

## CULLEN F. THOMAS SPEAKS FOR NEFF

Large Crowd at Court House Friday Night to Hear Distinguished Dallas Attorney in Campaign Talk.

The district court room was filled Friday night to hear the campaign speech of Cullen F. Thomas of Dallas in the interest of Pat Neff for governor of Texas. In spite of the fact that Mr. Thomas did not arrive until 9 o'clock the crowd stayed until he arrived and throughout his speech which did not close until nearly eleven o'clock.

J. W. Reid presided over the meeting. He introduced A. S. Stinnett of Amarillo, who is chairman of the Panhandle Neff-for-Governor Club. After a very interesting talk, Mr. Reid introduced J. L. Dufflot, who spoke for nearly half an hour on the various reasons why Bailey should not be elected. When Mr. Thomas arrived he was introduced by J. K. Wester.

The speaker declared that a crisis in the affairs of Texas has been reached, the greatest since Richard Coke drove the carpetbagger governor from Austin. He declared that he was present to prevent Texas from welcoming a carpetbagger back to the state capital.

But in this connection, he pointed out that he had no personal bitterness toward Joseph Weldon Bailey, and would have naught to say in malice against him. He declared that he wished both candidates well insofar as their personal lives were concerned. But this campaign is not a mere matter of honoring the ambitions of any one man, for office is not simply for the gratification of personal ambition or the giving of personal honor, but is a definite call to service.

Two men are seeking the office of governor, he said, and he deemed it wise at the outset to state his position with regard to them. In his present mind, unless he changed it, he would vote for Pat Neff, and in his present mind, unless he lost it, he would vote against Joseph Weldon Bailey.

"True, he is human," he continued. "Some of them have said that he is too good to be in politics. I think not. No man can become too good, but if I had to decide between the two, I had rather support the man who was too good than the man who is not good enough."

"I am against Bailey on three grounds," he said. "First, I don't believe he is a good Texan. Second, I don't believe he is a good democrat. Third, I don't think he has shown himself to be a good patriot."

He declined to discuss the technical side of the first indictment, as to whether Bailey is a good Texan. He declined to say whether, if elected, he would be legally entitled to the office of governor. He based his argument on the first indictment on the ground that for twelve years Bailey has found nothing to interest him in Texas, having even sold his Texas real estate.

With reference to the third point, he said, skipping the second, for the moment, that Bailey was not a patriot, he declared it had been said he was "invincible in time of peace and invincible in time of war."

Taking up the matter of Bailey's democracy, he assumed that all would agree with him that a Democratic governor ought to be in harmony with the principles of Democracy. While he had no fault to find with the Republicans, he thought all would agree that a Republican should not be a candidate for office under democracy's flag.

He referred to Bailey's statement that if Woodrow Wilson was a Democrat that he, Bailey, was not a Democrat. "And yet," he continued, "the assembled Democrats, through their representatives, had said that Woodrow Wilson was the highest type of Democrat in the modern world."

"Which brings to mind the picture of the San Francisco convention," he said, graphically describing the gathering. "After the prayer of the chaplain, that first day, a great, life-sized oil painting of Woodrow Wilson was unfurled back of the speaker's stand amid a riot of cheering and applause."

"If Bailey had been there," he said, "he would have turned that picture to the wall, and he would have called in the police to quiet the riot of cheering."

And at San Francisco, he heard

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## McKNIGHT & HOWELL GET NEW HIGHWAY CONTRACT—\$25,000

The Commissioners Court was in session yesterday and opened the bids on the new highway which runs from Canyon to the Deaf Smith county line. McKnight & Howell of Amarillo were the successful bidders, their price being \$25,000. Their bid must be submitted to the Highway Commission at Austin for approval before they may proceed with the construction.

Judge C. R. Flesher stated yesterday that he was well pleased with the bid, which is a little under the estimate furnished by the engineer. He feels that the bid will be approved and that work will be started within thirty days.

Mr. Flesher also states that work on the Amarillo-Canyon-Happy highway will be started next week. This highway has never been completed under the old contract and the road has suffered under the heavy rains for want of care, but will now be put in first class condition by the county's road workmen.

## \$1,000 AUTO RACE AND ROUND UP

American Legion Will Put on Big Show During the Randall County Fair on September 8, 9, 10.

The Palo Duro Post is planning to put on a real show and Round-Up during the Randall County Fair which will be held in Canyon on September 8, 9, 10. Among the big features will be a \$1000 auto race.

A number of the boys got up a Wild West Show last Trades Day which was held at the Normal Athletic field. This gave them an idea of a bigger and better show to be pulled off during the fair. The officers of the Palo Duro Post and the Fair management were consulted, the result being that plans are now under foot for one of the biggest and best Round Ups ever held in Randall County. The show will be a distinct feature of the Randall County Fair, but under the entire charge of the Palo Duro Post.

## NURSE WILL ARRIVE IN CANYON SEPTEMBER FIRST

Mrs. B. A. Stafford, chairman of the Randall County Red Cross Chapter, has word that the Red Cross nurse assigned to Randall county will arrive on the night of August 31 to take up her work in the county.

Miss Louise Botsai has been given this work for three months, and if the local chapter wish the work continued after the expiration of that time, arrangements will be made accordingly.

Arrangements are being made to have Miss Botsai visit the schools and different localities of the county to carry on the work of home instruction. She will first be assigned to the Park community where she will give instruction. Miss Botsai will work under the Home Nursing Committee of the local chapter, of which Mrs. J. B. Gamble is chairman.

During the Randall County Fair on Sept. 8, 9, 10, there will be a Red Cross exhibit which will be in charge of the nurse and members of the local chapter.

## Land Sales Made

John Crawford of Iowa has sold his section south of town to Lester Smith.

J. C. Burnett has sold 200 acres three miles south of town to Joe Evans of Happy.

H. C. Roffey has sold a section near Happy to two men from Oklahoma.

R. W. Foster has sold the land he bought from Lester Smith last week to H. W. Crane of Goodnight.

Canyon Citizens in Sanitarium Lewis Foster underwent an operation Monday in Amarillo and is reported as recovering very nicely.

T. J. Morris has his eye removed Sunday at the Sanitarium in Amarillo. He is reported as resting very well.

Miss Roxy McCann is recovering very nicely from an operation Friday in the Sanitarium in Amarillo.

## Absentee Voters

If any voter will not be in Randall county on August 28, he may vote with the County Clerk from now until three days before the election. Mr. Gano has the ballots ready and has had a few votes cast with him for the second primary.

## 76 CENT TAX RATE SET FOR COUNTY

Slight Increase in Rate Made by Commissioners Over the Rate of Last Year.

At the meeting of the Commissioners Court Wednesday the tax rate for Randall County for the coming year was set at 76 cents, which is an increase of 3 cents over the past year.

The following levy was made for the different funds:

- For County Advalorum, 15 cents on the \$100 valuation.
- For Court House and Jail, 3 cents on the \$100 valuation.
- For Road and Bridge, 15 cents.
- For Jury, 10 cents.
- For Sinking fund, 18 cents.
- For Special Road and Bridge, 15 cents.

The county will levy an occupation tax upon all occupations taxed by the state, and in amount to one-half that levied by the state.

A poll tax of 25 cents was levied against all persons liable for poll tax.

## School District Levies

The following tax levy was made for the different school districts.

- In Districts Nos. 3, 6, and 11 the rate was set at 20 cents on the \$100 valuation.
- In district 5 the rate was set at 30 cents.
- In districts 1, 2, 4, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 16, 17, 20 and 21 the rate was set at 50 cents on the \$100 valuation.
- In district 18, the maintenance rate was set at 41 cents and the sinking fund rate at 9 cents.
- In district 19, the maintenance rate was set at 33 cents and the sinking fund rate at 17 cents.
- In district 22, the maintenance rate was set at 36 cents and the sinking fund at 14 cents.

**School Elections Carry**  
Special elections were held last week in three school districts for the purpose of increasing the maintenance rate to not exceed 50 cents on the \$100 valuation. All of the elections carried. In district 5 the vote was 12 to 1; in district 1, the vote was 6 to 0; in district 2, the vote was 5 to 3.

**School Notice**  
The fine line-up of teachers for the year 1920-21 should be encouraging to every patron of the Canyon Public School. Our superintendent reports all the teachers enthusiastic and eager to begin the work. Plans are being carefully laid that full affiliation on all high school subjects may be secured.

