

Here In HICO

Texas voters have again proved that when it comes to governors, they like 'em fancy—they like 'em fancy, with fringe around the edges and sporty in appearance and disposition.

The Democratic State which once voted for a Republican President, which elected the wife of an impeached governor to the office he once held, the unpredictable electorate of the largest State in the Union has chosen for the office of Governor a man unknown to politics—a man who campaigned as a business man and who rode into office without the blessing of the "professional politician" whom he constantly lambasted in his public speeches and over the radio.

W. Lee O'Daniel, nominated Governor last Saturday by a majority of the voters in the first primary, something that has never happened before, will be Texas' Governor. He has a wonderful opportunity to make good on some of his promises, and will need the help and cooperation of his friends and erstwhile enemies alike in conducting the affairs of the office which he sought with such startling success.

Here's hoping he is as successful as a governor as he was as a candidate, and that we may continue to be amazed by his tactics, which seemed to work so well in getting votes.

An Erath County neighbor swears he hasn't had biscuit for breakfast in years and years. His wife was an O'Daniel supporter, while his favorite for Governor was one of the "professional politicians."

Did he burn up Sunday morning when, after hearing over the radio that the "biscuit man" was elected by a landslide, he went to breakfast and found a plate of steaming hot biscuits adorning the family board?

Tentative arrangements had been made by the Reunion committee for a local appearance of Mr. O'Daniel at the August picnic, but his election without the necessity of a run-off automatically side-tracked that attraction which had been looked forward to with anticipation not only by his supporters, but by others who wanted to look at and hear the man who was making so much smoke in his campaign.

There will be other run-off races however, Mr. Cheek states, to bring prominent speakers to the Reunion, and crowd will be well entertained with hillbilly music, a la the local variety. Old fiddlers, singers and other folks who like to congregate for fellowship and entertainment will get together at the Reunion in greater abundance than heretofore.

With the first primary out of the way, it is now proper to all head our best efforts toward making the 56th celebration of Hico's annual picnic an unparalleled success.

Our mail for the past thirty days has contained numerous "wish you were here" and "sleeping under blankets" post cards which, strange to say, fail to prove us as much as when we have to stay at home while our good friends are raddling about. What the heck, anyhow, didn't we have a one-day vacation last month on a fishing trip at Menard?

The latest card comes from Rufus, Jr. (Bud) Higgs, who never fails to keep us posted on his seasonal meanderings. After describing the scenery briefly, Bud told us about the bears he was encountering in Yellowstone National Park, and closed with the pertinent remark, "I'll see you in Vignettes."

See us in Vignettes is what he did, if he read Mr. O'Brien's column in the Fort Worth Star Telegram last Sunday. Or he would have, had not that diktary run true to form and got mixed up in his nomenclature again. He got nearer to right than usual, you probably noticed. Bud, when he sent a parenthetical greeting to W. Lee Hico of Holford.

Since the election we have heard several of our friends say their man won, one even going so far as to say he didn't lose a vote.

While we can't make such an assertion, we can truthfully say that we ain't mad at nobody, and that we bow to the majestic will of the voting masses in their choices so far in the various races. We lost some votes, as usual, and our man came through in some instances. Which makes us glad that during the heat of this campaign we didn't make any statements which we might have to eat later.

Our dear brother-in-law who was running for district attorney over in East Texas got elected by a clear majority over his two opponents. Which at first was good news to us, but later gave us a start when we remembered that he threatened to bring his wife and

Will Occupy Governor's Mansion Next Year



Outstanding all his dozen opponents in the Governor's race and making political history in Texas, W. Lee O'Daniel, erstwhile flour merchant and radio entertainer, last Saturday won for his

family a place in the official mansion at Austin next year. In an unprecedented victory, O'Daniel amassed a total of over half a million votes out of the total of more than a million.

Shown in the picture are, front row, Pat O'Daniel, 19; Mrs. O'Daniel and Lee O'Daniel, back row, Mike, 18, and Molly, 16. All of them helped in the campaign, most colorful in Texas history.

METHODIST REVIVAL

Creating Increasing Interest; Will Continue Through Sunday

With more than 39 conversions and many reclamations to date, interest in the Methodist revival being conducted by Rev. Herman L. Cochran of Fort Worth, is increasing.

Big crowds, which include visitors from Comanche and De Leon, where Rev. Cochran has held similar meetings, and from Carlton, Irrel and Hamilton are attending the services.

A special afternoon service will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:30. The revival closes Sunday night.

J. C. MANN, Pastor.

KAL SEGRIST

Wins Place in Legislature From Dallas District

The Dallas News carried the following item Monday:

"Cowboy Kal Segrist, the Hico Kid, favorite of Dallas baseball fans from 1921 to 1925 when he played third base for the Stars, had a clear majority over two opponents, Livingston Smith and D. M. Winfree, in the race for State Representative from the Fifth District, Place 4. Segrist will succeed Fred (Red) Harris, former Oak Cliff football star, who resigned his place to make an unsuccessful campaign for State Senator.

"It was Segrist's second time to run for office. He was last in 1936 in the State campaign for Commissioner of Agriculture, receiving 119,000 votes. His first venture into politics was in 1934 when he managed Gov. James V. Allred's first campaign for Governor in Oak Cliff."

PRECINCT CONVENTION

Met Here to Name Delegates to County Convention

Opened by W. M. Cheney, retiring precinct chairman, who turned the chair over to Frank Fallis, newly elected in the same capacity, a precinct Democratic convention was held at City Hall in Hico.

Earle Harrison was elected secretary of the convention, at which delegates were named to attend the county convention at Hamilton Saturday, July 30. Delegates were instructed to vote as a unit, to endorse R. F. Higgs of Stephenville, Erath County, as district committeeman from the 21st Senatorial district, and to endorse the present State and National administrations.

DAN HOLLADAY

Among 104 Future Farmers Taking Lone Star Farmer's Degree

Dan Holladay was among the 104 Future Farmers in Texas who received a Lone Star Farmer's degree at an executive session of the state convention held last week at El Paso.

The Hico delegation, accompanied by H. D. Gilmore, local adviser, returned Saturday afternoon from the 3-day trip to El Paso and Juarez.

Mr. Gilmore has announced an F. F. A. meeting to be held Tuesday night, August 2, at the high school.

Baptist Church

Rev. Alvin Swindell of Hillsboro will preach at the morning and evening hours Sunday at the Baptist Church, Sunday School at 10. Every member is urged to be present.

PULPIT COMMITTEE

visit with us for a week or two if he didn't have a run-off. Oh, well, upon sober reflection we guess we are lucky at that. Had it turned out differently, he might have made good on another threat to come live with us if he got beat.

Wins Justice Race



BALLARD GEORGE

Ballard George was apparently re-elected Monday morning as associate justice of the Tenth Court of Civil Appeals. George had a lead of almost 10,000 votes over George Barcus, his only opponent. The count was: George 33,139; Barcus 23,514.

Returns from eleven of the sixteen counties in the Tenth Supreme Judicial District were complete.

ERATH COUNTY

Has Many Close Races

Heavy Voting Featured As Polls Visited In Spite of Rainy Weather

Reports gathered from sources considered reliable give interesting results in Erath County races.

For District Attorney, Earnest Belcher closely defeated Wad Williamson, carrying each of the three counties in the district.

Wallace Scott, led for County Judge with a plurality of 650 over E. R. Moon. Moon led Clarence Payne by 40 votes.

Bill Shannon and W. A. Richardson were neck and neck in the District Clerk's race, each with about 1600 votes. John Deane and John Watts were eliminated.

Elmo White, present County Clerk, easily defeated Charles Nichols with a clear majority of around 2750 votes.

For Sheriff Carl Turnbow led Mont Thomas by less than 100 votes. Luther Brandon and N. F. McInroe split a total of 1,000 votes. Clint Barham got a handsome majority over W. J. Oxford, Jr., in the two-man race for County Attorney.

