

Extra-Constitutional Amendment Special

The Lynn County News

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CONSTITUTION MAY BE CHANGED

Citizens To Vote On Changes August 1st.

The regular session of the Legislature, which adjourned on August 1st, has passed four important constitutional amendments to be submitted to the people of Texas at the next general election to be held throughout the State on August 1st.

The amendments proposed are: 1. To increase the number of Justices of the Supreme Court from five to nine. 2. To provide for the election of Justices of the Supreme Court by the qualified voters of the State. 3. To provide for the election of Justices of the District Courts by the qualified voters of the State. 4. To provide for the election of Justices of the County Courts by the qualified voters of the State.

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Special Edition Necessary To Meet Amendment Requirements

We are issuing this special edition in order to publish this week the proposed constitutional amendments appearing on this page.

These amendments were received in this office Thursday with instructions from the Secretary of State to publish same in this paper for four consecutive issues, beginning next week.

Early this (Friday) morning we received a telegram from the Secretary of State instructing us to make the first publication this week, even if a special issue of the paper should be necessary.

Since our regular weekly issues had already been published, it was necessary for a special issue to be published.

The election for these amendments is to be held the first Monday in August, which is the first day of August.

The constitution provides that publication of proposed constitutional amendments must commence at least three months before the election. It was necessary therefore that the first publication be made before June 1. This requirement was apparently overlooked when the first instructions were sent out by the Secretary of State.

While the publication of a special edition entails considerable expense to us, yet we cheerfully publish it at no additional expense to the State in order that legal publication may be made and in order that there be no question as to the validity of these amendments in the event of their approval by the people at the polls.

Incidentally, many of our advertisers are getting the benefit of additional advertising without expense to them.

Text Of All Four Amendments Given

tion calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election. Approved March 10, 1927. (A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

H. J. R. No. 22
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 60, Article 16 so as to provide that the Legislature may fix the compensation of certain county officers by salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites providing for an election and making appropriation to pay expenses.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1 That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section to be known as Section 60, Article 16, to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 60. The Legislature may provide compensation for certain district and county officers, to-wit: The District Attorney, County Judge, County Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, District Clerk, County Tax Assessor and County Tax Collector, by prescribing their duties, and fixing salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites as now provided by the Constitution.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," and "Against amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution."

Section 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money on hand in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the holding of this election, including the expense of printing notices and advertisements.

Section 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Approved March 25, 1927. (A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

H. J. R. No. 23
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Article VIII by the insertion of Section 1-a therein, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the separation of the objects of taxation for State purposes and for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax or other form of tax for State purposes only, and for local purposes only, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the classification of objects of taxation and providing that rates shall be equal on the same class of property, and fixing limitations upon taxation.

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Section 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this state qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon: "For the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system," and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the qualified voters of the State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Section 4: The sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election. Approved March 10, 1927. (A Correct Copy)

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A shortened Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with the Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter may address the Lubbock Sanitarium.

The Layman On The Job

By Edgar A. Guest

Leave it to the ministers and soon the church will die,
Leave it to the women-folk—the young will pass it by.
For the church is all that lifts us from the coarse and selfish mob,
And the church that is to prosper needs the layman on the job.

Now a layman has his business, and a layman has his joys,
But he also has the training of his little girls and boys;
And I wonder how he'd like it if there were no churches here,
And he had to raise his children in a Godless atmosphere?

It's the church's special function to uphold the finer things,
To teach that way of living which all that's noble springs;
But the minister can't do it, single-handed and alone,
For the laymen of the country are the church's corner stone.

When you see a church that's empty, though its doors are opened wide,
It is not the church that's dying; it's the laymen who have died;
For it's not by song or sermon that the church work is done,
It's the laymen of the country who for God must carry on.

**Federation Meeting At Hale Co. To Vote
O'Donnell May 15**

The following is the program of Lynn County Federation of Women's Clubs, at O'Donnell, Texas, on Thursday, May 15

10:30 Opening Song—America—Led by Mr. Gordon King, O'Donnell, H. S.

Invocation: Rev. W. B. Hicks, O'Donnell.

Welcome Address—Mrs. Paul Gooch of O'Donnell, Texas.

Five minute reports from each Club represented—H. D. Clubs Study Clubs, Mothers' Clubs and P. T. A.'s should have someone there to make a report.