Our school books are arriving in ample time this year and the confusion of last year on that line is not to occur again. The school board is making some needed improvements which will make the building more attractive to our children.

Let us strive to make this a banner year for our schools in Canyon. C. L. SONE, Supt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dook left Tuesday for New Mexico to visit Mrs. Dook's brother.

**McCarter to Marry**  
The announcement was made Friday night at the Normal of the coming wedding of Thomas B. McCarter of the Mathematics Department of the Normal to Miss Jessie May Berry at Dawson on September 13. Mr. McCarter and bride will return to Canyon in time for the opening of the fall session of the Normal on Sept. 21.

**Building New Home**  
Miss Mary Morgan Brown has let the contract for a new six-room bungalow to be built on East Evelyn street east of the Bob Donald home.

## SEPTEMBER 8-9-10

The time is drawing near for the Randall County Fair which will be held on September 8, 9, 10. There is no reason why this should not be the greatest agricultural exhibit ever held in this section of the state. The general manager, C. F. Walker, has seen a very large number of prospective exhibitors and is promised the hearty co-operation in the display of farm and garden products. A liberal premium list is being prepared which will be published soon, giving the exhibitors a chance to win something on their displays, as well as to create a lively and friendly rivalry between the citizens of the county in seeing who raises the best products.

The finance committee is composed of J. B. Gamble, W. W. Kuehn, M. A. Henson, H. O. Price and C. H. Jarrett. This committee will need a lot of money to put on a successful fair. The citizens of Randall county will respond as they always have.

## PRESBYTERIANS TO BUILD NEW CHURCH

Unanimous Vote of Congregation Sunday Morning to Erect Church If Aided by Election Board.

In a Congregational Meeting on last Sunday morning the Presbyterian church of Canyon voted unanimously to erect a new house of worship upon the condition that the Board of Church Election of the Presbyterian Church U. S. A. give the aid that has been unofficially promised. The statements reaching the local church from the Board are the most favorable and it is understood that the proposition will go through at the next meeting of the Board which takes place in September.

The Rev. Mr. Holfield, the pastor, states that everything looks most promising and that all necessary committees will be in the field shortly at work in dead earnest.

The News expresses its most hearty good wishes to the Presbyterians in this worthy and needful undertaking. Canyon is on the climb toward a cleaner, better and a more wide awake little city and the churches are not and should not be reluctant in contributing their part in this steady upward climb.

## Bulletin Board August 28th

The Randall County News will again maintain a Bulletin Board for the election returns on the night of August 28th.

The News will make arrangements to have complete returns from Randall county on the primary.

As during the first primary on July 24, we are members of the Texas Election Bureau, and will receive telegraphic reports from Dallas upon the Governor's race.

The Bulletin Board will be maintained at the News office, and not at the Court House as was the Bulletin Board on July 24. All of the people of Randall County are invited to call at the News office and receive the primary election returns.

**Strong Man Gets Pinched**  
Jack Silvers, the strong man, was pinched Saturday night and coughed up \$9.75 in Justice A. N. Henson's court as the result of a "discussion" which took place in the Foy Tailor Shop Saturday afternoon. The "strong man" thought at first he could beat the case, but the looks of the jail when he was unable to make bond didn't suit him, so he paid it off.

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## CANYON POST OFFICE RECEIPTS ON INCREASE

An interview with local postal employees concerning information of public character this week, shows that postal receipts at the Canyon post office are steadily on the increase. In this article is shown receipts of the office for the half year ending July 31, 1920, and compared to receipts of the office four years ago.

Half year end. Jul. 31, '20...\$7658.89  
Half year end. Jul. 31, '17...\$4783.74  
Increase.....\$2875.15

Of this increase \$1393.60 was funds received for War tax internal revenue stamps, leaving an increase in postage stamps sales of \$1481.55. Sales of War Savings Stamps is slight now, seldom reaching \$100.00 per month.

Receipts for Money Order business: Half year end. Jul. 31, '20...\$32040.99  
Half year end. Jul. 31, '17...\$14244.41  
Increase.....\$17796.58

Total receipts of office for period from Jan. 1st, 1920, to July 1st, 1920 is \$39,699.88.

## TROPHY CUP GOES TO SPRING LITTER

National Duroc Record Association Gives Cup to be Awarded During the District Futurity Show.

C. F. Walker has received a Trophy Cup which has been added to the list of premiums to be awarded during the District Futurity Show which will be held in Canyon September 8, 9, 10 in which two hundred pigs from twenty-two of the best herds of Northwest Texas will compete. This Trophy will be awarded to the best Spring Futurity Litter in the show. The Trophy is given by the National Duroc Record Association of Peoria, Ill., in order to increase interest in the District Show.

The following breeders will compete in the Futurity Show:

- C. A. Price, Canyon.
- D. N. Redburn, Canyon.
- John Knight, Canyon.
- W. Laxton, Canyon.
- Henry Schultz, Canyon.
- Jeff Wallace, Canyon.
- D. V. Rusk, Happy.
- R. E. Prewitt, Happy.
- W. E. Armstrong, Happy.
- H. C. Roffey, Canyon.
- C. F. Walker, Canyon.
- L. B. Wilks, Canyon.
- Cass Jennings, Canyon.
- A. N. Burgan, Canyon.
- D. A. Park, Amarillo.
- D. L. Adams, Wayside.
- S. J. Frye, Tulia.
- J. C. Frye, Tulia.
- Alexander, Jones & Mickie, Childress.
- H. T. Neely, Amarillo.
- Leslie Neal, Dawn.
- Pat Wederbrook, Hereford.

## CITY VALUATIONS GO TO \$1,453,565—\$9,561.75 TAX ROLL

W. C. Black, city tax assessor and collector, stated yesterday that the total valuations on the city rolls this year amounted to \$1,453,565. He will collect a total of \$9,561.75 taxes from the rolls.

The city officials have heard from the comptroller regarding the issuance of bonds for paving, and a number of things are to be settled before this work may be started. While it seems most likely that there will be no stumbling blocks in the way, the city council will see that the way is clear before definite steps are taken to start work on the paving.

**First State is Depository**  
At the meeting of the school trustees Friday afternoon the bid of the First State Bank as depository was accepted.

The committee on the building is making a large number of improvements on the building and grounds before the time for the opening of school.

**Boys Business House**  
T. R. R. Atkins has bought the old postoffice building where he has had his furniture business for the past few years. Henry Sinebarger was the previous owner.

**More Rain Falls**  
More rain, amounting to from one to two inches has fallen in Randall county during the past week. No threshing has been done for more than two weeks, and grain that was not well stacked is suffering from the wet weather.

## GREAT INSTITUTE HERE SEPT. 6-10

Twenty-Two Counties Will Send Teachers to Consolidated Institute at the Normal.

The Teachers' Institute to be held in Canyon Sept. 6-10, will be the greatest in the history of the Panhandle. More than six hundred teachers will come from the following counties: Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Crosby, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Floyd, Gray, Hartley, Hale, Hutchinson, Lamb, Moore, Oldham, Farmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman and Swisher counties.

The following will be the program for the five days:

- Special Lecturers**  
Dr. David Snedden, Columbia University.
- President J. A. Hill, West Texas State Normal College.
- Judge Jas. D. Hamlin, Farwell, Tex.
- Superintendent M. H. Duncan, Amarillo, Texas.
- Superintendent B. B. Cobb, Waco, Texas.
- Frank R. Jamison, Amarillo, Texas.

- Instructors**  
B. B. Cobb, Superintendent Waco City Schools, Conductor of High School Section.
- J. F. Peeler, Dallas City Schools, Conductor of Intermediate Section.
- F. P. Guenther, West Texas State Normal College, Conductor of Rural School Section.
- Marie Riddle, Waco City Schools, Conductor of Primary Section.

- Officers**  
H. W. Morelock, West Texas Normal College, Conductor of the Institute.
- John H. Webb, Superintendent Dalhart City Schools, Chairman of the Executive Committee.
- C. L. Sone, Superintendent Canyon City Schools, Chairman of the Finance Committee.
- Travis Shaw, West Texas State Normal College, Chairman of the Committee on Boarding Places.

- Committee on Resolutions**  
Superintendent L. M. Fertsch, Superintendent J. K. Wester, Superintendent F. E. Savage, Superintendent J. E. Parks.
- Employment Bureau Committee**  
Superintendent F. E. Savage, Superintendent R. E. Silvey, Superintendent C. A. Gilley, Superintendent Wm. Younger.
- Committee on Social Entertainment**  
Superintendent L. M. Fertsch, Superintendent C. L. Sone, Travis Shaw.

