

MUCH INTEREST IS SHOWN IN PRIMARY ELECTION

Races Are Close In County Election

Klan Issue Enters Local Contests; Run-off Required for County Judge and Sheriff

The election passed off quietly throughout Lynn county last Saturday, except at Draw, where it is reported there was a slight disturbance. Interest in the election was intense however, the Ku Klux Klan issue figuring strongly in most of the contests.

In the race for the U. S. Senate, Morris Sheppard received almost twice as many votes as both his opponents.

In the race for governor, Felix D. Robertson, the Klan candidate, led with 673 votes, Mrs. Ferguson being second with 493 and Whit Davidson third with 222. The combined vote of the anti-klan and non-klan candidates in the governor's race was 1266.

Dan Moody leads for attorney general and A. J. Smith for Comptroller.

Robert E. Sparkman, who has a brother residing in this county, carried the county over Terrell by a vote of almost 2 to 1.

W. E. Pope, Dalton, Bledsoe, and Wester were winners in their respective races. In the county, the run-off will be between Judge Cain and Geo. E. Halliday, Judge Cain having a lead over Halliday of 46 votes.

Thompson and Simpson will run off the sheriff's race, Thompson having a lead over Simpson of 43 votes.

Heath will be the next county attorney and Weatherford the next tax assessor. Happy Smith for county clerk and Mrs. Zoe Lowrey for treasurer had no opposition. Wells and Deaver were each successful in their candidacies for re-election as county commissioners, and Miles George had no opponents. Judge Metcalf will be the next Justice of the peace and Van Bates was nominated for constable.

The closest of all the contests was that for public weigher Wood receiving one vote more than Cathcart and Cathcart receiving one vote more than Lee, while Parris was only 22 votes behind Lee. Next week we shall give the results by precincts.

The vote in the county for the various candidates was as follows: FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR: Morris Sheppard of Bowie County 1249;

John F. Maddox of Harris County, 234;

Fred W. Davis of Travis County, 414

FOR GOVERNOR: Felix D. Robertson of Dallas County, 673;

George W. Dixon of Harris County, 15;

W. E. Pope of Nueces County, 49;

Joe Burkett of Eastland County, 160;

Miriam A. Ferguson of Bell County, 493

Lynch Davidson of Harris County, 206

V. A. Collins of Dallas County, 23;

T. W. (Whit) Davidson of Harrison County, 222;

Thomas D. Barton of Potter County, 98;

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR: Will C. Edwards of Denton County 666;

Wallace Malone of Tarrant County 189;

John D. McCall of Jefferson County, 418;

Barry Miller of Dallas County, 520;

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL: J. M. Melson of Hopkins County, 552;

Edwards H. Ward of Nueces County, 121;

Dan Moody of Williamson County, 748;

John C. Wall of Grayson County, 366;

FOR COMPTROLLER: O. D. Baker of Milam County 478;

Pat Moulden of Collin County, 189;

Don F. Smith of Galveston County, 94

S. H. Terrell of McLennan County, 305;

A. J. Smith of Haskell County, 499;

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Mrs. G. F. Patterson Died Last Saturday

Mrs. Patterson died at the family residence near O'Donnell Saturday morning and the remains were interred in the Tahoka cemetery Sunday afternoon in the presence of a large concourse of friends and relatives. Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist Church by Rev. L. L. F. Parker of Spur, who was Mrs. Patterson's former pastor and who baptised her several years ago.

Mrs. Patterson was a member of a pioneer family of this section, being the daughter of F. M. Sherrod. The family had resided here more than twenty years. Mrs. Patterson was a splendid Christian character and enjoyed the friendship of all who knew her.

Her family and relatives have the sincere sympathy of our entire citizenship in their bereavement.

Heavy Rains Fall Over Lynn County

Heavy rains fell over large sections of Lynn county Wednesday afternoon and night and early Thursday morning. Light showers fell in other localities, while some portions of the county got practically no rain.

Very little has fallen in Tahoka but it is raining slowly as we go to press.

Mr. P. Burkhalter and others report that the rain in the Grassland community amounted to 2 to 3 inches. Two and one-eighth inches was the amount of precipitation at Mr. Burkhalter's residence. At Draw only about a half-inch is reported but it was said to have been heavier at Redwine and a few miles to the north. Buck Briley reported about two inches in the Magnolia country, and his information is that all the territory east and north of his place received good rains. It extended only two or three miles west. In the Lynn community it is claimed the fall amounted to 3 to 5 inches. At New Hope, the precipitation varied from a half inch to 2 1/2 inches. About two inches fell at West Point on the west line of the county. The area covered is reported to have extended three or four miles eastward from West Point. We were unable to get reports from many communities, but the indications are that most of the country has been covered either by heavy rains or refreshing showers.

These rains mean that Lynn county will produce a big cotton crop this fall, especially in those localities where the rainfall has been heaviest. With an increase in the acreage of perhaps fifty per cent over last year and with the prospect of a better yield per acre, the probabilities are that Lynn county will gin anywhere from 30,000 to 40,000 bales this season. These rains have been the salvation also of much of the feed in this county.

GLENN BRASHEAR BRINGS BACK BRIDE

After an absence of more than two weeks, Glenn Brashear returned to Tahoka Tuesday with a bride. He and Miss Lora Mae Harvey of Clarendon were married in that city on Tuesday, July 15, after which they went on a honeymoon trip to the mountains of New Mexico. They visited the White Mountains, Cloudcroft, El Paso, Juarez, and other places of interest returning to Tahoka Tuesday of this week to make their home here.

Mr. Brashear is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brashear of this city and is a young man of sterling worth. The bride is a member of one of the prominent families of Clarendon. The young people first met and became sweethearts three or four years ago while Glenn was attending Clarendon College.

These young people have the best wishes of a host of friends.

SULLIVAN BUYS OUT MOSER

A. M. Sullivan has purchased the Serve-U-Garage from Mr. Moser and is having the building remodeled and will convert it into a drive-in filling station and general repair shop. A concrete floor will be laid and other improvements made. Mr. Moser's plans for the future are not known.

Two Draw Men Drowned Tuesday

Tragedy Occurred in Lake Near Midland; Bodies Brought Here for Burial

Residents of Tahoka and of Lynn County were shocked Wednesday morning to learn of the drowning of Mike Humphrey and Noah T. Singleton, two prominent citizens of the Draw community, which occurred Tuesday afternoon in a lake five or six miles northwest of Midland, where they had gone with their families on a fishing expedition.

The tragedy occurred, it is said, when Humphrey undertook to swim out to a boat and while in deep water began cramping. He called for help and Singleton went to the rescue. Upon reaching Humphrey the drowning man seized Singleton a round the neck and both went under to rise no more. Mrs. Humphrey got into telephone communication with her father, H. W. Calaway, who is now here, as soon as possible and he hurried to the scene of the tragedy. The bodies were recovered from the bottom of the lake about one o'clock Wednesday morning. The bodies were brought to Tahoka for burial, and the funeral services and interment will be here this (Thursday) afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Both of the drowned men were prominent and highly respected citizens of their community. Mr. Singleton had formerly been in business at Draw, we understand. He leaves a wife and five small children. Mr. Humphrey was the son-in-law of H. W. Calaway of Tahoka, who made the race in the recent primaries for county judge of this county. He had no children.