Edna Knox Wade defeated Mrs. Ed Bryant and Jim Stewart for County Treasurer with a clear majority of around 800 votes.

Bose Reader defeated Dick Harbin for Representative by 82 votes. Reader carried Erath County by a majority of approximately 350, while Harbin carried Hood County with a small majority.

Hume Anderson and Hugh Watson seemed to be high men in a close race for commissioner, wherein G. E. Hamie, and R. L. Carr appear to have been eliminated. Monday Anderson was reported leading with Watson only 39 votes behind. Pony Creek box was still out at that time.

There were few uncontested races in Erath County.

One of the most famous women lawyers in the world is Fanny Holtzmann, who numbers among her clients some of the most illustrious names of the century, has offices in New York, London and Paris.

MILLION VOTES

In the First Primary

Seems Like Everyone Who Had a Poll Tax Receipt Wanted to Vote For Somebody

Latest reports available Thursday on returns in the governor's race showed that a total of 1,075,494 votes had been cast. They were divided as follows:

Brogden, 1,509; Crowley, 18,372; Farmer, 4,184; Ferguson, 3,814; Hunter, 114,894; King, 769; McCoy, 776; McCraw, 152,277; Miller, 776; O'Daniel, 551,917; Renfro, 8,743; Self, 1,463; Thompson, 215,047.

Other returns from the Texas Election Bureau from 252 out of 254 counties in the State, including 213 complete, showed the following totals for other candidates in Saturday's Democratic primary election:

Lieutenant Governor: Brooks, 251,560; Davidson, 77,216; Mead, 44,958; Nelson, 199,404; Smith, 69,902; Stevenson, 221,815.

Attorney General: Calvert, 81,574; Goodrich, 45,456; Mann, 276,196; Woodul, 291,415; Yarborough, 186,679.

Comptroller: Biffle, 103,849; Sheppard, 570,999; Terrell, 148,587.

Railroad Commissioner: Christie, 24,336; Morris, 64,635; Sadler, 216,547; Stuart, 106,220; Terrell, 247,550; Wood, 188,707.

Land Commissioner: Browning, 113,924; Giles, 206,110; McDonald, 382,358; Mills, 104,126.

Treasurer: Barnes, 125,227; Foster, 132,937; Lockhart, 538,400.

School Superintendent: James, 178,113; Lemay, 232,302; Woods, 432,588.

Agricultural Commissioner: Allen, 174,852; McDonald, 481,348; Westfall, 142,264.

Supreme Court: Critz, 312,355; Davidson, 303,442; Smiley, 187,113.

Criminal Courts (Unexpired term): Graves, 239,187; Pippen, 212,081; Stephens, 274,374.

FOUR TOWNS FLOODED

When San Saba River Ramps Up In Heart Of Texas

With Texas skies generally clear, workers in Brady and San Saba, situated in the scenic Texas Hill Country, were today cleaning away debris and providing for those made homeless in a flood which caused damage estimated at two million dollars and claimed two lives.

Monday four towns, San Saba, Menard, Brady and Llano, saw normally small streams, two of which rose to unprecedented heights, return to their banks after five days of rampaging.

The 300 homeless at San Saba were housed in churches, the courthouse and a large warehouse. With its waterworks out of commission, the citizens were furnished water from wells and cisterns by Highway Department employees.

The American Red Cross Wednesday issued an appeal for \$100,000 emergency relief funds for Central Texas flood areas. Gov. Allred at once issued a proclamation asking public contributions with the Red Cross as official agency.

TWO BULLS

Received This Week by Tri-County Jersey Cattle Association

Two bulls received this week by the Hico Tri-County Jersey Association from the Red Smith Dairy Farms of Stephenville have been placed on the farms of Geo. Holladay, Jr., and Ira Johnson.

Purchased by the business men of Hico, these two and three more to be furnished by Armour Packing Company, will be available to dairy farmers of this territory in the hopes of increasing the butter production of their herds.

The three from Armour's will be put on the farms of Jim Land, Hamp Rucker and K. R. Jenkins.

Return From Wortham

Mr. and Mrs. O. Longbottom have returned from Wortham where they visited her brother, Jim Bounds.

In Run-Off For Representative



EARL HUDDLESTON
Of Oglesby



WELDON BURNLEY
Of Evans

Run-Offs Necessary In Four Local Races

New Dist. Attorney



H. WILLIAM ALLEN

Complete unofficial returns from the 52nd Judicial District, gave H. William Allen of Hamilton County a majority of 1712 over Harry Plentage of Coryell County, present incumbent, in the District Attorney's race.

Allen is credited with 2371 votes from Hamilton County, 1937 from Coryell and 2389 from Comanche, for a total of 6697, while Plentage got 680 from Hamilton County, 2123 from Coryell and 2182 from Comanche.

Carlton

By
CORRESPONDENT

Mrs. Fred Curry and children were Dublin shoppers last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bell and children of Groesbeck spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Callie McKenzie, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bell and family. Mrs. McKenzie returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Carmichael are visiting relatives in Abilene this week.

T. F. Allred, who has been visiting his brother, S. F. Allred and wife the past two months, returned to Littlefield Monday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Luther Walton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith were in Lubbock Tuesday.

J. B. Curry, Sr., and son, J. B., and Miss Mittle Walker and Mrs. Fred Curry and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keeney at Hico.

Rev. Walter McKenzie of Austin, pastor of the State University Baptist Church at that place, spoke at the Baptist Church here Wednesday night, and also spent the night with his sister, Mrs. Jack Upham, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sowell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lynch spent last week in West Texas with their brother, J. Everett.

Mrs. Jack Shelton spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Bagley, of Mesquite.

Mrs. Hobdy Thompson and Mrs. Naomi Wright were Dublin visitors last Friday morning.

Perlie Sharp of Hico was in Carlton Saturday.

Mrs. Chesley Kennedy are the proud parents of a fine baby girl which arrived Saturday morning. She has been given the name of Di Anni.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde LeFevre were in Gorman Friday visiting their brother-in-law, L. D. Lovell, who is recovering from an operation for appendicitis. They reported him improving nicely.

Miss Irene Stephens who is attending school at Denton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stephens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Onie Weaver of Hamilton moved to this place last week. They are occupying the Sam Turner house. We are glad to have these people move back to our town.

Mrs. Bob Hancock and Mrs. Arthur Burden of Hico were in Carlton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McDaniel of McCamey spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDaniel, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Salver.

Mrs. Grady Hooper and Mrs. Bernard Ozle of Hico were in Carlton Friday afternoon visiting Mrs. Velma Farmer.

Miss Beas Warren, City, who finds it more convenient to subscribe for the paper than to have to hunt one up in the neighborhood each week, brought in her subscription order this week.

First Primary Gives Decision In Majority Of County Races

In only four races of local interest to Hico voters will it be necessary to wait until after the second primary, August 27, for a decision as to who will serve for the ensuing two years. Aside from the offices of Commissioner, Precinct 3, Tax Assessor-Collector, County Judge and Representative, all other precinct and county races came to a head after the first primary.

A total of 460 votes was cast last Saturday in the Hico box, presided over by W. M. Cheney, who was assisted by S. E. Blair, A. A. Brown, Ray D. Brown, J. W. Atrey, R. M. Bowles, Mrs. E. H. Parsons, and Mrs. Annie Waggoner.

Clark In the Lead

In the race for Commissioner of Precinct 3, unofficial count gave S. A. Clark, present incumbent, the lead with 259 votes, followed by R. W. Hancock with 215. H. E. Bell and R. L. McDaniel, with 168 and 161 votes respectively, were eliminated.

Commissioner's Precinct No. 3 is composed of voting boxes at Hico, Carlton, Olin and Fair.