- Committee on Publicity**  
H. W. Morelock, Superintendent Wm. Younger, Lizzie Kate Smith.
- Program of the General Session**  
H. W. Morelock, Conductor.

**Monday**  
8:15 a. m.  
Music—Wallace R. Clark.  
Devotional Exercises—Rev. Holfield.

**Welcome Address—President J. A. Hill.**  
Music—Wallace R. Clark.  
Response to Welcome Address—Judge Jas. D. Hamlin.

9:30-10:15 a. m.  
**Essential Factors in Teaching Citizenship—Supt. B. B. Cobb.**  
Intermission  
10:30-11:15 a. m.

**The meaning of Sociology to Education—Dr. David Snedden.**  
11:15 a. m. to 12 m.  
**Organization of the Institute.**  
Noon

1:30-2:15 p. m.  
**Teachers' Reports to**  
(a) County Superintendents—Judge Jas. D. Hamlin.  
(b) City Superintendents—Supt. John H. Webb.

**Tuesday**  
8:15 a. m.  
Music—Community Songs.  
Devotional Exercises—Rev. Fronsbarger.

8:45-9:30 a. m.  
**Towards the Program of True Liberal Studies in High Schools—Dr. David Snedden.**  
11:15 a. m. to 12 m.

**The True Function of a Normal College—Supt. C. L. Sone, President J. A. Hill.**  
Noon

1:30-2:15 p. m.  
**The Greatest Needs of the Panhandle Schools—F. R. Jamison, Secretary Panhandle Chamber of Commerce.**

**Wednesday**  
8:15 a. m.  
Music—Wallace R. Clark.  
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 Devotional Exercises—Rev. Garner.  
 8:45-9:30 a. m.  
 The Search for Minimum Essentials, Grades 1 to 12—Dr. David Snedden.  
 11:15 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Cultural Education—Supt. M. H. Duncan.  
 Noon  
 1:30-2:15 p. m.  
 Address—Representative State Department of Education.  
 7:30 p. m.  
 Reception: Normal Auditorium.  
 8:30 p. m.  
 The Rural Teacher's Opportunity for Cultural Development—Dr. David Snedden.  
 Thursday  
 8:15 a. m.  
 Music—Wallace R. Clark.  
 Devotional Exercises—Rev. Shaw.  
 8:45-9:30 a. m.  
 Some New Problems in Method—Dr. David Snedden.  
 11:15 a. m. to 12 m.  
 The Statesmanship of Teaching—President J. A. Hill.  
 Noon  
 1:30-2:15 p. m.  
 The Boy and the School—Mrs. Phebe K. Warner.  
 Friday  
 8:15 a. m.  
 Music—Supt. L. M. Fertsch.  
 Devotional Exercises—President J. A. Hill.  
 8:45-9:30 a. m.  
 Current Attempts in the Reorganization of Secondary Education—Dr. David Snedden.  
 11:15 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Fact Literature Versus Spiritual Literature—H. W. Morelock.  
 Noon  
 1:30-2:15 p. m.  
 Report of Committees.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Minimum Essentials in Rural Education—Dr. David Snedden.  
 Program of the High School Section Superintendent B. B. Cobb, Conductor  
 Monday  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Developing Morale in the Teaching Force—J. K. Wester.  
 Tuesday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 Relation of the Superintendent to the Public—Supt. F. E. Savage, Supt. R. E. Silvey.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 The Type of Small High School that Should be Developed in a Democracy—J. L. Duflet.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Getting the School Board to Function Properly—Supt. John H. Webb, Supt. J. E. Parks.  
 Wednesday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 Getting the Schools Before the People—Supt. B. B. Cobb.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 Physical Education in the High School—Supt. L. M. Fertsch.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 The Administration of Supervised Study—Supt. B. B. Cobb.  
 Thursday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 Selecting Material for the Curriculum of the Small High School—  
 (a) Mathematics and Science—Wm. Younger.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 (b) English and History—Supt. B. B. Cobb.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 (c) Home Economics—Jessie M. Harris, State Department of Education.  
 Friday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.

The Place of Mental Training in Secondary Education—Dr. David Snedden.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 Vocal Guidance—Supt. M. H. Duncan.  
 Program of the Intermediate Section J. F. Peeler, Conductor.  
 Monday  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Lesson Planning—J. F. Peeler.  
 Tuesday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 Oral English—J. F. Peeler.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 Written English—J. F. Peeler.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Aims and Means in Teaching Arithmetic—J. F. Peeler.  
 Wednesday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 Measurements of Efficiency—J. F. Peeler.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 The Study of History—L. F. Sheffy.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 The Social Recitation—J. F. Peeler.  
 Thursday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 The Teacher of Geography—J. F. Peeler.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 Literature for the Intermediate Grades—J. F. Peeler.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Organization—J. F. Peeler.  
 Friday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 Reading in the Intermediate Grades—J. F. Peeler.  
 Program of the Rural School Section F. P. Guenther, Conductor  
 Monday  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Relation of the Institute to the Rural Schools—F. P. Guenther.  
 Tuesday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 The Rural School as a Social Center—M. B. Johnson.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 The Relation of the Rural School to the County School System—F. P. Guenther.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Ways and Means of Meeting Rural Schools—Judge Lawrence Ashby.  
 Wednesday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 A Library for the Rural School—H. W. Morelock.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 Ethical and Aesthetic Training in the Rural Schools—F. P. Guenther.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Agriculture in the Rural Schools—Fred H. Ives.  
 Thursday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 Curriculum and Daily Program for the Rural School—J. L. Duflet.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 Kinds and Value of Opening Exercises—F. P. Guenther.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Home Economics in the Rural School—Mary Dorcus Cullum.  
 Friday  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.  
 School Credit for Home Work—F. P. Guenther.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 Kind and amount of English for the Rural School  
 Program of the Primary Section Miss Marie Riddle, Conductor.  
 9:30-10:15 a. m.

Demonstration Lessons in Reading and Arithmetic.  
 Tuesday—First grade.  
 Wednesday—Second grade.  
 Thursday—Third grade.  
 Friday—Fourth grade.  
 10:30-11:15 a. m.  
 Demonstration Lessons in Language and Spelling.  
 Monday—First and second grades.  
 Tuesday—Third and fourth grades.  
 Illustrated lessons in phonics.  
 Wednesday—First and second grades.  
 Thursday—Third and fourth grades.  
 Friday—General discussion.  
 2:15-3:00 p. m.  
 Music, Writing, Physical Training, Story Telling, Discipline.  
 Monday—Writing and music (first grade).  
 Tuesday—Writing and Physical training (second grade).  
 Wednesday—Writing and story telling (third grade).  
 Thursday—Writing and discipline (fourth grade).  
 Friday—General discussion.  
 Mark and Buddie Foster were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

LOCAL NEWS  
 Mrs. E. A. Oberst and daughter, Freda, left Friday for Falls City, Nebraska, to visit relatives.  
 G. C. Bram was in the News office Saturday and states he had 6 inches of rain in three days last week. He states that the row crop is looking fine. He did not have any wheat planted this year owing to the big crop of last fall making it impossible for him to get it planted.  
 Misses Saxche Simms and Alma Guenther left Monday for the Y. W. C. A. conference at Estes Park, Colo., as delegates from the Normal organization. They went with the Texas delegation on a special train out of Amarillo Monday noon.  
 GOULDY FURNITURE SALE CLOSING SATURDAY NIGHT: BETTER BUY NOW.  
 J. A. Oden is in Tucumcari this week attending the Round-Up.  
 Miss Mary Morgan Brown left Tuesday for Uniontown, Ala., where she will spend the vacation.  
 R. W. Foster and son Mark, were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

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### NEW TRICATINE AND SERGE DRESSES

These Woolen Frocks are always popular for early fall, because they can be worn without a coat on many occasions.

Navy blue triclotines and Navy blue serges; all are made up in a variety of beautiful way. All a bit different from the styles. You have had before straight lines, basque effects, straight blouse styles with knife pleated tunics and plain draped tunics, all are in good taste.

For simple every day wear, many of these dresses are rather tailored; while more elaborate models for afternoon and semi-dress occasions, are trimmed with self or colored embroidery and cut steel or the new bugle beads.

For as little as \$29.50, we have some clever styles in serge, and at \$39.50, \$49.50, \$59.50, \$69.50, to \$97.50 and \$127.50; here are lovely creations of high class triclotines.