11:15 Education in Lynn County—County Superintendent H. P. Caviness, Tahoka.

Reading—Miss Mabel Draper.

12:00 Dinner—Everyone spread their basket lunch and have a general "get-acquainted" meeting during the noon hour.

1:30 Special Number—Piano Solo—Miss Sue Gates.

Making Our Homes Mechanically convenient—Mrs. E. W. Fenton, Edith Club.

Making Our Homes Economically Sound—Mrs. Beasley, T-Bar H. D. Club.

Making Our Homes Physically Healthful—Dr. C. T. Kibbe, O'Donnell.

Making Our Homes Spiritually Satisfying: (a) Through self culture, and by use of literature, music, pictures, etc.—Mrs. J. B. Walker, Tahoka, Phebe-K. Warner Club. (b) Color in the Home, in Dress, Arrangement of Home Furnishings—Mrs. E. L. Sorrels, H. D. Club. (c) Beautifying the Home Grounds, and Report of Yard Contest—Mrs. M. L. H. Base, Gen. Chairman Lynn County Yard Improvement Contest, Tahoka.

Special Number—Miss Christine Millwee.

Business Meeting—Introduction of New Officers and Committees. Receiving New Clubs. Paying fees, report of Treasurer, etc. Announce place of next meeting.

Benediction—Rev. W. K. Horn, O'Donnell.

The lunch committee asks that each person bringing lunch to leave their baskets in the Superintendent's office of the O'Donnell High School.

NOTICE

The City will receive bids for the moving of the Fire Station to City Park, on May 2nd, 1927, at 8 o'clock p. m.

J. K. SINGLETON, Mayor
FRANKIE WELLS, Sec'y.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hasey of Roscoe were here Saturday and Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hasey, L. C. being their son. They also visited the editor and family, being warm friends of long standing.

Eat the best, good Honey Toast

Mrs. A. E. McConagill was taken to the West Texas Hospital at Lubbock on Wednesday for a few days treatment. It is thought that she will be able to return home right soon.

Clyde Briley made a flying trip to Lubbock, Kress and Amherst Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Briley accompanied him as far as Lubbock, where she visited friends while he made the remainder of the trip.

Rev. J. F. Curry of Munday, who was formerly a citizen of Tahoka, visited his daughter, Mrs. Borden Davis, here on Wednesday. His daughter, Miss Frankie, returned home with him today.

Mrs. J. W. Sanders of Roscoe was the guest Saturday and Sunday of Mrs. E. L. Hill. She was a near neighbor of the editor's family for a number of years in Roscoe.

J. M. Doak of Snyder was here Wednesday visiting his brother, L. E. Doak.

G. H. Nelson has purchased the Longley residence and moved into the same Wednesday.

Petitions to be presented to the commissioners' court asking for the calling of another paving election in Hale county are being circulated in Precinct 2 and will come up from Abernathy soon, signed, not by the required property owners but by a large group of them.

This petition calls for an election on the proposition of paving the main highway north and south through the county and the highway east and west through the county, just as the former election.

The first election called on this subject was defeated by a rather narrow margin on December 31st. Similar elections called about the same time carried in some of the other counties affected and it is important to link up the pavement clear across and perhaps may be necessary to secure prompt action by the state highway department in allowing state aid.

The last election was defeated largely by the people of precincts two and three and it is nice to note that the proposition is coming up by the action of the people of that part of the county.

It they want it, Plainview will not vote against them, and it is freely predicted that if their election is ordered the bonds will be voted. It is said that there has been quite a change in sentiment in that section of the county during the past two months.

The petition will be presented at the next meeting of the commissioners, on the 9th day of May—Plainview News.

Loulynn Briefs

Quite a nice crowd attended church Sunday morning.

Our school closed Friday. The stars of the school gave an informal musical program Friday night. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. A large crowd attended and every one enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Tankersley entertained about forty people in their home Sunday eve, April 17, with an egg hunt and also had some splendorous singing. Among those attended were Mr. and Mrs. Cody Brag, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Briley and baby son, Clyde Jr., and Miss Geneva Tankersley all of Tahoka, Mr. Salsbury and family, Mr. Bill Thomas and family, Mr. Brantley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rank and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Williamson and children, Mrs. Terry Noble and sons, Morgan and Weldon, Miss Ruby Jordan, and Mrs. James Blackburn and sons, J. R. and Ted Mayo, and Grandmother Tankersley. Everyone had a splendid time, and we hope Mrs. Tankersley will entertain again some time, as she is a real hostess.

