# The ©orman 椂rogress 

## IRTER WIIS MAJORTTY <br> atest Election Ever Held in Gorman <br> Most Disastrous Fire In History of Gorman!!!

Accepts Charter as Written and Takes in Large New Territory.

IS, MOORMAN AND DEAN NEW OFFICERS

## BASEBALL RESULTS

Monday when the vores rec
themselves favorably toward
the new city charter and the con-
missions form of goverament. There
were three ballots to be voted upon the main one being the new
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## was extended to include al

frament. This will give more
Oy revenue. The new chatter also
to be chosen by the mayor and
commissioners. Under this head will come greater efficiency of fur ther expansion. No city in Texa has a better form of government
or one with greater flexidility than or one with greate
One of the other ballots related to the adoption of a charter from the State statues relating improvements, By adopting will be possible to form improve
ment districts build sidemalks ment districts, build sidewalks
and pave the streets. This was and pave the streets. This was nable the city government, to forc necessary. The third proposition was the
election of officers to qualify as der the new charter, J. C. Davis the
present mayor was re-elected with mer Moorman and $J$ Franis Dean de great strides in the past year with the new powers and great
government we now have there ahead still faster in the next few ars.
Homer Moorman and Frank Dean mayor are in full accord with will make a go

## man's prosperity

y some of the element usually affored to progress and civic advane emsid but the vote shows the itizenship of Gorman is not app anything to boost our city.

## CHAMBEE OF COMMEEEEE

The Chamber of Commerce met in regular session and had much
business to attend to. The treasurer seported the funds in satisfactory condition and the membership re sponding to his calls. There were ew delinquents but they were pay the band, baseball park and other matters reported and showed the of ficers shoping themselves into good condition.

## HEW OLL IISPECGTOR

supervisor for the railroad com sion of Texas, has been transferto this district from Austin. Mr. Sloughter who has had cha-
of this district, has resigued ior better position.
Mr . Groves is a practical oil man and has had extensive experience in handling salt water conditions. st for the Federal Government in California.


Originating in the Rear of the Presbyterian Church Flames are Carried Through an Entire Block Causing \$1oo,000 Loss


## THE GORMAN PROGRESS

Devoted to the Interest of Gorman and Gorman Territory

Political Announcemen

## For Coun Dunnam

W. V. Dunnam
G. G. (Green) Hazel, re-election. Claude C. Wild
For County Clerk

Earl Bender
or Tax Assessor
Oscar Lyerla
For Tax Collector
John S. Hart

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District Juäge
For District Clerk
L. C (Clifford) Ree

Roy L. Nunnally
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Sohn Moore
H. E. (Elmer) La

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Magnolia Shortening, $\$ 2.90$ value, now
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You are not obliged to buy, just come in and look around.
A 15 per cent. Reduction For Saturday Only an all Dining room and Bed room Suits


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## Some Telephone Facts

It costs more to furnish Telephone Service tor day than it did a few years ago.

The cost of all materials and labor has in creased in the past few years, but telephone rates have remained fixed. . It is now imperative that telephone rates be slightly increased in order to meet the changed conditions.

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## SATURDAY, MAY 1ST

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