All the bereaved relatives have the deep sympathy of hosts of friends and acquaintances.

District Court to Meet August 11

The District Court for Lynn county will open on Monday, August 11, at which time a grand jury will be empaneled. Petit juries have been drawn for two weeks. It is not thought that many cases will be tried at this term of the court. The list of grand and petit jurors drawn for this term of the court is as follows:

Grand Jurors: W. T. Clinton, R. S. Davidson, L. L. Jones, Jake King, J. M. Payne, J. H. Bullman, R. L. Barrett, Frank Crews, Price Thomas, A. H. Ash, A. Z. Jackson, J. W. Terry, A. A. House, J. B. Hoskins Sr. J. I. Bartley, and W. L. Tunnell.

Petit jurors, August 12: J. R. Ely, R. Bosworth, Ross Ketter, L. C. Johnson, H. A. Riddle, N. Wyatt, E. R. Munn, Clyde Shaw, Homer Scott, Tom Hale, Josh Sharp, I. V. Bradley, O. W. Moore, W. D. Reiger, J. M. Simpson, F. M. Nevels, W. G. Torrance, H. C. Harter, T. A. Harris, J. F. Williams, R. H. Bates, S. M. Clayton, John Evans, R. C. Wells, W. P. Lister, L. L. Carbell, C. E. Gray, J. A. Underwood, W. P. Inman, J. E. Morgan, Alf Gibbs, Rube King, Rayburn A. Metcalfe, L. D. Jackson, N. J. Hudspeth.

Petit jurors, August 18: W. S. Anglin, D. A. Stephens, Theo Slay, B. C. Aycox, S. D. Dabney, J. B. Anderson, G. M. Stewart, Marion Inklebarger, A. M. Willingham, D. G. Cook, P. P. Brewer, Jeff Fleming, Clyde Briley, H. A. Dial, Clyde Frost, Hugh McLaurin, H. B. Howell, E. W. Holloway, T. S. Luttrell, Dock Beech, W. J. Faires, C. L. Tyler, Jeff Jackson, T. C. Edwards, Fred Balch, Grady LeMond, T. B. Cobb, R. P. Weathers, O. Sproles, J. H. Newman, Price Nettles, P. H. Renfro, Jack Applewhite, T. I. Parks, S. H. Woods, W. Z. Florence.

AMARILLO, July 29—The catalogue of the Tri-State Exposition has been received from the printers and will be given wide distribution over the Plains region. It lists premiums for all classes of livestock, farm crops, domestic arts and the like. Premiums and prizes total about \$20,000. Copies of the catalogue may be obtained by applying to O. V. Vernon, Secretary, Amarillo, Texas.

City Planning Ice Plant And Sewer

City Plant Will Reduce Cost of Ice Lower System Will Probably Be Laid Soon

At a meeting of the city council held recently it was decided to build an ice plant to be operated by the City in connection with the City's water, light and power plant. Tests are being made of the City's water and if the tests show that the water is sufficiently pure without being distilled, the plant will be installed at once. In the event that it is found that distillation is necessary, then there may be some delay in installing the plant. The council believes that ice can be manufactured by the City at a profit and yet save the consumers quite a sum of money each month. This conclusion has been arrived at, it is said, after careful investigation of the matter, and the proposition would have been taken up some time ago perhaps if the city had been in position to finance the proposition. Funds with which to install the plant can now be secured, it is stated, by the issuance and sale of city warrants. If the tests prove satisfactory and the council undertakes the matter at once, it is hoped to have the plant in operation soon after the first of September.

The City council is also negotiating for the installation of a sewer system. Surveys and estimates of the cost are to be made in the near future by a firm of Dallas engineers after which they will submit a definite proposition to the city council. Whether or not the sewerage system is built depends upon the estimated cost and the probable returns to be derived from the investment. This (Cont'd on Last Page)

Man Slain In Fight At Brownfield

Alv. Hawk, about 28 years of age, was fatally stabbed by J. T. Crowley 54, in an altercation Saturday night resulting from discussions of the Klan. It is said that the two men had had previous sharp discussions and feeling between them had grown somewhat tense. Crowley is well known to some of our citizens. Hawk was unknown here. District court convened at Brownfield Monday and it is understood that the homicide is being investigated by the grand jury. That body will probably have taken action in the matter before this paper reaches the reader.

YOUNG WOMAN BITTEN BY RATTLE-SNAKE

L. L. Jones returned Monday from Seminole where he was called two weeks ago by the serious condition of his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Hamilton, who was bitten on July 16 by a rattle-snake. Mrs. Hamilton was staking a pony out on the prairie and passed too near the big rattler, which struck her on the ankle with its fangs as she passed. Her husband was a short distance in front of her, and it is supposed that he had passed over the reptile and infuriated it, so that it was in a fighting mood when Mrs. Hamilton approached. Her condition was very serious for a few days, but she is now thought to be entirely out of danger.

GREAT REVIVAL REPORTED AT BERRY FLAT

Rev. O. P. Morrison of Brownfield was here Wednesday and stated that he was in the midst of a great revival meeting at Berry Flat, just over the line in Borden near the south-east corner of Lynn county. There had been 24 conversions, all being adults but two, with fifteen additions to the church. The meeting will continue a few days longer. Brother Morrison also reported that quite a wind and rain storm visited that section late Tuesday evening. Bars and outbuildings were blown down but property damage was not great. The rainfall was sufficient to materially help crops.

Interest in Methodist Meeting Continues

The revival services being conducted by evangelist Frank M. Neal and singer Fred Miller at the Methodist Church have been increasing in power and interest. The evangelist has been delivering some powerful messages, and he has been unsparing in his denunciation of sin. The modern dance, the picture show, automobile rides at night, and other forms of evil have been receiving much attention by the evangelist. On Sunday morning the theme was prayer, and he by his great message which deeply stirred almost the entire congregation. On Sunday night another great service was held Tuesday night was "family night", when families were requested to sit together. Thus far there have been a number of conversions and reclamations, but many whom the strong gospel message are intended to reach are ending their services. Although good-sized crowds are in attendance, the vast majority of them are members of some church.

Brown Bishop Suggests County Fair

Brown Bishop, secretary of the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce, believes that active steps should be taken at once to hold a fair here this fall. Read the communication below which he has furnished the News, and we believe that you will agree with him.