Mr. Marvin Wood of Tahoka visited his sister, Mrs. Terry Noble Sunday.

Uncle Jim Quinn has returned from some point in Florida, having attended the Old Soldiers' Reunion at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noble visited their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Noble, Monday morning.

THE RULE OF THREE

Three things to be—true, thorough, thoughtful.

Three things to govern—time, temper, tongue.

Three things to cherish—love, liberty, life.

Three things to love—honor, home, heaven.

Three things to educate—hand, head, heart.

Three things to consider—duty, death, destiny.—Ex.

Bread is the best food; buy Honey Toast. 84-4tc

W. G. Briley was here from Abilene Monday on business.

Mrs. G. E. Lockhart of Lubbock was here visiting friends Wednesday. Jack Reeves was a business visitor in Brownfield Tuesday.

**COUNTY ORGANIZATION
STOMACH STATIC**

Have you ever tuned in on two stations at once? Then you'll recognize what happened to a Little Chicago bride. Before the end of the first month she had served through her entire list of recipes three times and was frantic for a change to present to her loved one next day. Spying a notice in the evening paper that recipes would be radioed that night she looked at the clock, saw that it was passing the radio hour. In haste she tuned in. When she stopped and read in high hopes, this is what she had: "Place one cup of flour on hips, raise left leg and stir in one cupful of warm milk. Inhale one-half spoonful of baking powder, then breathe naturally. Whip in three eggs while counting four and resume sitting posture in well greased frying pan."

UPKEEP OF 20,000,000 AUTOS IN U. S. COSTS \$14,000,000,000 PER ANNUM

Upkeep of the 20,000,000 automobiles in the United States costs \$14,000,000,000 per annum, according to an estimate furnished by the U. S. Bureau of Industrial Technology. The automobile is recognized as a necessity, but it is not nearly so essential to the welfare of the nation and the individual as religion. Yet how many persons are there who put as much into the upkeep of their religious institutions and work as they do into the operation of their cars? Baptists can take care of all their causes, local and general, in a worthy fashion when once they get as interested in religion as they are in riding, for instance, or a lot of other things.

EASY PUBLICITY

The reason why some men are always destructive in their methods is because it takes less ability to become conspicuous along the line of destruction than it does along the line of construction. The wild boar can get into a flower garden, root up and destroy in one night what it could not produce in a century. The stupid idiot can strike a match and touch it to a great cathedral, which took the best brains and brawn of the nation a decade to build, and destroy it in a few hours. The destructive man is usually following the course of least resistance and quickest results—cheap notoriety.—Wm. D. Nowlin.

Land Bank System is Great Boon to Agriculture

The farmer has sometimes had a hard row to hoe in the hazards of crop production and the vicissitudes of falling prices, but with this great co-operative system of farm credits and loans from the Federal Land Bank available to him at 5 per cent, payable over 36 years, he enjoys a greater opportunity to save and finance himself profitably than does the mechanic, the professional man or the merchant of the city who pays 7 to 8 per cent for what he borrows. The millions the Federal land Bank saves the farmers each year can be counted as sure profit figured with a certainty in advance for a period of 36 years. Drouth, floods, bugs or low prices, he gets it just the same. In this way, by making it possible for farmers to make millions of dollars each year in savings, has the Federal Loan System rendered a signal service.

"The world turns aside to let any man pass who knows whether he is going.—Dr. David Starr Jordan.

Mrs. Frank P. Hill and little daughter Patricia are visiting her parents and other relatives at Crosbyton.

Judge G. E. Lockhart was here from Lubbock on professional business Tuesday.

W. T. Harrell, who resides east of town, subscribed for the paper some time ago and had it so that he decided to send it to a brother-in-law in Little Rock. It came in Wednesday and will be gone Tuesday.

