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HALL COUNTY FARMERS' UNION TO HOLD RALLY

Organized Farmers of Hall County Plan to Hold Their Meeting July twenty-first

One of the greatest gatherings of farmers ever held in Hall County is being arranged for by the Farmers' Union organizations of this county to be held July 21, 1916, in or near Memphis.

The program will cover the entire day and will include a bountiful picnic dinner.

Prominent speakers, including President Henry N. Pope, the head of the Texas organization, and other speakers of state-wide reputation will be here.

A central committee, composed of representatives from the ten local unions in the county, will be appointed and will meet here on the first Saturday in July to arrange the details and select the exact meeting place. This committee was provided for by a resolution passed by the County Union which met here Saturday.

The importance of the meeting and the prominence of the speakers will doubtless, attract many people from a distance; and these with the large membership of the unions in Hall county will bring perhaps the largest crowd ever gathered in Memphis.

This meeting will come on the day before primary election and, while it will in no sense be a political meeting, it will likely attract many candidates for the higher offices, including, doubtless, some for state offices.

Hall county is one of the best organized counties in Texas and perhaps the largest number of union farmers of any county in proportion to population. The organization has a large supply house here and a co-operative establishment at Estelline, both of which have been quite successful in a business way.

DISTRICT COURT WILL CONVENE NEXT MONDAY

Perhaps Heaviest Docket for Hall County. Sixty-six Cases. Twenty-one Criminal.

District court will convene and the grand jury will sit here Monday. This promises to be one of the longest terms of this court ever held in this county. The docket contains sixty-six cases, twenty-one of which are criminal.

Several civil cases, which will probably occupy more than the usual time are set for this term, so it is probable that the term will be drawn out far beyond its usual length.

Grand Jury List

C. W. Broome.
A. W. Christopher.
J. C. Conn.
G. H. Crews.
J. L. Crosby.
Van Crow.
E. M. Dennis.
J. F. Forkner.
G. D. Hall.
J. O. Hemphill.
D. C. Lane.
W. S. Messer.
John Robertson.
T. H. Threet.
R. F. Meacham.
W. H. Tippett.

Petit Jurors—First Week, to Appear

Wednesday June 7
J. W. Stokes, H. T. McCann, B. D. Carroll, J. E. Duncan, L. C. Payne, F. L. Wallace, T. H. Gilbert, J. W. Webster, W. N. Orr, C. L. Huff, M. W. Paschal, R. S. Wansley, E. N. Caldwell, E. E. Walker, B. H. Smith, J. C. Walls, J. P. Montgomery, L. D. Churchman, J. M. Graham, H. T. Rea, W. L. Neel, R. C. Walker, J. B. Le Compt, M. H. Solomon, J. B. Wardlow, J. W. Gilley and T. M. Isham.

Petit Jury—Second Week, to Appear

Monday, June 12
T. R. Blades, C. L. Lindsey, C. D. English, J. D. Shankle, W. M. Wrenn, F. T. Gardenshire, A. Gidden, J. R. Garrison, J. R. Stidham, W. T. Ditto, W. E. Gammage, W. M. Walker, M. M. Lewis, J. H. Foster, M. Combest, T. B. Norwood, J. B. Reed, J. M. Lane, C. H. Floyd, R. W. Crawford, E. N. Hudgins, W. L. Rigsby, H. J. Gallows, J. W. Dunn, J. C. Brewer, W. A. Womack, W. N. McAllister, J. C. Malley, J. H. Etheridge, B. E. Rushing, G. L. White, and A. S. Beavers.

DUTCH SOLDIERS IN MOBILIZATION CAMP



The sinking of several Dutch steamers and other causes of complaint have resulted in preparations for possible war by Holland. The photograph shows a number of Dutch soldiers in one of the mobilization camps.

WINNERS IN PIG JUDGING CLUB CONTEST

Boy's and Girl's Pig Club Members Have Unique Contest. Prizes to Best Judges, Girl's Win

Hall county has the largest Boy's and Girl's Pig Club membership of any county in the United States, 295 members.

Clubs have been organized in each of the twenty-six school districts sometime ago and recently, through the efforts of County Agent Midkiff, a contest was offered whereby the winners should each become the possessor of a fine registered pig.

The bankers of Memphis, have purchased twenty-six registered big bone Poland-China pigs for distribution among the prize winners in the pig clubs of Hall county.

The club members were called together at four convenient places in the county.

Three nonresident judges were selected, and in the presence of the club members a hog was scored and the method of using the score card explained to the children—in every instance an inferior animal was scored. The best hog was scored in advance of the meeting and agreed upon by the judges; then the club members scored the same hog that the judges scored, and the members who scored nearest to the judges won the prizes.

The pigs cost \$25 each, the prize winners pay the bankers two pigs at weaning time out of the first litter of pigs and then the debt is settled. Then the club members are called together again, including new members, and they score again for three pigs, and continue to keep this up for six years, then the bankers take two pigs from the last litter in payment for their original investment. The club members must keep up the registration on all animals kept for breeding purposes.

The following are the winners in the first contest:

Memphis: Glynn Thompson, John Read, George Bradley, Ivan McElreath; Salisbury, Eula Covart; Fairview, James Crisman; Indian Creek, Arthur Burnett; Ell, Raymond Britt, Lodge, Guy Orr; Friendship, Hester West; Parnell, Charley Weatherly and Jim Jouett; Estelline, Odra Caldwell and Lois Caldwell; Hulver, Walker Chapman and Carleton Chapman; Bridle-Bit, Erma Pierce; Wolf Flat, William Mullin, Floyd Meacham and Lota Officer; Leach, Fay Fuston, John Mann, and Barney Franklin; Churchman, Edward Boyter; Deep Lake, John Merchant and Lucy Wammack; Webster, Winston Ward; Pleasant Valley, Cord Hammoek; Brice, W. M. Youngblood; Lakeview, Vevell Hughes and K. W. Wells.

It will be noted from the above list that the girls were winners. In many instances over superior numbers of boys. We are unable at this time to publish as we should like to, a full list of all the contestants, of whom there were ninety-one and the grades made. The young folk proved themselves good judges; one Memphis boy coming within one-fourth of the grade made by the contest judges.