Pool and Barrow Ahead

In the race for County Judge, in which J. C. Barrow, present incumbent, was opposed by J. B. Pool and Claud Jones, the latter was eliminated. Barrow led in the voting, with a count of 1249, while Pool was second with 970, and Jones followed closely with 938.

Two Former Deputies High

Into the run-off primary will go two former deputies in the Tax Assessor-Collector's office, Ira Moore and O. R. Williams. In a field of four which was reduced to three through the withdrawal of L. W. Koen before the printing of the ticket, O. R. Williams led with 1238, while Moore polled 1101 for runner-up. J. R. Williams, with 895 votes, was eliminated in the first primary.

Huddleston Vs. Burney

The other run-off race of particular interest to local voters involves selection of a Representative to the Legislature from the 94th District, including Hamilton and Coryell Counties. In a field of three, Earl Huddleston of Oglesby led, with Weldon Burney of Evans second, Guy M. Young of Coryell County trailed in the balloting, and thereby was eliminated.

While official returns from this race were lacking, a report from Coryell County the first of the week gave Huddleston 3488, Burney 3558, and Young 1039. Huddleston is credited with 2517 of his votes from Coryell County, and 1021 from Hamilton, while Burney received 946 in Coryell and 1630 in Hamilton. Young's Coryell vote was 710, while in Hamilton he received only 329.

Other Officers Nominated

Other county and precinct candidates who received the nomination either as the only candidates in their races, or winning over opponents without the necessity of a run-off, were:

C. E. Edmiston, District Clerk, re-elected.

Ronston White, Sheriff, re-elected.

J. T. Dempster, winning with 1647 votes over his opponent, Edgar B. Pruitt, with 1478.

Mrs. W. B. Tane, County Treasurer, re-elected.

Bert C. Patterson, County Superintendent, re-elected.

J. C. Rodgers, Justice of the Peace, re-elected.

B. F. Williams, Constable, written.

Frank Fallis, Precinct Chairman, written.

W. A. Patterson, County Chairman, re-elected.

Revival at Old Hico

Otis Holladay will bring the evangelistic messages at a revival that begins at the Old Hico school house Sunday morning, July 31, at 11 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend.

Meeting At Hog Jaw

The meeting at Hog Jaw, postponed last week because of rain, will begin Friday night, July 29.

WEATHER

Report For Past Week Submitted By Local Observer.

The following report, submitted by L. L. Hudson, gives conditions locally as reported to the Chronological Service of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture:

Date	High	Low	Prec.	Day
July 20	93	71	0.40	cdy
July 21	81	69	0.00	cloudy
July 22	77	70	0.26	cloudy
July 23	75	69	0.67	cloudy
July 24	80	68	1.40	cloudy
July 25	80	70	0.89	cloudy
July 26	90	72	1.47	clear
Total precipitation so far this year, 75.57 inches.				

JOTS....

JOKES & JINGLES

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JENNIE MAE

Too busy to sing,
Too busy to play,
Too busy to jingle,
So call it a day.

The Review Club wishes to thank George Darnell, Jr., for the three books he recently gave to the Library. Several such donations have been made this Spring and Summer to the library's collection, and Mrs. T. U. Little, press reporter for the Club, says that others who wish to make such gifts can be assured that the books will be appreciated by the members.

A penny in a fuse was reported to have caused electrical wiring in the Williams Service Station to catch fire Saturday afternoon, and Cecil P. Coston, manager of the Community Public Service Company, was seen emerging from the smoke-filled building with a grin on his face. The fire department answered the call and a number of local citizens hurried to the scene, but the blaze had been extinguished with little damage.

Bill Allen, Hamilton County candidate in the race for district attorney, emerged the victor from Saturday's voting, and as a consequence, was wearing a broad smile Monday as he covered the district gathering last-minute returns. Allen lost the race two years ago by about 90 votes.

In the mails: Greetings to the office force from Jerry Dorsey, enjoying the simpler things of life on a farm fourteen miles from Kansas City.

Skating fans will learn with pleasure of the arrival of the Wood Roller Rink here next week.

PALACE

THEATRE
HICO, TEX.

THURS. & FRI.-

"COLLEGE SWING"

GEORGE BURNS &
GRACIE ALLEN

SAT. MAT. & NITE-

"TEXAS TRAIL"

HOPALONG CASSIDY

Also

"Lone Ranger"

SUNDAY & MONDAY-

"PORT OF THE SEVEN SEAS"

WALLACE BERRY
MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN

TUES. & WED.-

"ADVENTURE'S END"

JOHN WAYNE

Also

Local News Reel

Showing 4th of July Celebration
in Hamilton
Also Flood At San Saba

THURS. & FRI. (Next Week)-

"HOLD THAT KISS"

MICKEY ROONEY
DENNIS O'KEEFE

Holding forth now at Glen Rose, the Wood rink will be the first here in several years. G. W. Wood is the owner. The rink is the dress, formerly of Carlton, is the floor manager. There are lots of us who'd like to skate if we could, but wonder if it is worth the price (if you know what I mean).

A local hunter says that it doesn't make much difference how many deer there are when he hunts, as turkeys are about all he can get anyway.

"I see," remarks a fellow hunter, "then the thicker the turkeys are, the better you like to deer hunt."

Only time and the development of an accent will tell, but I think Sim Everett has gone English on us. I saw him riding a bicycle to lunch Tuesday. I can stand all this until he dons a beret.

S. J. Check, Jr., temporarily boosted to the position of manager at the Corner Drug by the sudden disappearance of Bernard Ogle who, it is assumed by those interested, is vacationing "somewhere in the West," executes duties with all the dignity requisite to that position. Mr. and Mrs. Ogle left the first of the week, and according to a rumor, were bound for Carlsbad. Anyway, we think it is not as bad as one of the boys put it: "He's gone West."

We suppose there is nothing much that will ruffle the complacency of little Bobbie Ratliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ratliff. The other day the horse he was riding ran under a tree and knocked him off, breaking both bones in his arm. He got up, brushed the dirt from his overalls and calmly dismissed the incident with: "That's all right. The doctor can fix it up."

Add distinguished visitors to the office: Rufus Higgs, unerring pilot of the Stephenville Empire-Tribune, and H. M. Everett, of that city's Chamber of Commerce.

A frequent visitor in our office, Senator Manley Head is modest in spite of his accomplishments, not the least of which is his recent venture into filmdom. When the subject of his recent picture, "The Texans," was mentioned, Carolyn Holford remarked to the Senator that she saw the picture while in San Antonio recently.

"Yes, but you wouldn't have seen me if you had sneezed," replied Manley.

Tidbits: Thomas Rodgers, Wynama Anderson and Quata Richbourg were seen Wednesday night riding around town on bicycles. The fire Wednesday afternoon was the Ashes' residence, and caught around a fine Harry Hudson is nursing a badly cut hand, victim of a meat slicer. Reports are to the effect that the grammar school building will be completely renovated inside and out with a coat of stucco for the exterior. Reunion circulars were dispatched this week to outlying points and letters requesting information on the annual celebration are being received daily, according to Manager Cheek. According to a report from Stephenville, the vote in Erath County was 4 to 6 for W. Lee O'Daniel. Don't fail to read Ras Proffitt's letter on Page 7. For once, at least, he's all business, and we promised him definitely that everybody that amounts to much takes the News Review.

Mt. Pleasant

By S. N. AKIN

This community was visited by a protracted rain last week which amounted to about five inches.

Pauline Anderson is visiting with relatives in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis and children of Fairly visited with H. M. Allison and wife Sunday.

B. T. Slater and family of Agee visited in the home of his step-mother, Mrs. Katie Slater, and also Mrs. Minnie Clark Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. T. Abel and son, Louis, and also daughter, Mrs. Ovie Clark children and Leslie Arrant visited with relatives and friends near Colorado, Texas.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Clark a wee baby girl on July 16. She has been given the name of Carola Gene.