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M. E. Ladies Hold Social Meeting

The Elizabeth Hughes Society met at the church Monday afternoon for their social meeting. We had a nice program. Mrs. Harley Henderson and Mrs. Lane Muraland sang, and Mrs. John Thomas gave a reading. Mrs. G. M. Stewart made a wonderful talk about the conference and also gave us some advice how to make our society more successful. After the program, a refreshment plate consisting of meat sandwiches, potato chips, sliced pineapple, olives and punch were served to the following: Mesdames Herman Turner, C. L. Dickson, Frank Edwards, Lang Muraland, G. M. Stewart, John N. Thomas, Roscoe Roberts, Harley Henderson, J. A. Brashear, R. J. Reed, and Miss Jewell Bargent and Imogene Flanagan. The society will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock for their monthly business meeting. —REPORTER.

W. P. Inman dropped in Monday to tell us again that he has found that it pays to advertise. Last week he inserted an ad in our classified column advertising milk cows for sale. He reported Monday that he had already sold a cow on the strength of the ad at a higher price than he had been asking for her. He has used our advertising columns before with success.

SWEETWATER—Another important industry has been added to Sweetwater's list with the announcement that A. A. Kock, for the past year manager of the San Angelo Foundry and Machine Company, has purchased land here and will begin immediately erection of a foundry and steel works known as the Star Foundry, Steel and Machine Company.

Shoes and socks serve as money depositories in this section, for about seven carry their exchequers about their person. The reason for this condition is that Girard is in need of a bank. The town is located in a prosperous agricultural region and offers a good location for interested capital.

Every loaf of Honey Toast guaranteed. 34-4tc

ACUTE ATTACKS Of Indigestion Helped By Black-Draught. Black-Draught was recommended to Mrs. Reathia Edmondson, of Williamson, N. Car., by her father-in-law. She says: "Shortly after I became a bride, I had a spell of indigestion, and my father-in-law told me to take a dose of Black-Draught. I had never heard of it before, but I tried it, and got such quick relief. I have turned to it ever since. "About three years ago, I began having acute attacks of indigestion real frequently. I would feel severe pains through the lower part of my body, and they were accompanied by bad gas pains. I took a systematic course of Black-Draught and soon began to feel better. The acute attacks disappeared." Try Theford's Black-Draught for indigestion. You can get it everywhere. Theford's BLACK-DRAUGHT Purely Vegetable

Dixie High School News And Local Items of the Community LEE KING Acting Editor-in-Chief

Hattie Harper, J. B. Zimmerman, Jr., Sterling Alderson, J. D. Harper, Elgin Harper, Otis Mayberry, Ethel Murrah, and Verdie Mae Warren, reporters.

On the account of the district meet at Texas Technological College, our school board gave us a half holiday last Friday. Messrs. E. G. James, A. F. Pitts, Lee Holley, Creed Clements, A. H. Macha, V. H. Macha, G. K. Phillips, J. J. Alderson, W. J. Seasmus, J. H. McNeely, Homer Franklin, W. M. Medlin, and J. B. Zimmerman furnished cars to transport about fifty pupils and teachers. It was feared at first that everyone who wanted to go would not find a way, but Mr. J. M. Trussell came with his big truck.

When we arrived at the Tech, our crowd separated. Some went to various athletic events scheduled on the campus, the most interesting of which was the football game, the high and low hurdles.

By far the greatest number of our party preferred to visit the various buildings. We went first to the administration building. Every one admired the beautiful exterior which is patterned after early Spanish architecture displayed in the Alamo, and other missions. We learned this building is only the front of a proposed quadrangle which will enclose a plaza. The turrets somewhat resemble those on Mission San Jose. The interior of the building is very attractive, especially the ceiling and walls, which are in harmony with the other architecture. We visited the library, the chemical and zoological laboratories. While passing through the rooms we noted the cleanliness, the orderliness and the beauty of the modern furniture and equipment. Every one connected with the Tech, especially Professor W. P. Clements, welcomed us most heartily and made us feel as if it were our own great schools were inspecting.

Next we were shown through the modernly equipped and sanitary dairy barns. The way this house was kept showed every gallon of milk sold was absolutely sanitary. As we passed through the dairy we noticed cards above the cows' stalls. We were informed that students own these cows and are selling milk to help pay expenses through college. Just beyond this barn, we saw large draft horses, hogs, sheep and chickens.