NOTE—Aside from the benefits the young folk may derive from this arrangement; the investors have a

NEGRO VISITOR DOESN'T TARRY

COLORED GUEST SPENDS UNEASY SUNDAY IN MEMPHIS. DEPARTS ON FIRST TRAIN. HE WAS VERY "NERVOUS."

A negro, sent here to do some work for the contractors who are erecting the new congress, came in Sunday morning on the north-bound train. He was immediately escorted to the congress by a guard, who remained there with him throughout the day. Sometime in the afternoon a crowd of fifty to seventy-five men got together and sent a committee to the employer of the negro, advising him that the negro was not wanted here and suggesting that a good way to avoid trouble would be to agree to send the negro away on the first train. This suggestion was agreed to, with the understanding that white men would be found to do the needed work. In the meantime the guard had called up the employer and requested

that the negro be moved, stating that he would not take the responsibility of having to hurt some white man in order to protect the negro.

The negro, himself, as he expressed it, was decidedly "nervous." When asked if he was enjoying his visit he said: "No sar boss, I se nervous, an' ah wanta leave heah." He said that he was utterly ignorant of the fact that there were no negroes here or that there was any feeling against their coming; and that he would never have come if he had know.

He was escorted to the south-bound train Sunday night and lost no time in getting aboard; he said he was glad to leave and had no intention of coming back.

ALCOHOL MAKERS WANT KAFFIR.

Distillers Could Use Million and Half Bushels Annually to Make Alcohol.

Secretary A. W. Read of the Memphis Commercial Club has a communication from the American Alcohol company, with distillers Iowa, Louisiana, and New York, who say they can use 1,500,000 bushels, or more of the sorghum grains annually in the manufacture of alcohol.

The communication came through Mr. William Ganzer, District Demonstration Agent for this district. The company stated that they would send agents to favorable territory to personally look into the matter for them. Mr. Read informed them that Hall county last year marketed an amount sufficient to meet their needs and that if prices proportionate to the value and a ready market could be secured a much larger amount would be produced here. He explained that the product was restricted because it has been difficult to educate the public to the value of these grains and that if a price proportionate to that of corn could be had a much larger amount would be grown.

The Extension Service of the A. and M. College has issued a new bulletin on Grading and Packing Peaches, which will be sent free on application to the Director of Extension, College Station, Texas.

fairly good thing. If none of these pigs or their annual successors should die the men who furnish the pigs would at the end of the six year period have 1,664 pigs, worth at the original price the neat sum of \$41,600. Or the investment of \$650 would pay about 650 per cent.

HENDRICKS WILL NOT OFFER FOR RE-ELECTION

Announcement "Starts Something" May Be Hot Contest For Place. Memphis Man Mentioned.

Associate Justice H. G. Hendricks announced yesterday that he will not be a candidate to succeed himself on the Seventh Court of Appeals in Amarillo. This announcement came as a great surprise as Judge Hendricks is serving only his first term on the appellate bench and is decidedly popular with the bar and the people. He has been looked upon as the logical candidate to succeed himself for this place and no opposition would have been offered.

When it was learned that Judge Hendricks, Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals of the Seventh Supreme Judicial District would not be a candidate for re-election, a petition was circulated among the lawyers of Amarillo endorsing Wm. Boyce for the position, and it was numerously signed without delay.

Among others mentioned for this place yesterday afternoon were M. J. R. Jackson, Hugh L. Umphres, C. E. Gustavus, Frank M. Ryburn, W. H. Kimbrough and Otis Trulove of Amarillo, J. M. Pressler of Memphis and Wm. Knight of Hereford. It will be recalled that Judge Pressler was one of the original justices of the Seventh Court of Appeals, having been appointed by Governor Colquitt, from Fisher county soon after the creation of the court.

When he reached the conclusion not to make the race, Judge Hendricks lost no time in letting the lawyers of Amarillo and other leading communities know about his action. This resulted in considerable agitation here and elsewhere, with the result that "feelers" were put out over the district, and it is not improbable that today will witness a material expansion in the tentative list of candidates in some fields, and a contraction in others.

At this time, it is not improbable that the race for the associate justice's place on the Seventh Court of Appeals will be one of the most hotly contested before the oncoming July primaries. Up to yesterday there seemed not the slightest possibility of a candidate against Judge Hendricks, but today the aspirants will make their desires known in connection with the office—Amarillo News.

INDIAN CREEK BRIDGE HAS BEEN REPAIRED

John Wilson, in the employ of the Austin Bridge Company, came up Sunday and went out Monday and Tuesday and made some necessary repairs on the Indian Creek bridge. The repairs were made at the expense of the company. This writer knew Mr. Wilson some twenty years ago and was glad to renew his acquaintance.

COMMERCIAL CLUB GIVES BANQUET

Memphis Organization Celebrates 5th Anniversary With Usual Banquet, Tuesday Night.

The Memphis Commercial Club celebrated its fifth birthday last Tuesday evening by the customary banquet and love-feast.

Something near one hundred members, citizens and guests were present and took their seats at the board at 9:30 o'clock to receive, with enthusiastic cheering, the annual address of President W. P. Dial. This address modestly mentioned the numerous good things that have come to Memphis through the agency, or with the assistance, of the organization. He declared, however, that the work of the club was just really commencing and outlined a program for immediate attention that included road improvement and the eradication of hog cholera in Hall county. He asked for the whole-hearted and enthusiastic co-operation in this work that had been given in past emergencies and expressed confidence in future results.

W. B. Quigley acting as toast-master, called upon numerous speakers, who responded with brief talks laden with praise for the club and its officers.

Secretary Porter Whaley, of the Amarillo Board of City Development, made a short address eulogizing the work of the Memphis Club and closing with an announcement of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway meeting to be held here next Tuesday.

He was followed in a lengthy address by Judge Yost, of Amarillo, who surrendered the floor to another Amarillo man, Editor J. L. Pope, of the Daily News, who made a brief, snappy talk.

A short address by the Secretary Read closed the meeting, shortly after 11.00 o'clock.

WAREHOUSE INSPECTOR SPEAKS HERE

State Warehouse Inspector, L. A. Huff Explains Provisions of Law to Union Farmers

L. A. Huff, of Sherman, inspector for the State Warehouse Department, delivered an address to the members at the County Union meeting here Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Huff is an expert cotton man, having handled cotton as a farmer, as a ginner and as a buyer and exporter. He has been exclusively engaged in the cotton business during the last twenty-nine years and thoroughly understands the business in all of its phases and details.