"Uncle" Joe Humphries of Fort Worth is visiting with relatives here at present.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Paid Political Advertising)

The News Review is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Run-Off Primary, August 27, 1938:

Hamilton County

For Representative, 94th District:
WELDON BURNLEY
EARL HUDDLESTON
(Re-Election)

For District Attorney:
H. WILLIAM ALLEN

For District Clerk:
C. E. EDMISTON
(Re-Election)

For County Judge:
J. C. BARROW
(Re-Election)

For Co. Tax Assessor-Collector:
IRA MOORE
O. R. (Otis) WILLIAMS

For County Clerk:
J. T. DEMPSTER
(Re-Election)

For Sheriff:
HOUSTON WHITE
(Re-Election)

For County Treasurer:
MRS. W. B. TUNE
(Re-Election)

For County Superintendent:
BERT C. PATTERSON
(Re-Election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
S. A. CLARK
(Re-Election)

R. W. (Bob) HANCOCK

Erath County

For County Judge:
W. C. (Clarence) PAYNE

For County Clerk:
ELMO WHITE

Gilmore

By DORIS JOHNSON

Miss Mabel Jordan of Honey Creek and Alva Deakin, Jr., of Duffau were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Johnson Wednesday night.

Alvin Hicks and family spent Friday with his brother, James, and wife at Greyville.

Jim Murray and family of Hico were Sunday dinner guests in the H. C. Connally home.

St. Johnson and brother, I. E. were business visitors in Stephenville Tuesday.

This community has received several inches of rain since last Thursday. We really appreciated it, but would like some sunshine now.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hicks and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Hicks' mother, Mrs. Keller, at Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McClen-don had as visitors Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tolliver of near Clairrette, and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson of this community.

Nep and Ray Connally of Hico were visiting E. B. Thompson a short time Sunday afternoon.

Quite a number from this community attended the picnic at Iredell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McClen-don and little daughter, also Mr. and Mrs. Everett Thompson spent Tuesday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tolliver near Clairrette.

Dock and Alvin Clepper of Honey Grove were in this community a short while Monday.

To the Citizens of Hamilton County

It is impossible for me to adequately express my sincere appreciation for the splendid support that was given me in my race for Tax Assessor-Collector of Hamilton County, in the first primary, July 23rd. With malice toward none, but with a kind and friendly feeling for all, by this method I wish to offer and extend my heartfelt thanks to those who so graciously gave me their vote and support, and now ask and request your continued support and vote in the second primary, and to the friends and supporters of the eliminated candidate I most earnestly solicit your consideration and support in the coming election.

There being only a short time before the second primary it will be near impossible for me to again make a house-to-house campaign; however, I will do everything possible to see each and every voter and present my candidacy and personally solicit your support.

Respectfully,

Ira Moore

Candidate For Tax Assessor-Collector
HAMILTON COUNTY, TEXAS

(Political Adv.)

Gordon

By MRS. ELLA NEWTON

Miss Nina Newton of Dallas visited homefolks the past two weeks. Mrs. Fannie Sawyer visited her sister, Miss Mittie Gordon, of Iredell Sunday afternoon.

Wana B. Young of Glen Rose has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jake Newman and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walker and family visited Mrs. Ella Newton and family awhile Sunday night.

Salem

By MRS. W. C. ROGERS

We sure have lots of rain since we last wrote, even more rain than news this week.

Mrs. Ceryl Ellis and children, Vergil, Lillian, and Kenneth of Wichita Falls are here visiting her brothers, W. E. and J. E. Lambert and their families the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Anz and children of Fort Worth spent the week end with parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Smitty Smith and children of Hico are here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Houser and daughter.

Several from here were in Stephenville Saturday night to hear some of the election returns.

Mrs. Curtis Burch and children, Misses Joyce and Barbara, from Whitesboro, are here visiting her mother, Mrs. H. Koonsman. Other children visiting Mrs. Koonsman's home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wolfe of Indian Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Wolfe and sons of Clairrette, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Currier of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Koonsman of Unity, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott and sons.

Altman

By MRS. J. H. McANALLY

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCoy and children of Long Point are visiting her sister, Mrs. Ira Brown, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavell McPherson and children of near Carlton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McPherson, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cozby and daughter, Grace, were Dublin visitors Wednesday.

The revival meeting will begin at Altman the night following the home coming, July 31st. Rev. R. H. Gibson of Carlton will do the preaching.

The Blue Bonnet Club met Wednesday, July 20, in the home of Mrs. J. H. McAnally. Those present were Mrs. R. W. Bingham, Mrs. O. R. Clifton and daughter, Myrl, Mrs. J. E. Hyles, Mrs. Grady Land, Mrs. Walter Bingham and daughters, Geneva and Oma, Mrs. McAnally and daughter, Glynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCoy and children of Long Point, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Jones Monday.

All remember the homecoming at Altman next Sunday, July 31. Everyone come and bring lunch. A cordial welcome is extended.

J. E. Hyles returned home Wednesday from Union where he visited his brothers.

Martin Bingham of Dallas spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Calder and baby of Carlton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Calder, Monday.

Miss Olimpia R. Altruve is the first woman in Central America to receive a university degree. She is now a licensed pharmacist and has entire charge of one of the largest of a chain of drug stores in Guatemala City.

Unity

By HAZEL CONNALLY

Mrs. Addie Glass, her son and his wife of Bell County spent Wednesday and Wednesday night of last week with her sister, Mrs. Will Hathcock.

Mr. and Mrs. John King visited their adopted daughter at Waxahatchie Saturday and Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Griffiths and daughter, Jay Ann, Mrs. Luther Cole and son, Judson, attended the shower at Iredell given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Hathcock.

Mr. Ernest Kidd spent several days with his father, Mr. J. L. Kidd. Billie Griffiths and a girl friend from Fort Worth spent Friday with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Griffiths and Bertha, who went back to Fort Worth with them.

John Miller has leased the Simon-ton place, Mr. and Mrs. Miller have moved in the house with Mr. and Mrs. Watts.

Mr. Mark McElroy came in from work Saturday morning to see his folks for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McElroy and family of Iredell, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Smith and Mrs. Litch and son, W. R. of Hico, visited Mrs. Ava McElroy Friday, July 22, for a birthday celebration for her.

Greyville

By MRS. J. L. MULLINS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullins were called to the bedside of his father Saturday, who was seriously ill at his home in Axtell. He was accompanied by his two daughters, Nellie V. of Millerville, and Mr. and Mrs. George Greer of Dry Fork. They returned home Sunday night and reported Mr. Mullins better. Mr. J. L. Mullins is an old-time settler of Hamilton County.

Mr. P. B. Bolton has taken the milk route from Hico to Stephenville.

We are glad to report that Mrs. M. E. Burnett is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Johnson are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Killian and son spent Saturday night with his sisters and brother, Mattie, Winnie and Calvin Greer of Dry Fork. Winnie and Calvin accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullins, accompanied by Mantel and Mattie Greer of Dry Fork, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Latham and daughter, Lelah, of Hico. Mr. and Mrs. Latham are the grandparents of Mantel and Mattie.

Mr. Haskell Lambert has been working with a bridge crew at Evant.

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Permit me to express my profound and deep appreciation to my many friends and voters of Fairly and Hico precincts for the nice vote and full support you gave me for the nomination for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3, in last Saturday's primary election.

Were I a master manipulator of the English language, I am sure that I could not find words that would fully express my deep appreciation to my many friends and all those who voted for me.

Believe me to be sincerely and loyally, your friend,

J. C. RODGERS

(Political Adv.)

IREDELL ITEMS

By MISS STUELLA JONES, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Wingren and Joyce Faye and Bobby of Burnet came in Tuesday night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson. Julius Shilling, also of Burnet, came with them. Mr. Wingren went home Thursday. Nola and the children remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kaylor and her mother, Mrs. Rose of Mexia, visited his mother this week, and also visited their son, R. D., in Stephenville.