As we passed out of the barn, our attention was attracted by the horticulture department. It seems that every variety of shade trees and others were being cultivated and propagated. Students learn about these plants and soon our fair plains will blossom and boom with trees adapted to our climate and soil. Many of our young ladies were interested in horticulture and dairying but visited the Home Economics building. The young ladies of the department were exhibiting some beautiful dresses that they had made and designed. You see this is a coeducational school and the interest of both young men and women are cultivated and enhanced.

At the entrance to the textile building which is somewhat removed from the other structures, we were met by the smiling and genial face of Prof. Camp. When he saw the size of his audience from Dixie, about seventy-five interested faces, he asked us how much time we had. We answered "We are not in a hurry." This evidently pleased him very much. He showed us the process of which cotton is thoroughly cleaned. We were surprised at the dirt and other foreign matter that is removed from long-stapled, high class, middling cotton. It was then run through the carder. Professor Camp explained that the room was dry and that the cotton stuck to the teeth of the carder, very much like a person's hair follows a comb on a frosty morning. He called attention to a machine, a humidifier, which sprays the room with water. It is claimed that this moisture keeps down the static and the cotton comes off in clean, fluffy rolls as white as a fresh snow. Next we were shown how this roll was converted to coarse threads and still finer ones. Before these threads can be put on the loom they must be carried through a process of heat and starching compound which hardens and strengthens the fibers. Threads are then dyed and dried by machinery. After this we were shown the looms in actual operation where several different kinds of cloth were being made. How do you suppose that outing gets its soft side? It is manufactured as any other cloth and then it is run through a machine that has teeth like an old fashioned card which picks up the loose end of the fibers. This gives the outing a soft finish. It was explained to us how a picture or design could be woven in colors and likeness of persons. Professor Camp is very proud of some souvenirs that his class has woven which contain a picture of Dan Moody.

We now have a better understanding of our greatest college and the purpose for which it was built. Especially do we know why farmers should grow long staple cotton, as it has been explained how much expense manufacturers of cotton goods are put in changing the machinery to use different lengths of staple.

Local News Mr. S. L. Shelton and family visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Davis Sunday afternoon. Miss Ruth Isbell spent Sunday

with Misses Restric and Mary Loyd. One of our ninth grade students Miss Ellen King, has been very sick this last week with appendicitis. It is thought that an operation will be necessary but we hope not. We sympathize with her in this serious illness and hope she will soon get well. Miss Naomi Hallmark spent the week end with her friends in Lubbock. Mr. Homer Franklin, also spent the week end in Lubbock.

Our Sunday School Last Sunday we had a very nice Sunday school. A large crowd was there and we had good singing, good lessons, and a fine collection. After Sunday School, a committee of women, of which Mrs. O. D. Davis is chairman, were appointed to get up a program for Mother's Day which is the second Sunday of May. We are planning to make this program an interesting one. You are urged to be present. Every mother will be given a hearty welcome, and a committee of persons owning cars will see that every mother who wishes to come will have a way.

TEXAS BERRY ADOPTED BY CALIFORNIA

The Nessberry is a perfect success in Southern California, according to a report to Mr. E. Ness, a Houston Nurseryman, from Mr. H. M. Ramsey formerly of Houston, now living at National City, near San Diego, California. Mr. Ramsey states that the berries are as large as English Walnuts and grow in clusters. They have the delightful flavor of raspberries and are almost black when fully ripe, at which time they are of the best flavor. Mr. Ramsey also reports that Hauptberry is a failure with him and that the Loganberry has no raspberry flavor and does not compare in quality with the Nessberry. He says the vines are very vigorous in California, growing 6 or 8 feet in a season. Prof. H. Ness of the Texas Experiment Station who originated the Nessberry in his breeding experiment, some 10 years ago, has expressed much gratification that this berry is a success in California. In Texas, Prof. Ness states that the berry seems to be at its highest flavor when it is at its most brilliant red color, rather than dead ripe, as mentioned by the California grower. Distribution of this new berry was made from the Station to numerous growers in Texas, including several nurseries, and the public now has access to supplies of this splendid fruit through the nurseries.