### BEAUTIFUL FALL FROCKS OF RICH SILKS

Kittens Ear Crepe, Crepe Satins, Crepe Meteors, and fine light weight Satins are the leading silks for autumn dresses. Black and Navy blue are the two favorites, with the various rich shades of brown closely following.

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Most of the economic authorities believe that a great mistake was made in the increase of wages given the railroad workers. The cost of living was threatening to go down. There is not a chance now, as the increase in rates will add about one-third per hundred pounds to the shipping costs of all commodities. It gives the profiteers another excuse which will be gladly accepted.

Plainview has organized a home company to put up one hundred new homes in that city. That's what we call real faith in one's own town. Every town which has been crying for more homes, including Canyon, could organize such companies which would relieve the home shortage within a very short while.

Eugene Thompson has resigned his position with the Amarillo Tribune and returned to Dallas. Thompson, with R. H. Nichols of Vernon, organized the Tribune last fall, and the new paper is making a success. Mr. Nichols will continue the paper as sole manager.

Tennessee is the 36th state to pass the suffrage amendment, and unless something unforeseen happens the women will get a vote in the November election.

Newspaper reports have it that Villa was willing to embrace his worst enemies after a second drink. It would not have required the second drink in many a thirsty instance.

**Thomas Speaks for Neff**

(Continued from page one) submitted, plank by plank, a great platform, embodying the principles of a party. And yet that platform, according to Bailey's own statement, bears not a single plank upon which Bailey can stand.

"In his speeches," said Thomas, "he has repudiated every tenet of the Democratic faith."

Now Bailey is in Texas making appeals to the prejudices of men, and "sometimes, in his zeal, he descends to misrepresentations."

Bailey wants the office of governor, not for himself, but in order to break up a political oligarchy which seeks to control Texas. And that oligarchy of which Bailey talks, said Mr. Thomas, he tells us is composed of five citizens, namely, M. M. Crane, M. H. Wolfe, Tom Love, Cone Johnson "and me." He said that after he had read this statement of Bailey's he went home and got down the dictionary and he learned that an oligarchy is a "government by select men." Then he didn't feel so badly. (Laughter.) He didn't mind so much just so they didn't charge him with being a member of an "oil-igarchy."

"Since I am a member of an oligarchy, permit me to pick a counter oligarchy," he said. "Well, here they are: Bailey, John H. Kirby, Quintus Watson, Reinzie Johnson and Otto Wehrmund."

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he declared that Bailey is not a Democrat. He opposed Cleveland, he belittled Bryan, and he has denounced Woodrow Wilson.

How does Bailey stand with three leading Republicans? Mr. Thomas says that he bolted his party to vote with Senator Aldrich upon the tariff, and that Aldrich had never done one thing in his life for the poor of the nation. He was the close friend of Joseph Sibley, of Pennsylvania, tool of the Standard Oil Company, who died in disgrace. And when Lorimer was tried in the senate, while both good Democrats and good Republicans held their noses, Joseph Weldon Bailey went to his side to defend him.

"What kind of a Democrat is it who cannot get along with such Democrats as Cleveland and Bryan and Wilson, and whose closest fellowship is given to such Republicans as Aldrich and Sibley and Lorimer?" asked the speaker.

"And while it may be that Bailey is a Cox Democrat," he declared, "you may be very sure that Cox is not a Bailey Democrat. Bailey is swinging to Cox's coat-tail, and I call him a coat-tail Democrat. Among his followers there are some who may best be described as 'Cox-tail Democrats.' And every speech that Bailey would make for the Cox fortunes would be a speech by Bailey in joint debate with himself.

He discussed Bailey's opposition to the farm loan bank, declaring that his appeals to the prejudices of the farmers did not measure up to his failure to advocate the measures which to do the farmers the most good. He referred to the fact that he lined up with the Republicans in the senate to lend money at one and a half per cent interest to favored banks, but refused to give his approval to the federal land bank, which has loaned more than \$39,000,000 to Texas farmers alone.

Cries for Bailey's war record came from every side. He first discussed his position on suffrage. He said Bailey had once stated that he preferred the saloon to women in politics. "Every man to his own taste," he declared this to be a progressive and an enlightened age, and suffrage was coming to women around the world, Belgium and England both having granted it.

Referring to Bailey's prohibition record, Mr. Thomas reminded his hearers of the candidate's Beeville speech in which he said he favored every man having the right to make

"home brew for his stomach's sake." For the sake of his own and his hearer's boys, Mr. Thomas declared that he opposed the making of drunkards either at home or abroad, and that he believed the saloon, under regulation, preferable to any such scheme.

He praised the war record of Pat M. Neff had declared that Bailey had none; that he did not even make a four-minute speech for his country in time of her trouble. He declared that he loved the red, the white and the blue in the flag too well to want for governor any man who would favor obscuring any of those colors

with a streak of yellow. He declared that Bailey had not been alone in his opposition to the war. Emma Goldman had opposed it. She is in Russia. Eugene Deds had opposed it. He is in prison. Victor Berger had opposed it. He was ousted from congress. Joe Bailey had opposed it, and he was in Texas running for governor. In conclusion, the speaker made a strong appeal to Thomason and Looney men to join forces with the original Neff men to fight a common enemy.

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The past week has brought us many new things, including Piece Goods, Linens, Counterpanes, Quilts, Dresser Scarfs, Trimming Braids, Threads, etc. The different departments are now in prime condition and await your inspection.

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**LOCAL NEWS**

L. G. Allen, dean of the West Texas State Normal College, returned Sunday from Nashville where he attended a meeting of the Association of Teacher Training Institutions. While away he spent several days at his old home in Kentucky.

Mrs. P. A. Griffin of Coleman has been visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Allen, and her brother, L. G. Allen. Mrs. Allen has been quite sick during the past few days.

Percy and Zina Lamar, with their little daughter, Marie, visited at the parental Henson home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myers of Greenville is visiting his uncle, J. M. Myers.

**GOULDY FURNITURE SALE CLOSSES SATURDAY NIGHT. BETTER BUY NOW.**

J. C. Dowd was in Hereford this week attending the association.

R. O. C. Brumley was a caller in Hereford this week.

Mrs. Conway and Miss Jessie have returned home from Dallas where they have been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hopkins of Farris, Texas, is visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Reid, this week.

Mr. George of Waxahachie is visiting Mrs. Ackley this week.

G. L. Hopkins of Farris, is visiting at the E. W. Reid home for a few days.

Newton Walden and mother of Clarendon visited friends here Tuesday.

Pearl Favors returned to her home at May, Texas, after spending the summer here.

If you want to buy or sell real estate, see Foster & Gamble.

C. M. Jacobson of Lewisville is visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, Dr. D. M. Stewart.

W. W. Kuehn went to Oklahoma City Tuesday on business matters.

Misses Fair and Loretta Wiggins have returned from Chicago where they have been in school during the summer.

Mrs. E. H. Ackley and sons returned last week from Waxahachie where they have been visiting for some time.

Miss Freda Cheatham entertained a number of little friends last Thursday afternoon at a birthday party, honoring her 10th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Keiser and Miss Phyllis left today for Tucumcari and Albuquerque.

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Robert Ball is visiting relatives in Collinsville, Texas, this week.

Mrs. W. R. Duncan left Wednesday for Abernathy where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Will Merchant.

Miss Novella Forrest has returned to her home at Big Springs after spending the summer here in school.

Morris Jenkins of Amarillo was a caller here Saturday.

Johnny McDonald of Bovina was a business caller here Tuesday.

Mrs. L. L. Landrum left Wednesday for Elk City, Oklahoma, where she will visit relatives.

Curely and Lavan Woods were callers in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. B. M. Orton left Wednesday for El Reno, Oklahoma, where she will visit her daughter for a few weeks.

Roy Wight is out of town for a few days vacation.

Mrs. Lorenzo Wirt was a caller in Amarillo Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Maxwell were in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Willie Lockwood and children of Ralls is visiting at the Foy home this week.

Mrs. Corda Stagner of Bovina visited at the E. E. Foy home Friday.

Wm. Younger, Jr. was a caller in Hereford Tuesday.

Guy Baker and wife who have been visiting in Arkansas, have returned to Canyon.

Elmer Shotwell was in Hereford Tuesday on business.

Mrs. F. P. Luke and Mrs. W. H. Blaine of Amarillo were callers here Monday.

Misses Artie and Helen Doran, who have been here this summer, have returned to their home at Petrolia.

