

Keep Cool and "Collect" in Our **AUGUST SALE!**

FRIDAY, AUG. 4

3 to 5 P. M. Only
15 DOZEN BOYS'
OVERALLS

Limit two to a child as long
as they last.
FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED

We Are Closing Out All Summer Merchandise to Make Room for the Fall Merchandise That Is Coming in. Now Is the Time to Shop for Your School Needs at the Fair Store.

Mr. Gabriel Has Just Returned From the Eastern Markets Where Much Fall Merchandise Has Been Purchased. Room Must be Made for It, So Come In and See Our End-of-Summer Bargains Before Turning to Fall Shopping. It Will Pay You to BUY NOW!

Sale Opens Friday, August 4--Closes Saturday 12

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LADIES' NEW

Winter Coats

Fur trimmed and tailored styles. Sizes 9 to 52. Priced from—

\$16.95 to \$69.95

New Three-Piece All Wool BRAEMOOR SUITS

Sizes 12 to 20.

Coat **\$24.95**
Suit **\$25.95**

Children's Dresses For School

Sizes 9 to 14 in Washable and Spun Rayon Materials.

Priced from **\$1.00 to \$4.95**

New Wool Materials in Yard Goods

Beautiful Colors. For that Off-to-School Dress.
SEE THESE MATERIALS NOW.

Some **\$1.98, \$2.49, \$2.98 and \$3.50**

New Upholstery Materials

IN SOLID COLORS AND PLAIDS. PRICED—
69c, 89c and 98c Yard

Red Hot Summer Buys!

ALL LADIES' SUMMER HATS

On Sale for—

\$1.00

Summer All-Lace Dress Materials

Value \$1.49 a yard for—

\$1.00

Ladies' SUMMER PURSES

\$2.98 Value for—

\$1.00

Plus Tax

LADIES' SUMMER SLACKS

\$1.98 and \$2.98 Values for—

\$1.49

One Rack Non-Rationed SHOES!

Broken Sizes, Closeout Sale

VALUES UP TO \$4.95 FOR

\$1.00

These are unheard of VALUES!



Summer Dresses!



Summer dresses in dotted swiss and sheer materials, sizes 9 to 52.

\$1.95 Value for **\$1.79**
\$2.98 Value for **\$2.49**
\$3.95 Value for **\$2.98**
\$5.95 Value for **\$4.49**

Another Group of

Misses' and Ladies' Summer Dresses

In seersucker, spun rayon, chambray, and sheers. All sizes, 9 to 44. Priced—

\$4.95 and \$5.95 Values for **\$3.95**
\$6.95 and \$7.95 Values for **\$5.95**
\$8.95, \$9.95 and \$10.95 for **\$7.95**
\$14.95, \$15.95 and \$16.95 for **\$10.95**
\$19.95 Values for **\$14.95**

the **fair store**
"true to its name"

GEORGE GABRIEL



Men's Summer SUITS

Priced **\$15.00**

Other Group \$29.95 Value at—

\$24.95

MEN'S SPORT SLACKS. Value \$3.95.	\$1.98
Sale Price	
MEN'S BETTER SUIT PANTS, Value \$6.95.	\$3.98
Sale Price	
MEN'S TAXI CLOTH WORK PANTS. Close out	\$1.49
MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS. Value \$2.98	\$1.98
Sale Price	
MEN'S FUR FELT HATS. Value up to \$5.00. Broken sizes.	\$1.00
Sale Price	
MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS.	\$1.14
Sale Price	
BOYS' KHAKI OVERALLS. Value \$1.95. Close out	\$1.00
BOYS' SUNSUITS. Value \$1.39.	\$1.00
Sale Price	
BOYS' KHAKI SPORT SHIRTS. Value \$1.29.	\$1.00
Sale Price	
BOYS' DRESS PANTS. Value \$2.98.	\$1.98
Sale Price	
HAWK BRAND and DICKIE BRAND MATCHED KHAKI SUITS FOR BOYS.	
Pants— \$1.98	Shirts— \$1.69

Buy your boy's school clothes now. Don't wait until the last minute.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mrs. Bill Walton, Mrs. Loretta Beeson and little son, David, and Mrs. Beeson's mother, Mrs. W. W. Garner left Sunday for Dallas, where Mrs. Walton will visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. James Doyol and Mrs. Garner and Mrs. Beeson will visit her sister, Mrs. J. W. Jones, a few days. Mrs. Walton will go from there to Wills Point where she will visit her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Walton before returning home here.