He explained the purposes of the present warehouse law and called attention to some of the good things that had already been accomplished through its operation. He assured the farmers that if the law was properly supported and its provisions carried out, it would result in a direct saving to the Texas cotton farmers of from \$5,000,000 to \$15,000,000 annually. He gave considerable attention to the wrapping and sampling requirements, so loudly complained of by the ginners, and seemed to convince his hearers of the wisdom of these requirements and of the necessity of support by the farmers in refusing to allow their cotton to be cut.

Mr. Huff did not attempt any oratorical flights but seemed to thoroughly know his subject and to be able to convey his views to his hearers in a way that was direct and convincing.

Mr. Huff is a brother of Justice S. P. Huff, of the Court of Civil Appeals, at Amarillo. He met a number of acquaintances here and spent Sunday here with some of his boyhood friends.

LOTT GETS NEW TRIAL

We understand that H. Lott, tried recently at Amarillo and given a sentence of five years, has been granted a new trial.

The grounds for a new hearing are said to include an alleged expression from a juror prejudicial to the defendant.

Claude Brantley of Amarillo was here Tuesday and Wednesday.

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**SUGGESTIONS FOR THE
JUNE GRADUATE**

**Organdy, Voile, and Other Cottons
Favored for the Frock, Which
Must be Simple. Dress May
be Worn Later for After
noons or Dancing.**

New York, May 29.—Quite as important as the June bride is the June graduate. She must be just as daintily dressed in misty white, and her future is equally as promising.

It is no longer considered the proper thing for the graduate to be elaborately dressed in silk or satin; many of the daintiest frocks are fashioned by the graduate herself, from the sheer voiles, organdies, nets, or from the dainty flouncings of lace or embroidery. The high schools favor the idea of the graduate fashioning her own dress; some go as far as to suggest the material and the cut for the entire class. Perhaps this does not

silk gloves, if any gloves are worn, are better than kid, being cooler. A small white fan may be carried, both for use and ornament, for fans are extremely dainty this summer. Feathers are being used in the new fans. There are small ostrich feather fans and plain cock feather fans in white and colors. The small spangled silk fan is still favored. Any of these make most acceptable gifts for the graduate. Although the plainer the hair is dressed the better, a bit of tulle or a single comb may be worn, and Colonial silver or rhinestone buckles may adorn the pumps. Very little jewelry, if any, is permissible; a small brooch or a tiny Lavalliere is quite enough.

Summer Frocks of Organdy

Organdy is one of the most generally favored materials for the summer frock, whether for graduation, garden parties, or summer dances. It comes in all the delicate pastel colorings now favored and is also patterned with dainty, conventionalized designs, on white and colored grounds.

The plain and figured voiles are effective also, and there are many attractive combinations of voile and taffeta, organdy, and taffeta, net and organdy and the like.

It is considered most Frenchy to combine organdy and taffeta, or net and taffeta. This is usually done in a frock which one has no idea of sending to the laundry, although there are at the moment taffetas and satins which wash very well.

The first frock illustrated here is a jumper model adapted from one of Poiret's designs. It is developed in net and taffeta and is a charmingly simple model for the girl who wishes to make her own frock for commencement.



Commencement Frock of Voile

appeal to the average girl, with her ideas of individuality, but the notion of making her own frock should appeal to her, for this reason, that she may add little distinctive touches which bring out her own personality.

Simplicity in Cut and Material

The very simplest, most youthful models are chosen for the June graduate. They are usually of organdy, or one of the sheer cottons, very sparingly and simply trimmed. Crepe de Chine or one of the very soft taffetas or satins may also be used, if preferred, but the cottons are more in vogue and daintier.

Net, which is such a general favorite for the typical summer dress, is quite as well liked for the graduation dress and proves extremely practical. White cotton net, combined with taffeta, voile, or organdy, fashions the daintiest of graduation frocks; one which may be worn later for summer afternoons, are the dance.

Skirts are short, sleeves range from the short puff, so charmingly in keeping with bouffant skirts of the moment, to the three-quarter or full length sleeve or organdy, net, Georgette or chiffon. Round necks are particularly modish, although the square neck and the V are also liked. If one wishes to be at the height of the mode, the graduation frock must boast a hooped petticoat. These are so softly boned and so unobtrusive that the frock loses none of its simplicity but gains in grace.

Shoes, Gloves and a Fan.

White kid pumps and white silk stockings are dainty and carry out the "all white" notion; black patent or kid pumps and black stockings, however, are in quite as good form. White



Dainty Model for the Graduate

In the second design is a particularly effective frock of plain and figured voile. The figured material is white with a white mercerized ring. The quaint neck line, puffed sleeves and full skirt, make it a very pleasing and youthful frock, suitable for graduation exercises or summer parties.

The Garden Party Hat.

It will do no harm to tell of a hat or two, which, worn with the graduation frock after that wonderful day, will complete a most effective garden party, or summer afternoon costume. There are large hats of organdy in the dainty colorings, just the thing for the for the organdy frock; large black and colored wenchows, stenciled with some quaintly conceived and colored figure, flower, or bird; wide brimmed leghorns, with a flower or two on their drooping brims; and many others, for the large hat is again modish. These stenciled hats offer alluring possibilities to the girl who paints or understands the mixing of colors.

**TAKE POLITICS OUT
OF JUSTICE, PLEA OF
FARMERS' UNION HEAD**

Use of Powers of Office to Advance Personal Ambitions is Crime Against People, Says H. N. Pope.

Fort Worth, Texas—Taking politics out of justice has been advanced as a cure for injustice by H. N. Pope, president of the Texas Farmers' Union, in a contribution to the Texas Economic League's discussion of the administration of justice, received by that organization. Pope's article says in part:

"The discussion of the administration of justice now going in the press deeply concerns the farmers of this state, for it is they who are the final sufferers from injustice, and I would like to see more of them join in this discussion.

