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## Voters Addressed By Robertson

Discusses Law Enforcement, Taxation, and Education. Scores Opponents and Closes with Prayer

Felix D. Robertson is the first candidate for governor to visit Tahoka who closed his speech with prayer. As the oration to his address delivered in the district court room on Thursday afternoon of last week, he pronounced the benediction, just as you heard the preacher pronounce it perhaps the last time you were at church. In his address, the Judge had declared that as police judge in Dallas he had won the sobriquet as the "praying judge". They also called him the "hard-boiled judge" and the "dollar-a-mile judge," he asserted. He became known as the "praying judge" because he offered prayer in open court for an unfortunate girl that appeared before him, as the "hard-boiled judge" because he had no mercy or the wilful lawbreakers, and the "dollar-a-mile judge" because he fined all speeders a dollar for each mile they were making.

It was a comparatively small crowd that heard his address, very few of the business men or other citizens of Tahoka being present, but most of those present seemed to be in thorough accord with the speaker throughout.

There are three issues in this campaign, the Judge declared, "law enforcement, the cost of government and education".

In discussing law enforcement, he paid particular attention to the liquor law. He admitted that for many years of his life he himself was an anti-prohibitionist, because he had "no better sense", and that even after he became a prohibitionist he continued to drink occasionally, but declared that he had quit the habit sixteen or seventeen years ago. He scathingly denounced the citizen who would buy liquor from a bootlegger. "He becomes an accessory after the fact to the crime", he charged. "I have no respect for the man who favors the enforcement of other laws and yet does not believe in the enforcement of the prohibition law. I have no patience with the light wine and beer proposal. The congressman that would even propose such a thing ought to be annihilated. The wine and beer amendment would make a saloon out of almost every drug store, cafe, and cold drink stand in this country. If I am elected governor, I will use the full police power of the state to enforce the laws. This nation can not live half lawful and half unlawful. If local officers fail or refuse to enforce the law, I will send rangers to enforce it. It's a cinch I will send them to Bexar county. Neff sent rangers to Limestone county and the grand jury returned 150 indictments on the evidence they gathered. The sheriff reported that he could not find a one of the 150 men. A ranger went down of the 150 men. A ranger went down He told of his record as assistant county attorney of McLennan county under Cullen F. Thomas. Pat Neff was also assistant county attorney at the time, and they drove the professional gamblers out of Waco, the speaker declared. As Judge of the Criminal District Court of Dallas county, he refused to permit "professional jurors" to sit on cases tried before him, he asserted. "I paid no attention to precedent", he continued. "I simply used common sense, and I enforced the liquor laws by the simple expedient of getting prohibitionists as jurors," he explained. "The law can be enforced in the court house if the district judge and the prosecuting attorney and the sheriff and the jurors will do their duty. I am for the enforcement of the law only through the courts. I am against mob law, lynchings, whippings and all kinds of lawlessness."

Discussing taxation and the cost of government, he declared that he did not believe that taxes could be reduced. "Some of the candidates for governor have been saying that if elected they will reduce your taxes ten or fifteen million dollars. No honest man can promise to make any such reductions. At the end of this year there will be a deficit of about five millions. If the next legislature succeeds in wiping out this deficit and getting on a cash basis during the next two years, they will do well. How can these gentlemen

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## DISTRICT DEMONSTRATION AGENT VISITS TAHOKA

Miss Helen Hubbard Swift of College Station, the district demonstration agent for this district, which embraces many west Texas counties was here Thursday and Friday of last week. She and Miss Millie M. Halsey, the county demonstration agent, spent Thursday at Wilson and Friday at Dixie in the interest of the work. Miss Swift was much pleased with the work being done in this section of the state. In Lubbock county, for instance, five club houses are being built for the benefit of the boys' and women's clubs. One at Lubbock one at Elton, one at Idalou, and two others in rural communities.

## Tahoka is to Have New Lumber Yard

Tahoka will have another lumber yard, in the near future will be the announcement of S. S. Forrest to a News man last Tuesday night. The yard will be built by the Forrest Lumber Company and will be located on the lots east of the City Bakery. The building of the new yard will give Tahoka four lumber companies.

Mr. Forrest was here last Tuesday and stated that he had just closed a deal for his company in which it became the possessor of twelve lots east of the City Bakery, and that the company would begin the erection of their buildings on the lots in the near future. The buildings will be completed in time for the fall trade.

The Forrest Lumber Company owns yards at Slaton, Brownfield and Lamesa.

## R. P. MADDOX ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION AS COUNTY ATTORNEY

In our announcement column this week appears the name of B. P. Maddox as a candidate to succeed himself as county attorney.

Judge Maddox has been a resident of the county eight years and has served in this capacity almost ever since he came. He was first appointed, without application, by the commissioners' court, and served only for the fees of the office, there being no salary attached. At the succeeding election he was elected without becoming a candidate, the voters voluntarily writing his name on the ballot. He again served without a salary. At the next election he had no opponent and was re-elected. The commissioners' court then allowed him a salary of \$40.00 per month. At the last election he was again elected without an opponent, and the commissioners' court voluntarily raised his salary first to \$60.00 and afterwards to \$100.00 per month. These raises in salary were made by the commissioners' court because of his vigorous enforcement of the law especially the gambling and liquor laws. Those who are acquainted with his record say that he has prosecuted the high and the low alike and that he has no enemies to punish nor pets to protect. If re-elected, Judge Maddox has only one promise to make, and that is that he will enforce the laws in the future as he has in the past. As his recommendation, he refers to his record.

Judge Maddox has taken a prominent part in public and political affairs ever since he became a resident of the county, and before removing to this county he served three terms in the legislature from the Palo Pinto district.

He respectively asks for your vote and influence in the election to be held on July 26.

## PEACOCK TEAM DEFEATS TAHOKA

The Peacock baseball team was victor over the Tahoka team last Sunday afternoon in a hotly contested game. The local boys were unable to strike the form that would defeat the Peacock team and lost by the score of 8 to 9.

## DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE MEET

The Democratic Executive Committee of Lynn County met last Monday at the County Court House and fixed the assessments of county and precinct candidates. The assessment of county candidates was fixed at \$50.00 and that of the precinct candidates was fixed at \$25.00.

Build a Home.

## New Methodist Church Finished

Church Building Was Erected at a Cost of Only \$25,000; Furnishings Are Delayed

Tahoka's new Methodist Church, begun last winter, will be finished this week, and will be ready for the furnishings to be installed some time in the next few weeks. The beautiful church edifice was erected at a cost of only \$25,000, however men who know say that it is a \$35,000 building. The erection of the building at this cost was made possible by the employment of a superintendent by the day.

The church building is sixty feet wide and eighty feet long. It contains an unusually large auditorium for a town the size of Tahoka, since it will comfortably seat six hundred people. The pews, the choir furniture and the pulpit furniture will all be of a high quality oak.

The basement of the building contains a large Sunday School assembly room and twelve Sunday School class rooms. The large assembly room will not be furnished at the present time. Some kind of heating system, probably the hot air system, will be installed in the late summer or early fall. Provisions have been made in the basement for toilets, however, they also will not be installed now.

All of the windows in the main auditorium are memorial windows and were put in at no cost to the church, since they are paid for by private citizens.

The carpenter work on the building was completed last week, and the painters are now rounding out their work. Occupancy of the church will be delayed on account of the delay of the pews which will probably not arrive until the last of July.