Miss Office Greer is visiting friends in Hereford this week.

Miss Gracie Penrod is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Toles of Happy this week.

Mrs. S. M. Downing and baby have returned from Kansas City where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Fulton Brown was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Winstead of Las Vegas, N. M., and Misses Josephine and Beth Hoffman of Madisonville, Ky., are visiting P. V. Winstead and J. M. Winstead this week.

**STRAYED**—Span sorrel horses Tuesday night. Reward for return to John Weyen, or phone Jeff Wallace.

**McKee-Parker Wedding**

Miss Mallevea McKee and Vernon C. Parker, former graduates of the W. T. S. N. C. were married at six o'clock Tuesday morning at the bride's home in Plainview. The guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. David Thomas, Minnie Adams, Esther Mayfield and Easton Allen, Miss Adams acted as maid of honor and Mr. Allen as best man.

The bride and groom and Miss Adams returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Parker will spend their honeymoon camping in the canyons; after which they will go to Boulder, Colo., to attend school the coming year.

**Commencement Held Saturday**

Dr. J. L. Henderson from the State University delivered a very forceful address Saturday morning at the commencement exercises of the Normal. Degrees were issued to two and diplomas to twenty-one.

Come to Canyon to live.

**AUSTIN KING RESIGNS FROM POSTAL SERVICE—GOING WEST**

Austin King has resigned his position as assistant postmaster of the Canyon post office and will leave soon after the first of the month for California where he will make his future home. Mr. King was made assistant postmaster when Cyrus Eakman was appointed postmaster four years ago and has been in charge of the business of the office ever since. He has been very efficient in his services in the local office.

He has also closed out the business of the Camera Shop which he has owned for the past two years, and will take the equipment with him to California when he goes west about the first of September.

His resignation will promote Miss Blanche Croson to the assistant's position after Mr. King leaves.

**Putting in New Shoe Shop**

A. R. Eastwood of Lockney has taken the building formerly occupied by the Camera Shop on the east side and has installed a new and up-to-date shoe repairing machinery. Mr. Eastwood has been in the boot and shoe business for the past ten years in Lockney and has made a great success of his business. The plant he is installing in Canyon is of the latest type and will handle all kinds of work.

Mr. Eastwood is a son-in-law of B. S. Livingston who recently bought the building now occupied by the business.

**Duncan-McMickin Wedding**

Miss Lorraine Duncan and Elmer McMickin were married Saturday evening in Hereford. The bride is a daughter of W. E. Duncan of this city and Mr. McMickin has been a barber in the Star Barber Shop for two years. They left for Colorado where they will make their future home.

**Holding Examinations**

State examinations are being held at the Normal this week. More than 200 students remained in the city for the series which will close tomorrow.

Judge C. R. Flesher will hold a series of examinations for teachers next Monday and Tuesday.

**Cummings Resigns as Janitor**

At the meeting of the Commissioners Court last week the resignation of J. W. Cummings as janitor of the county house was accepted, taking effect on August 15. A. W. Hancock was elected to fill the position.

**Tierra Blanca Association**

The Baptist Tierra Blanca Association is being held in Hereford this week. Those attending from Canyon are Revs. B. F. Fronbarger and J. T. Burnett, John Rowan, Mesdames B. T. Johnson, G. S. Ballard, B. F. Fronbarger and Miss Ida Rowan.

**Marriage License Issued**

John Payne of Plainview and Miss Imogene Cummings, daughter of J. W. Cummings, were married Thursday, Rev. Simeon Shaw officiating.

R. B. Cranby and Miss Ruth Walcott of Amarillo were issued license Saturday.

**Cattle Topped Market**

C. O. Keiser had a car of fat steers on the Kansas City market Monday which topped the market for the day at \$16.65.

**Stork Special**

A 9 pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mickle Wednesday morning at 1:30.

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**The Democratic Pledge**

The pledge at the top of the Democratic ballot to be used in the primary on August 28, contains two distinct statements joined by the word "and."

The first statement is "I am a Democrat." The second statement is "I pledge myself to support the nominee of this primary."

If a man cannot honestly affirm both of these statements he has no right to vote in the primary.

There is no such thing as a "National Republican" and a "State Democrat." The Democratic party in Texas in its platform endorses the National platform and its nominees. The National platform is made by delegates from all the states including Texas and its national nominees are nominated by delegates from all the states including Texas. If a voter in Texas does not endorse the national Democratic platform and vote for the Democratic national nominee, he cannot be a Democrat, hence cannot subscribe to the first statement of the pledge on the Democratic ballot; and has no right to vote in the primary, and it is the duty of election judges to refuse to receive the ballot of any man who refuses to take the whole pledge without reservation.

A. N. HENSON,  
Chm. Dem. Ex. Com.

**Methodist Picnic**

The picnic of the Methodist Sunday School scheduled for yesterday will be held Friday afternoon if the weather is good. The picnic will be held at the Bates pasture. Those who have no conveyance will meet at the church at 2:30. J. D. Gamble and Miss Ollie Sone are on the transportation committee. J. M. Vetek and R. R. Bates will have charge of the grounds and arrangements. C. W. Warwick will have charge of the ice water and lemonade. All Methodists and friends of the church are invited to bring baskets with lunch and join the picnic.

**Another Normal Teacher Chosen**

Miss Mary S. Yocom, Oberlin, Ohio, has recently been added to the faculty of the West Texas State Normal College. She will teach in the kindergarten department as an assistant to Miss Edna Haines, who organized the work last year and who will this year give most of her time to the teaching of kindergarten theory, while her assistant will do demonstration and critic work, and perhaps

**MICKIE SAYS**

SEN YA GOTTA FRIEND WHO USTA LIVE HERE, AINT YA? AN' YA DONT WRITE 'I WANT FRIEND AS OFTEN AS YOU SHOULD, DO YA? THEN WHAT YA OUGHTA DO IS TO COME IN 'N ORDER TH' CU' HONG TOWN PAPER SENT TO 'EM REG'LAR. THAT WILL SURE PLEASE 'EM



RANDALL COUNTY NEWS  
CANYON, TEXAS

assist in the music of the Training School.

Miss Yocom holds an A. B. degree from Oberlin College, and in addition to this has had one year of kindergarten work at the University of Chicago and one year at Oberlin Kindergarten-Training School. She is an active member of the Methodist church, taking special interest in Kindergarten and Primary Sunday School work. She is also very active in the Y. W. C. A. and will prove a valuable addition to the community.

This completes the faculty for year with the exception of a teacher of Physical Education for men—the position made vacant by the resignation of W. W. Willy at the end of the spring term. President Hill has been working hard for months on this vacancy, but so far has been unable to employ a man with the money that is available.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darwin of Cooper visited Sunday and Monday at the home of Mr. Darwin's sister, Mrs. L. G. Allen.

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**Who for Governor?**

We oppose Mr. Bailey on three grounds. **FIRST:** We do not believe he is a good Texan.

**SECOND:** He has not proven himself a good Democrat.

**THIRD:** We do not believe he has shown himself a good patriot.

Mr. Bailey has not for twelve years lived in Texas, not even owning any real estate here.

A democratic aspirant to the governor's chair should be in harmony with the platform as adopted at San Francisco, while Mr. Bailey is against practically every plank in it.

His war record speaks for itself, while he was "Invincible in time of peace, he was In-vincible in time of war."

Vote for Pat M. Neff of Waco for governor.

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We have bought the Normal Barber Shop and are now in charge of same. It is our aim and desire to serve the public with the very best work possible. You will receive the same accommodations that have heretofore been extended to you. Mr. W. E. Duncan is in charge of the Star Barber Shop and you will find good barbers there ready to serve you with good work.

Yours for better service and better work.

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**Affidavit of Commissioners' Court as to County Finances.**

In the Matter of County Finances in the hands of S. H. Heyser, Treasurer of Randall County Texas.

Commissioners' Court, Randall County, Texas, in regular session, August term 1920.