"The time is near at hand when the people should begin to make some definite steps toward having a county fair. Letters are coming in daily to the Chamber of Commerce from the various fair associations wanting to know what we are going to do this year. We have as good crops as can be found on the plains and we should not go to sleep and let other counties be represented at Lubbock, Amarillo, Dallas and Waco and not be along by their 'hot side'. The resources of a county is what gives it the 'hot spot', and the fair is one great medium through which a county can let other people know about them. Some one has said that it takes principal to draw interest, and the principal of a country is what it produces, and the country's production is just what creates an interest in it. Lynn county has always made a showing in all contests and exhibits but the people have never done their best. Any thing worth while deserves the right kind of organization, and we have lacked the proper kind of organization to properly put over a Lynn Fair. Citizens, wake up and get behind the movement and let us go to all the places this fall with one of the best exhibits that has ever been collected on the plains."

WORD CASE MAY BE TRANSFERRED TO TAHOKA

Advices reaching Tahoka Tuesday evening were to the effect that an indictment had been returned at Brownfield against Will Word, charging him with the murder of Dr. S. H. Windham, the circumstances of which are well known to many of our people. It is reported that the case may be transferred to this county for trial at the ensuing term of the district court, which convenes on Monday, August 11.

RELICS GIVEN TO PLAINS HISTORICAL SOCIETY

CANYON, July 23.—The Panhandle Plains Historical Society has recently been given three Indian relics; one, and Indian Lance, was given to the Society by Mr. L. S. Gator, Buffalo hunter and frontiersman of Spearman, Texas. A rock hide scraper was donated to the Organization by Miss Murrel Sanders of Canyon, Texas, and a pestle which was found nearly thirty seven years ago in Crosby County by the donor's father, was given to the Society by Mr. Clarence Luce, of Canyon.

ELDER CHAS. W. WATKINS OF PETERSBURG WAS THE GUEST IN THE HOME OF H. E. BALDRIDGE MONDAY.

Elder Chas. W. Watkins of Petersburg was the guest in the home of H. E. Baldrige Monday.

Robertson and Ferguson Lead

Robertson Has Plurality Mrs. Ferguson Has Slight Lead Over L. Davidson for Second Place

Election returns reported up to the time we go to press indicate that the Klan candidate for Governor, Felix D. Robertson, and Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson will be in the run-off contest for the Democratic nomination for governor on August 23. Robertson has a plurality over Mrs. Ferguson of almost exactly 46,000 votes, while Mrs. Ferguson is leading Lynch Davidson by a little more than 3,000. About 632,500 votes have been accounted for, and it is thought that the outstanding votes will not amount to more than 50,000 or 75,000. It is probable that these belated returns will increase Mrs. Ferguson's lead over Lynch Davidson, for Davidson was strongest in the cities and towns, most of which have made complete returns, while Mrs. Ferguson was strongest in the rural districts, many of which have not yet sent in the returns.

Dan Moody has almost a majority over all three of his opponents for attorney general. Judge Ward of Corpus Christi holds second place and probably will be in the run-off. Melson, the Klan candidate, tails the ticket.

Terrell of McLennan is leading for comptroller with Baker second. In all probability, they will be in the run-off.

For lieutenant governor, Barry Miller holds first place over Will C. Edwards by only 3,289 votes. The run-off will be between them.

Terrell of Cherokee has defeated Sparkman for Commissioner of Agriculture.

Robinson has a majority over both his opponents for land commissioner. Gilmore is leading for railroad commissioner, six-year term, while Lon A. Smith holds first place for the four-year term.

Cureton and Wear will be in the run-off for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. Cureton leading Wear by almost 40,000 votes.

The returns as reported to date are as follows:

United States Senator—Davis 114,018, Maddox 53,565, Sheppard 368,617

Governor—Barton 27,516, Burkett 18,821, Collins 24,751, Lynch Davidson 124,422, Whit Davidson 108,077, Dixon 4,058, Ferguson 127,489, Pope 14,755, Robertson 174,110.

Lieutenant Governor—Edwards 158,750, Malone 48,762, McCall 82,712, Miller 162,039.

Attorney General—Melson 78,632, Moody 238,844, Wall 92,197, Ward 95,268.

Comptroller—Baker, 80,974, Bell 61,712, Moulden 65,132, A. J. Smith 46,409, Don F. Smith 39,371, Terrell 113,561.

Commissioner of Agriculture Sparkman 188,464, Terrell 233,069, Land Commissioner—Binkley 75,173, Robison 228,782, Sargent 91,567.

Railroad Commissioner (regular six-year term)—Gilmore 176,636, Mason 93,708, Weaver 119,686.

Railroad Commissioner (four year unexpired term)—Nabors 123,065, Smith 152,947, Speer 66,873, West 53,135.

Chief Justice Supreme Court—Buck 103,258, Cureton 161,526, Wear 122,012.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK MAKES IMPROVEMENTS

The First National Bank is making some changes in the building which it owns and occupies so as to give it more room. The room in the west end of the building on the lower floor will be connected with the main office, an opening being made in the wall which now separates it from the office. The stairway on the north side is to be torn away and the space which it occupies will be utilized. A new stairway is being constructed in the west end of the building, in the space recently vacated by A. M. Sullivan. These changes will give the bank more room for its rapidly increasing business.

PALO DURO POPULAR FOR RECREATION

CANYON, July 29—The Palo Duro Canyon in Armstrong and Randall Counties is coming to be the play ground, and the camp-ground for people over the entire Panhandle region.

From July 19 to July 29 the Northwest Texas Conference Girls Camp is held in this Canyon under the management of Mrs. Tom C. Delaney Methodist Student Secretary at the West Texas State Teachers College.

About two hundred girls ranging in age from fourteen to twenty are in attendance at this camp. This number does not include the weekend and over-night visitors, and the chaperons.

Beginning August 1, the Panhandle Baptist Assembly will meet at their camp-grounds on the Canyon and continue there for ten days. This meeting will be attended by seven or eight hundred Baptists of the Panhandle Counties of the State.

The Boy Scouts Organization of Amarillo, Canyon, and Claude camp regularly each summer at some point on this Canyon.

Art Classes from the Teachers College at Canyon visit the Canyons every spring and summer as a regular part of their work. In addition to these regular organized parties that make the Palo Duro Canyon an outing place, it is constantly visited by hundreds of students and tourists of this region of Texas. It is designated by many of the highways as the point of greatest scenic interest between Trinidad, Colorado and Galveston. A movement is now on foot to secure a road through the most beautiful sections of the Canyon in order that it may be easily seen by all tourists traveling north or west across Texas.

AMABILLO PLANNING GREAT FAIR THIS FALL

AMARILLO, July 29—Amarillo during the last two weeks has dug into its jeans for about \$15,000 additional money for Tri-State Exposition buildings and several structures will be erected during August. It is planned to have everything in shape and the grounds cleared before Sept. 22, the opening date.

At present, the agricultural building, 240x50 feet, is virtually completed; work on the grandstand has been finished and the race track is being put in shape; driveways have been laid throughout the grounds and trees and shrubbery are in fine condition.