R. A. Clements was superintendent of the work on the building. The building committee of the Methodist Church was composed of A. L. Lockwood, R. C. Wood, J. A. Brashear,

## CITY DRILLING ANOTHER WELL

Another well is being drilled by the City of Tahoka in the lake on the outskirts of town to the northeast. The well will be a twelve-inch well, and will greatly add to the water supply of the city.

Another storage tank will soon be placed at the City Water Works.

## POULTRY JUDGING TEAM WINS IN CONTEST AT LUBBOCK MEET

The Lynn County judging team, under the direction of County Agent A. L. Robertson, was easy winner of the poultry judging contest and pushed Lubbock for first place in the grain judging contest, in the meet of judging teams from the counties of Lubbock, Lynn, Dawson, Nolan, Crosby, and Dickens held at Lubbock last Wednesday. The contests were staged primarily to give the contestants practice to better equip them for the state contests. Prizes were given by Lubbock business firms.

In the poultry judging contest Lynn county had no trouble in coping first place, winning that contest by a score of 548 out of a possible six hundred. Lubbock county took second place with a score of 449 and Crosby county third with a score of 261.

Carl Jones, of Lynn county team, took the first place over all other individuals, and John Paul Ray, another Lynn county boy, helped them to win by a good margin, by taking second place with a total of 296 points.

The standing of the individuals in this contest is as follows: Carl Jones, Lynn county, 1st, 273 points; John Paul Ray, Lynn county, 2nd, 269 points; Buster Stalcup, Crosby county, 3rd, 261 points; Goldie Potts, Lubbock, 4th, 246 points; Mildred Sharp, Lubbock, 203 points.

Lynn County pushed Lubbock county for first place in the grain judging contest, but Lubbock won by a score of 493 and Lynn came second with a 425 score.

Individual standing in grain judging showed I. J. Thornton, of Lubbock, to be first with 256 of a possible five hundred points. The standing of the contestants is as follows: I. J. Thornton, Lubbock, 1st, 256; David

## Work Is Begun On New Hotel

Tahoka's New Hotel to Have Forty Rooms; Will Cost \$40,000; To Be European Plan

Hotel Keltner, the forty-room, Hootel Keltner, the forty-room, \$40,000 hotel building which is being built in Tahoka would be a credit to any town the size or larger than this little city. The building is being built of brick and tile, and the contractor, H. C. McCurry, expects to complete the building by the middle of September.

The hotel will be owned and operated by Messrs. Feltner and Keltner, who came here from Ada, Oklahoma, where they have been successful business men for a number of years. It will be operated exclusively on the European plan.

The building will not only be one of the best buildings in Tahoka, but it will be one of the best hotel buildings in West Texas. The structure will be two stories in height, 125 feet long, and 36 feet wide. The lobby of the hotel will be 36 by 20 feet in size. All the bed rooms will be large and commodious and will be well lighted by double windows. Each room will contain hot and cold running water. A number of rooms will have private baths in connection, and public bath rooms will be at the disposition of all guests.

A distinctive feature of the building will be the ladies' rest room which will be on the first floor. It will be furnished in the best fashion and will have a lavatory and toilet in connection.

The basement will contain storage rooms, and the heating plant. Every room in the building will have steam heat.

The brick work on the building is practically half finished, and Mr. Keltner expects this work to be completed within the next two weeks.

## HOLD FAMILY REUNION

A family reunion was held at the home of Jake King last Sunday. A general good time was had by all the folks. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jake King and family; Mr. and Mrs. Guy King and family, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Rube King and family; Mrs. Florence King; and Mrs. Zoe Lowrey and son, J. W.

## BOOST FOR YOUR HOME TOWN!

## YOUNGSTERS INVITED TO 57 VARIETIES BIBLE CLASS

All the juniors in every Sunday School in town are invited and urged to meet with the 57 Varieties Bible Class at the Star Theatre next Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The youngsters will be held until 10:00 o'clock when they will be allowed to go to their respective Sunday Schools.

Mr. J. W. Brashear taught an interesting lesson to the class last Sunday. Eighteen members of the class were present. Judge Maddox is scheduled to speak to them next Sunday.

Every man in the town of Tahoka who doesn't attend some other Sunday School has a cordial invitation to be with the 57 Varieties Bible Class

## Lynn And Dawson Are Fighting Grasshoppers

R. K. Reppert, entomologist of the Extension Service of the A. & M. College, spent Friday and Saturday of last week in Lynn and Dawson counties instructing the farmers as to the best methods of fighting the grasshoppers. A. L. Robertson, county agent for Lynn county, and C. T. Watson, county agent for Dawson county made an appointment for him at O'Donnell, where he addressed about 75 of the farmers of that section, all of whom seemed to appreciate the information given them.

Early last week Lynn county ordered several barrels of arsenic and Dawson county ordered a whole car load. Mr. Reppert gave instructions how to mix and prepare this arsenic for use and explained to the farmers why many of them had not obtained better results heretofore. Some farmers who had put out poison had not had very good results, while others, who had followed instructions given by the Extension Service Department had had most satisfactory results.

Mr. Brewer, for example, who lives 3 1/2 miles north of O'Donnell had poisoned a large field at a total expense of less than \$5.00 and had killed 90 per cent of the pests. The farmers of that section are taking advantage of the information gained and are waging relentless war on the hoppers. Both the Jumbo and the yellow flying hoppers have made their appearance. It is hoped and believed that the campaign against them will be successful.

Mrs. Moore of Lubbock addressed quite a large crowd of men and women on the court house lawn Saturday night in the interest of the Women's Ku Klux Klan. She gave some good advice about the rearing of children, bitterly denouncing the Catholic Church and the Jews, and claimed for the Ku Klux Klan about everything good that is being done in this country. Many of her auditors seemed to be in hearty accord with the speaker.

## FERGUSON—DUVAL VISITS TAHOKA

The marriage of Miss Lota Ferguson to Mr. Martin Duval last Monday morning came as a surprise to many of the friends of the couple. The two young people were married by Rev. J. M. Doshier, pastor of the Baptist Church. The couple left Tahoka immediately after the ceremony in Mr. Duval's car for Fort Worth, where they will spend about ten days.

Mrs. Duval was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson of the Central Community. Recently she has been working in Tahoka as a stenographer for Judge Cain. She has many friends here and in the Central community.

Mr. Duval has been serving in the capacity of bookkeeper at the office of the Cicero-Smith Lumber Company.

The bridal couple will return to Tahoka next week, and will make their home at this place. Their many friends here wish them much happiness in their life together.

## HOWELL BUILDING FILLING STATION

A new filling station is being built by H. B. Howell on the northeast corner of the square just east of the G. W. Small Hardware.

The foundation of the filling station was laid this week and work will begin on the building immediately.

Build a Home.

## Collins Makes a Strong Speech

Thinks Taxes Can Not Be Reduced State Should Not Go Into Banking or Insurance Business

Senator V. A. Collins, of Dallas, candidate for Governor, addressed a small crowd in the district court room Friday afternoon. On account of the fact that no definite announcement of his speaking appointment here had been made, and on account of the fact that many of our citizens were attending the barbecue at O'Donnell, the crowd that heard him was perhaps the smallest that has greeted any candidate for governor here. He made a decidedly good impression, however, on nearly all who heard him, and it is safe to say that he will get some votes in Tahoka on July 26.

Perhaps the outstanding feature of his address was his insistence upon all departments of the state government tracking the constitution—the governor, the legislature, and the peace officers.