We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Randall County, and the Hon. C. R. Flesher, County Judge of said Randall County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 10th day of August, A. D. 1920, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the report of S. H. Heyser, Treasurer of said County, for the period beginning on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1920, and ending on the 31st day of July, A. D. 1920, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of said County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 31st day of July, A. D. 1920, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Articles 1448-1449-1450 and 1451, Chapter 1, Title 29 of the Revised Statutes of Texas.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of the said Treasurer belonging to Randall County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this 10th day of August, A. D. 1920, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit:

| JURY FUND   |              |              |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 1,587.21  |
| To amount received since that date  | 1.14         |              |
| By amount disbursed since that date   | None         |              |
| By amount to balance  | \$ 1,588.35  |              |
| Total   | \$ 1,588.35  |              |
| Balance to credit of said Jury Fund as actually counted by us on the 10th day of August, 1920, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of                 |              | \$ 1,588.35  |
| ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND  |              |              |
| Debit on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 1,708.58  |
| To amount received since said date  | 15.71        |              |
| By amount disbursed since said date   | None         |              |
| By amount to balance  | 1,692.87     |              |
| Total   | \$ 1,708.58  |              |
| Balance to Debit of said Road and Bridge Fund as actually counted by us on the 10th day of August, 1920, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total Debit of         |              | \$ 1,692.87  |
| GENERAL FUND  |              |              |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 3,009.20  |
| To amount received since that date  | 6.88         |              |
| By amount disbursed since said date   | \$ 323.56    |              |
| By amount to balance  | 2,692.52     |              |
| Total   | \$ 3,016.08  |              |
| Balance to credit of said General Fund as actually counted by us on the 10th day of August, 1920, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between disbursements since that day, making a total balance of                           |              | \$ 2,692.46  |
| COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND   |              |              |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 885.46    |
| To amount received since said date  | 4.56         |              |
| By amount disbursed since said date   | \$ 1.50      |              |
| By amount to balance  | 808.52       |              |
| Total   | \$ 890.02    |              |
| Balance to credit of said Court House and Jail Fund as actually counted by us on the 10th day of August, 1920, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of |              | \$ 808.52    |
| SINKING FUND  |              |              |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 27,293.34 |
| To amount received since said date  | 76.45        |              |
| By amount disbursed since said date   | None         |              |
| By amount to balance  | \$ 27,369.79 |              |
| Total   | \$ 27,369.79 |              |
| Balance to credit of said Sinking Fund as actually counted by us on the 10th day of August, 1920, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of              |              | \$ 27,369.79 |
| ESTRAY FUND   |              |              |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 446.81    |
| To amount received since said date  | None         |              |
| By amount disbursed since said date   | None         |              |
| By amount to balance  | \$ 446.81    |              |
| Total   | \$ 446.81    |              |
| Balance to credit of said Estray Fund as actually counted on the 10th day of August, 1920, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of                     |              | \$ 446.81    |
| ROAD BOND FUND  |              |              |
| Debit on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 5,495.99  |
| To amount received since said date  | None         |              |
| By amount disbursed since said date   | None         |              |
| By amount to balance  | \$ 5,495.99  |              |
| Total   | \$ 5,495.99  |              |
| Balance to debit of said Road Bond Fund as actually counted by us on the 10th day of August, 1920, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of             |              | \$ 5,495.99  |
| CEMETERY FUND   |              |              |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 182.48    |
| To amount received since said date  | None         |              |
| By amount disbursed since said date   | None         |              |
| By amount to balance  | \$ 182.48    |              |
| Total   | \$ 182.48    |              |
| Balance to credit of said Cemetery Fund as actually counted by us on the 10th day of August, 1920, including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of                 |              | \$ 182.48    |
| SPECIAL HIGHWAY FUND  |              |              |
| Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day of July, 1920  |              | \$ 3,068.35  |
| To amount received since said date  | None         |              |
| By amount disbursed since said date   | None         |              |

By amount to balance \$ 3,068.35  
 Total \$ 3,068.35  
 Balance to credit of said Special Highway Fund as actually counted by us on the 10th day of August, 1920, and including the amount balance on hand by said Treasurer at the date of the filing of his report on the 31st day of July, 1920, and the balance between receipts and disbursements since that day, making a total balance of \$ 3,068.35

**RECAPITULATION**

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Aug. 10, 1920, Balance to credit of Jury Fund on this day   | \$ 1,588.35  |
| Aug. 10th, 1920, Balance to debit of Road and Bridge Fund on this day                                   | \$ 1,692.87  |
| Aug. 10th, 1920, Balance to credit of General Fund on this day  | 2,692.52     |
| Aug. 10th, 1920, Balance to credit of Court House and Jail Fund on this day                             | 808.52       |
| Aug. 10, 1920, Balance to credit of Sinking Fund on this day  | 27,369.79    |
| Aug. 10th, 1920, Balance to credit of Estray Fund on this day   | 446.81       |
| Aug. 10, 1920, Balance to credit of Cemetery Fund on this day   | 182.48       |
| Aug. 10th, 1920, Balance to credit of Special Highway Fund on this day                                  | 3,068.35     |
| Aug. 10th, 1920, Balance to debit of Road Bond Fund on this day   | \$ 5,495.99  |
| Total Cash on hand belonging to Randall County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us | \$ 28,967.96 |

**ASSETS**

In addition to the actual cash as above, we find the following assets belonging to the said County, and to the credit of the following funds, which is also in the possession and custody of the said Treasurer, to-wit:

**BONDED INDEBTEDNESS**

|  |               |
|--|---------------|
| The bonded indebtedness of the said County we find to be as follows, to-wit: |               |
| Redemption Bonds   | \$ 13,000.00  |
| Court House and Jail Bonds   | 53,000.00     |
| Road and Bridge Bonds  | 50,000.00     |
| Total Bonded Indebtedness  | \$ 116,000.00 |

Witness our hands, officially, this 10th day of August, A. D. 1920.  
 (SEAL)  
 C. R. FLESHER, County Judge.  
 W. C. BAIRD, Commissioner Precinct No. 1.  
 PARKER D. HANNA, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.  
 J. J. BAUER, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.  
 E. E. ADAMS, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me, by C. R. Flesher, County Judge, and W. C. Baird and Parker D. Hanna and J. J. Bauer and E. E. Adams, County Commissioners of said Randall County, each respectively on this, the 10th day of August, A. D. 1920.  
 O. W. GANO, County Clerk  
 In and for Randall County, Texas.

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Highly Important to Keep It Free From Impurities.  
 For this purpose, no remedy can equal S.S.S., the fine-old blood purifier that has been in constant use for more than fifty years.  
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 We also have a full line of Paints.

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Everything in the Drug Store and then some  
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**SUPERIOR MEANS THE BEST—BETTER THAN THE REST**

Your satisfaction is assured when you buy the Superior.  
 The only Drill Manufactured that will sow Wheat, Oats and other grains in quantities that you may desire; it will sow from the smallest to the largest quantities.  
 THE SUPERIOR Telescoping Steel Conductor Tube always provides a direct, positive drop for the seed. No buckling, kinking, bending or collapsing. No cornstalk—not even the kick of a mule can knock one of these tubes out of the boot.  
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 WARRANTY: Castings replaced one year or twenty years if shown to be defective. Disc Bearings replaced free if they ever wear out. Every Drill guaranteed to be and do all we claim.

Be Sure You Get the Superior Drill—Imitations Are On the Market  
 EVEN SOWING MEANS EVEN GROWING  
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**Thompson Hardware Company**



**Summer Comforts**

Each day during the warm months you will find it convenient to have one or more of the Toilet Needs now on display at our store. We guarantee the purity of each preparation we sell even though the price maybe less than what you have been paying.

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**Cleaning and Pressing CLOTHES MADE TO MEASURE**

We will clean and press your clothes and make them look like new. With our dry cleaning system you need fear no bad results by tearing or soiling in the process of cleaning. The most delicate fabrics can be cleaned without slightest injury.

When you need a new suit call and see our fine line of samples from which to select and we will be glad to take your measure and have it made by the world's most efficient tailors.

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The farmers of America are appreciating more fully each day the increased profits that come from power farming. The army of FORDSON owners now numbers 100,000 and is continually growing in size.

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We can supply you with these specialized farm implements. The service which we offer you is secondary in value only to the FORDSON themselves, for it is your assurance of the continuous successful operation of your power farming equipment. There can be no costly delays in your farming program.

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 FORD DEALERS

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Elizabeth Barnhart left Monday for Plainview where she will visit for a few days before returning to her home at Childress.

Miss Thelma Black is home from Dumas where she attended a house party given by Mrs. Millard Word.

E. Burroughs was in Amarillo Sunday on business.

Jerry Jarrett returned home Sunday from Grandbury where he spent his vacation with relatives.

L. T. Davault Jr. is visiting Mrs. Frank Watson at Melrose, N. M., this week.

P. D. Hanna and family were in Amarillo Monday visiting friends.

Albert Terry of Plainview is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Virginia Hanna returned to her home at Galveston Monday after spending the summer here.