Mrs. Conner of Cleburne spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Berns.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Parrish of near Cranfill's Gap visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pyant, this week and took in the picnic.

Mrs. Alexander is attending summer school in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Chester and daughter of Texas City are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jackson, and other relatives.

Miss Faye Rose of Dallas is visiting here.

Wilma Sheppard of Cranfill's Gap is visiting Marie Whitmore.

Miss Doris Cunningham of Dublin spent the week end here with friends.

Mrs. Virgil Huckaby and children spent the past week end in Whitney.

Howell McAden has recovered from his operation and is back at work.

Mrs. Bertha Henderson has returned from a visit to her son, Emmett, at Cranfill's Gap.

Iredell and community have been blessed with rains for a few days, which will be fine on the gardens and crops. The rains have cooled the air also.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Milam of Fort Worth visited here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rance Phillips and Mrs. Fouts were in Waco Thursday afternoon.

Elmer Cavett of Stephenville visited his sister, Mrs. Laswell, this week.

Mr. Will Myers of San Antonio is here for a few days visiting.

George Hudson of Walnut was visiting here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Laswell and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bates were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis Monday, that day being his birthday.

Miss Ruth Hensley has returned from Hillsboro where she visited and she also visited in Waco.

Mino Loughlin of Dallas visited his parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and children have returned from a visit to Beaumont.

Mrs. Ellen Harris of Black Stump Valley is visiting Mrs. A. L. Harris this week.

Mrs. C. L. Tidwell has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Bertha Henderson is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Dearing.

Gerald Boycan of San Antonio is visiting his mother, Mrs. Ethel Boycan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Meadows of Valley Mills visited their son, Luther, this week.

Miss Mildred Brown, who has been working in Burnet, returned here Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitmore attended the picnic at Cranfill's Gap last week.

Mrs. Frank Stapp and daughter of Clifton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harper Friday.

Oliver Basham of Hillsboro is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lawrence of Kilgore are visiting relatives here.

J. E. Lawrence visited his two daughters, Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Neighbors, in De Leon the first of this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Bennett came in Saturday for their revival, which started Sunday.

Mrs. C. R. Conley, Peggy June and Dorothy Rae Clepper were in Stephenville Tuesday. Charlene Conley, who has been visiting at that place, returned with them.

Mrs. Rilla Tidwell left Thursday for Temple where she will take treatment.

Mrs. Will Plummer, who has been with Mr. and Mrs. Dearing, has returned to her home.

Albert Pike spent the week end at home. He is in school at Denton.

Everyone be ready for the homecoming at Rocky, August 6th and 7th.

Mrs. Olin Brantley and children

have returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan of Meridian.

Everyone is invited to attend the Baptist meeting, which started July 24.

Miss Edna Lee Davis, who is in training for a nurse in a hospital at Fort Worth, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sadler and son of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bryan, and his brother, Walter Sadler.

Mrs. Bertha Smith of Houston visited her niece, Mrs. Pike, this week.

Mrs. Hayden Sadler, who is in summer school at Waco, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Tom Bryan and children of Arizona are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newman, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bryan, and seeing old friends.

Miss Lillian Shipley and J. L. Everett, both of Iredell, surprised their many friends by going to Stephenville Saturday night where the Baptist pastor spoke the words that made them man and wife. They are very popular with the younger set. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shipley, who moved here from Abilene a few years ago. She has made many friends here and is a fine girl. J. L. is the son of Mr. Louis Everett, and is a fine young man. Their many friends wish them joy and happiness. They are back at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jackson of near Meridian attended church services here Sunday night.

Mrs. Cora Mitchell and son, Rex, are visiting in California.

Mrs. Lassiter and children of Spring Creek community, spent the week end with Mrs. Prater.

Mrs. J. T. Appleby of Meridian spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. A. L. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Dawson and daughters of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mino Loughlin and daughter and his father went to Brownwood Saturday after Mrs. Loughlin, who had been visiting here for two weeks.

A large number of Iredell people went to Meridian Saturday night to get election returns.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Neighbors and son of De Leon spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Harris of Walnut visited her father, Mr. Tom Simpson, Sunday. His mother, Mrs. Ellen Harris, went home with them for a visit.

The Iredell picnic was very well attended, mostly by the people here, as rain came on Thursday and it was almost rained out. Several prominent speakers came but were rained out. Everyone enjoyed it. It would have been a great success if it hadn't rained. Jay Allen and his band played one day. Hope next year everything will be fine. Several people from out of town attended the church services here Sunday night.

METHODIST CHURCH ITEMS
(Iredell and Walnut Springs)
By R. P. JAMES, Pastor.
Rev. F. M. Suddach will do the

preaching in a meeting sponsored by the Walnut Springs Methodist Church, beginning at 11:00 a. m., Sunday, July 30. You are cordially invited to make the meeting yours.

Rain and mud about Turnersville, Texas, seem now to prevent this pastor's preaching in a meeting here this week. That meeting is indefinitely postponed.

Iredell Methodist ladies paid the cost and did the work of improving furniture in the church there recently.

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Since Mother was taken; so sad and lonely along the way,
Seems that we have been forsaken.

Strong chain of love that binds this tie
That never can be broken,
Not made with earthly hands
In vain is not a token.

Mother's dear hands—her willing hands,
And loving heart reached out in overflow,
Or to whom it concerned or in despair
They found aid within her care.

We have Mother's footsteps,
Mother's footsteps can never be vanished;
She walked where the Saviour walked,
How ever persuaded; obstacles or heavy laden
Her footprints are show.

The Saviour leads beside the still waters,
Our guide through the earthly land,
A token of the Heaven's mansions
Not made with hands.

Pure river of water, clear as crystal,
Proceeding out of the beautiful throne of God,
For the lamb which is in the midst of the throne,
Shall feed them and shall lead them unto living fountains of water of life freely.

The lamb of God is the light of the throne,
The saved shall walk in the light,
No shadow of darkness, they have washed their robes,
Have made them white.

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**H. J. R. No. 29
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**
proposing an amendment to Article XVI, Section 1, of the Constitution of the State of Texas; changing the form of the oath of office for members of the Legislature and all officers of the State of Texas; providing for an election upon such

Constitutional Amendment, and making an appropriation therefor. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article XVI, Section 1, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to hereafter read as follows:

"Article XVI, Section 1. Official Oath. Members of the Legislature, and all officers, before they enter upon the duties of their offices, shall take the following Oath or Affirmation:

"I, _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm), that I will faithfully execute the duties of the office of _____ of the State of Texas, and will to the best of my ability preserve, protect, and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State; and I furthermore solemnly swear (or affirm), that I have not directly or indirectly paid, offered, or promised to pay, contributed, or promised to contribute any money, or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, as a reward for the giving or withholding of a vote at an election at which I was elected. So help me God."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State, qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1938, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words:

"FOR the Amendment of Article XVI, Section 1, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, changing the form of the oath of office for members of the Legislature and all officers of the State of Texas."

"AGAINST the Amendment of Article XVI, Section 1, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, changing the form of the oath of office for members of the Legislature and all officers of the State of Texas."

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election in conformity herewith to determine whether or not the proposed Constitutional Amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and the Governor shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any

funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

EDWARD CLARK,
Secretary of State

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas.

IN THE MATTER OF BOYD BUNNELL, Bankrupt, No. 3179 in Bankruptcy.

The creditors of Boyd Bunnell are hereby notified that he has filed a petition for a certificate of discharge in bankruptcy, and that the same, under an order of said court, will be heard before J. W. Cooke, referee, at his office in Waco, Texas, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 30th day of August, 1933, at which time and place the creditors of said bankrupt may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

MAXEY HART, Clerk.
By SARAH HOOKS, Deputy.
Date, 7-29-33.