Of the buildings yet to be erected the livestock building is most important. Present plans provide for four wings, extending from a central arena in which judging will be done and sales made. Seats for more than 1,000 persons will be provided at this arena.

Poultry, and in fact all lines of farm exhibits will be handsomely provided for, as advance information is that the exhibits will be more numerous than any ever gathered in the Panhandle. Thirty county agricultural exhibits are expected as against 21 last year.

BOOST FOR YOUR HOME TOWN!

WHITE EXHIBITS GOOD COTTON

L. J. White, who is residing on the farm of Dr. E. E. Callaway three miles east of town, brought to the News office Wednesday a stalk of cotton from his field. This stalk was considerably more than knee high and was well fruited, having about forty bolls and "squares" on it. Of course this stalk was a little above the average but Mr. White said that he had forty acres of cotton nearly a good except where the blueweed patches were bad. This cotton has had no rain on it to amount to anything since it was planted, and yet it promises a fair yield. There is much other cotton in the country that will be fairly good without any rain. A good rain is necessary however to produce a normal crop.

It should be added that Mr. White is a good farmer, and in talking with the News man he expressed the opinion that many people try to cultivate too large an acreage. With a smaller acreage and more intensive farming methods, he thinks much better results would be produced.

DOSHER HOLDS GREAT MEETING AT SEAGRAVES

Rev. J. M. Doshier and Rev. J. F. Curry were at home Saturday after having spent the past week at Seagraves, where Brother Doshier has been conducting a revival meeting. They report that there had been about forty conversions up till Friday night and about thirty additions to the church at that place by letter and baptism. The entire town and country round about were greatly stirred. At a meeting held Friday afternoon, it was decided to build a parsonage and to call a pastor for full time. The meeting will continue throughout this week. Brother Doshier will then go to Southland to conduct a meeting at that place. Brother Curry is in a meeting at Morton in Cochran county this week, the Morton church being the only one in the county.

Some heads of maize grown by S. L. Shelton of Dixie were being exhibited here Friday. Virtually no rain had fallen since the crop was planted and yet the samples exhibited indicated that the crop was excellent.

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BUCK BRILEY SELLS PART OF HOME PLACE

The Thompson Land Company this week consummated a deal whereby Buck Briley conveyed to Henry Harter 200 acres of his home place in the Magnolia community for a consideration of \$75.00 per acre, aggregating the sum of \$15,000. Of this sum \$11,150 was paid cash. The property conveyed includes the Buck Briley residence. He reserved something over 100 acres out of this tract, and as he owns several other tracts of land in the county he has no intentions of moving elsewhere. He will probably re-invest in the county, it is stated.

Mr. Harter recently sold his home place in the Draw community, and he will occupy the Briley property as his home.

WEATHERFORD THANKS THE VOTERS

To the voter of Lynn County. I take this method of thanking my friends for their loyal support in my race for tax assessor, and assure you it is greatly appreciated. I will try to conduct the affairs of the office so you will not regret having voted for me. To those who opposed me, I wish to say I have no ill feelings towards them.

Again thanking you one and all for your support, I am, yours Respt. J. S. Weatherford

SCHOOL DEPOSITORY NOTICE

Sealed bids for Depository of school funds for the Tahoka Independent School District for the year ending August 31st, 1925 under Section 51 of School laws, will be received up to August 14 1924.

All bids must be filed with J. S. Weatherford, Secretary of school, board, or R. C. Wood, President of school board of Tahoka Independent School District.

J. S. Weatherford, Secretary Tahoka Independent School District, Tahoka, Texas.

J. H. Moore and Allen Speed of Fredericksburg, the grandfather and uncle respectively of Hansford Tunnell, spent last week-end here visiting the Tunnell family and looking over the city and country with a view to locating. They were favorably impressed, and it is hoped that they will become citizens of our town in the near future.

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J. W. Herndon Jr. and Osler Leach two young men of Sweetwater, were here Tuesday for the purpose of organizing a De Molay lodge at this place.

C. B. Kilgore, who conducts a business college at Lamesa, and W. J. Campbell of Dallas, were business visitors in Tahoka last Friday and dropped in to see the News force.

Chills, & Stomach Trouble

MR. N. A. SMITH, of Shaw, Miss., says he can't remember being without Thedford's Black-Draught liver medicine since he and Mrs. Smith began keeping their house, many years ago. "When we have chills," says Mr. Smith, "Black-Draught is what we use and we find it just splendid. I had a bad case of stomach trouble. I couldn't eat enough and was very weak. Everything I ate hurt me, formed gas and I spit up my food. I would feel stupid or staggery. I didn't feel like doing any work. I knew what Black-Draught had done in colds and I began taking small doses. I certainly got relief. It did me lots of good. "When I go to town, I look first to see how near out of Black-Draught we are, and then get more. We are a good way from the doctor and keep our home remedies and the main one is Black-Draught."

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T-BAR TOPICS

T-Bar is back again. Health is good in these parts and everybody enjoying the dry weather. Crops are looking fine. If we could have a good rain to settle the dust and if it would settle political differences it would be a fine thing. The very idea of people becoming enemies over political issues! It seems that they lack something in the upper story. We can't all see alike.

Our literary met at T-Bar July 19. Had a nice program. Our next meeting will be the second of August.

We had a good Sunday School on the 20th. Had a very interesting lesson. There will be an old fashioned Sunday School celebration at T-Bar school house of Sunday August 3. Everybody is invited. All neighboring Sunday Schools are specially invited. The editor of the Lynn County News and his family are also specially invited. Let everybody bring well filled baskets and let us enjoy the day together.

Quitman Dixon of Navarro county visited his old-time friend and neighbor, J. W. Nichols, the past week, looking for a location. He rented a part of the Bob Chambers farm near T-Bar school house, where Mr. Mr. Frazier lives. He was certainly well pleased with the plains. The Dixons are a very fine family of people.

T-Bar is striving to make this community one of the best places on the plains in which to live.

All farmers who do not belong to the Farm Labor Union of America are invited to come to T-Bar school house on Saturday night, August 2, and hear Mr. Moss, who will explain the principles of the organization. Come and hear him and be convinced.

I notice in the News that there will be a meeting in Amarillo on August 21 for the purpose of organizing the west Texas farmers. We farmers have become sick and tired of such fake organizations. The men who are engineering it are paper farmers, that know nothing about pulling the bell cord over old Beck. They are the men that farm the farmers and seem to think that the farmer hasn't brains enough to handle his own business. We want to inform such cattle that the farmers have an organization that attends to their own business without the assistance of high-collared fellows like this.

Our next county meeting of the Lynn County Farm Labor Union of America will meet at Wells school house on August 9. All members are urged to be present, for there is urgent business to attend to. Will meet at 10 a. m. Let all bring well filled baskets.

I notice in the News a report from our county agent about such fine prospects of crops and following his report comes the government report of the crops, and there is quite a difference in Mr. Robertson's report and the government report. The government report indicated 300,000 bales of cotton less than the report of June 25. Mr. Robertson was probably dreaming. If he was he should awake when working for the farmers for they are the ones who foot the bill.