His address in part was as follows: "Some of the candidates for governor are proposing that the State go into all sorts of business enterprises. One of them is proposing that it go into the banking business; that the State establish and operate a big central state bank. The constitution should be our guide. It is a sign board, a way-bill, for all of us to follow. Under the constitution the state can not go into any kind of business. Statesmen should at least have as much sense as a car-driver. When a car driver comes to a mud-hole, he will follow the tracks that others have made through the mud. North Dakota tried this banking business. She established a state bank and went into the mill and elevator business, and she got stuck. Under the constitution, the state should run the courts, the schools, and the eleemosynary institutions, and that is about all she can do. Some people have the wrong idea about the power of the governor. The governor in fact hasn't much power. He can not pass laws. All he can do is to veto acts passed by the legislature, and then the legislature may pass them over his veto. About all he can do and should do as to legislation is to propose a policy to the legislature and recommend the passage of laws. But the legislature can and usually does absolutely disregard his recommendations, unless you have a man for governor who is strong enough to lead. We have very few such governors. Hogg was one of them and he led the legislature to enact a number of great laws. The governor has the appointive power and by reason of this he can exercise a supervision of some of the departments. Some of the candidates are making you great promises as to what they will do to enforce the laws. The governor can't really do much, legally, toward the enforcement of the law. This court room is the place where the law is to be enforced. The constitution has provided the enforcing machinery. It has provided for courts, and grand juries, and peace officers for each county, and has made it their duties to enforce the laws. Soldiers and rangers can not enforce the law; they can only supplement the work of the local officers. We should not depend on the militia to enforce our laws. We should enforce our own laws at home. When we quit depending on our local officers and begin to look to the militia to enforce our laws, it will not be long until we will have military government in this country. I don't believe in law-enforcement policy brought on from Sears, Roebuck & Company or somebody else. Under the proposed Quo Warranto law, your local officers here could be taken 150 miles away from their homes to be tried for alleged failure of duty. We already have a means provided for the removal of officers who refuse to do their duty.

"Some of the candidates for governor are promising big tax reductions. I do not see how the taxes can be reduced. Last year the legislature appropriated \$8,000,000 for road building. I believe in good roads. We need roads clear through Texas. Good roads are civilizers. They make us more neighborly. Build good roads all over this state and we east Texas people can run up here and spend Sunday with our kind folks and neighbors on the plains. We are

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WANT ADS

COTTON SEED: I have a few good second year Mebane and Acala planting seed, from picked cotton \$1.50 and snapped \$1.00 per bushel. N. M. Bray. 32-c

LOST: A fur, between Tahoka and and O'Donnell. Report to News office or phone 104. 41-c

FOR RENT: Some nice room. J. B. Nance, the third man, Tahoka, Texas. 17-c

J. S. ROWE Watchmaker, Engraver and Jeweler. Permanently located with Thomas Bros. Drug Co. 36-c

Furnished rooms for rent. Phone 118.

FOR SALE: I have 320 acres 14 miles west of Tahoka, one half mile from Brownfield and Tahoka road, 1 mile from school, patented land \$25.00 per acre. For further information write Box 142, Moran, Texas, or see R. P. Weathers at First National Bank, Tahoka, Texas.

WANTED: Young lady wants position with nice family, todo house work or cotton chopping. Enquire at News Office. 39-4tc

Let us do your windmill work; we'll do it right. Massengale & Beck, Phone 250. 39-c

WINDMILL WORK If you need a new windmill erected or if your old one needs repair, let us do the work. Massengale & Beck, Phone 250. 39-c

FOR SALE: A registered Duroc Jersey gilt cheap. See or write Chas. V. Nelms.

WANTED: Woman to do general horse work. White woman preferred. Apply to Mrs. E. S. Davis, Tahoka, Texas

Wanted: to sell my residence property two blocks west square, corner Porterfield and Kington Streets; worth the money and on easy terms; might trade for Lubbock city property. Write to R. B. Haynes, owner, 1620 13th St., Lubbock, Texas

FURNITURE FOR SALE: Bed room suite kitchen cabinet, New Perfection, chairs, etc., used only a few months. J. A. Stark. 40-c

LUBBOCK AVALANCHE Buy the Morning Avalanche at the Limit. It arrives in town early in the day on the same date that it is printed. It brings the first news to town every day.

LOST: My plate book, Morocco bound. J. E. Porter, the tree man. 41-c

FOUND: A man's coat. Owner may recover same by paying for this notice. Call at News Office.

FOR SALE: Tomato plants, sweet potato plants, cabbage and pepper plants. Tomato plants ready May 1. Other plants later. T. C. Leedy, Phone 270. 34-8tc

LOST: One gray pony mare, branded C. C. on left hip, five years old, wire blemish on one fore foot; seven miles south of Tahoka. \$5.00 reward offered. P. F. Swan. 2tp

FOR SALE: A few nice shoats and some small pigs. Also good young jersey cow with second calf. Would trade for good second hand wagon. A. B. Hatchell, 4 1-2 miles SW. Wilson Texas.

I have a sixteen acre place joining the town of Knox City, Knox Co. that is well improved, that I want to trade for a farm or town property here. T. M. Ward, O'Donnell, Texas

Take to English sports

Without propaganda or special publicity sports which had their origin in Britain were taken across to the continent as a novel experiment, first of all as a curious example of Anglo-Saxon lunacy, says the Montreal Herald. And in a little while the penetrated nations realized that they had caught the infection and that it was chronic.

The Englishman, the missionary of physical endeavor for pure glory's sake, had done a big thing—the accomplishment was complete almost before it was realized. Even Germany had, just before the war, taken it up in quite Prussian fashion, as a desirable state activity.

It is a significant fact today that the nations which we least understand, which are about last to win our sympathy or interest, are countries like Russia and Turkey, which have no national sport in any form and which never look like adopting them.

Tit for Tat

Dr. George McE. Lunn, the Samoan missionary, said at a missionary meeting in Denver:

"They tell a story in the Marquesas about a chief named Tusi-vall-yala, who was baptized by a French missionary priest. The priest, finding the chief's name hard to handle, baptized him Jean."

"Now, chief," he concluded, "your name is Jean, remember, and you must never eat meat on Friday—only fish." "Tusi-vall-yala was none too pleased, perhaps, to lose his high-sounding name. Anyhow the missionary found him, the very next Friday, eating roast pig."

"Jean, Jean, eating pig on a fast day!" he cried. "But the chief laughed easily. "No, no! I no eat pig," he said, "I put him in water and christen him fish."—Detroit Free Press.

Fictitious Marvels

There recently appeared in Vancouver, B. C., a man who was credited with performing marvelous cures. Thousands attended his meetings, and tremendous stories went about as to his powers. Finally twelve honest and capable men investigated him, and discovered that not a single marvelous thing could be credited to him; that the thousands who told wonderful tales were indulging in plain falsehood. This is also the history of every other marvelous thing.—From E. W. Howe's Monthly.

National Forest Visitor

The prominent part the 146 national forests play in the recreational activities and outdoor life is emphasized by the fact that almost 10,000,000 persons visited these forests during 1922, according to the final tabulation made by the forest service, United States Department of Agriculture.

The importance of the automobile as a means of conveyance to recreation seekers is shown by the further fact that more than eight out of ten forest visitors, or more than 8,000,000, came in privately-owned cars.

"Planted"

He had married a fluffy young thing and as time went on grew to detest her homely little pet poodle dog that snarped and snarled whenever he came near. One day Fido mysteriously disappeared and he promptly and generously offered one hundred dollars for its recovery.

"But I thought," said a friend, "you hated that dog like poison?" "So I did," he replied; "I could not bear it."

"Then why on earth do you offer such a reward for its return?" "I like to please my wife."