George Murphy went to Amarillo last Thursday on business.

C. H. Tollison and E. E. Tollison were in Lubbock Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tollison, formerly of Oakmulgee, Oklahoma, and two little sons, Jimmy and David Ray, moved here a few days ago. Mr. Tollison is employed with his brother, C. H. Tollison, who is in the mattress business here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, went to Amarillo last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fulfer left Wednesday for Corcoran, California to visit her brother and his family. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Crew and children C. E. and Patsy will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Fulfer to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander left Sunday for Pecos, New Mexico for a few weeks vacation.

Mrs. Joe Jeffers left Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Bill Simpson of Altus, Oklahoma, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Allen were in Lubbock Monday attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Garner and little daughter, Oma Lee were in Childress Saturday of last week attending to business.

Mrs. Jean Rennals of Omaha, Nebraska has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McAnally. She returned home last week.

Miss Marie Summerall of Spur and her father of Paducah have been visiting with relatives in Roswell New Mexico. Marie returned home Sunday.

Calvin Hull left Sunday for Fort Worth to spend several days visiting with relatives and friends and with a cousin. Aviation Cadet Roscoe W. Grubbs, Jr. who is spending a 15 day furlough there from Scott Field, Ill. with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Grubbs and sister, Miss Patsy Jo Grubbs and other relatives.

Mrs. Lena Raeark of Texas City, Texas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McAnally of Spur.

Beth Arthur left July 18 to spend a week with her brother-in-law and sister in Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moore, Jr. She returned home the 25th.

George David McNeill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cap McNeill of Crosbyton, spent a few days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Link, Sr.

Mrs. R. E. Dickson spent two days last week in Lubbock with Mrs. Pearl McWhorter.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, formerly of Spur, now of Lubbock, were here a few days on business. Mr. Smith is a brother-in-law of Dr. W. K. Callan.

Mrs. S. Marcum and children, Eddie, Bobby and Robbie, came last Friday from Munday to visit a week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester English. Mrs. Marcum is the sister of Mrs. English.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stovall of Plainview arrived last week to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Formby about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Hays of Dickens were in Spur Saturday on business. Mr. Hays will be principal of Spur high school next year.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Hays spent last weekend in Wellington with Mrs. Hay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Loter.

Mrs. Monk Rucker and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cannon and family returned home Tuesday after a short visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. McLaren.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Walker have as guests this week Mrs. Walker's sisters, Mrs. A. W. Boyd of Fort Worth, Mrs. Marian McElreath of Greenville and Miss Mary Cloyd Harrison, also of Greenville.



That Texan's still know how to use their "shootin'-irons" was proven again on Saipan, when Marine Hiram Westbrook of San Angelo killed a Jap sniper with a single rifle shot at 1,100 yards. The almost-miraculous shot was witnessed by several other soldiers, and is being credited with being the longest "bulls eye" of the enemy.

It is inevitable in war that some soldiers will be captured by the enemy. In this war, flyers often land in enemy territory when shot down. The latest list of our men lost to the Japs includes the names of F/O Carl Clark, Lockhart; S/s Louis Langston, Laredo; Sgt. L. R. Light, Llano; and Lt. Sammy West, Blanco. It is good to know, however, that wherever they are, even behind Japanese barbed wire, they will receive help of their friends at home. War Prisoners Aid—YMCA, an agency of the National War Fund, looks out for the morale of the "barbed wire brigade," sending athletic equipment, games, musical instruments, books and many other materials to our boys through neutral representatives.

The Barnard boys of Donna are fighting a global war of their own. As first pilot of a Flying Fortress, Lt. L. L. Barnard has a record of 25 bombing missions over Germany. And in the Pacific, Navy Lt. Lloyd G. Barnard has shot down six Jap planes—five of them on a single flight. He set his record as a Jap-killer on June 15 over the Bonin Islands, downing the five Zeros in 25 minutes, two of them in a period of 30 seconds.

Lt. Tom Horne of Childress is a typical hard-riding, hard-fighting Texan. During the Saipan fight he had two "mounts" shot out from under him but fought on. The "mounts" were tanks and as each was blasted by Jap shells the Texas Marine officer leaped out, found a new tank, and returned to the scrap. Three of Lt. Horne's crewmen were killed, but when the area of his fight was visited the next day, bodies of 89 Japs were found on the field, so the score was more than evened.