Flag Branch By HAZEL COOPER

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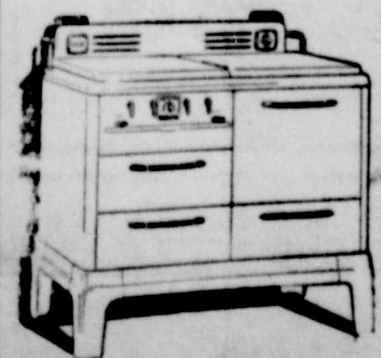


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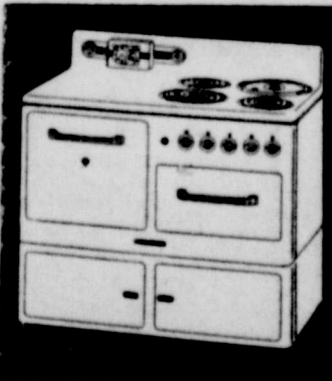
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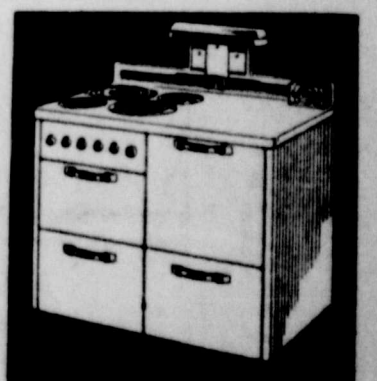
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SYNOPSIS

With his partner, Rosy Rand, Dave Turner is on his way to his ranch at Single Shot. Both are returning from prison where they have served sentences for unjust convictions. On the train, which is carrying a large sum of money, Rosy's quick action and straight shooting holds a hold up while Dave saves the life of Martin Quinn, a gambler, who is being threatened by a desperado. Stopping at Single Shot, the sheriff tells Dave he is not wanted. Quinn defends Dave but Dave and Rand go to Soledad to meet Mary, Dave's sister, and proceeds on horseback to the ranch. Mary reveals she is married and tells Dave that the ranch is doing poorly, being beset by nesters and involved in a claim dispute. Next morning, at breakfast, Dave and Rosy discover that Mary is now cooking for the ranch hands—a bad sign. After discussing financial matters with Mary, Dave and Rosy saddle horses and leave for Single Shot to see the town banker, Mr. Pearson. Mortgage is renewed and Dave decides to get enough money to pay off mortgage by raising alfalfa and selling it. Following night, the lake is blown up, and Dave inwardly accuses Hammond. The latter blames Dave. A chance meeting of the two gives them an opportunity to clear away this false impression. The hunt now turns to Crowell, the mysterious man of means and ambitions.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"But—but I don't understand," Mary said weakly.

"It's easily explained, Mrs. Winters," Crowell said. "Your brother realized that the place was worthless now. He decided to let his half go. He knew I would be out this morning to tell you, so he didn't bother to send word out."

"But why are you buying it if it's so worthless?" Mary had got a grip on herself.

"Grass," Crowell said bluntly.

"But the water?"

Crowell laughed easily. "We have money, Mrs. Winters. Building up that wall again with a crew of men is a small matter with us."

"Ted, what do you think?" Mary asked suddenly.

"It looks like Dave has run out on us, Mary. Without him to run the place, I'd say we might as well give up and sell out to Mr. Crowell."

He heard Mary get out of her chair and walk to the window. When she spoke again, it was as if she was arguing with herself.

"But you'll have a court fight with the spread, Mr. Crowell. Hammond claims the lake too."

"But who owns it?"

"We do," Mary said.

"And you have the papers to prove it? May I see them?"

Mary hesitated a moment, then said, "Surely."

Rosy knew she was wanting time to digest this.

"God, this is shaky! Do you think it's going to work?" It was Crowell speaking.

"Sure, Dave's signature convinced her."

Crowell laughed softly. "But since Dave and Hammond aren't fighting each other, I don't know how much they suspect. And where's the redhead?"

"He hasn't been around here. We're safe enough."

"Well, there's only one thing to do. I'll register at the hotel today like I'd just come in. Then I'll see Hammond again and try to talk him into selling and then I'm disappearing."

"Every one is doing just what the Boss said they would. Except Turner. He walked right into Sayres' hand."

Did Sayres have a tough time cracking him?"

"Not from what Clinch said when he gave me this paper," Crowell said. "I hope to hear from you by tonight. Good-by."

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He heard Mary say to Crowell: "Here's the land papers."

He heard Crowell take them.

"All in order, Mrs. Winters," Crowell said. "I think we can afford to pay an extra two thousand for that paper. It's fool proof."

Rosy heard Mary sigh. "I—I don't think I'll sell, Mr. Crowell. Not right away, anyway."

"Well, I think you'll regret it, Mrs. Winters. But I won't insist. We'll give you exactly what we gave Dave, plus two thousand of course. Won't you take time to reconsider before you give your refusal?"

"Why—yes," Mary said hesitantly. "How long will the offer be open?"

"Until tonight at train time," Crowell said, and Rosy heard him rise. "I'll be at the hotel, at Single Shot."

"That will be fine," Mary said.

ramshackle old place and go east where we belong."

Rosy heard Mary's heels on the floor, headed for the kitchen. Then they stopped abruptly and scraped.

"Look here," Winters said in a cold voice. "Cut out this sentimental nonsense. We'll have a fortune. Dave's out of it—"

"He isn't," Mary said desperately.

"Isn't he?" Winters said sardonically. "Are you doubting Crowell's word?"

"No," Mary retorted heatedly. "I'm not doubting anybody's word. He's wrong. I know Dave too well to think he'd do a thing like that!"

"Take a fortune instead of a chance to run a bunch of mangy cattle!" Winters asked sardonically. "You overestimate that jailbird's love for work."

Rosy heard Mary gasp.

"Let's not talk about it, Ted," Mary said quietly. "After all, I'm the one to decide."

"You had chances to sell before Dave got here," Winters continued. "You refused. Now, since the place has been made worthless, you still refuse. Why?"

"You wouldn't understand," Mary said calmly. "It's not sentiment. It's—it's just that I've lived here all my life and love it."

"A cow-country gal," Winters sneered. "Just a calico sweetheart. All right—his tone was gathering confidence—you'll either take the offer for the place or look for a new husband."

"I thought that was it, Ted," Rosy said. "Then you won't take it?"

"No."

Rosy heard the sharp slap of flesh on flesh and Mary's startled cry of pain. Then the door slammed and Rosy hurried the davenport from him and scrambled to his feet.

He walked up to her slowly.

"I'm sorry, Mary. I didn't mean to listen, but I couldn't help it."

"He hit me, Rosy," Mary sobbed out.

"Rosy, you won't do anything to him, will you?"

He studied her face before he answered. "He's your husband and you're my friend. I reckon I'll tell him—his voice died as he watched her eyes. "No, I won't," he said softly. "It's not my business. I reckon if you want me to do anything, I'll always be here to ask."

"It isn't the first time, Rosy," Mary said brokenly. "He's done it before."

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Rosy waited until she stopped crying, then laid a hand on her shoulder.

"Pack some stuff. We're going to town."

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Mary nodded dumbly. "Did I do right with Crowell, Rosy? Has Dave—"

"Let's go," Rosy cut in on her. "Dave hasn't done anything. And I'm just beginning to understand some things." He started for the door. "Pack some things. I'll saddle up."

As Rosy raced for the corral, he already had a plan half formed. Dave had argued with the sheriff at the lake. He hadn't mentioned his intentions until they had found the tracks. They led around the base of Old Cartridge to the rock-rim. And there the dynamiters had placed a last charge, blowing the trail out behind them and cutting off pursuit. It meant that Dave would have to go down into the valley again and ride north for ten miles or so until the rock-rim petered out and he could

enter the canyons. He told the sheriff this, and said that he wanted to ride alone. Hank had given in grudgingly, but had agreed to ride to the D Bar T and the night, telling Mary of the dynamiters.