"Well, that may be, but \$100 is sure to bring the dog back."

"I think not," he answered, "unless some one saw me bury it in the garden."—Everybody's Magazine.

Her First Flight

Orville Wright told a story at a Dayton dinner.

"A little Dayton girl," he said, "was taken one day to a flying exhibition. In the middle of the show she turned to her mother and said: 'Isn't it funny? I can't remember the least bit what it's like to fly.'"

"Silly!" said her mother. "You have never flown." "I have, too," said the little girl. "Don't you remember when the stork brought me?"

POTASH INVESTIGATION BILL GOES OVER

To All Officers, Unit Directors, Secretaries, et al. The Senate Bill 3047 providing for an appropriation of \$2,500,000 for Potash Investigations in Texas and other Southwestern territories passed the Senate and according to the letter we have received from Senator Sheppard will remain over and if the Bill is passed at the next session of the House of Representatives, it shall become a law. We will shortly write you further in connection with this.

Yours very truly, Porter A. Whaley, Manager

C. J. Hargis came over from his new home at Morton Sunday to spend a few days here the first of the week. Mr. Hargis reports that Morton pulled off a big ball Friday night in celebration of the completion of the temporary court house which has been constructed there.

Dwight Hargis, son of C. J. Hargis of St. Louis, who is employed by the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Company, arrived last Sunday to visit his father and other relatives and friends here. Mr. Hargis made the entire trip from St. Louis in his Ford coupe.

J. W. Hobbs, of Sherman, representing the A. B. Richards Medicine Company, was here Monday and dropped into the News office. He makes this territory about twice a year, and says he is greatly in love with the south plains.

J. J. Kuck of Yoakum county was in the News office Saturday in company with our mutual friend William Zappe. This was Mr. Kuck's first trip to the plains and he was delighted with the country. He expressed his intentions to invest in a tract of Lynn county dirt at an early date.

Furnished rooms for rent. Phone 118.

Honors in Store

The dignities that confront the elder brother are usually appalling to the small sister, and there is a little girl in Baltimore who has been giving the subject much careful attention. She electrified the family at breakfast on one occasion by announcing:

"Next year Samuel will be a lawn-mower. I wonder why they call him that."

"A lawn-mower?" echoed the astonished mother. "What do you mean?"

"That is what you told me," replied the little maid, gravely. "This year he was a freshman. Next year he'll be a lawn-mower, and then a janitor and then a senator. And then he'll graduate."—Baltimore Sun.

THE COUNTRY EDITOR

By James Graham, in the Beaver Crossing, (Neb.) Times.

While others sing to beat the band. In praise of warriors bold, I gently take my pen in hand. For men of different mold; I sing of those hard working gents. Who labor night and day. And all they've left is thirty cents. When creditors they pay.

I raise my lid to all the boys. Who run the country press. I raise my voice and make a noise. With all my might and stress. In honor of those rural scribes. Of all the factions, clans and tribes. With wide divergent views. They hand bouquets of fragrance rich.

To all the newlyweds, Within the hall of fame a niche. They give the thoroughbreds, Unto the high school graduate. They give advice and praise, And of the smiling candidates. They sing in roundelays. And when there comes to anyone. The summons to cash in.

They tell of all the good he done, And cover up the sin; And of the erring one who fails. In life's exacting school, They show that criticism pales. Besides the golden rule.

The Patron Saint is good Saint Paul. Their motto's from his pen, As you will readily recall: "Be all things to all men". Their path is not strewn with roses, The world knows not their worth, Amid the crowd they stand alone. As best upon the earth.

TAKEN TO SANITARIUM

Miss Letha Kelly was taken to a sanitarium at Dallas last Sunday morning for treatment. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Kelley. Miss Kelly has been confined at Tahoka for some time.

J.S. McGregor, a business man of McGregor, was here Monday. He with his family, were returning from a pleasure and prospecting trip over the south plains, their route having taken them over into New Mexico.

PREVENTS INFECTION

The greatest discovery in flesh healing is the marvelous Borozone, a preparation that comes in liquid and powder form. It is a combination treatment that not only purifies the wound of germs that cause infection but it heals the flesh with extraordinary speed. Bad wounds that cut which take weeks to heal with ordinary treatments need only the powerful influence of this wonderful remedy. Price (liquid) \$30, (ointment) \$20, Powder 20c and 50c. Sold by

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THOMAS BROS.

Drug Company

THE REXALL STORE

RAVENOUS HEN FEEDS ON PINS

Mrs. A. M. Burleson of the Busy Cafe existed in the News office a few days ago for common pins which she had taken from the gizzard of a hen which she had prepared for dinner. Apparently Biddy had done her best to digest her metallic supper, for the pins were somewhat corroded. "I have heard of hens getting things like that in their gizzard before," Mrs. Burleson commented, "but I never before saw one that made a specialty of pins". Moral: Keep your Rhode Island Reds away from the cashiers.

Professional Directory

DR. L. E. TURRENTINE Physician and Surgeon Office over Thomas Bldg. Room No. 2 Residence Phone No. 60 Office Phone No 15. TAHOKA, TEXAS

DR. L. D. STEPHEN Dentist Wells Bldg. Room 3. All Work Guaranteed Best Material Used Instruments thoroughly sterilized after each operation

DR. E. J. COOK General Practitioner Wilson, Texas All Calls Promptly Attended Day or Night Residence Phone, Tahoka—48-Y Office Phone, 75-K Office at Finley's Drug Store

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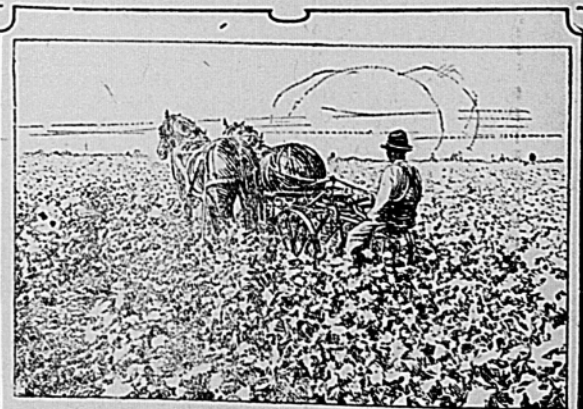
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The Meers is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the office of the Democratic Primary Election in July:

**FOR STATE SENATE, 80TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT**  
R. A. Baldwin, of Slaton, Lubbock County.

**FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:**  
Clark M. Mullican  
Geo. R. Bean

**FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:**  
Parke N. Dalton.  
Jno. L. Ratliff  
J. M. Marshall

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE**  
George E. Halliday  
H. W. Calaway  
C. H. Cain  
J. B. Walker

**FOR SHERIFF:**  
Marshall Simpson  
A. M. Sullivan  
W. M. (Bill) Thompson  
A. L. Nettles  
Ben King

**FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:**  
L. C. Heath  
B. P. Maddox

**FOR COUNTY CLERK:**  
W. E. (Happy) Smith

**FOR TAX ASSESSOR**  
Albert L. Curry  
J. S. Weatherford

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER**  
(re-election) Mrs. Zoe Lowrey

**FOR PUBLIC WEAIGHER:**  
E. Lam  
T. R. Cathcart  
J. R. Parris  
W. M. Lee  
R. C. WOOD

**FOR COMMISSIONER PRCT. No. 2**  
A. R. Hensley  
J. S. Wells

**FOR COMMISSIONER PREC. 1.**  
E. L. Deaver  
H. A. Patterson

**PUBLIC WEAIGHER, Prct. No. 2;**  
W. P. Hamlett

**FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**  
I. P. Metcalf

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Many Paris Women Think Nothing of Having Their Noses Broken and Reset.