An 18-year-old Texan also joined the "one-man army" class on Saipan. He was Marine Travis Helpingstill of Nacogdoches, who volunteered to seek out a Japanese sniper who had been firing on his group during the night. Instead of one Jap, however, he ran into a group of 50. Other Marines joined the Texan and when the scrap was over 27 Nips were buried. "Guess I started something," the teen-age Texan remarked when the smoke cleared.

And, believe it or not, a Texan soldier has won what amounts to a beauty contest. She (that's right) is a pretty Texarkana WAC, Pvt. Lucille Wilkey. Harry Conover, famous model agent, chose her as the "typical WAC" after viewing photos of hundreds of girl soldiers.

Texans in the Merchant Marines have been doing great work abroad, carrying men and munitions from England to the beaches of France. In England, they spend their off-duty hours in rest homes set up for them by United Seamen Service, a National War Fund agency.

Although he lost a foot during hand-to-hand fighting on Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, Pfc. Willie Carson, son of County Judge Burch Carson of Culbertson county, doesn't feel too badly about it. The fighting Texan, now recovering from wounds at McClosky Hospital, Temple, brought back a Japanese major's sword as a souvenir. Before he was wounded on April 28, Carson killed four Japs with his rifle. One of them was the major.

Our Weekly Quiz

- 1—Where is the Arno river?
- 2—Are home-canned fruits and vegetables under price control?
- 3—How many planes have the U. S. and Great Britain sent to Russia?
- 4—What is the population of China?
- 5—Why do many Southern States show small voting strength in general elections?
- 6—To what extent does troop travel explain rail congestion?
- 7—Is the Russian front line closer to Berlin than Moscow?
- 8—Name the last Republican President to serve two full terms in the White House.
- 9—How does the advance of the Red Army in White Russia compare with the speed of the German advance on 1941?
- 10—Which is larger, Saipan or Guam?

(See Answers on Another Page)

To the People of the 118th District

The campaign is over, and I have been defeated for reelection to the office of State Representative, one of the most important offices within the gift of the people. I have no hard feelings or ill will towards any man. I take it that every voter cast his ballot in accordance with his own honest convictions. This is Democracy in action—the kind of a Democracy that my boys and yours are fighting to uphold, and

I like it for what it is and purports to be. You have elected a good man to the office. I like him and I hope that he makes us the best representative that we have ever had. I promise you that I will watch his record and his actions and if he does not measure up to my present estimation of him as a Representative and as a man, I will report the same to the people of this district in the next election. He has my every good wish and will have all of my cooperation in the true representation of the people of this District. I know he will not fail us. Let us all be good

friends. The same as we were before the race began. It is hard for any man to express his real feelings towards his friends and supporters in a political campaign. I know that I appreciate my friends and their help, and I say to them that if I may be of any help to them now or in the future, their wish will be my command. Thanks to all of you. We fought the good fight, and we almost won. No man should be ashamed of the vote that I received, and I appreciate it. After the first of January I expect to retire to my farm life,

and continue to try to make the State and Nation a good citizen, and your elected Representative a good friend. Sincerely, Albert Power

WOW
A physician presented his bill to the executor of the estate of a deceased patient. "Do you wish to have my bill sworn to?" he asked. "No," answered the executor, "the death of the patient is sufficient evidence of your services."

All Ladies Summer Hats Sale \$1.00

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SPUR, TEXAS
"The Store of Little Profit"

All Ladies Summer Hats Sale \$1.00

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500 LADIES DRESSES

THESE ARE OUR BETTER DRESSES!

Dresses From . . . PAULA BROOKS, FRANKLIN, REICH, MARLENE, CAROL KING, DARLENE, AND OTHER NATIONALLY FAMOUS MAKERS

SOME LATELY ARRIVED DRESSES 1/2 PRICE!

\$ 7.95 Dresses, sale price	\$3.98	\$14.50 Dresses, sale price	\$7.38
\$ 8.95 Dresses, sale price	\$4.49	\$16.75 Dresses, sale price	\$8.38
\$ 9.95 Dresses, sale price	\$4.95	\$19.75 Dresses, sale price	\$9.89
\$10.50 Dresses, sale price	\$5.25	\$22.50 Dresses, sale price	\$11.25
\$12.50 Dresses, sale price	\$6.25	\$24.50 Dresses, sale price	\$12.25

Approximately 250 dresses in this group. Most of them have been received within the past six weeks. About one-fourth of them are rayon crepes . . . and the other three-fourths consisting of cottons and spun rayons in white and light shades. Piques, chambrays, balloon cloth, butcher rayon, spun rayon. One and two-piece styles. Misses and women's Sizes.