"Uncle Jim"

Editorial Note: Our correspondent in his last paragraph evidently refers to the statement made to the News man by Mr. Robertson on his return recently from a trip over into Oklahoma, in which he stated that he found crop prospects along the route to be good. This statement, of course, could be absolutely true without being contradictory in any way of the recent government report. For instance, our correspondent, in the above communication, reports (crop prospects in his community to be looking fine. The same may be true of large sections of Texas and Oklahoma and yet the general conditions throughout the cotton raising belt be such as to indicate a short crop.)

M. Winkler of Electra was here Friday looking for a business location. He was very much pleased with the town and country but was having a hard time finding a building in the event he should decide to locate here.

OVER A MILLION FORDS RETAILED FROM JANUARY TO JULY

Sales reports from the 34 American branches of the Ford Motor Company show that over a million Ford cars and trucks were sold at retail during the first six months of 1924. The actual figures is 1,036,978, which exceeds the total sales for the same period in 1923 by 133,095—an average gain of 22,182 per month.

A comparison between Ford sales in 1924 and 1923 not only indicates a remarkable increase in the country's buying power, but also shows that this growth continues month by month. In every instance the monthly sales in 1924 have shown a substantial increase over the corresponding month in 1923. In June they reached 170,747 which was approximately 10,000 ahead of June sales in the preceding year.

These figures are for retail sales in the United States alone and do not take into consideration the sales made by foreign Ford branches and associated companies, the majority of which assemble cars from American made parts.

Perhaps the most encouraging sign of the times lies in the fact that these sales have been spread very evenly throughout the country and indicate a general prosperity that is not confined to any particular section.

FLOYDADA MISHAPS FATAL TO TWO MEN

FLOYDADA, Texas, July 25—Two fatal accidents occurred within two hours of each other at Floydada late Thursday afternoon, resulting in the death of two men, George Welty and Clifford Carroll, both of whom formerly lived in Spur.

Welty met his death when a gravel pit in which he was working caved in on him. Welty was 46 years old and is survived by his widow and two children. His brother, M. D. Welty of Tulsa, arrived Friday morning. Welty had his 9-year-old boy with him when the accident occurred. The boy was partially buried when the pit caved in, but escaped and gave the alarm of his father's plight. Welty, with his family, moved to Floydada in the spring from Spur.

Clifford Carroll was instantly killed when he was thrown from the rear of a stripped-down car while riding over an automobile amusement device at the Marshall swimming pool grounds in the south part of town. Carroll's neck and one leg were broken. He had been working on the E. F. Stovall farm at Floydada during harvest. His body was taken to Spur early Friday morning by his father.

Both bodies were brought to an undertaker within an hour of each other.

REDUCED RATES ANNOUNCED FOR AMARILLO FARMERS' CONGRESS

AMARILLO, Texas, July 23—All railways entering Amarillo have recognized the importance of the Farmers' Congress to be held here Aug. 21 by granting reduced rates of fare and one-half for the round trip. The territory from which these rates are effective includes portions of Kansas and New Mexico, as well as Texas points.

"We believe such organizations as this deserves our encouragement," said one railway official in announcing the rate. A strong program is being lined up for the congress and it is expected a state governor will be among the speakers. Sponsors of the movement declare there many farm problems peculiar to the Plains region, which may be solved through discussion and adoption of general policies. Every farmer of the Southwest is invited to attend.

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Forging a Signature Successfully Not Easy

The news published recently that a claim of \$125,000 (nominally \$950,000) has been made against a great London bank in connection with alleged forgeries has caused a sensation in financial circles. The amount involved is so large that, should the allegations prove correct, the crime will easily rank as one of the greatest of its kind of recent years.

The crime of forgery is comparatively rare. This is probably due to the fact it is one fraught with great difficulty and serious danger.

Bankers have the greatest confidence in their ability to recognize their customer's signatures, and their commercial and legal brethren, who do not act on a signature unless it is verified by that of a witness, must be moved to admiration when they see a bank cashier paying out hundreds of pounds to a perfect stranger on the strength of a single signature on a check, writes a banker in the London Mail.

That their confidence is not misplaced is seen from the fact that a successful forgery practically never takes place, although on a busy day more than a million checks pass through the London clearing-house alone, while the check turnover of the British Isles is some \$80,000,000,000 a year.

It is, indeed, almost impossible to imitate successfully another man's signature. The handwriting may be most skillfully copied, but the criminal cannot get that personality and character into the signature which alone are the keynote of its genuineness.

Whooping Cough Cured by X-Ray Treatments

Will the X-Ray prove itself the long-looked-for remedy for whooping cough?

A new departure in the treatment of this disease has been inaugurated at the Boston floating hospital, where for the last year patients have been experimented upon with great success, says a Boston dispatch to the Kansas City Star.

Dr. Henry L. Bowditch, physician in charge of the hospital, has renewed the treatment of whooping cough with the X-Ray, which treatment was discovered in 1911 by a Russian physician and abandoned by him as impractical. Doctor Bowditch is the pioneer in this method of treatment in the New England states, and while cures in all cases are not effected completely through the agency of the X-Ray, great things are expected of it in the near future, the doctor said.

"Seventy-five per cent of the cases respond to treatment," Doctor Bowditch said. "In a period of two months last year we treated 358 cases with gratifying results."

This treatment shortens the duration of the disease, lessens the cough and enables the patient to get much needed sleep.

Saved Lambing Loss

Almost every imaginable business depends in some way on the weather. A sheep raiser was ready to send a flock of rams to the range lands, but, having previously suffered losses at lambing time, inquired of the local weather bureau station of the United States Department of Agriculture for weather conditions on his range 144 days from the date of the arrival of the rams. The weather could not be predicted that far in advance; but curves showing mean daily minimum temperatures and latest spring killing frosts indicated a period of relative safety beginning shortly after May 20. His previous losses had occurred when the lambs were dated prior to May 15, as had been warranted on another range. Since that injury, two successful seasons have followed in those herds, the lambs being brought in late May or early June, as suggested by the weather records.

New Discovery in Iron Making

An instance of a case where a little is had but an excess of the same bad quality makes it a good one, is reported by the United States bureau of standards as a result of recent researches in the reasons for malleable cast iron becoming brittle after being heated. When galvanized, such metal is heated to a critical range of 500 to 900 degrees Fahrenheit and then quite quickly cooled. This makes it brittle. It has now been found that if the metal is heated to a temperature 200 degrees above the critical range and then cooled, it is not only much more resistant to subsequent shocks, but also made immune to embrittlement as a result of subsequent reheating to within the dangerous range.

NOTICE TO REPUBLICANS

There will be a meeting of the Republicans of Lynn county, Texas, at the court house, August 2, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The purpose of this meeting is to elect a permanent chairman and two delegates to the Fort Worth convention.

All Republican voters in Lynn county are cordially invited.