Parisianes are going to such lengths to achieve beauty as quite to put in the shade the painful operation of "dimpling" (making a hole in the chin by means of a drugged needle).

Many women think nothing of having their noses broken and reset in a different shape, says a Paris correspondent. Others actually have the eye brows moved upward or downward, at the fancy dictates. This necessitates a complete removal of the hair and either a false and forced growth in a different position or makeup.

One beauty expert, who undertakes to change the form of a woman's lips has performed many operations. His latest experiment is to make the upper lip turn up, giving it an alluring pout.

To do this he stretches a thin hair from the upper lip to the tip of the nose. This effect, naturally, is limited to actresses, who use it on the stage only.

Some fashionable women are being laughed at for their insistence on having their cosmetics flavored. One has her lip-rouge tasting of banana.



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**Latins Make Much of Fair-Haired Beauties**

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When a respectable Latin catches sight of a golden-haired charmer he goes utterly mad. He can't take his eyes off her, but is impelled to prouette around her like a Japanese dancing mouse and tell the world how magnificent she is.

A New York woman who returned home recently after a visit to Italy relates that one day when she was "window shopping" she became aware that two men were following her. She was able with some concentration to muster up enough knowledge of Italian to understand snatches of their gesticulating conversation, and found that she was the subject. The short man wobbled alongside of the fat one and sighed as he remarked to his companion:

"Such beauty—she is like a white rose."

The fat one rolled his dark eyes and contradicted him.

"But no, see how her cheeks flush—she is like a pink rose."

"She is like an angel," ejaculated Fatty.

These tributes to her beauty were entirely wasted on the fair American. When she neared an officer of the law she wheeled around, pointed the two men out and demanded that they be arrested.

The officer looked at the irate, flushed complainant, who made a ravishing picture, and with a bow announced to her:

"Signorina, I cannot arrest these men. They should be complimented. They have been guilty of doing nothing but showing excellent judgment and appreciation of beauty."—New York Sun.

**Not All There.**

Elizabeth came to school one day in a state of suppressed excitement. Going straight to the teacher's desk she exclaimed exultantly. "I've got a new little sister!"

"How very nice," replied the teacher.

"Yes," said Elizabeth, "but this is only a half-sister."

"Why, that doesn't make any difference, does it?"

"Not, but I never can understand where the other half is."—Harper's Magazine.

**A Nice Way to Put It.**

A celebrated actor and his wife were having a good-natured argument. As the man had a train to catch he did not let it run its full course, but gave way suddenly. Rising, he exclaimed with a generous air. "You are right and I am wrong, as you generally are. Good-by, my dear," and off he hastened. "So nice of him to put it like that," his wife reflected, but then—she wondered.

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Drivers are to have an eight-hour day the same as that enjoyed by all Ford employes and are, of course, to have Sundays, Christmas, New Year's and Fourth of July off.

If you were inclined to watch such a parade and would remain until the last car passed, you'd have to stick at your place along the line for thirty-two and a half years.

With all the Fords remaining in line, it wouldn't be long before you would find yourself in the center of a whirling corkscrew of cars, and as the genius has already figured it, if you remained to the finish, and were observant, you probably would have noticed that the first car passed you passed you sixty-seven times before the last or ten-millionth car had left the parking ground.

Furthermore, figuring Ford production on the time basis of the last million, 65 million more Ford cars would have been built while you were watching the parade.

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**ZAPPE SELLS ANOTHER QUARTER OUT OF T—BAR**

L. L. McElroy, of Coolidge, Limestone county, bought a quarter section of land near Dixie out of the T-Bar Ranch Monday. William Zappe Land Company consummated the deal. Mr. McElroy was passing through this country on business, Mr. Zappe stated, and fell in love with the country. He decided to buy a tract of land, with the above result. Mr. McElroy will remain at Coolidge.

J. L. Lee, whose home is at Stephenville but who is employed temporarily at the Gyp Mills near Hamlin, arrived Sunday for a few days visit with his brother, W. M. Lee. He was accompanied by Mr. Johnson, also of Hamlin, who came out on a prospecting trip.

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MENARD EDITOR GETS FUNNY

Mrs. W. J. Crouch and son, Curtis, and wife, and daughters, Mesdames O. A. Lualin and Newman Wells, and their husbands, of Tahoka spent a few days on the San Saba on their annual outing.

Living, as they do, on the windswept plains, where the monotonous sameness of the landscape is unbroken save by blue weeds and an occasional stalk of beargrass and where land agents, like the equally deceptive mirage, have lured the unsuspecting prospector to drive his stakes amid the prairie dog towns, and attempt to transform the barren waste into happy homes with no shade or shelter from the shifting sand and the stinging blasts of winter.

They were charmed and delighted with the purling waters of our many brooks, the spreading shades of the giant pecans, the hills upon which graze our thoroughbred cattle and with the scenery in general. These good people are our friends and were once our neighbors. Mesdames Lualin and Wells were then Nora and Velma, golden haired tyrants who made life a burden to those who sought to "spark" their older sisters. In the short lapse of time that has intervened they have grown into beautiful and charming women and have homes, and children almost as large as they were then. Curtis was a tow-headed boy who could wade barefooted in grassburrs up to his knees. He has grown into a man of striking appearance and reflects the sturdiness that characterized his dad, which at once commanded respect and honor from his peers, made him the leader of his community, and a man whom all men delighted to call friend. The unfolding years of time have left but few marks upon the brow of Mrs. Crouch. She is the same smiling motherly soul who has devoted her life to the comfort and well-being of others. May the shifting years unfold to her a greater service and give her strength for her mission of goodness that has made her an angel of mercy and a benediction to mankind.

—Menard Messenger

The editor of the Menard Messenger is a great humorist. In fact all those Menard county folks are good-natured cusses. No other kind would stay there fifteen minutes. Perhaps some of our readers don't know where Menard county is. Well, it is bounded on the north by Concho, on the east by Mason, on the west by a desert, and on the south by a goat ranch. If Menard county were not there, there would be a terrible hole in the earth where it now stands. It is very useful in holding the earth together in that section of the state. Menard has the tail-end of a little spur of a railroad track that branches out from a side track of the Santa Fe from the city of Whiteland Junction, situated in a neighboring county. It is said that a railroad train manages to run into the capitol city of Menard once every week or so. It is true that Menard county has a stream locally known as a river, the

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San Saba. But Menard is not to blame for that. The water that falls on the plains of Texas soaks into the ground, and thence finds its way through underground streams to the roughs of the richer county, where it bursts out of the ground. Once on top of the ground, it has no way to get out of that Godforsaken country but to run on down across Menard county. In Menard, it can't soak into the ground for water won't soak through solid rock, so it runs on off into and through McCulloch, and thence through San Saba, whence it empties into the Colorado, which has its headwaters on the south plains. The Messenger man said something about blueweeds. If he were to see a patch of blueweeds, he probably wouldn't know whether it was blueweeds, cotton, or turnips. He is probably much better acquainted with bear grass, but it is doubtful if he would know a wheat field from a patch of maize. No land agent has ever bothered the inhabitants of Menard, for the ordinary land agent, as resourceful as he is, would starve to death there. Say, by the way, Mr. Messenger editor, crank up that Ford of yours and run up to Tahoka for a few days, where you can see some real country plenty of prosperous land agents and more prosperous land owners. We want to meet you, for the man who can live in Menard as long as you have and still have enough pep left to poke fun at any man's country anywhere, must be the world's champion optimist. As for the Crouch family, they are the same fine people here that they were down in Menard. We don't know how they ever happened to stop in Menard but they certainly showed good judgment in coming on to Lynn, and sensible folks that they are, they continued to show good judgment by staying.