**GOULDY FURNITURE SALE CLOSES SATURDAY NIGHT. BETTER BUY NOW.**

Miss Margaret Lions, who has been visiting friends here for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Amarillo Tuesday.

Misses Wilma and Wynona Burgan are visiting friends near Friona this week.

Lawson and Charlie Moreland of Hockney are visiting friends here this week.

Earl Stewart and John Downing were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

Nannie Hix and Clifford McCann were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

Miss Fay Foster, who has been visiting friends and relatives here for the past few weeks, returned to her home at Madison Mount Saturday.

Miss Helen and Artie Doran were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Latson and son Harvey, visited Sunday afternoon at the Mrs. Anna Bentley home in Amarillo.

Bob Patton visited friends in Amarillo Sunday.

W. E. Heyser was in Amarillo Sunday to visit his wife who is in the St. Anthony Sanitarium for treatment.

Lorenzo Wirt and family were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

Miss Birdie Lee Burkhalter visited friends in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Shirley left Wednesday for Fort Worth and Dallas where she will visit friends and relatives for a few weeks.

R. A. Terrill, M. B. Johnson and D. A. Shirley left Monday for Mertson for a short vacation.

Elmer Wilson of Roger, Texas, is here this week on business.

B. S. Livingston and family left Tuesday for points in Oklahoma where they will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Miss Emma McClesky was a caller in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Charlie Mitchell of Tulia has moved here this week.

Edwin Gidden left Monday for Memphis to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Donald left Monday for Dallas to visit friends and enjoy a few days vacation.

Mrs. Jessie Haney and daughter, Ora Mae, left Monday for Hamlin to visit relatives for a few days.

James Burgess of Amarillo spent the week end in Canyon with home folks.

LOCAL NEWS

Homer and Laurence Stewart were callers in Amarillo Saturday.

Sherrill Williams of O'Donnell is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Pearl Jenkins spent the week end with home folks in Amarillo.

C. N. Harrison and L. A. Pierce transacted business in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Alvis Kincaid of Chillicothe is visiting at the M. O. Slack home this week.

Mrs. Suda B. Anthony of Amarillo was a caller here Saturday.

Mattie McGehee, who has been attending the Normal has returned to her home at Wayside.

Mrs. Bushell Lovejoy of Amarillo is visiting relatives here this week.

Armeans Park visited friends in Amarillo Sunday.

Gladys Willis was a caller in Amarillo Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Reid was a visitor in Amarillo Sunday.

Felix Neff and sister, Miss Gladys, of Happy visited friends here Saturday.

Oscar Ganp was in Amarillo Friday to meet his wife who has been visiting her sister at Esteline.

Geo. B. Jordan was in Amarillo Friday on business.

Miss Ora Wilson left Saturday for her home at Snyder. Miss Wilson has been a student in the Normal for the past year.

John Flesher of Happy visited his brothers here Saturday.

Mrs. Cass Jennings left Monday for Lubbock where she will visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Shennelfelt of Happy visited at the J. W. Wooten home Monday.

W. J. Wooten was a business caller in Amarillo Monday.

Miss Mary Lou Oliver returned home Sunday from Cloudercroft, New Mexico, where she has been the greater part of the summer with relatives.

Polly Clark left Saturday for his home at Iowa Park after spending the summer month here attending school.

Miss Pauline Rice went to Plainview Sunday where she will visit Miss Ruth Harrison for a few days.

Misses Mozelle Parker, Birtie Hiatt and Era Morris returned to their home at Vernon Saturday after attending the Summer Normal.

D. Burgan left Saturday for Wichita Falls, after visiting several days at the A. N. Burgan home.

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City Taxes Due

Notice is hereby given that the city taxes for the city of Canyon City, Texas, for the year 1926, are now due and payable at my office at the court house. On September first the taxes become delinquent and will take a penalty.

W. C. BLACK,  
City Tax Collector.

Myrtle M. Powell C. D. Powell

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Real Estate and Rentals  
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LOCAL NEWS

Albert Henson has returned to Canyon after a short visit to relatives in Oklahoma. He will remain here for a short time before returning to his home in Glendale, Oregon.

F. V. Friemel was in the city Tuesday on business. He states that he had three-fourths of an inch of rain Tuesday morning before any fell in Canyon. He states that very few have had a chance to thresh in his community owing to so much rain.

Mr. Friemel has plowed about 100 acres for wheat this fall, and believes that the wheat acreage will be very large if the rain stops long enough.

L. A. Estes, a real estate man of Shamrock transacted business in Canyon Wednesday and visited his brother-in-law, A. N. Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gamble and Miss Tip Bradford will leave Friday for a two weeks visit in Tennessee.

C. J. Crawford returned Monday from Kansas City where he has been with Mrs. Crawford for medical treatment. Mrs. Crawford will remain there for a few weeks.

Mrs. Millard Word of Dumas spent Sunday night at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Ingham.

J. E. Rogers returned Tuesday from McLean where he visited at the home of his mother for the past week. He reports very flourishing conditions in that section of the Panhandle.

John Myers and family of Greenville visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Myers Saturday.

Presbyterian Church

At 9:45 a. m. next Sunday the Sunday School will meet and it is hoped that the Presbyterians of this town will give their heartiest support to this phase of the church life. No one who cares anything at all for Religious Education would be willing for the Sunday School to be abandoned. But they do not make any contribution to the life of the Sunday School. Come on, Presbyterians, let's move up a peg.

"THE CHRISTIAN" will be the subject of the sermon on next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. It will be in the nature of a character study of the Christian, a profitable consideration for all.

7:30 is the hour of meeting in the evening service. Take note of the change in time. An excellent attendance was in evidence last Sunday night. Let's make it still better on this coming Sunday.

A cordial welcome attends all who may care to worship with us. Quit starving your soul. Go to Church Sunday.

TED P. HOLIFIELD, Pastor.

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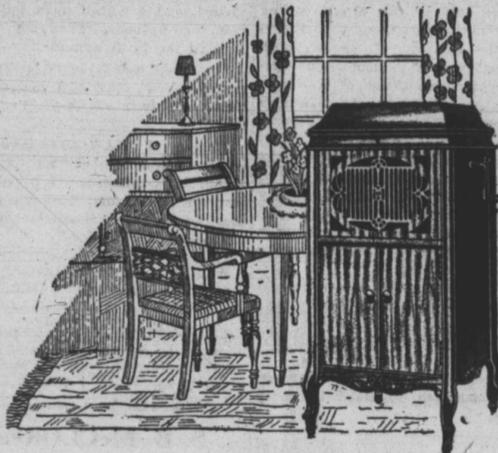
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All the elements contributing to this which existed last year still exist, only more so:

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When you are having trouble with your car and drive in here, the first thing we do is to locate the trouble. Our men do not guess, they know.

Hence when you receive your bill from us you can feel certain that it is only for work actually necessary.

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Randall County News

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—when "delicious and refreshing" mean the most.

THE COCA-COLA COMPANY ATLANTA, GA.

**Notes from Wayside**  
 We are having lots of rain, row crop prospects exceptionally good. There are at a stand still, too wet to work.  
 Protracted services closed Sunday night. Some good accomplished but not as much as desired. Two infants baptized Sunday morning by Rev. J. T. Low, Lyman York McGee and Fannie May Franklin. Mrs. Ruby Aycock reclaimed, united with the church Sunday morning and was immersed in the afternoon.  
 Friends of Albert Schaffer, formerly of Ceta, late of Seattle, Wash., will be glad to know he will probably visit homefolks sometime in the near future. Also rejoice with his mother to know he has embraced religion and is working in a mission.  
 Most of the lumber is on the ground for Mrs. Ruby Aycock's residence. Her lot in Wayside, given by W. D. McGee is Nth of his community garden. This garden is yielding a fine supply of vegetables which are free to the public.  
 Misses Mattie and Bernice McGee have returned home from Canyon, where they have been attending the Summer Normal.  
 Tidings from Mrs. E. J. Fisher and party report they have reached Mrs. George Brown's at Barstow, Texas, safely.  
 J. T. McGee has presented five acres of land to Rev. J. T. Low and wife in Wayside. Rev. Low has decided to locate in Texas. He has purchased 140 acres of land from L. S. Fisher.