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with the provisions of the ordinances of said city.

Pound Keeper

Miss Mary Greathouse left Thursday for a month's visit with relatives and friends in Galveston and other south Texas points.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Small and two daughters left Tuesday on a pleasure trip through Colorado. They expect to be gone several weeks.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm or corporation, that may appear in the columns of the News, will be gladly corrected when called to our attention.



One thing has been clearly demonstrated this year by the action of all the big national conventions, and that is that this country is forever dry and intends to get drier. The liquor forces made a great noise early in the year about the alleged demand for the modification of the Volstead act so as to permit the sale of light wines and beer. Listening to their clamor one would think that the whole country was going hog-wild to get wine and beer back. But when the conventions met, the wet forces were not able to get anywhere at all. The platforms of each of the great parties demanded a strict enforcement of the Volstead act, and a plank demanding light wines and beer could not have gotten in a thousand miles of the landing in either of the great national party conventions. This country is irrevocably dry. It has tried prohibition, and while the law is shamefully violated and disregarded in some localities, yet the sentiment for its enforcement is growing. Fewer and fewer people as the days pass by would vote for a return of the vicious, corrupting, damning saloon. While it was with us it was the hot bed of crime and immorality. It has gone forever.

Four homicides resulting from election quarrels are reported to have occurred in Texas last Saturday. Again we wish to state that human life is regarded too cheaply in Texas. The punishment for manslaughter should be increased. It is now two to five years in the penitentiary. When one man takes the life of another, he takes that which he can never give back. The man whose anger becomes so uncontrollable, whether the provision be great or small, that he can not resist the impulse to kill, would probably pursue a different course if he knew that a long prison term would be his inevitable punishment. The punishment for manslaughter should be made sure and more severe in this state.

An Associated Press dispatch last week carried the news that Brenham Klan No. 20, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, had voluntarily disbanded on the ground that it was not serving any useful purpose and was causing friction in the county. The News believes that this Klan did the wise and sensible thing and that it would be a great blessing to the people of this state and nation if all other klans would do likewise. Many of the Klanmen, however, feel that they are engaged in a righteous and inevitable warfare, and so long as they so feel, we may not expect many of them to follow the example set by the Brenham organization.

The indications are that a very heated political campaign will be waged in Texas and in Lynn county during the next three weeks. Let us not forget that we are all neighbors and that the other fellow is possibly just as sincere and patriotic as we. Let's be considerate and temperate in all things, in our thinking and in our speech.

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WHY NEWSPAPER EDITORS ARE WEALTHY

A child is born in the neighborhood; the attending physician gets \$25. The editor gives the loud mouthed baby and happy parents a send-off and gets \$0. When it is christened the minister gets \$10, the editor gets \$40. It grows up and marries. The editor publishes another long winded article; tells a dozen lies about the beautiful bride. The minister gets \$10 and a piece of cake; the editor gets \$400. In the course of time it dies. The doctor gets from \$25 to \$100; the undertaker from \$50 to \$100, and the editor publishes a notice of the death and obituaries two columns long. Lodge, society and church resolutions and a free card of thanks and gets \$4000. No wonder so many editors get rich.—Exchange.

THE COUNTRY DOCTOR

The neighbors often saw his rig go by When dawn first painted pictures in the sky.
"There's sickness down at Sterling's place," they said.
Or "Guess the doc's been dressin' Andy's head."
And sometimes they would see him ridin' past,
An' leave their buckwheat cakes to run an' ast:
"Hey, Doc is Mrs Hillock doin' right? An' did you bring a girl or boy last night?"
The dear ol, doc's fine face would beam with joy,
As he pronounced the tidings, "It's a boy!"
An' then he'd go a-joggin' down the line.
"Just what they wanted, Bill, an' doin' fine!"
A sort o' drawlin voice he had, but kind—
A kinder man you'd amost never find. Not much on bookshavin', his bills piled high—
He allus meant to send 'em by an' by But never bothered much. When crops were good,
He knew he'd get his money as he should.
Or if the price o' beef was up, he lowed,
He'd get his office ready for a crowd Still doctorin' he is where I was born, But now I s'pose he sounds a motor horn;
Time's mebbe changed his buggy to a car,
But he himself's as changeless as a star.
Still ridin' through the quitt country lanes,
A-heal'n' souls, as well as aches and pains.
—Anna Campbell

Rev. Felix S. Rountree of Corpus Christi is spending a few weeks with Uncle Ben and D. Rogers. He is a nephew of Uncle Ben's. He expects to be an applicant for the position of Chaplain of the next legislature. He was born in Travels county, when Texas was in her infancy, and he has helped to develop and build this great state of ours, both materially and spiritually.

GRAY'S ELEGY, UP-TO-DATE

The klaxon sounds the knel of parting day,
Some late arrivals through the dust clouds creep
And three hours after we havt hit the hay
The noise calms down so we can go to sleep.

Save where, from yonder pennant-clad sedan
The radio set emits its raucous squeal,
And underneath a near-by light, a man
Pounds until daylight on a busted wheel.

Beneath those tattered tops, those patent tents,
Where falls the dust into each sun-burned pore,
Each on his folding bed of slight expense
The rude explorers of the highway snore.

Let not ambition mock their creaky cars,
Their khaki clothes of vintages obscure,
Nor grandeur view, with hauteur like a czar's,
The short and simple flivvers of the poor.

The boats of shiny paints, the pomp of power
And all that charms the motoristic fop,
Await alike the inevitable hour—
The paths of touring lead but to the shop.

Can streamline hood or silver-plated hubs
Back to its mansion call the missing sparks?
Can plush upholstery foil the clumsy dubs
Who bang into your fenders in the dark?

Full many a boob of parent ray serene
Succumbs each sumer to the touring itch;
Full many a car is doomed to blush unseen
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—Spokane (Washington) Spokesman Review.

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**Old Romany Patteran
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Romany patteran is a gypsy phrase that is seen only occasionally in print. Kipling, Jack London and a few other writers have used it to describe the signs or trails left by gypsies. While the phrase is used only occasionally, it is used probably more in the United States where gypsies are abandoning their red wardos for speedier though less romantic automobiles.

Patteran, petrin, and patten are three words in Romnes, or the gypsy language, which signify the signs which one gypsy leaves in the road to show the route he has taken to friends who are following. The sign, or patteran, is usually found at the forks of a road. It may be a handful of grass or leaves thrown down at the head of a road, a bit of colored cloth tied to a fence, a cross mark on the ground, or a branch of a tree struck in the ground by the roadside. However, the true patteran is a handful of leaves; for the word in the gypsy language means the leaf of a tree.

The use of a patteran is understood, but not extensively practiced by gypsies. American gypsies probably use it less than those of some other countries. Highways and automobiles make the leaving of a trail impracticable, and the Romany patteran is even now spoken of by modern gypsies as a method used by the puro folkies drey the puro cheeros; that is the old people in the old days.—George Gatlin in Adventure Magazine.

