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## SILVER SOLDIER

 BURIED WEDNESDAY


## CARD OF THANKS

## NATURE OUR BEST TEACHER

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Even in winter the rain and the snow
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    Are stored in the soil to make our crops grow
    It's the wisdom of nature, who keeps things in store
    in store,
    Entered as second-class matter at th
    more.
    since Nature so wisely shows by her plan
    That storing will add to the comfort of
    That storing will add to the comfort of
    t looks like man this lesson would heed,
    And store for himself the things he may need.
    THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK has looked all aroun
But no better teacher than Nature has found.
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IN BRONTE
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SALES TAX
YES OR NO? (Editor's note: The article belo ple of Coke county and Texas, by L I. Youngblood of Bronte. It not on y contains his views
this newspaper, as well) this newspaper, as well.)
Time to vote on the constitutional amendment to abolish the State ad valorem tax is near.
Many will vote for the abolition of
the tax without any understanding the tax without any understandin
of the full consequences. of the full consequence public schools of Texas approximate ly four millions of dollars that is so much needed at the present time for the public schools of Texas.
We now have $\$ 3,000$. exemption, which takes care of the
average home owner, whether in average home owner, whether in ctiy
or country. Such owners do not no pay any State ad valorem tai Perhaps 60 per cent of the homes
and average size farms are now free from State ad valorem tax. A lion's share of State ad valorem tax now is paid by non-resident large
property owners such as big oil and property owners such as big oil and
gas companies, sulphur companies gas companies, sulphur companies,
big insurance companies and the billions of dollars invested by non-resident owners along the coastal areas of Texas.
I believe big business, and especial-
Iy the non-resident investors should contribute something to State schools
cone and the administrative expense of the State, by virtue of whose sovereignty
they enioy the ownership of such in they enjoy the owners
vestment in property.
Among those pushing
Among those pushing the passage
They do not come out in the opes
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and tell the whome out in the open They do
not tell you that as soon as the State ad valorem is abolished, then a cy
will go up for a general sales tax, and it will come as sure as the sun, rises.
Of course, the money to the schools Of course, the money to the schools
and State from the ad valorem will be supplied shortly with sales tax
that will affect all the people of Texas and especially the poor. The matter of relieving the burden
of industry and non-residents, is to of industry and non-residents, is to
place the burden squarely on the
backs of the rank and file of the people of this state.
How would you like to pay sales
tax on everything you buy? Even your groceries, gasoline, tires, cloth-
ing, and everything you buy from day to day. Do you know that if we have a
general sales tax everybody will pay
plenty and plenty and pay as you go. Do y
know that all merchants, small great, all the cafes, filling stations
and other places of business, will come tax collectors and many records
will have to be kept that will knock
your your hat off, and, brother, let me tel
you it will knock your hat off to pa Most of the States that have abol-
ished the ad valorem tax have fol lowed quickly with general sales tax
What do you think will happen in What do you think will happer
Texas? The answer is obvious.
Some of the pubbice servants
West Texas, representing servic groups, but fact playing politics, hav
been going about over Texas , holdin meeting, trying to pull the wool ove
the eyes of local Chambers of C merce, and other civic groups, get-
ting resolutions passed in favor of the amendment, asking for donations for
their support, and giving the people their support, and giving the peop
a double cross at the same time. I quote Senator Dorsey B. Harde
man of San Angelo, who said, "RE

## VOTE FOR <br> Judges

## Retirement

## Amendment

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men and others.

Join the 31 other states of the United States that have viding an adequate retirement system.

MEMBER that the adoption of this
amendment does not mean either amendment does not mean either

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| For Your Ambulance Service |  |
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| Phone |  | favor its adoption. It simply. mea

a shift in the collecting agency, raising revenue for the State in some other manner. The loss of revenue
from State ad valorem levy will have to be replaced from some othe
source, to wit, out of source, to wit, out of the pockets of
the RESIDENT citizens of the State of Texas."
I cannot vote for the proposed
amendment at the polls in November Yours for good government. Respectully submitted L. T. Youngbloo

HOSPITAL NEWS
Robert Lee and Mob Key. Davis of October 21: Mrs. Jack Dismore dis October 22: Mrs. Dale Thompso of Maverick and Miss Emma Conner dismissed.
October
October 23: Gilbert Fuentez's so admitted for emergency treatment.
October 24: Bernardo Fuentez dis missed. Shirley Frazier, three-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ro Frazier of Maverick admitted. October 25: Vincent Hanna and
Mrs. G. E. Davis dismissed. Mrs
Leslie L. Mrs. G. E. Davis dismissed. Mrs.
Leslie Lamers and Mrs. Jack Walter admitted.
October 26: Mrs. H M. Caston and
son, Mrs. A. T. Hughes. Son, Mrs. A. T. Hughes and Shirley
Frazier dismissed. Mrs. O. B. Jacobs Frazer
admitted.
October Oetober 27: Mrs. Leslie Lamemr

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