**Happy Happenings**  
 W. C. White and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Leath and daughter, Miss Allie, and Gene Zachery and family spent Friday in the canyons. They got lots of grapes.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Waite and son, Troy, came in Sunday from an extended trip to several points in Oklahoma, making the trip in their car. E. A. Logan and S. C. Whitman left last week on a pleasure and business trip through New Mexico, Colorado and other points.  
 M. W. Fields and family, who have been visiting his sister, Mrs. G. B. Banard, left Saturday for their home at Nacoma. Mr. Fields bought the Will Armstrong place here.  
 Miss Margaret Dillon of Canyon came down Saturday to visit her brother Lester Dillon and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White, J. T. White and Miss Eva McManigal were shopping in Amarillo Friday.  
 Hugo Fehr was an Amarillo caller Saturday and returned with a new Dorr car.  
 Mr. Brown and family of Fort Worth were visiting his brother, W. H. Brown, last week.  
 W. C. White and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Leath visited the G. R. Stratton home Sunday.  
 Charlie and Clyde Waite, Virgil and Hall Wren and Harry Haygood left Monday for Colorado where they are going to take up claims.  
 J. O. Bradenburgh was a business caller in Amarillo Friday.  
 Mesdames Maud Long and J. H. Stephenson were shopping in Tulsa Saturday.  
 M. B. McManigal and Ervin were Canyon callers Tuesday.  
 Mrs. John Bronson of Joshua came in Friday to visit his sister, Mrs. Bandy.  
 Miss Allie Leath went to Canyon Saturday.  
 C. S. Sanford and wife, Miss Alice Wooton and Charlie Wooton were Tulsa visitors Friday.  
 Miss Sallie Mulkey went to Plainview Sunday where she underwent an operation Monday for appendicitis. She is doing nicely.  
 Mrs. Dillon and children of Canyon came down Sunday to visit at the Lester Dillon home.  
 Jim Balew of south Texas is visiting his niece, Mrs. J. B. Knox, this week.  
 Mrs. J. A. Edwards and children visited Sunday at the S. C. Whitman home.  
 Barney Sextro of Iowa was here last week looking after his land interests.  
 Will Armstrong has sold his place east of town and bought the Bates place south of town.  
 Mrs. Ora Innis left Sunday for Iowa to visit the Innis home. Mr. Innis being quite sick.  
 Announcements have been received here by several, announcing the marriage of Miss Pearl Bomar to Homer W. Simpson at her home in Silverton. Miss Pearl was our primary teacher last year.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Leath were visiting at the W. W. Stephenson home in Tulsa Saturday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stephenson and daughter, Grace, of Tulsa passed through here Monday on their way to Colorado.

**The Methodist Church**  
 9:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
 10:45 a. m. Dr. W. E. Lyon, Conference Missionary Secretary will preach and at 7:30 p. m. will give a streoptican lecture. Dr. Lyon is in charge of the Centenary collection and all subscriptions to the Centenary fund are requested to make their 1926 payments before he comes. There will be no collection at either service.  
 3:30 p. m. Preaching at Ralph School house.  
 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Prayer meeting.  
 A cordial welcome at all these services.  
 Simeon Shaw, Sr. Pastor.

**To Get Rid of Rats**  
 Traps will seldom catch the rat and often poisoned food will not be touched by them but if you will lay off your barn with planks leaving an open space in the center, converging from all points of the building, making a paste of concentrated lye to cover this central space the rats in running around these boards will get the concentrated lye on their feet, which, burning them, will cause them to lick off the lye which invariably causes death.  
 Come to Canyon to live.

**THE FARM BOYS' SPECIAL**

The Amarillo boosters are not the only fellows having a big time this week. That train load of Texas farm boys who are "making a State a Day" on their 5,000-mile trip across, around and over the nation are having some time. A hundred and twenty-five Texas farm boys gathered up from fifty-one different counties, representing every part of Texas, are having the time of their lives. And the main reason they are enjoying the trip so much is that the whole round trip is a prize. Did you ever win a prize? There is something about it that only two can feel; they are the one that wins and the one that fails. These Texas farm boys are the ones who have won. They have proved by actual results that they are the best corn growers, the best grain, pork or cattle growers in their respective counties and as a reward their Uncle Sam and a few other friends are giving them this trip across the continent. Many of these boys have never seen a sun rise or a sun set out side of Texas. To them the sun, moon and stars, came up and went down for Texas. Some of them had never had a real ride on a railroad. Can you imagine a dear little old boy taken from the cotton patch, cleaned up spink, spank and loaded onto a Pullman car, with bed, breakfast and all en route surrounded by newspaper men, college professors and their wives, agricultural demonstrators and a trained nurse, speeding across the country from Texas to Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, New York, Washington, D. C., Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Louisiana and home again? This is their route with stop overs at some of the finest farms in America, several Agricultural Colleges, Chicago, New York, Washington City, Niagara Falls, a short trip into Canada and other interesting places.  
 There is a feeling of mutual pride in the party. The boys are proud of themselves for winning the trip and proud of those who are looking after their interests on the trip. And the party in charge of the boys are proud to be sent along with the prize farm boys of the greatest agricultural state in the world.  
 There is no possible way to measure the value of this trip to the boys themselves and to Texas. We firmly believe the very best way to develop and build up a state is to develop and educate its children. Texas has tried long enough to rise in the scale of civilization, wealth and production, by using her children to develop her resources. As a result Texas today stands eighth in the production of wealth in the list of forty-eight states and thirty-eight in the education of her children. Texas, the largest state in the Union, now ranks third in the production of oil and has an average citizenship below the sixth grade. Texas sees her mistake and our greatest thinkers and our most constructive state workers are determined from this hour on that the resources of Texas shall be used to develop our children instead of consuming the lives of our children to develop the resources of our great state.  
 No matter how many oil wells may be discovered; no matter how much gas may be harnessed and set to work; no matter how many bushels of grain or tons of feed may be produced per acre; no matter what price the land may reach; as a state we will eventually be judged by the kind of men and women our state produces. The standard of our citizenship will be the final test. And the quickest, safest, surest, most honorable way to raise the price of land, increase its production and create real, state wide wealth is by making our children more fit to live and more capable to perform the duties of the home, the state and the nation. The State and Federal Government, the bankers and other friends of these farm boys might have given these boys the same amount of cash that the trip will cost as a prize but not one of these boys could ever have taken such a trip alone on his prize money. The fact that the boys are going, proves that they can make the money for themselves. But the inspiration and the education gained during these three weeks could not be bought for any price. The loyalty to state and nation could not be bought with money. The Government knew the trip would be worth a thousand times more to the lives of these Texas boys than the dollars it would cost. And as a State we should every one be proud of this trip.  
 We are especially proud that the Panhandle is represented. Swisher County leads the Panhandle with six representatives. They are Joe Asbury, Tulsa; Clarence Dinwiddie, Tulsa; Wallace Hutchinson, Tulsa; Ray Bivins, Tulsa; James Vanerson, Tulsa; Sidney Todd, Tulsa. Three cheers for Tulsa and Swisher county. Wilbarger County is second in the Panhandle district. The representatives are Robert January, Tolbert; Newman Hughes, Tolbert; Evans Mason, Vernon; and Dixon Boyer, Vernon. Jedd Morrow, manager of Vernon Chamber of commerce, and R. N. Tisdale, County Agent of Wilbarger County accompanied the Wilbarger County boys. Other Panhandle prize winners on the trip are: George Walton, Amarillo, Potter county; Frank Robinson, Paducah, Cottle county; and Robert Hester, Canyon, Randall county. The Panhandle is justly proud of these thirteen boys who have won such a prize for their worthy work. The one regret is that we do not have a County Agent in every Panhandle county, directing and inspiring our boys in the art of good farming—and scientific stock raising. Some day we will when we awake to a fuller appreciation of our boys. Until that day, let us all rejoice with the hundred and twenty-five Texas boys who did win the trip and work for a delegate from every county next year.—Phebe K. Warner in Amarillo Tribune.

**Primary Election Notice**  
 In compliance with the election laws of the State of Texas, as county chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of Randall County notice is hereby given that a primary election of the Democratic Party will be held at the several voting places in Randall County on Saturday, the 28th day of August, 1926, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas.  
 The presiding judges who held the primary elections on the 24th day of July, this year, will hold said primary election with the aid of such assistants as they may appoint, and make due returns of said election to me as the law directs.  
 No one is permitted to vote in said election except Democrats who have paid their poll tax for the year 1919, and are otherwise legal voters on that day.  
 A. N. HENSON,  
 Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, of Randall County Texas.

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