At parting Dave had borrowed a Colt from him, and a handful of cartridges. The gun he wrapped in his slicker and tied behind the cattle, for the rain was over. He rode down the wash again, past the Draw Three and headed up the valley.

He thought of everything that happened to him. None of it made sense. Why would any one first

try to bushwhack him, then destroy his ranch? Dave felt his weight shift against the cantle. The horse was ascending a rocky ledge which rose up ahead. The trail had left the bed of the stream and had turned in toward the mountains.

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Miss Quata Richbourg returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Stamford and Abilene.

S. J. Cheek was in Hamilton Tuesday attending to details concerning the Reunion.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDowell and Sherry Kay were business visitors in Mineral Wells Wednesday.

Miss Dorothy Schafroth of San Juan is spending several days here as a guest in the home of Mrs. Guy O. Eakins.

Mrs. Maud Creswell and son, Haskell, and their uncle, Will Rogers of Oklahoma City, are visiting Mrs. Mollie Carpenter this week.

Mrs. Velma Farmer of Roosevelt, Oklahoma, spent several days here this week as a guest of Mrs. Grady Hooper.

Miss Natalie Wolman left Saturday for her home in Caldwell after spending several days here as a guest of Jennie Mae McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McAfee were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Higgs, at Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Herricks and daughter, Lucille, of Fairly spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Lackey.

Ardis Jones of Hamilton spent from Friday until Monday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bryant and children of Fort Worth spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman and son, Kenneth, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoffman, in Dublin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Harrison, Miss Thoma Rodgers, and Miss Wynama Anderson were visitors in Stephenville Sunday.

Miss Jessie Miller Pool, who is attending Baylor University at Waco, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pool, and her sister, Oran Jo.

J. W. Leeth, chief of the Hico Fire Department, returned last week from College Station where he attended the State Firemen's Training School.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leeth and daughters, Illie Dee and Allie Dee, of Thorndale are spending the week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Leeth and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Segrest.

Carolyn Holford, who spent a week in San Antonio with relatives, came home Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Holford, who went down Sunday after her.

Mrs. Ralph Hull of Brownwood stopped here a short while Friday on her way home to see her nephew, Rollie Forgy, after having spent several days in Hamilton, guest of her sister, Mrs. George B. Gollightly.

Miss Mary Helen Hall has returned from Austin where she has been attending the University of Texas to spend the summer here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall.

Miss Willanna Holton and her brother, Lieutenant Darwin Holton of Thornton, were guests Thursday of Miss Mayo Hollis. They were en route home after a trip through thirteen States and Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and daughter, Mary Jane, Miss Wynama Anderson and Miss Flossy Randels were in Denton last Thursday making arrangements for Mary Jane to enter Texas State College for Women this Fall.

D. F. McCarty, Jr., of Abilene and Buster Shelton of Austin returned Saturday to spend the rest of their vacation here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty, and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Shelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bell and children of Groesbeck were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bell, and Mrs. Callie McKenzie in Carlton last week, and also spent some time with old friends in Hico, their former home.

Miss Saralee Hudson returned to Goose Creek last week with Mrs. Louise Baldwin to spend several days. They were accompanied as far as Fort Worth by Mrs. Baldwin's sister-in-law, Mrs. Herbert Smith and daughter, and to Dallas by Betty Baldwin, who planned to visit there for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hudson and Mrs. Aften Aycock were called to Fort Worth Monday because of the serious illness of Mrs. Aycock's little granddaughter, Martha Cherry Aycock, who died at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. The little girl was the month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Errel Aycock. Gay Aycock went to Fort Worth Tuesday morning to attend the funeral.

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By OPAL DRIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders and family have returned home from West Texas where they have been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tynn Davis and son visited awhile Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Driver and children.

Several from this community attended the picnic at Iredell. Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Driver and daughters.

Mrs. Ovada Chambers and son, Aubrey Ray, and brothers, J. B. Fred Henry, and Woodrow Gordon, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Driver and daughters. Miss Opal Driver returned home with them to spend a few days.

Contract Bridge Club Met With Mrs. Woodward.

Mrs. H. V. Hedges was awarded high score in contract when Mrs. C. L. Woodward entertained the Contract Bridge Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

A salad course was served to the following members and guests: Mrs. J. N. Russell, Miss Irene Frank, Mrs. F. M. Minus, Mrs. Harry Hudson, Mrs. H. V. Hedges, Mrs. H. F. Sellers, Mrs. H. N. Wolfe, Mrs. Roy Welborn and Miss Grace Simpson of Dallas.

Birthday Dinner For Mr. Driskell On Ninetieth Birthday.

R. J. Driskell, whose ninetieth birthday was July 27, was honored at a birthday dinner given Sunday by his children and grandchildren under the pavilion at City Park. Mr. Driskell was born in 1843 in Georgia, one of eleven children, only two of whom are living. The other is a brother, Oliver Moss Driskell of Alabama, who is 88 years old.

The honoree, who came to Texas in November, 1878, believes he is the oldest man in Hico. He has four children, 14 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren. After the dinner was served and the cake, an angel food 18 inches in diameter with 99 candles, was cut, the guests returned to the home of the honoree who opened and displayed his gifts.

Among those who helped Mr. Driskell celebrate his birthday were: Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Young, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Porterfield and children, Gaildine, Albert, and Joe Van, Waxahachie; Arthur, Vivian, and Bernice Talley, Fort Worth; Eulin Talley and children, James, Waylon, and Billy Dale, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Rosamond and daughters, Pat and Dotty Lou, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Landon Young and daughter, Romilda Ann, and Miss Willie Young, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Anna Driskell and daughter, Pauline, and Mrs. Effie Talley, Hico; Jesse Blackley and family and Elmer Hoover and family, Fair; Jessie Garth, Wilena Purcell, Rev. J. C. Mann and family, Rev. and Mrs. Cochran, Ted Wall, and Mrs. Jack Woods, Hico.

A WORD OF THANKS FROM ELMO WHITE

The people of Erath County have elected me to the office of County Clerk for a third term, giving me a vote in the primary election Saturday that warms my heart with gratitude. I would be ungrateful not to take the very first opportunity to express to the voters and all my friends thanks and appreciation for this expression of confidence.

My desire is to render you the best type of service that I am capable of rendering, and in every way possible it shall be my aim to improve the facilities of your office during the coming months. The doors of this office are always open and I welcome a visit from each and every person of Erath County. Suggestions as to better service are always welcomed.

During the campaign I have tried to present my claims to all people in a gentlemanly manner, extending special consideration to my opponent, Mr. Nichols. He, in turn, proved cordial to me on every occasion.

Again assuring you all of my sincere gratitude and with every thanks and appreciation for entrusting your office in my hands for another two years, I remain, Your humble servant, ELMO WHITE. (Political Adv.)

TO THE VOTERS OF COMMISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 3:

I wish to thank my friends and supporters for the vote that gave me high place in the last Primary, and to ask their support and influence in the run-off on August 27th.

I also ask those who may have voted for another candidate to consider, anew, my record and the work that I have done. I hope that I may be permitted to carry on, and to add to and improve the roads of the precinct, that already is in top place in comparison with any precinct in Hamilton County or any other surrounding county.

I have never sought office on extravagant promises or claims, and I do not now. I do not expect to depart from my practice of "not spending money until I get it" both in the matter of road building and in the handling of county finances. It should be spent conscientiously and prudently, and for the purposes defined by the law. I do not expect to add to the tax burden.

I have been criticized on charging too much for terracing with county machinery. The commissioners' court fixes the price, and no one commissioner can change it.