Good Manner.

A country doctor in the north of Ireland was driving down a narrow lane, on his way to visit a patient, when he noticed an old woman in the middle of the road picking up some pieces of turf which had evidently dropped from a passing car.

Pulling his horse up to prevent running over her, he said, rather sharply, "Women and donkeys are always in the way."

"Sure, sir," said the woman, stepping to one side, "I'm glad you've the manners to put yourself last."

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Far-Sighted

Customer—But surely you don't really sell these watches at a dollar each?

Shopman—Oh, yes, madam.

"But they must cost that to make."

"They do, madam."

"Then how do you make your profit?"

"Repairing them, madam."—London Answers.

Judge C. E. Maye of Sweetwater spent Monday here on professional business.

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- FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
I. P. Metcalf

NOTICE TO ALL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS OF LYNN COUNTY

Although it will be impossible for me to attend any club meeting before August 6, I hope that you will continue your work. Be sure you do not forget your next meeting after August 6, for we will have something interesting to tell you.

I am so glad to tell the girls who work so faithfully in the clothing contest that they are to have a representative (each county is allowed only one) in the State clothing contest whether Lucy wins anything in this contest or not. I know all the club girls of Lynn County are glad that she is going.

Ruby Ash will represent the girls who took part in the biscuit contest, and I am sure that both Ruby and Lucy will have something interesting to tell you when they return from College Station.

All the clubs, both women and girls have been doing good work the past month, though we could do better on attendance. Look up your meeting date right now so you will be there next time.

Yours Sincerely,
Millie M. Halsey
County Home Demonstration Agent

CARD OF THANKS

I take this means of expressing my appreciation to the voters of Lynn county for their support in the July primaries. I shall endeavor to faithfully perform the duties of county attorney and be worthy of the trust you have reposed in me.
L. C. Heath

Skip Taylor and family returned Monday from Bronte, where he visited a brother several days. Skip says he caught the fish and won two baseball games while there. He was the pitcher for the Bronte boys in two hard contests with neighboring teams. The entire family had a good time.



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MARSHALL SIMPSON THANKS FRIENDS AND ASKS FOR SUPPORT IN SECOND PRIMARY

To the Voters of Lynn County:
As a result of the primary election held last Saturday, it becomes necessary for the voters of this county to decide, in a second election to be held on Saturday, August 23, whether one of my opponents or myself shall be the next Democratic nominee for Sheriff.

First, I desire to thank the many kind friends who expressed their confidence in my ability and fitness, on last Saturday, to serve in this capacity. In view of the fact that my opponents are each excellent gentlemen and each had a host of personal friends, I feel highly complimented by the vote which was given me.

Believing that the citizens of this county generally, both men and women, are alike patriotic and honest, and that they have sincere desire to elect only such men to office as shall best serve the interests of the people, I desire to state that if nominated and elected as your sheriff, it shall be my constant purpose and effort to render the very best service of which I am capable. I believe in the strict enforcement of our laws. I will spare no effort to catch the boot-legger, the gambler, the car-thief, or any other kind of criminal that may undertake to ply his unlawful business in Lynn county.

For the past few years, I have acted as deputy sheriff, but have been paid no salary. My compensation has been derived wholly from the fees collected for serving and executing legal process. I have had to depend on farming for a living. Yet, notwithstanding these facts, I have frequently given my time and effort to running down criminals and enforcing the law when I knew that I would receive no remuneration whatever. But if elected sheriff the responsibility of enforcing the law will be upon me, and I shall make every effort to enforce it to the entire satisfaction of every law-abiding citizen. I want to be the servant of all the people; not of one particular class or faction, but of all honest men and women, regardless of their political or religious convictions, and regardless of their preferences either in the first of the second primary. I therefore respectfully and earnestly solicit the support of all good men and women in my ambition to be your next sheriff and I will deplly appreciate your support in the primary election to be held on August 23 regardless of how you voted on July 26.

Very Respectfully,
Marshall Simpson

MILLINERY SPECIALIST COMING

Miss Halsey receives numerous inquiries from the women of Lynn County about Millinery work. Recently Mill Swift District Demonstration Agent notified Miss Halsey that Mrs. Barnes, Clothing Specialist of the A. & M. Extension Service would visit Lynn County and give a Millinery short course. Miss Halsey probably will have some more definite announcement to make when she returns from College Station next week. Watch for further announcements, for it is important that every club member in the county be present when this work is given.

BIG ENROLLMENT AT SIMMONS ANTICIPATED

ABILENE, July 30—Reservations for rooms in Mary Frances and Smith halls, the two dormitories for women at Simmons College, for the 1924-25 session are coming in rapidly and college officials anticipate these being filled to capacity by the opening day of registration. The halls can care for 145 young women students and were filled almost to capacity last year.

Preparations for caring for the biggest enrollment in the history of the college during the fall term are being made by the college officials. The registration for the opening term of the last session was more than 680 and college authorities state that every indication is that it will pass the 750-mark, setting a new high record.

At least 350 freshmen are expected to enter Simmons in September, according to President Sandifer who added that the enrollment of first-year students may even eclipse this record. The number of freshmen attending during the fall term last year was around 275.

Applications for rooms are pouring in steadily from young men over this section, many of whom are attracted for not only the scholastic equipment but because of the athletic equipment due to the signing of P. E. Shotwell, coach of the state high school champions last year, as athletic director. Athletes at Simmons have the advantage over those in many of the colleges and universities of the state in that they can participate in college athletics during the first year.

YOU ARE INVITED

Young people, if you are not attending Sunday School, you are invited to be in the Young People's Class at the Baptist Church next Sunday morning. This class is growing in attendance and interest. Last Sunday more than twenty were present. Your presence will be appreciated and you will be glad you came. Ten o'clock Teacher

BALDRIDGE FAMILY HAS RE-UNION

A family re-union was had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baldrige Sunday, the occasion being the birthday of Mr. Baldrige and one of the children. After the noon meal Sunday, all present gathered on the front porch of the Baldrige home, where a photographer took a picture of the group.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mayfield of Elida, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore and two children of O'Donnell; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Terry of Tahoka; and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Baldrige living six miles north of town; together with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baldrige and the three children still at home, Lee Cricket, and H. E. Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield left for their home Monday morning, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Baldrige.

W. L. Knight and family returned Tuesday from a trip which took them to the new oil fields at Big Lakt in Reagan county. Mr. Knight owns some land in that locality and he went down to just take a look. He says that oil standing around in pools looks good to him.

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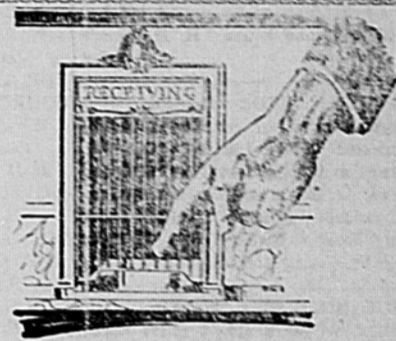
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I have a sixteen acre place joining the town of Knox City, Knox Co. that is well improved, that I want to trade for a farm or town property here.
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WANTED: to buy cultivators in good working condition. Will Montgomery.