"The farmer of Texas must diligently study government. It is as necessary to his prosperity that he be a capable citizen, as that he be a capable plowman. His welfare depends as much upon sound legislation and capable public officials as it does upon making two pumpkins grow where one grew before. His happiness is as much dependent upon his receiving a fair division of the profits of his labor as it is upon the fertility of the soil. His success is as much dependent upon honest, intelligent and patriotic citizenship as it is upon the diversification of farm products. To secure the blessings of society which are rightly their own, the farmers must organize, think together and vote together. They must be able to separate the theorist from the doer; the braggart from the achiever, and the capable from the incapable, in both men and measures affecting the public weal, and the penalty for failure to do so is poverty, oppression and ruin.

Take Politics Out of Justice

"There have been many able suggestions advanced as a remedy for the injustice which we now endure, and as a farmer I want to give my views on this subject. I would suggest taking politics out of justice as a cure for injustice. When an official of state, whether he be in the legislative, administrative or judiciary department of government, takes an oath of office, he should then and there quit playing politics with the powers of his office.

"The man who takes an oath of office enters into a divine covenant with the people. He has no more right to use his authority in paying political debts than he has to sell the office furniture and pay his grocery bill. He has no more right to use the seal of the great state in advancing his political ambitions than he has to sell state bonds and appropriate the proceeds to his financial credit. An official who violates his oath of office ought to be prosecuted for perjury, and an official who undertakes to pry open the backdoor of fame with a lawsuit, ought to be arrested for burglary.

"The farmers of this state have just cause to complain of the inefficiency of government. The number and the per cent of tenant farmers never were greater, which is a true barometer to agricultural conditions. There never was a time in the history of this nation when prosperity was more completely waylaid on its journey to the farmer, or when misfortune reached him so easily as at present.

Prosperity Waylaid.

"Likewise, the business interests have their troubles. Any political law suit filed against industry ought to be styled 'the Politicians vs. the People,' and the verdict ought to be that the politicians are guilty of slaughtering industry, and they should be sentenced to quit playing politics or resign their office.

"The farmers get too much salvation and not enough co-operation from government; too much politics and not enough business. If the administrative branch of government could give us prosperity by filling political lawsuits, then the tenant farmers would all be rich. If the legislative branch of government could cure the evils of society by increasing the volume of laws, we would have a perfect civilization. If the judiciary branch of government could give us justice by making political speeches from the bench, then we would have no more injustice within our realm.

"The farmer cannot expect in government to reap something he does not sow, any more than he can plant thistles in the soil and harvest grain. It is no more possible to make a statesman out of a politician than it is to make a silk purse out of a sow's ear. The farmers of Texas must face the situation squarely. We are the predominating class, and we cannot escape the responsibilities of government. Upon our shoulders rest largely the destiny of Texas, and upon our ballot the policy of government depends."



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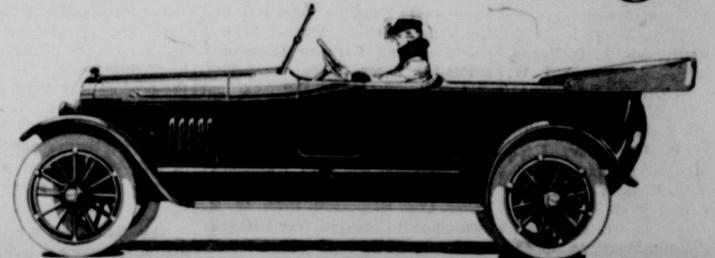
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The Hedley High School closed last Friday. The school has been a great success this year due to the untiring energy of our loyal teachers, and the co-operation of parents. Their efforts have brought glorious success. The majority, if not all of the students "passed" to higher grades for which they were striving. There were five graduates this year, all of whom made splendid records.—Hedley Informer.

RAILROADS

Texas has more railroad mileage than any State in the Union. We now have 15,000 miles of main line of railroads. The first railroad built in Texas was in 1851. To encourage railroad construction, the State of Texas gave away 36,000,000 acres of land in the pioneer days as a subsidy for building 6,000 miles of road. We have 563 miles of railroad to each 100 square miles of territory. Texas has 37 miles of railroad track to every 10,000 inhabitants.—"Texas Facts"

Many Women Need Help.

Women are much inclined to kidney trouble as are men, but too often make the mistake of thinking that a certain amount of pain and torture is their lot and cannot be avoided. Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief from backache, pains in sides and muscles, stiff, sore, aching joints, and bladder ailments. For sale by Fickas Drug Company. (June)

School Children Should Fight 'Em

The schools must help in the campaign against flies. Each of the various grades should take a particular part of the work, says a writer in the International Harvester company bulletin. Let one grade canvass the town and enlist the groceries, meat shops, restaurants and householders in a movement to clean up alleys and back yards, provide for proper disposition of garbage and for sanitary outhouses.

Another grade might make fly traps and sell them to the various grocers and butchers for use at their places of business and to the city authorities for use in public places. That was done successfully in Holland, Mich., last year.

Still another grade may collect all the information which can be secured on the subject of flies. All grades may write compositions on "The Fly," "The Fly's Travels," "Confessions of a Fly," "Dangers of a Housefly," and

WHATEVER YOU WANT MONEY FOR FARMERS

WHETHER OWNER WANTS TO
BORROW OR NOT, HE SHOULD
HOUSE HIS COTTON.

CORSICANA, Texas.—On invitation of the Texas Economic League, J. A. Thompson, banker of this city, has written his views for publication on the financing of cotton by the country bankers. On account of his activities along this line Mr. Thompson's views were desired by the League for the purpose of encouraging other bankers throughout Texas to co-operate with the farmers in marketing their cotton crop. The following is the substance of Mr. Thompson's communication:

When we consider the vast damage done to the cotton crop by exposure, the mode of handling it before it is marketed, I cannot see how any reasoning man can combat the warehouse system which will decrease such damage to a large extent if not eliminate it entirely. Especially, when such warehouse system carries with it a plan, making the cotton receipts easily available as security should owner desire to borrow, the necessity for such warehouse is all the more pertinent. And I go further and state that should it not become necessary for the farmer to ever borrow a dollar on his cotton, those who work their families—wives and children—in the cotton patch, and after the cotton is ginned put it out in an open yard, and in most cases, a mudhole, commit a crime that is almost unpardonable, whereas, if they would warehouse their cotton, they could save enough country damage, in most instances, to pay for the picking.

Banks Can't Lend at Six Per Cent.