RELIGIOUS HOMES PRODUCE NATION'S LEADERS, IT IS REVEALED

In a recent issue of the American Magazine is an article on "The Kind of Parents Our Big Business Men Had." Mr. Roger Babson picked out 50 representative men, bankers, manufacturers, and other business executives, and sent to them the following six questions: (1) Did you have a praying father, a praying mother, or both? (2) Do you believe there is some power higher than human power? (3) Do you feel that you are responsible to this higher power? (4) Do you feel that we need help from it? (5) Do you ever pray? (6) Has this feeling of responsibility influenced your life? Of the fifty men of the list, 30 definitely answered "Yes" to the questions asked them. Mr. Babson himself stated that practically every big business man of his unusually wide acquaintance has had a praying father, a praying mother, or both. He quotes Dr. Russell H. Conwell, who investigated the percentage of over 4,000 American millionaires and found that all of them except 20 began as poor boys. Mr. Babson refers, too, to a professor in Indiana University who made a study of the names in a recent volume of "Who's Who in America," and found that preachers—in proportion to their numbers—fathered 2,400 times as many eminent persons as did the unskilled laborers, who stand at the other end of the scale. The preachers fathered thirty-five times as many eminent persons as did the farmers; four times as many as did the business men; and twice as many as the doctors, lawyers, and other professional men. Ten years ago this same professor investigated 70 leaders in business and found that all of these 70 men had praying fathers and mothers and that 24 of them were sons of preachers, teachers and farmers. Mr. Babson himself added this very interesting comment: "I have not been able to find a single great and useful institution which has not been founded by either an intensely religious man or by the son of a praying father or a praying mother."—Baptist Standard.

J. L. Martin has sold a half-interest in the Scurry County Times to Geo. F. Smith of Leipsic, Ohio, and the latter gentleman has assumed his duties as one of the publishers and editors of this splendid west Texas weekly.

W. C. Wells who has been seriously ill in the Elwood Hospital at Lubbock the past three weeks, was able to return to his home Wednesday. He is still confined to his bed but hopes to be able to come down town by the first of next week. His hosts of friends here are delighted at his continued improvement.

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**FARM BUREAU
ISSUES MONEY**

Lynn County Farmer Members Receiving \$69,000.00 The Last Of This Week

Members of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association in Lynn county the latter part of this week will receive checks totalling approximately \$69,263.50, according to D. A. Adam, who announced that these checks represent a final distribution on the past years cotton from the county marketed orderly and co-operatively through the Association. In addition to the initial advance made at the time the cotton was shipped, distributions have also been made in December and February.

According to Mr. Adam these checks will be mailed from the Dallas office of the Association Wednesday or Thursday of this week, April 27 or 28 and should be distributed to the members in the county through the mail by Saturday, April 30th. This amount coming to the county at this time is part of the distribution of \$3,378,663.08 which is being made throughout the association members. It brings the season's advances to the members to \$11,707,213.61.

Deliveries during the coming season will open the seventh year of operations of the association, and representatives feel that a substantial increase will be noted in the cotton delivered to co-operative marketing channels from this county. The year just ending, it is said, has been a most successful year from the standpoint of the grower member who participated in the benefits of orderly and co-operative marketing.

**SCHOOL TRUSTEES WILL
HAVE COUNTY WIDE MEET**

County Superintendent H. P. Cavness announces that there will be a meeting of all the school trustees of the county from both the common and the independent districts at the court house in Tahoka at 10 a. m. next Monday morning. Some important matters are to be discussed and considered and Mr. Cavness wishes to stress the fact that the presence of the trustees of the Tahoka, O'Donnell, and Wilson independent districts as well as those of the rural districts is desired.

On this day there will also be a meeting of the county trustees.

**Dr. Atticus Webb To
Speak in Tahoka**

Dr. Atticus Webb, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, will speak at the Baptist Church on Sunday night, May 15, in the interest of the work of that organization, according to G. H. Lewis, the assistant superintendent, who was here Wednesday.

Dr. Webb, who was a Methodist pastor for many years, has been directing the work of the Anti-Saloon League in Texas the past ten years and is one of the best informed men in the United States with reference to the liquor business.

The public are cordially invited to hear him.

The Midland Reporter hereafter will be published twice each week. Midland has greatly prospered as a result of the development of oil fields in her territory and the newspaper has shared in the general prosperity of the city and section.



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**STATE CONSTITUTION MAY
BE AMENDED AUGUST FIRST**

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be effective on and after January 1, 1927, and not sooner; and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitation as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1927 and not sooner."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State, and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4: The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State

S. N. Weathers of Abilene was here Tuesday and Wednesday visiting his parents and other relatives as well as looking after business matters.

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