NO ALTERATIONS—NO LA-AWAYS—NO C.O.D.'s IN THIS GROUP—NO APPROVALS.

Clearance!

250 Cotton Dresses

\$1.98 to \$4.98 Regular

Sale . . .

\$1.45 to \$3.70

Choice of gingham, seersuckers and percales in all the new shades of blue, red, green, luggage and rose in checks, floral prints, stripes and combinations. There are many for those of all sizes from which to select.

SIZES FOR MISSES AND MATRONS
9 TO 15 AND 12 TO 52

SLACK SUITS

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25% Off

Slack Suits . . Formerly \$5.95 to \$10.95
Now \$4.45 to \$12.75

Smartly tailored two-piece slack suits, in popular rayon fabrics. Darks, high shades and a few pastels. Short and long sleeves.

Clearance of . . .

LADIES HANDBAGS

Our Entire Stock of Ladies Fabric Bags, On Sale at 1-3 Off Regular Price.

This sales does not include our Leather or Simulated Leather Handbags.

\$2.98 Handbag, Sale --- \$1.98
\$3.98 Handbag, Sale --- \$2.65
\$4.95 Handbag, Sale --- \$3.96

Many smart new styles to choose from. Brown, black, red, navy and saddle. Not every material in every price range. Tax not included.

Where were you on the night of August 1, 1929?

Could you remember, if you were squirming on the witness stand? Probably not. Fifteen years is a long time.

Maybe, being August first, you were writing checks to pay the monthly bills. Do you remember how much you paid for electricity?

That's a tough one, too, isn't it? Actually, if yours is an average household, your electric bill may have been a little less then than it is now.

But today you're getting twice as much electricity for your money!

How come? Well, while the price of electricity was coming down, your use of electricity was going up. You have a lot more electric appliances in 1944 than you had in 1929. But you enjoy all these added comforts at little, if any, added cost!

Even if you're hazy about everything else that's happened in the last 15 years, remember this wartime bargain. It's due to hard work by all our people — and sound business management.

West Texas Utilities Company

Duck Creek Soil Conservation District NEWS NOTES

RILEY WOOTEN, Chm. OSCAR McGINTY, Sec. WILL WRIGHT TOM MURDOCK A. A. FRY

The small earthen tanks constructed by Mrs. Tom McArthur at the windmills will furnish additional water storage for those days when the wind doesn't blow. These surface tanks replace metal for the war effort and those areas where the soil doesn't hold water.

The sudan on Mark Cave's ranch near Harmony, in Kent county, responded to ten days rest by growing faster, developing larger blades, and producing more shoots. He became interested in rotating the grazing on his pasture and has constructed additional fence to divide his pastures so that he could graze them separately.

The native grasses produce most of their growth by August, as shown by the fact that 84% of the yield of forage was produced by that date at the State Experiment Station at Spur. It must be remembered that 25% of the growth of the grasses is to maintain the plant vigor and protect the soil from sun, wind and erosion. Evidence of the effect of these factors may be seen in almost any pasture by thin stands of weak grass which start growth later in the spring.

A good stand of grasses was obtained on the Hargrove farm west of Dickens. The seeds were planted on sudan land and were covered very lightly by a one-way. Grasses included in the planting were blue grama, side oat grama, and buffalo. Other successful stands were obtained on the ranch of T. O. SoRelle, and the farms of Lawton Harvey and F. E. Walker.

A trial planting of perennial sudan may be seen on the farm of Archer Powell. This grass has proven of value in other locations in Texas since it doesn't require replanting each year.

Grasses are like men—they need rest during the growing seasons and they die of old age. Mr. J. D. Patterson pointed out that a small pasture on his ranch had not been grazed for two years and that a heavy stand of grass has disappeared. The tall grass on the north side of Bandy Jones ranch in south Kent county died last year. A dense stand of vegetation does not permit the development of new plants needed to replace those that die. Too

close grazing weakens the old plants and the new seedlings which prevents the development of a good stand of grass.

The west pasture of C. C. Haile has improved as a result of heavy spring grazing followed by a period of rest, through the spreading of buffalo and side oat grama. The same thing has happened on Dr. T. H. Blackwell's ranch north west of Dickens. These two grasses have replaced needle grass which died of old age.

Friends and Voters Of Precinct 3:

I am still in the race to the end.