I have shown my faith in this proposition, by becoming interested, personally, in five different warehouses in my county. I have also published letters to the farmers generally, telling them that warehouse receipts were not only good as security for money in the banks I am interested in, but were also good as security for the extension of their notes. I

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Read how C. E. Summers, Hold-
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Democrat is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 22, 1916, unless otherwise stated:

For Tax Assessor—

A. G. POWELL
 R. E. PAINTER
 F. A. HUDGINS

For Treasurer—

J. M. (JIMMIE) WILLBORN

For County Attorney

SAM J. HAMILTON—Re-election.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector

W. L. WHEAT
 J. E. KING
 L. McMILLAN.

District and County Clerk

MISS FRANCES ROBERTS

For County Judge

S. G. ALEXANDER

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1.

R. E. STAFFORD

A. C. HOFFMAN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

T. M. McMURRY

Superintendent of Public Instruction.

WILLIAM J. BRAGG.

M. E. McNALLY.

J. H. (HENRY) CRAWFORD

L. A. Cooper.

For County Commissioner

Precinct No. 2 (Lakeview)

J. T. DENNIS

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1.

SAM J. HOLT.

JNO. T. BISHOP. (Re-election)

For Representative Legislature 104th District:

W. D. COPE, Childress, Texas.

Unrequited love, that's Tom.

THE CO-OPERATIVE REVIVAL TO BEGIN SOON.

The Great Co-operative Revival is to begin Sunday, June 11, and will be conducted by Evangelists Cole and Fisher. Let the people who believe in "preparedness" get ready. We should make this the greatest meeting Memphis has ever had. There are several advantages in a co-operative meeting such as we are to have.

1. Greater good can be accomplished for the churches, and the city in general, through a co-operative effort than by any other method. Individual church meetings are important, and should be held, but no single church can reach the entire community.

2. A co-operative Revival affords common ground where Christian forces are focused against a common foe.

3. Business men can unite in closing for co-operative services without fear of partiality or loss of patronage.

4. As a rule men who do not go to church will attend a co-operative revival, when held in a tabernacle, or other public buildings.

Evangelist Cole has been greatly used by God in other places in winning the lost. His methods are said to be such as all can approve and his loveable spirit brings pastors and people closer to each other, and now for a pull, a hard pull and a pull altogether, for the salvation of the unsaved in and around Memphis.

Will T. Swain.

Comodore Love complains that his craft was attacked by anti-submarine lines, endangering the neutral (?) Anti-Saloon League passengers aboard. Of course, it can not be denied that the League has attempted to torpedo the "schooners" of the anti, so honors are about even.

STRAIGHTFORWARD TESTIMONY

Many Memphis Citizens Have Profited By It.

If you have backaches, urinary troubles, days of dizziness, headaches or nervousness, strike at the seat of the trouble. These are often the symptoms of weak kidneys and there is grave danger in delay. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially prepared for kidney ailments—are endorsed by over 40,000 people. Your neighbors recommend this remedy—have proved its merit in many tests. Memphis readers should take fresh courage in the straightforward testimony of a Memphis citizen.

C. H. Dye, Sr., insurance agent, 7th and Dover Streets, Memphis, Says: "I suffered with inflammatory rheumatism and was so bad that I could just get about. My back was also weak and ached and the kidney secretions were too frequent in passage causing me to get up often at night. I had read a lot about Doan's Kidney Pills and got some at Tomlinson's Drug Store. They helped me from the first and I continued with them until I was all right and about able to go about my work. I have had but little trouble in this way since."

NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE!

We have moved our shoe shop to the brick building opposite the Postoffice. We have installed a telephone—No. 143. Call us and we will come after your repair work.

R. W. TALLEY

Boot and Shoe Shop
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Clean, Sanitary and Courteous
 Efficient Service

HOT AND COLD BATHS

Will appreciate a share of your trade.

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This summer will call for a Coat Suit if you go to the mountains. Better prepare for it now. We have about twelve spring suits in light cloths left---

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COPE FOR RE-ELECTION

This issue of the Democrat will announce the announcement of Hon. W. D. Cope, for re-election as representative from the 104th legislature.

Mr. Cope has served two terms in the legislature and stands upon his record in asking for re-election.

The editor differs from Mr. Cope in regard to certain principles and policies; but on the authority of his long and continued acquaintance, and the pleasure in testifying to our confidence in his honesty and integrity as a private citizen and an official. He will not, we think, dodge any issue and will stand firmly for those he believes to be to the best interests of those whom he represents. He is a democrat and his candidacy is committed to the action of that party in the primary election to be held in June.

Mr. Cope informs us that he will appear to meet as many as possible of the voters before the election to present his claim in person. We are glad to commend him to the voters of Hall county as a man worthy of their consideration and support.

Found or Stolen—From S. L. Lindley place: one brown horse about 15 hands high, one 3 year old mare about 15 hands high. Dissipated Sunday the 28th. The finder will be rewarded by reporting to the Justice Vandeventer, Lodge, Texas.

The election that was to be held to determine whether or not pool halls shall be conducted in Hartley county was called by a special meeting of the commissioners court last week, and we are glad that such has happened. In our opinion such places of business as long as conducted in a legal manner are no detriment to a town, and we are young men from partaking of games of chance that are more profitable.—Channing Courier.

HOG MEN HERE. C. French, state agent in pig work; T. Pryse Metcalf, scientific assistant in animal husbandry; and A. Nelson, president of the Panhandle Swine Breeders Association, were here on Thursday and Friday last week and assisted County Judge Midkiff in conducting the comparative examinations in the pig judgment contest among the young club members.

DIANA MAN'S EXPERIENCE Frank Mosley, Moore's Hill, Ind., writes: "I was troubled with almost constant pains in my sides and back, but relief was apparent after the use of Foley Kidney Pills and 24 hours all pain left me." Foley Kidney Pills make kidneys active and help and stop sleep-disturbing ailments. For sale by Fickas Company. (June)

Personal and Local Mention

Phone 15 Help make this column a feature of the City of Memphis. Let your wants and desires be known by using the telephone.

Lon Burson, of Lakeview was here Saturday.

Tom Harrison of Hedley was here Tuesday.

John McGill returned Monday from Sulphur Springs, Oklahoma.

J. L. McCollum, of Estelline, was here Tuesday.

L. N. McCrary is at Amarillo on business today.

Sam Harie and Earl Johnson were at Estelline Wednesday afternoon.