BOSS IS GONE

The editor and boss of the News shop has gone to the meeting of the Texas Press Association which is convening this year at Amarillo on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. The boss has worked hard since he took charge of the Lynn County News last fall, and the short vacation is much needed by him. Although the editor expects to have a great time at the Press Association, pleasure is not the main motive of his trip. He expects to return with many new ideas as to the editing and managing of a newspaper, and with many new ideas for letting the people know that Tahoka is on the map.

In the editor's absence, the operator and the "printer's devil" are endeavoring to get the paper out in standard fashion, but if any mistakes appear in this issue, the readers will please consider the circumstances.

The News is giving much space to the candidates for governor who visit Tahoka, for the reason that we believe that the people should have every opportunity possible to inform themselves as to the views and proposed policies of the various candidates. As some of the speakers have pointed out, a one cent postal card addressed to all the voters of Texas would alone cost about fourteen thousand dollars. It is utterly impossible for the candidates to send their platforms or speeches to all the voters. It is impossible for them to reach more than a small per cent of the voters in their public addresses. We believe it is the duty of the newspapers to the public, therefore, to give as much publicity as possible to the addresses and views of the various candidates, so that the voters may thereby become the better prepared to cast intelligent ballots in the approaching election. The News is attempting to render this service to the people of Lynn county.

The Supreme Court held that the impeachment of Ferguson was lawful and that his name could not go on the Democratic ticket as a candidate for governor. Governor Ferguson had anticipated such a decision and made application for his wife's name to appear on the ticket. Her name will appear thereon and Jim will put in his time from now until July 26 shelling the woods for his wife. Mrs. Ferguson is the first woman to become a candidate for governor of Texas. If she should be nominated and elected—if, we said—if she should be nominated and elected, we are wondering if she would carry her knitting along with her to the big house on the hill while poor Jimmie stayed at home and washed the dishes and churned.

Ever since the big Republican pow-wow at Cleveland broke up, Democratic scouts have been heading into little old New York, and already the clans are gathering. "Clans" we said, not "Klan". They say McAdoo is gaining ground every day and that Al Smith is losing. Of course nobody expects the Democrats to nominate Al Smith, not even Al himself, but the "wets" expect to use him to trade on, so that they may get a compromise candidate. The politicians of Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois may decide, however, that it is expedient to nominate McAdoo. If so, the nomination is his. But keep your eagle eye skinned for a dark horse.

It's Coolidge and Dawes the silent man and the tall "cusser". Whom can the Democrats put up to offset a combination like that?

S. W. Anglin was in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

T-BAR NEWS

The health of the community is good.

We are needing rain badly. Cotton is dying on account of the hot winds, but weeds are doing well.

Miss Mamie Frazier is improving—think she will be able to walk before long. Mr. Frazier took her to Lubbock the 12th, accompanied by Mrs. Frazier.

Quite a lot of people went to Lamesa on the 8th and viewed the destruction caused by the fire.

The locals of the Farm Labor Union of America, of Lynn county, met in Tahoka the 7th and perfected a county organization. The next county Union will meet at the T-Bar school house. July 11, at 10 A. M. Everybody invited, and bring well-filled baskets. Will have open meeting in the morning. Will endeavor to have the principles of the organization explained.

Our next meeting of the literary society will be Fridaynight, June 20. Will have a debate.

Uncle Jim

HAYNES FAMILY ATTEND FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Haynes and little daughter, Miss Jaunita, returned Sunday from El Paso, where they attended a re-union of the Hedgecoke family. The re-union was held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Cole, an aunt of Mrs. Haynes'. Among those present were S. M. and W. P. Hedgecoke, both of whom live at Plemons in Hutchinson county, J. M. Hedgecoke of Endee, N. M. and Mrs. E. R. Haynes of Lubbock.

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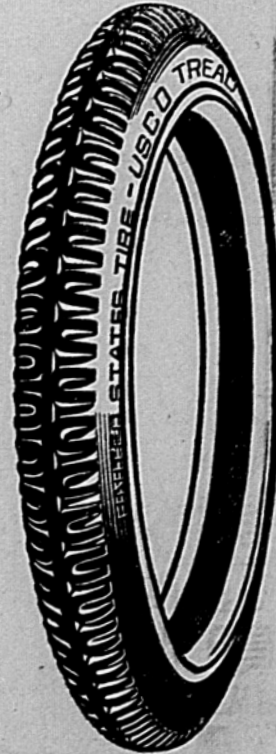
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**THREE BUILDINGS FOR COLLEGE ARE OKED BY REGENTS**

**Education Building Stands as Greatest Need**

CANYON, June 14—The board of regents for Teachers Colleges approved the budget as presented by President J. A. Hill to the meeting Saturday in Dallas. The budget for the first year amounts to \$520,000.00, and for the second year \$300,000.00. Three new buildings are on the approved budget which goes to the board of control, and word from that body indicates that all items will be the approval of this body.

The education building is the outstanding need of the College, and was heartily approved by the regents. The estimate for this building is \$175,000, with \$25,000 for furniture. In addition to the power house costing \$40,000 was approved, and if passed by the legislature will make sufficient quarters to house the entire manual training department of the College.

An item of \$7,500 was approved for a home demonstration cottage.

\$10,000 was approved to repair and refurbish Randall Hall.

\$10,000 was approved to extend the sewer system, connecting with the city in an addition to take care of the entire east part of town, which now badly needs a sewer system.

The permanent improvements asked for total \$210,000 for the first year and \$75,000 for the second year.

The departmental budgets were approved as presented.

Three additional faculty members were approved. The regents approved a salary list, placing the salaries of the Teachers College on the same basis as other state colleges doing undergraduate work.

A committee from the board of regents was here last week looking into the needs of the College, as was also a committee from the board of control which now must pass upon the budget and recommend it to the legislature when it meets in January.

**POSTMASTER FURNISHES PARCEL POST INFORMATION**

Our Postmaster asks us to print the following quotations from the current postal guide for the information of any who may wish to send similar packages at the fourth class, or Parcel post rate.

"All sealed packages are chargeable with first class postage, (2c per ounce or fraction thereof, except those which comply strictly with the following instructions.

"Sealed parcels of fourth class mail may be mailed at fourth class rate (parcels post rate) provided the parcels are labeled in printing to show nature of contents, as for example Merchandise Fourth Class Mail, together with name of sender and address, and the inscription Post Master This Parcel May Be Opened For Postal Instruction if Necessary Postmaster Quotes farther from Postal guide page 19.

"Hats must be packed in strong boxes if in ordinary pastboard hat boxes they must be properly crated." D. A. Parkhurst P. M.

**W. T. C. OF C. ISSUES BRIEF ON TRAFFIC MATTERS**

To All Officers, Unit Directors, Secretaries, et al.

The Brief of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Traffic Bureau in the Texas Common Point Freight Rate matter has been compiled by Ex-President Spencer, Traffic Manager Pawkett and through the assistance of Traffic Manager F. A. Leffingwell. We will have five hundred extra copies of this Brief printed. If you want one or two extra copies, kindly let us know promptly in advance so we can take care of your request. The Traffic Committee will again be headed by A. B. Spencer, the retiring President of the Organization and we want to let you know that every effort is being made to retain the Common Point Freight Rate both Intra and Inter State, and that an appropriation was made for this at the Board meeting held in Sweetwater, June 6th.