I appreciate and thank you for every vote I received. I am sure there were some that I did not see, but I tried to see all of you. I would like for every voter of precinct 3 to give this race a thorough consideration.

If you will give me a chance I will do my very best to make you a good commissioner. I will also do my best to keep the Johnson grass from heading out and going to seed by your farms. The neglect of the bar pits in precinct 3 is ruining every good farm in our precinct. It is time for us to think about this. The grass was not in the farm, it started in the public right-of-way. It should be looked after by your public official that is in charge of our public roads.

Your friend, C. A. (Ott) Denson. (Paid Political Adv.)

MAY HE?

"You remember when you cured my rheumatism, doctor, a couple of years ago and told me to avoid moisture?"

Doctor — "Yes, that's right."

"Well, I've returned to ask you if I may take a bath?"

HEAVY TRAFFIC

Clara's Beau — Tell me, Bobby, do you ever peep through the keyhole when your sister and I are sitting in here alone?

Bobby — Sometimes, if mother or sister Ellen ain't peeping.

H. J. R. No. 8 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f; Section 51-e providing that cities and towns in this state shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for their employees, provided, however, that no pension system shall be set up in any city until it has been approved at an election by qualified voters entitled to vote at an election on the question of the issuance of tax supported bonds; Section 51-f providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate Statewide or by districts under such plan or program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this section; providing for an election on the question of the adoption or rejection of such an amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication therefor and prescribing the form of the ballot.

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

SECTION 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f, which shall read as follows:

"SECTION 51-e. Each incorporated city and town in this state shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for its appointive officers and employees who have become disabled as a direct and proximate result of the performance of their duties, or have passed their sixty-fifth birthday, or have been employed by such city or town for more than twenty-five (25) years and have passed their sixtieth birthday, when and if, but only when if, such system has been approved at an election by the qualified voters of such city or town entitled to vote on the question of issuance of tax supported bonds; provided that no city or town shall contribute more than the equivalent of seven and one-half (7 1/2) per centum of salaries and wages of the officers and employees entitled to participate in its pension system, and that said officers and employees shall contribute a like amount; and this Amendment shall not reduce the authority nor duty of any city or town otherwise existing.

SECTION 51-f. The legislature of this state shall have the authority to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate Statewide or by districts under such plan and program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section."

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

SECTION 1. That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will hereafter read as follows: "SECTION 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five (35) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five (25) cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the Amendment September 25, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water-works and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five (25) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year, and except as is in this constitution otherwise provided, however, that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the foregoing county taxes by changing the rates provided for any of the foregoing purposes by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of said foregoing county taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year; provided further, that before the said Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in said county taxes that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such elections; and, provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes in the said county taxes have been approved by the qualified tax paying voters of any county, as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same shall again have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the seventh day of November, 1944, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words: "For the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; and, provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

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

SEC. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated, out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

IF it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the voters cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

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SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1944, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment providing that the cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the cities and towns" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the cities and towns." Each voter shall scratch out two (2) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the two (2) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendments.

SEC. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the constitution for Amendments thereto.

SEC. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

H. J. R. No. 18 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of said foregoing county taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year; provided further, that before the said Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in said county taxes that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such elections; and, provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes in the said county taxes have been approved by the qualified tax paying voters of any county, as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same shall again have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

Your BABY. By Lillian B. Storms

Pure milk is essential to baby's health, so you want to be absolutely sure of the purity of your fresh milk supply. If there is any doubt in your mind about its wholesomeness, call your local health board. Your doctor will specify whether he wishes you to use certified, pasteurized, evaporated, or powdered milk. Tell him whether you have a good refrigerator, or no means of keeping the milk cold, for it may make some difference in the choice. Milk offers excellent conditions for the growth of bacteria so that exacting cleanliness in the handling of it is an essential safeguard. The containers and utensils you use in the handling of milk should be rinsed first in cold water (never hot) then thoroughly washed in warm soapsuds—using a brush for inaccessible parts such as the inside of bottles. Nipples should be turned inside out. And you will want to boil all articles in a large container for five minutes and allow them to drain dry. Protect them, too, from dust, flies, and unnecessary handling. When you prepare the milk for the baby's use, do not allow your fingers, hot dish holders, or towels to touch the milk or any surface with which the milk will come in contact. Milk is the most important single food for infants, and one way to serve more of it is to adopt a two-cereal idea—for babies like variety too! Serve ready-to-serve strained oatmeal at one feeding—then prepared cereal food at the next-turnabout!

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