Hats cleaned and blocked on short notice at the O. K. Tailor Shop. 42

For Sale—Jersey cow, with young heifer calf, J. T. Speer. 49

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clifton of Estelline were here Wednesday.

Miss Emma Moreman was at Hedley Sunday afternoon.

We have just received three dozen new skirts.—Greene Dry Goods Co.

J. T. Speer is the owner of a new six cylinder car.

Herod is putting out the best \$10 suits ever shown in Memphis. 49-21

Young Garrison, of the Tell neighborhood in Childress county, was here Thursday.

Mr. James, of Amarillo, was here Thursday looking after business matters.

A good crowd was in town Saturday and trading was lively for several hours.

Prof. F. L. Rouse, son of Rev. W. T. Rouse, is here from Stephenville, where he has been teaching.

Henry Daniels of Estelline, was here Saturday and made this office an appreciated call.

G. M. Lester and little son returned Friday night from Amarillo where they have been visiting several weeks.

Mrs. Ethel Beville, of Sulphur Springs, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Josephine McGill.

Mrs. N. R. Stroud and daughter, Beulah, are visiting relatives at Altus, Okla.

J. W. Moore, R. H. Whaley and S. W. Peterson, of Estelline were here Monday afternoon.

Rev. G. H. Bryant and daughters, Grace and Jesse, and Lucy Moore Randall were here from Estelline Tuesday.

Editor J. L. Pope of the Amarillo Daily News paid this office a short but pleasant call Wednesday morning.

B. W. Moreman and family of Hedley spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Fannie Alexander came in Friday from Ft. Worth where she has been attending school.

Another shipment of dainty organ-dy waists at from \$3. to \$5. just this week received, Greene D. G. Co.

FOR SALE—Registered Poland-China pigs, different ages and sexes. M. N. ORR, Lodge, Texas.

We have all necessary supplies for "Aladdin" lamps, mantels, chimneys, etc.—THE NECESSITY STORE.

Miss Ola Zimmerman of Estelline is spending the week end with Cordia Finger.

We have all necessary supplies for "Aladdin" lamps, mantels, chimneys, etc.—THE NECESSITY STORE.

Witt Terry and wife, of Buffalo, Oklahoma, who have been visiting the family of N. R. Stroud, returned home Monday.

The Walkup Bros. Iceless Refrigerators, in stock. 12 gallons, \$6.00; 20 gallons, \$8.00. Call and see them. Thompson Bros. Co.

Misses Mamie Lou and Ruby Baldwin returned Wednesday from Belton, where they have been attending Baylor College.

You will need a coat suit on your trip this summer. We are offering what we have left in coat suits at Dry Goods Company.

I am getting new samples every day; my samples of silk skirting are just beautiful. If you are interested call 176 or 192. Mrs. N. C. Herod. 49

I have on hand some patterns of handsome silks, six yards in pattern, in latest fashionable colors; also skirt patterns. Mrs. N. C. Herod. 49

Ceell, the seven-year-old son of Mr. Elmer Smith who lives near Lodge had a finger severed and his hand badly mangled Monday in a planter.

A tent was burned in "Little Arabia," Saturday morning; a part of the household goods it contained were also lost.

MEN and YOUNG MEN'S SUITS Classy patterns in all the spring novelties \$12.50 to \$40.00. 49-21

HEROD'S TAILOR SHOP

Brooks Smith, J. W. Phillips and W. T. Patterson were here from Parnell attending the Farmers' Union meeting Saturday.

W. M. Lay, formerly a Memphis man, but now of Amarillo, was here Thursday on his way to Mineral Wells

where he expects to spend several weeks.

A SQUARE DEAL If you want Cleaning and Pressing done just call up Herod's Tailor Shop. Phone 102 and we'll be right after it in our little car. 49-21

Hon. W. D. Cope, representative in the legislature from this district, was here Thursday, looking after his political fences. Mr. Cope is a candidate without opposition, for reelection.

Mr. T. E. Parks, of Baird, who was recently mentioned in these columns as a visitor, has accepted a position in the Hall County National Bank and will move his family here soon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Pool, returned from Sulphur Springs, Oklahoma, Monday night. Mr. Pool looks better after staying there for several weeks for his health.

W. A. Caldwell and L. C. Payne, of Estelline were here Saturday attending a meeting of the County Farmers' Union, of which Mr. Caldwell is President.

Porter Whaley, secretary of the Amarillo commercial club; J. L. Pope, editor of the Amarillo Daily News and Judge Yost, all of Amarillo, were guests at the commercial club banquet Tuesday night.

R. E. Boyd and Miss Lola Colvin, both of Lella Lake, were married at the Church of Christ at the close of services Sunday night, May 21; 1916 Elder O. M. Reynolds officiating.

BIBLES—at old prices. We have a shipment of Bibles that may be had at prices prevailing before "War Prices" on paper became effective.—THE NECESSITY STORE

When you build that new house, or have the old one remodelled, let us do the electric wiring. We will do it in accordance with the requirements of the insurance companies and our charges will be moderate.

Edwin Thompson, of Thompson Bros., Hardware Company, was elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Panhandle Hardware and Implement Dealers Association, at their meeting held at Amarillo last week.

Elder O. M. Reynolds, local minister of the Church of Christ, left Sunday night for Beaumont, where he will assist in an evangelistic meeting during the month of June. Mrs. Reynolds and son accompanied him to Gainsville, where they will visit her parents.

Perry M. Cruse of Memphis and Miss Clyde Fryar were married Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents at Lella Lake. Elder O. M. Reynolds, of Memphis officiating. This popular young couple will make their home in Memphis.

Don't fail to call No. 3, when in need of anything in the Grocery line. A. L. Thrasher. 46

New Goods

We have just received a shipment of the latest designs in bed and dining room furniture. Also something new in iron and brass beds. Rugs--Did you say rugs? Well we have the newest and brightest ever shown in Memphis and our prices are right. We want you to come right in and take a look and then if you want to buy you will always find that you can beg us in the notion to sell you almost any article in our house. Come and give us a chance

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New June Records just received

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—Ring
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—Match Safe
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—BY HALL CAINE—

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McLean vs Memphis

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 5th, 6th and 7th, 1916

Opening of Panther Park

These games will open "Panther Park," the new ball grounds erected by the Memphis lovers of the game. Help the boys make good by a liberal patronage. The McLean team is maned by salaried players; they are said to be fast.