I am grateful to my friends all over the District for their kindness and cooperation. They too have helped to build what I have built, and I trust that I can continue to serve you. Sincerely, S. A. CLARK. (Political Adv.)

BILL ALLEN EXPRESSES THANKS

To the Citizens of the 52nd Judicial District:

I take this means of thanking my supporters and friends for their aid in my race for District Attorney until I am able to convey my thanks in person. I shall further show my gratitude by rendering the best service to the people within my power. When I take office I shall invite the cooperation of everyone, regardless of their personal likes and dislikes, in upholding the law in this District and in providing that security and protection to the citizenship which is the aim of the law. Again thanking all of you, I am, Sincerely, H. WILLIAM ALLEN. Democratic Nominee for District Attorney. (Political Adv.)

TO THE VOTERS OF HICO PRECINCT:

I certainly appreciate the support given me in the election Saturday.

During my tenure of office, I have always conducted the affairs of the office in a manner which I considered to be the best interest of the citizens. I have kept the finances in sound condition, this in spite of the fact that times have been unusual.

Upon my past record as your County Judge, I earnestly solicit the continuance of your support and influence in the coming primary, to be held August 27.

Thanking everyone, J. C. BARROW. (Political Adv.)

CARD OF THANKS

To the Voters of Precinct No. 3: I take this means of expressing my thanks. Although I was defeated in the race for Commissioner, I am deeply grateful for those who supported me.

H. E. BELL, Carlton, Texas. (Political Adv.)

EARL HUDDLESTON THANKS PEOPLE FOR SUPPORT IN THE RECENT ELECTION

I wish to take this method of thanking each person in Coryell and Hamilton Counties who supported me in my race for Representative. I know that had it not been for the loyal support of my friends that I would not have received the splendid vote which I received, which was around 3400 votes in the district.

To those who did not see fit to vote for me I hold no ill will. I consider them not as enemies in any sense.

I made this race as I have all others, refusing to deal in personalities either in public or private and this shall continue to be my policy. From the reports it seems that I lacked a few hundred votes receiving a majority of all the votes cast and that there will be a runoff between Mr. Burney and myself. If you think I am the man to represent you in the legislature the next two years, I will appreciate your support. After all, this is your office and this has been my attitude and shall be if elected again. I propose, if re-elected, to serve each person in the district at all times. Respectfully, EARL HUDDLESTON. (Political Adv.)

THANKS TO VOTERS

I want my many friends in the northern part of the county to know that I appreciate their votes and support in the recent primary more than words can tell.

Although I had no opponent, my friends gave me a marvelous vote of confidence, and I will always be grateful to them for it. As in the past, I shall continue to discharge the duties of the Sheriff's office to the best of my ability, without fear or favor, and invite the public to confer with me at any time on matters of law enforcement.

Sincerely your servant, HOUSTON WHITE, Sheriff. (Political Adv.)

TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT 3:

I wish to thank everyone from the bottom of my heart for the kind support given me in Saturday's election. I am still in the race and will appreciate your vote in the run-off.

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At this time we wish to thank the many customers who have traded at our station during our ten years in business. I hope to continue our fine volume of business as we are now having, and add new customers each month in the coming years. We can not please everyone, and do not claim any record of that kind, but do the very best possible, considering the many, many types of people that we have to come in contact with.

I am sure you will excuse me for not writing to you personally, but I do not have enough time, unless I burn midnight oil to get the time.

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Yours For Service,

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THANKS!

I sincerely thank all who helped me Saturday to get into the Run-off for County Judge.

On the merits of my platform I solicit the support of all August 2.

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(Political Adv.)

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

DRESS (Sizes 4 to 44), and
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Expression of Thanks

I desire to thank those who supported me in the election last Saturday and have nothing but the kindest feeling for those who saw fit to vote for either of my opponents.

I will appreciate your vote and influence in the Run-off Primary to be held August 27th.

Respectfully,

O. R. Williams

Candidate for Tax Assessor-Collector,
Hamilton County

(Political Adv.)

WELDON BURNETT FAVORS PROGRAM OF GOV. ELECT

W. Lee O'Daniel has been nominated on the Democratic ticket and will be the next Governor of Texas. Now, let's give him a new Legislature—Representatives who have no old ties, connections or political obligations to pay.

If you will elect me as your Representative I will support the program presented by the new Governor and will work with him in any way possible. The people of Texas gave Mr. O'Daniel a clear majority, and in effect have placed the stamp of approval on his program, all of which I advocated from the first day I announced. I refer you to my opening announcement, and to the many addresses I made, in which I stated that I favored the payment of pensions to every old person and the abolition of the poll tax. I also advocated the raising of truck load limits.

To put this platform in effect, he must have Representatives in the Legislature who will support him, and I will do this.

I wish to thank those who supported me in Saturday's election, and will appreciate your vote and influence in the Run-off Primary, August 27.

Respectfully,

WELDON BURNETT,
Candidate for Representative,
94th District.
(Political Adv.)

WANT ADS

See me for all kinds of hauling. At Ellington's Feed Store, or phone 73.—J. D. KIRKLAND. 49-3p-tfc

FOR SALE: 45-acre tract, 25 in cultivation; house, barns, chicken houses, garage; ground tank and well. Fine paper shell pecans. 1 1/2 miles on Duffau Road. Reasonable terms. See J. T. Burkett. 2-1p-tfc

For New Singer Sewing Machines, Used Machines, and Repair Work. See B. L. Bowen at Fawell's Shoe Shop, Hico. 6-4c.

For Sale: 100 acres 6 miles north of Hico on Highway 66. J. S. Poston, Hamilton, Tex. 7-3p-tfc.

FOR SALE Or Trade: My 259-acre black land farm; large house and barn; well and mill; sheep and goat proof fence. School bus route; 145 acres in cultivation. Sam Battershell, Route 1. 8-1p.

WANTED: 40 to 50 head of cattle to pasture. W. C. Seliman, Route 5, Hico, Tex. 8-2p.

PIGS for sale. Mrs. W. B. Smith, Route 2. 8-tfc.

TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER: 53 acres heavy, black land in Carlton. Near good school and churches. Good improvements. \$400 cash, balance \$100 per year. Government check should make annual payments. Look it over and make me an offer. V. O. Porter, Stephenville, Texas. 9-1p.

HUME ANDERSON will appreciate your vote in the Second Primary, Aug. 27. (Political Adv. paid for by friends.) 9-5c.

WANTED: Carpenter work and painting. Pony suitable for children to trade. C. R. Oakley. 9-1p-tfc.

LOST: A pair of gold-rimmed glasses. See Sim Everett. 9-1c.

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Hog Jaw

By
OMA ROBERSON

(Intended for last week)

Georgie and Jimmie Lambert returned home Saturday after spending the week with relatives in Hico.

O. W. Roberson was a business visitor in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Those who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Higginbotham Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Higginbotham and children of Miller-ville, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Higginbotham and children of Dry Fork, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. McChrystal and daughter, Nadine.

A revival announced for the previous week but postponed on account of inclement weather, will begin Friday evening, July 29, conducted by Rev. U. S. Lucky.

Mrs. John Higginbotham spent Wednesday with Mrs. W. E. Alexander.

Misses Adena Elkins, Nadine McChrystal and Oma Roberson attended church services at Alexander Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Glover of Miller-ville spent Sunday afternoon in the Jess Howerton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lambert of Claiborne spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lambert.

Marion Elkins and family visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. N. J. Land.

Glenn Earl Whitesides of near Stephenville spent several days recently visiting his aunt, Mrs. Pearl Whitesides.

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	6.50-16 11.50	6.50-16 10.50
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	11.00-7 20.50	11.00-7 19.50
	11.50-6 21.50	11.50-6 20.50
	12.00-5 22.50	12.00-5 21.50
	12.50-4 23.50	12.50-4 22.50
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