Yours very truly,  
Porter A. Whaley, Manager

**POISON MASH FOR GRASSHOPPERS**

(By R. R. Reppert, Entomologist)

While the poison mash advised for grasshoppers is obtainable generally good results, we have several complaints that it was ineffective. In every one of these instances we have found that directions in mixing and applying in some respect or other had not been carefully carried out. In one case the farmer had allowed the druggist to convince him that calcium arsenate would do as a poison instead of the white arsenic. Be sure that what you get is "white arsenic" or Paris Green.

In another instance the bran mash had been put out in piles over a small part of the field. The poison mash we have advised has been used for many years in many states and under all conditions and secures the best results when sown thinly and evenly over the entire infested area. Don't think that you have unusual conditions that require a departure from our recommendations.

In still another instance water taken from a barrel formerly containing creosote stock dip was used to mix the mash. The odor of creosote in this water was so pronounced as to repel the grasshoppers. Lemons are used to attract the insects to the bait, and the use of such water serves to neutralize this attraction.

Other mistakes are doubtless being made on various farms. The above instances will give point to our statement, expressed in our former letter, to "mix and apply the bran mash exactly as directed, leaving out no part." We may add "and putting nothing else in."

Another thing to be said in connection with this formula is that results, as indicated by dead grasshoppers, should not be expected too soon. Very few grasshoppers, die from the effects of the poison the first twenty-four hours, and it will not be until the second day that a great many dead grasshoppers are found. They will continue to die from the effects of poisoning for a week or more.

**RAISING CHICKENS**

Two thousand White Leghorn hens is the goal that H. N. Terrell is reaching for at the present time. Mr. Terrell has a farm in the Newmore neighborhood and after giving the matter careful consideration decided that as a side issue to his 200 acres of cotton and feed stuffs, he would raise chickens and picked the White Leghorn strain. He purchased 1500 baby chicks this spring and now has as healthy a bunch of youngsters coming on as one would want to see. Most of the chicks were purchased early so that he will have about 500 pullets laying by Christmas time which eggs are bringing a good price.

Mr. Terrell is an expert in the chicken business and says that the South Plains country offers wonderful opportunities for this industry. He says chickens are seldom bothered with the diseases that poultry raises in the east have to combat, that they grow rapidly and mature earlier than in any other section. He has already secured a market for all the eggs his hens will produce.

—O'Donnell Index

Mrs S. P. McLarty and granddaughter, Miss Mina Lou McLarty, of Seymour are here for a few weeks visit with the former's sister, Mrs. I. P. Metcalf and Mr J. A. Brown.

**50TH ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICES ON MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS CUT IN HALF**

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**HOW TEXAS STANDS**

Texas is first in total value of Agricultural products, 1923—\$1,334,775,000.

Texas is first in farm value of crops.

Texas is 1st in acre value of crops, luxury states excepted.

Texas is 1st in the manufacture and refinement of cotton seed oil.

Texas is 1st in the production of grain sorghums.

Texas is 9th in the production of corn.

Texas is 7th in the production of broom corn.

Texas is fourth in the production of rice.

Texas is third in the production of peanuts.

Texas is third in the production of cabbage.

Texas is first in the production of Bermuda onions.

Texas is third in the production of watermelons.

Texas is fifth in the production of sweet potatoes.

Texas is second in the production of crude oil.

Texas is second in the refining of crude oil.

Texas is first in the production of sulphur.

Texas is first in the production of Fuller's earth.

Texas is second in the production of quicksilver.

Texas is first in the production of mohair.

Texas is first in the production of wool.

Texas is first in the number of goats on farms and ranches.

Texas is first in the number of sheep on farms and ranches.

Texas is seventh in the number of hogs on farms and ranches.

Texas is 8th in number of dairy animals.

Texas is first in the number of beef cattle on farms and ranches.

Texas is first in the number of mules on farms and ranches.

Texas is fourth in the number of horses on farms and ranches.

Texas has the largest herd of pure bred jersey cattle in the world.

Texas won first in the ton-litter contest.

T. J. Bovell and family left Tuesday for Waco, where they will spend some time visiting. They were accompanied by Mrs. Sam Reid and daughter, Lilla Mae, who will visit relatives and friends at Oglesby.

Prof. Harvey Blackstone returned from a few weeks visit with his parents at Pittsburg. While away, he also visited in Fort Worth and Shreveport, La. He says it rained copiously and frequently while he was in that section of the country, and that the roads most of the time were in wretched condition. Would love to see a little more mud here.

F. E. REDWINE President  
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**ROAD BUILDING FALLS IN THE AIR**

The talk is in the air. With Burlington officials talking for publication and Santa Fe engineering crews at work along lines which suggest more branch building on their part, people in this section of the country are beginning to wake up to the fact that real construction may soon follow.

F. E. Clarity, vice president and general manager of the Fort Worth & Denver a Burlington line, this week in an interview in the Star-Telegram declares that his road plans an extension from Spur to Plainview and from Fort Worth to Stamford, reiterating plans already made public by the head of the system, Hale Holden. Their plans only await action of the part of the Interstate Commerce Commission in regard to railroad group line in the southwest, which Mr. Clarity thinks will be taken within the next two or three months.

The activity of the Santa Fe in surveying a line from Tulia to Silverton would indicate that the company plans to extend a branch to the latter city from Tulia. The survey was completed last week, it is said. So far as is known here no statements have been made by Santa Fe officials as to their intentions, but it seems to be taken for granted that construction soon will follow the survey.

Floyd County Hesperian  
T. M. Skerrod and family and Charles Connolly and daughter, Hazel, returned Sunday from Llano, where they have been on a fishing trip.

W. A. Stricklin and wife, George Ford and wife, Thelma Forythe, and Eleanor Barker returned from San Angelo Sunday where they spent several days fishing.

**A SPLENDID FEELING**  
That tired, half-sick, discouraged feeling caused by a torpid liver and congested bowels can be gotten rid of with surprising promptness by using Herbol. Herbol is a powerful purgative and the first step in the treatment of all ailments of the digestive tract. It is not only a thorough cleanser, but it also builds up the system and restores the normal tone of the body.

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The Bridge Club met last Thursday with Mrs. W. B. Slaton as hostess. A number of interesting games were played. Mrs. Paul Miller winning high score. A dainty ice course was served to Mesdames Lockwood, Turrentine, Thomas, Larkin, Stewart, Robinson, Alley, Leonard, Miller, Walton and Calloway.

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**SENATOR COLLINS ADDRESSES SMALL CROWD AT TAHOKA FRIDAY**

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going to need more money for roads. Then there are the schools. Out of every 100 cents of state taxes 67 cent goes to our schools. We can not afford to cut down our school funds. We need more money for education. The constitution says that the legislature shall provide for at least six months of public schools. I have found no place where the state funds run the schools more than four months. We are not living up to the constitutional requirement. We should provide state funds to run them six months. It looks like it is going to take \$18.00 per child to do it. We can economize and save some money on some of the departments, no doubt but it will take five or six millions more for our schools. The fact of the business is that it is not state taxes that are burdensome but our local taxes. I own no property in the city of Dallas but a home. My city taxes on this home last year were \$102.00, which I helped to vote on myself for city improvements. My county taxes were \$33.00 and my state taxes were only \$23.00. I investigated and found that \$15.00 out of this \$23.00 came back to Dallas county to pay for schools. Only \$8.00 out of the \$23.00 stayed in Austin. With this small tax, we pay all the expenses of the state government and care for all the unfortunates in our charitable institutions. There are 12,000 of these that we must care for, the insane, the blind, and the deaf and dumb. I don't begrudge the \$8.00 that the State took from me to care for all these. Most of the taxes that we pay are local taxes that we vote upon ourselves for the building of courthouses and roads and schools and other local improvements. No governor can reduce your taxes very much. In his first campaign Neff thought he could do it, and he made the people great promises along this line but he found that he couldn't do it.

