elected I would have given you the best service of which I was capable.

Respectfully yours,
M. G. Nix

TO THE VOTERS OF KNOX COUNTY

I take this method of thanking the voters of Knox County for the splendid vote given me in the recent election. The campaign was conducted on a high plane. To those who did not support me let me say I have no ill feelings, and ask your assistance and cooperation. It is not my office but the people's office. I am your humble servant.

Lewis Williams.

TO THE VOTERS OF KNOX COUNTY

I wish to sincerely thank all who voted for me last Saturday in my race for County Judge. I appreciate more than words can express the nice lead you gave me.

May I again solicit your support in the run-off August 25. Should you honor me with this important position, I shall seek the co-operation of the people of the county in my work as judge and serve you the very best I can.

Again assuring you I am indeed grateful for all past favors, I am,
Sincerely,
E. L. Covey.

TO THE VOTERS OF KNOX COUNTY

The people of Benjamin paid Mr. Brewer a very high compliment last Saturday with a very splendid vote. My association with Mr. Brewer as an opponent during the last two months of strenuous campaign and the recommendation of his friends as to accomplishments as a teacher in the Benjamin High School has been reason enough to convince me that he deserved every vote he received. I sincerely appreciate the vote I received in Benjamin and I shall appreciate your consideration in the second primary.

J. Lyndal Hughes.

TO THE VOTERS OF COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3

I take this method of expressing my thanks for the large vote of confidence you gave me at the polls last Saturday. Whether you voted for me or not I will need your help in the conduct of the affairs of the Commissioner's Court more now than ever before. In order to truly represent the interests and needs of the people of Precinct 3 and Knox County, I must have your help and respectfully ask that you talk with me and assist me in the conduct of the affairs of office of Commissioner Precinct 3.

Respectfully,
Onie Welch.

TO THE TAX PAYERS OF BENJAMIN

We have completed the exchange of our water work bonds for refunding bonds bearing a much lower rate of interest, saving the tax payers nearly a thousand dollars a year in interest.

We have an interest payment on the new bonds due September 1st, 1934, and we must collect delinquent taxes to pay same.

Our Attorney will be here August 8, 1934, and suits for the collection of delinquent taxes will be filed immediately against all who are delinquent in their tax payments.

By order of the City Council of Benjamin, Texas.
J. B. JONES, Mayor.
July 30, 1934.

TO THE VOTERS OF KNOX COUNTY

I take this method of thanking the voters of Knox County for the splendid vote given me in my race for re-election to the Sheriff's Office on last Saturday.

I consider the vote given me as an endorsement of the manner in which I have conducted the affairs of the Office and as an expression on the part of the citizens of Knox County of the confidence they have in me as an officer.

To all my friends in Benjamin and vicinity, I am very grateful for the splendid vote given me.

Yours,
C. R. Elliott,
Sheriff, Knox County.

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Please accept my heartfelt thanks for the confidence expressed by you at the polls July 28. Even though I had no opponent your votes were needed and greatly appreciated.

With the continued cooperation of the officers and citizens I feel that in the future I will be better able to perform the duties of your District Attorney.

This Office Is Yours

When I may be of service to you do not hesitate to command me. Your advise and suggestions, at all times, are appreciated.

Again assuring you of my appreciation, I am,

Sincerely,
J. Donnell Dickson
District Attorney

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