FOR RENT: a two room apartment with running water, in stucco house. J. A. Brashear

FOR SALE CHEAP: lots 9 and 10 in Block 61; also lots 3 and 4 in Block 27. C. D. Keever, Lubbock, Texas. Phone 956. 46-31c

FOR RENT: 2 furnished rooms. Phone No. 13.

FOR SALE: A small house about 12 by 24 feet, to be moved off lot; good for camp house. H. M. Larkin 47-c

FOUND: Light brown, light weight man's coat, containing papers addressed to Ed Liedtke, Lubbock, Texas, and Bub Davidson, Vincent, Texas, in large envelop bearing return address of Mann & Mann, Lubbock, Texas. Owner may recover same by paying for this notice.

FOR SALE: One Holstein cow, fresh, four years old, 4 miles north of Grassland 1-2 mile east. O. R. Cook. 2tp

PEACHES

Peaches for preserving, eating, and canning at the Brownfield Nursery, Brownfield, Texas.

FOR SALE: Full blood, single-comb black Minorca cockrells. J. M. Doshier 48c

Slaton Property For Trade: One four room house on two East front lots, one five room house on West front lot, one six room Modern house on South front lot, all located close in to business district and rented. Two business lots with 100 feet frontage, four business lots with 25 feet frontage each, all practically clear of indebtedness, will trade for farm in Lynn, Garza or Lubbock County.
J. T. Overby, Slaton, Texas

LOST: Between Post and Snyder a black hand bag with my name on it. Finder please return to me at Court House in Tahoka. Millie M. Halsey.

FOR SALE: Registered grey hound puppies—Males, \$15.00; Females, \$12.50. \$25.00 per pair if taken at once. Nothing faster on the plains. H. D. Heath. 48-4tp

NEW CHURCH ORGANIZED AT NEWMOORE

At the close of a revival meeting held at Newmoore by Rev. J. M. Doshier, a Baptist Church was organized recently, with an initial membership of 12. The new church is planning to build a house of worship in the near future. A Sunday School has also been organized and is growing.

MUCH INTEREST IN PRIMARY ELECTION HELD SATURDAY

(Cont'd from First Page)
Tom Bell of Borden County, 179;
FOR STATE TREASURER:
C. V. Terrell of Wise County, 2040
FOR STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:
S. M. N. Marrs of Travis County, 2031
FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:
Robert H. Sparkman of Ellis County, 1123;
George B. Terrell of Cherokee County, 617;
FOR LAND COMMISSIONER:
J. T. Robison of Morris County, 1098;
Will L. Sargent of ... County, 404;
J. E. Binkley of Young County, 267;
FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:
Regular—6 Year Term
Clarence E. Gilmore of Van Zandt County, 808;
J. C. Mason of Taylor County, 556;
Ed E. Weaver of ... County, 313;
FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:
4-Year Unexpired Term
W. A. Nabors of Wood County, 610;
J. M. West of Harris County, 182;
Lon A. Smith of Travis County, 524;
Robt. E. Speer of Taylor County, 320;
FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:
2-Year Unexpired Term
Walter M. W. Splawn of Bell County, 1717;
FOR CHIEF JUSTICE SUPREME COURT:
William Clayton Wear of Hill County, 784;
R. H. Buck of Tarrant County, 318;
C. M. Curtion of Bosque County, 575;
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:
O. S. Lattimore of Travis County, 1998;
FOR CONGRESS, 18TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:
Marvin Jones, of Potter County, 2024;
FOR STATE SENATOR, 30TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT:
W. H. Bledsoe, of Lubbock County, 1082;
R. A. Baldwin of Lubbock County, 779;
FOR REPRESENTATIVE, 119TH DISTRICT:
J. K. Wester of Lubbock County, 1033;
R. L. Graves of Terry County, 757;
FOR CHIEF JUSTICE, COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, 7TH DISTRICT:
R. W. Hall of Potter County, 1999;
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, 7TH DISTRICT:
H. C. Randolph of Hale County, 1390;
Reece Tatum of Dallam County, 290;
FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 72ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT:
Clarke M. Mullican of Lubbock County, 1365;
Geo. R. Bean of Lubbock County, 632;
FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 72ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

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Parke Dalton of Crosby County, CITY PLANNING ICE 1077;
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Jno. L. Ratliff of Lubbock County, 812;
(Cont'd from First Page)
will depend, of course, upon the number of patrons of the system and the amount of monthly charges for the use of the sewer by the patrons. It is desired by the mayor and the city council that all who desire a sewer system and who will agree to connect up with it shall so report to the mayor or city council, so that they may have definite information on which to act.
It is to be hoped that the citizenship will respond readily to this request, for all recognize the fact that a sewer system is badly needed. The Mayor and City Council are striving earnestly to meet this need, but it depends entirely upon the citizenship as to whether or not one can be successfully installed and operated.

HALLIDAY THANKS VOTERS

I wish to express my deep appreciation for the support given me in the primary election last Saturday. I can never repay the kindness shown me by so many of the voters. I will just as sincerely appreciate the support of all who may find it in their hearts to cast their votes for me in the second primary to be held on August 23, and I earnestly solicit your vote and influence.
Very Respectfully,
Geo. E. Halliday

LOST: Hand crocheted purse, containing a five-dollar bill and one quarter dollar. Reward, Return to News Office. 1tc

Johnnie Davidson of Paducah, Cottle county, spent several days here this week visiting his uncle, Bob Davidson. Mr. Davidson is agent for the Gulf Refining Company in his town. He has been on a pleasure trip through New Mexico.

W. S. Swan was here from Big Spring Saturday to vote and to see the home folks.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this way of expressing our highest appreciation to our good friends and neighbors, for the kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our dearest wife, mother, daughter and sister. We especially appreciate the earnest prayers. We want you all to know we shall never forget every kind deed that was done. May God bless every one of you all is our prayers.
G. F. Patterson and Family
F. M. Sherrod and Family
C. E. Brown and Family
G. C. Shaffer and Family

ORPHANS HOME CERTIFICATES RECEIVED

Notice is hereby given to all who subscribed a few weeks ago to the fund of the West Texas Children's Orphans Home to be constructed at B. D. Loper is spending a few have been sent to the Lynn County News office for delivery to the respective donors. If you are a subscriber to this fund, call and get your certificate.
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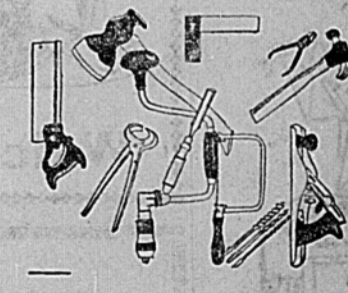
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