You are Assured of Good Sport--Come

JUNE 5, 6 AND 7TH

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Fashion now says straps are the go.

We have both

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to have the best
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prove true if you
will always use
"Superior" flour.

J. T. Speer, Grocer.

Tamworth Capable of Holding His Own.

The following data was collected by Rommel of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry and published in Bulletin No. 47 of Agriculture.

Experiments were made with six breeds of swines, at eight different experiment stations, with reference to number of pounds of feed consumed to make 100 pounds of grain.

Breed, Tamworth, No. of tests, 16; total No. of pigs, 92; feed for 100 pounds gain, 334 pounds.

Breed, Chester White, No. of tests 13; total No. of pigs, 71; feed for 100 pounds gain 397 pounds.

Breed, Poland China, No. of tests, 22; total No. of pigs, 96; feed for 100 pounds gain, 357 pounds.

Breed, Berkshire, No. of tests, 28; total No. of pigs, 121; feed for 100 pounds gain, 369 pounds.

Breed, Large Yorkshire, No. of tests 11; total No. of pigs, 67; feed for 100 pounds, 407 pounds.

Breed, Duroc-Jersey, No. of tests, 11; total No. of pigs, 66; feed for 100 pounds gain, 418 pounds.

Foot-notes by Howard Pendleton. In a trial at the New Mexico Experiment Station a couple of years ago where practically all of the standard breeds, with the half breed crosses were tried out, the only one that beat the pure Tamworths was a Tamworth and Duroc-Jersey cross, and as far as I know that is the only trial where a Tamworth lost out.

We have Tamworth pigs for sale. Will be weaned and ready for delivery about the first of June.

B. H. HUCTION, Memphis.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The commercial value of all Texas property is \$5,777,625,000.00 Texas has seven and two-tenths per cent of the land area of the U. S. The annual investment of foreign capital in Texas is \$226,484,000.00 Texas has one-half of one per cent of the land area of the world. Texas spends \$150,000,000 on construction projects annually. The annual gross income of Texas is \$1,000,000,000.

It's farther around the state of Texas than it is from New York to Liverpool. Texas ranks first with other states in land area. Galveston was the first city in the United States to adopt the Commission Form of municipal government. The Austin dam is the largest dam across a running stream in the United States. Texas has a frog ranch, a snake hatchery and a pole cat farm.—"Texas Facts"

FARMERS' RALLEY

One of the greatest gatherings of farmers ever held in Hall County is being arranged for by the Farmers' Union organizations of this county to be held July 21, 1916, in or near Memphis.

The program will cover the entire day and will include a bountiful picnic dinner.

Prominent speakers, including President Henry N. Pope, the head of the Texas organization, and other speakers of state-wide reputation will be here.

A central committee, composed of representatives from the ten local unions in the county, will be appointed and will meet here on the first Saturday in July to arrange the details and select the exact meeting place. This committee was provided for by a resolution passed by the County Union which met here Saturday.

The importance of the meeting and the prominence of the speakers will doubtless, attract many people from a distance; and these with the large membership of the unions in Hall county will bring perhaps the largest crowd ever gathered in Memphis.

This meeting will come on the day before primary election and, while it will in no sense be a political meeting, it will likely attract many candidates for the higher offices, including, doubtless, some for state offices.

Hall county is one of the best organized counties in Texas and perhaps the largest number of union farmers of any county in proportion to population. The organization has a large supply house here and a co-operative establishment at Estelline, both of which have been quite successful in a business way.

CITROLAX CITROLAX CITROLAX!

Best thing for constipation, sour stomach, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Stops a sick headache almost at once. Gives a most thorough and satisfactory flushing—no pain, no nausea. Keeps your system cleaned, sweet and wholesome. Ask for Citrolax, For Sale by Fickas Drug Co. (June)

AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

We shall be glad to have you attend our Children's Day services Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m. Bible school as usual 9:45 a. m. and preaching at 8:30 p. m. Sunday night. SAMUEL H. AUSTIN, Pastor.



A PLEASANT SURPRISE

is always accorded our customers when they open the ring box containing their precious possessions. We re-articles left to our care—they were resurrected into new and unworn. Our triumph in the name of cleaning. It's a science, can place reliance in us.

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Have the Honor to Present
THE BATTLE CRY OF PEACE
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FRIDAY-SATURDAY JUNE 2-3
Continuous Show 10 a.m. 12 p.m.
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SHUT THE FLY
OUT OF YOUR
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Ever since the plague of flies in Egypt and probably long before it the common housefly has been a nuisance to mankind, but lately men of science have discovered that it is much worse than a nuisance, for it is both filthy and often dangerous to health.

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Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money.

Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, inclose with 5c to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for bronchial coughs, colds, and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Specially comforting to stout persons. For sale by Fickas Drug Company. (June)

THE HOG CHOLERA SITUATION.

What is the most important phase of the hog cholera situation in Oklahoma?

The lack of interest among the hog owners themselves. They seem to take the same attitude that they did years ago when we knew practically nothing about the disease and were compelled to simply accept it as an unavoidable calamity. Conditions are different today because we have learned from years of patient experiments by the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, and from the experience of practitioners in the field, that we need not sit idly by and see the hogs of our state and the profits of our farmsswept away by this disease.

If we could induce all the swine owners who are so unfortunate as to have cholera develop on their farms to immediately and conscientiously quarantine their own premises, burn all dead animals, treat the healthy hogs in the herd with anti-hog cholera serum, and then when the disease has been controlled thoroughly disinfect the premises, we would have the disease under control in a very short time.

Visiting from or to premises where there is cholera should be prohibited dogs should be tied up, birds kept away and newly-purchased stock kept to themselves for 30 days and disinfected before being placed with other animals.

The anti-hog cholera serum should be used on a herd as soon as possible after the disease has been discovered. It should be administered by an experienced person. Where this preventative treatment is properly used instead of losing from 60 to 90, and often 100 per cent. of the hogs, we have been saving from 70 to 95 per cent. even in the infected herds.

When the hogs quit dying and are no longer sick is the time to clean up, clean out and disinfect the lots and buildings on the premises.

A three per cent. coal tar disinfectant is a very effective agent to use for destroying hog cholera virus or germs.