"I want the people to understand, too, that if I am elected governor, I can't make men rich. I can't advance the price of your cotton, your cattle, your hogs, or anything that you raise. People ought to learn that law can not make them rich. Some candidates will promise anything, and some folks will propose all sorts of fool schemes. While I was in the senate, they actually tried to pass a law limiting the amount of cotton that a man could plant on his own farm. I opposed it. I claimed that if a farmer had the land and the seed and wanted to plant 25 acres in cotton I had no right to say that he should plant only ten. Government can't and should not attempt to do everything for the people.

"Now a word about myself. I live in a different part of the state and few of you people know me. None of the candidates for governor have scarcely more than a local reputation. I was born in Hardin county. There was nothing to distinguish my boyhood from that of a hundred thousand other boys in Texas. I grew to manhood without an education. I entered Sam Houston Normal College and finally graduated in that institution. I taught for six years but had to quit to make a living. I studied law and began the practice of law in 1902. I served as district attorney of my district. Later I went to the state senate, where I served six years. While in the senate I wrote the state-wide prohibition law that made Texas dry before the 18th amendment to the federal constitution was adopted. I wrote the law that gave the vote to the women of this state. I wrote the law that prohibited the working of women in the factories, and mills, and offices, and sweat-shops for more than 54 hours a week, known as the 54-hour law. Many of the business interests protested and told me that it would ruin their business. I told them that if this law would ruin their business it ought to be ruined. We passed the law, and I find these business interests have been growing and prospering just as they did before. You can never hurt a country by writing more Christianity into its laws.

"I do not ask that any of you promise to vote for me, but I want you to investigate my record. Compare my record with that of the other candidates. Most of them have been in the legislature. What have they done? What measures have they introduced and had passed?"  
"I have been a member of a church for many years, but I am not running on that. My church could not elect anybody to office in Texas, as it is not strong enough. There are some candidates in this race who seem to be running on their Churchianity."

After the address many of those present shook the speaker's hand and assured him that they enjoyed hearing his address. He went from here to Lamesa, where he made an address that night.

**FELIX D. ROBERTSON ADDRESSES VOTERS OF LYNN COUNTY**

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reduce your taxes. Our educational and eleemosynary institutions must be supported. Who would curtail the usefulness of the new Tech College, of the University, of the other state colleges, of the insane asylum, of the Deaf and Dumb institute? Some demagogues have been going about over the country abusing the University. I believe that the children of the poor have as much right to an education as the children of the rich. Destroy the University and the state colleges and you destroy the chance of the poor man's children to get a college education, while the rich man can send his children to Yale and to Harvard. I favor better rural schools, better intermediate schools, and a better University.

Reverting to the matter of taxation, he declared that the main trouble is that too much property is escaping taxation. Every dollar of property in this state should be taxed. "If it were we would have more money than we would know what to do with", He asserted that the tax values are three and a half billion and they ought to be seven billion. "Much property is being covered up in this state by 'Big Business'. Yet Lynch Davidson wants you to exempt his cut-over timber lands from taxation, his and John Henry Kirby's. Lynch is going about over this state saying that we should have less government in business and more business in government. I say that we need less of Big Business in government. Go over yonder to New Mexico and see that magnificent ranch, then on in to El Paso, on down the Rio Grande to Brownville, where a President homologated with Big Business and where a trade was made, on to Dallas and into a big room, then into Oklahoma and on to Washington, and you could make the whole trip blindfolded, by the smell of oil. That is the result of Big Business out of government, boys. What we need in government is common sense, common honesty, and Christianity."

Turning his attention again to the problem of public education, he said, "I know little about it. But the last legislature appointed a public education survey commission that knows a lot about it. I will await their report, but I can say this much: I want the appropriations for the public schools increased to at least \$15.00 per capita; and I want fair text books that tell the truth. I don't want them to teach socialism, free love, nor evolution. A man that believes in this evolution stuff has mighty little sense, anyway." He severely rapped Whit Davidson, declaring that Whit was against free text books and against \$15.00 per capita for the school children. "I am against this anarchy evolution, socialism, free love stuff that is being taught in this country. I want foreign immigration absolutely prohibited, at least until we can Americanize the foreigners who are already here. I want the people of every nation kept out from now on, the English, the Irish, the German, the Italian, the Mexicans, the Japs, and the people of every other nation. There are now twelve hundred and fifty thousand foreigners in this country who believe in anarchy, and free love.

**TRUE AMERICANISM**

Every one of them should be deported." He gave a line-up of the people who are for him and against him in Texas "Against me are all the foreign published newspapers, traitors, wife beaters, home ruiners, bootleggers, professional gamblers, crooked officers, and whiskey politicians. There are a few good people against me, but they are half witted", he said. Lined up for me are those who believe in the flag of our country, who believe in placing the flag above every school house, who believe in the protection of American womanhood and the American home, who believe in the separation of Church and State.

He declared that he was a politician but a straight-shooting politician. All these other candidates will tell you that they were born on a farm, at there is not one of them that could know a cultivator from a middle buster. I was not born on a farm was born on a ranch, but I've got more sense about farming than they have. You farmers must organize, you are ruined. Every other business fixes the prices of its products of yours too. You boys get together and organize into a trust or bloc or anything you wish to call, stick together, fix the prices of our farm products, and you can make old John Henry Kirby crawl all the way up here from Houston or his hands and knees and pay you \$150.00 for a chicken.

Asserting that this country can not be saved materially unless it is saved spiritually, he contended that we must put this country on the basis of the Ten Commandments and the Golden Rule or she is gone to Hell. Citing other nations that had fallen, he claimed that their downfall was due to the fact that they forgot God, and then he closed with the benediction alluded to above.

**ANOTHER BRICK**

One of the old landmarks of the town is disappearing this week. Tuesday morning A. C. Fairley put a crew of men to work demolishing the City Cafe building, one among the first to be erected in the town. The building is a two story affair and it is said that it required more than a car of lumber to construct it. Mr. Fairley will haul the material to his farm where it will be used in building sheds for his stock.

The building will be replaced by a modern brick and tile building, possibly two stories high. Part of the material for this building is now on the ground and work on the foundation will be started as soon as the razing of the old building is completed.

**BOOST YOUR HOME TOWN!**

**REV. R. A. CLEMENTS GOES FISHING**


Rev. R. A. Clements finished up the Methodist Church last Friday and hid himself away for a ten days fishing trip on the Llano. After he gets thoroughly filled up on fish an "et up" by the red bugs, he will come back to Tahoka, where he has the job of building an addition to the South Ward School building awaiting him. He will be back about the first of next week.

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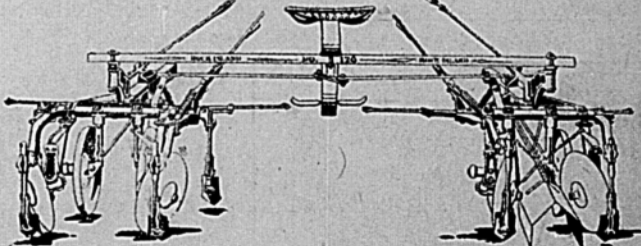
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