The most convenient method is to apply it with a good strong spray pump, forcing it into all cracks and crevices of buildings and pens; spraying the walls and ceilings, fences, feed troughs and the ground. Air-sacked lime sprinkled over the ground of pens and floors of buildings is a good precaution.

In brief, hog cholera eradication will be accomplished in this county as soon as the owners do the following things:

Burn all dead animals on day of death.

Impose their own quarantine on their own premises.

Have the well hogs in the infected bunch treated with anti-hog cholera serum as soon as possible after the disease develops.

Thoroughly clean and disinfect their premises after the hogs quit dying.

Induce his neighbors to do the same as he has done.—Dr. D. C. Hanawalt, U. S. Hog Cholera Specialist for Oklahoma in Oklahoma Farmer Stockman.

DO YOU KNOW THAT

Life is a constant struggle against death.

Dirty refrigerators may make sickness?

The U. S. Public Health Service issues free bulletins on rural sanitation?

The defective citizen of today is oftentimes the unhealthy child of yesterday?

Every man is the architect of his own health?

It's the baby that lives that counts? Tuberculosis is contagious preventable, curable?

The full dinner pail—the open window—the clean well—make for health?—U. S. Health Service.

Notice!

Floyd county lands for sale, from 80-acres up, small payments, reasonable prices, good terms. Your business respectfully solicited and will be appreciated. N. E. Burk, Memphis, Texas. 46 tf

Making the Most of June.

To enjoy the beautiful month of June to the utmost, one must be in good health. Kidneys failing to work properly cause aches and pains, rheumatism, lumbago, soreness, Foley Kidney Pills make kidneys active and misery. Why not feel fine and fit? Be well! Be strong! For sale by Fickas Drug Company. (June)

You Need a Tonic

There are times in every woman's life when she needs a tonic to help her over the hard places. When that time comes to you, you know what tonic to take—Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is composed of purely vegetable ingredients, which act gently, yet surely, on the weakened womanly organs, and helps build them back to strength and health. It has benefited thousands and thousands of weak, ailing women in its past half century of wonderful success, and it will do the same for you.

You can't make a mistake in taking

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Miss Amelia Wilson, R. F. D. No. 4, Alma, Ark., says: "I think Cardui is the greatest medicine on earth, for women. Before I began to take Cardui, I was so weak and nervous, and had such awful dizzy spells and a poor appetite. Now I feel as well and as strong as I ever did, and can eat most anything." Begin taking Cardui today. Sold by all dealers.

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TEXAS

COLORADO-TO-GULF MEETING JUNE TENTH

The following call for a meeting of the Panhandle Division of the Colorado-to-Gulf Association, was sent out from Amarillo yesterday:

"Amarillo, Texas.

"Dear Sir:

"A meeting of the Panhandle Division of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway Association is hereby called to convene at Memphis, Texas Saturday, June 10th next. This Division covers the territory between Dallas and Texline, exclusive and includes your city and county. At this meeting at Memphis, a large party of New Mexico Highway enthusiasts will be present, in the interest of the new Texas-New Mexico Mountain Highway. They will meet with us, and will later probably visit your city.

"There is much to be done to make the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway travel greater, more pleasant and convenient, and of greater value to all. 1916 promises to be a year of great travel to our section of the state. Please do your level best to be present at Memphis. Write me who will represent your city and county. It is likely that a tour of the whole Panhandle Division will be arranged at the Memphis meeting."

"Yours very truly,"

"COLORADO-TO-GULF HIGHWAY ASSOCIATION."

Panhandle Division

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SOCIALIST SPEAKING

Hon. J. T. Major, a socialist speaker, will deliver addresses on Socialism at the following places, on the dates named: Lodge, May 31; Deep Lake, June 1; Lakeview, June 2; Memphis, June 3; Newlin, June 5; Estelline, June 6.

Everybody invited, and socialists requested to be present.

Socialist Committee.

MORRIS SPEAKS MONDAY NIGHT.

The Hon. Chas. H. Morris, candidate for Governor, announces that he will speak here Monday night, at 8:00 o'clock.

The speaking will probably be at the court house, as that seems the best place available. He will speak in Childress in the afternoon.

Mrs. Mary McPherson, mother of Jim Householder, came in Thursday from Hagerstown, Maryland, to visit her son. Mrs. McPherson was nearly a week on the road, due to bad connections and bad routing, she is quite aged and was quite ill from the worry of the trip.

Mr. N. F. Emerson and family of Turkey, were here Wednesday on an automobile trip to Fort Worth, where they will spend several days. He informed us that the Turkey people were preparing for a two-days picnic, to be held the latter of this month, and that they were expecting to have a big crowd and a big time.

COOPER FOR SUPERINTENDENT.

In another column of this paper will be found the announcement of Prof. L. A. Cooper for the nomination for the office of superintendent of public instruction for Hall county, subject to the action of the democratic primary election in July.

Prof. Cooper holds a permanent certificate, has two years university credits and a number of years experience as a teacher. He was employed the past school year superintendent of the Newlin school, a position that was again voted him and which he resigned to make this race. He is a Hall county boy, on the south side of the river, having resided there for twenty-two years.

Prof. Cooper informs us that he has made especial study of the duties required of this office and feels that he can satisfactorily and efficiently perform those duties if he should be elected.

CAMPBELL TO SPEAK MONDAY.

Ex-Governor Thomas M. Campbell, candidate of the United States senate has advised this friend here that he will be in Memphis and will speak at the court house at 3:30 o'clock Monday evening.

Governor Campbell has many strong supporters here and he is sure of a good sized audience.

Business Locals.

Pure Country Lard at 15 cents per pound, at Thrasher's. 46

Memphis-Wellington Auto Service—My car will leave Post Office at 11:00 o'clock a. m. Passenger fare: one way, \$1.50; round trip, via. Quail, \$3.00. Phone L. E. Gibbs, Mail Carrier. 48

Every officer and every man in the army and navy urges every American citizen to see "The Battle Cry of Peace." The Dixie Theatre, June 2 and 3, 1916. 45

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A Naval Battle past all comprehension. Dreadnaughts in death struggle Torpedoed! Smashed! Destroyed. See "The Battle Cry of Peace." Dixie Theatre June 2 and 3, 1916. 45

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