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By Senator G. H. Nelson
THE PROPOSED BILL

It is my proposal that we shall take the Congressional Districts of this State as they were created according to the 1930 Federal Census, and elect from each of these Congressional Districts, two men, each for a four year term, one to be elected each two years, thus creating a one house Legislature with forty-two membership.

By doing this we will eliminate the cost of re-districting this State by the Legislature which has not been done since 1920, and which, according to the constitution of Texas, should have been done in 1930. In this manner each section of our State will be proportionately represented according to its population, thereby giving to the cities and to the rural districts as well, their equal representation.

This system would provide a longer term for all of its members, thereby giving recognition to training and experience within the office, and at the same time would provide an opportunity for the people to speak every two years their mandates to both of their representatives. These two men being elected from the same territory by the same people will serve as a check and balance so much desired by the opponents of this plan. This would make a small deliberative body, and yet would strike a medium between both of our two houses as they now exist.

I propose further that each member shall be paid not less than \$5,000.00 per year, and that each member shall be prohibited from taking employment from any person, firm, or corporation during the tenure of his office, thereby compelling him to give his full time and his best efforts to his constituency as a whole. With the constitutional per diem of \$10.00 per day for the days the Legislature is in session, this amounts to \$50.00 per month for your Legislators, are you to compare them if they, from necessity, are compelled to take employment in various interests, such as will influence them in their opinion upon the various questions which the Legislature?

Can you expect to secure from your citizenship, who are capable and anxious to render a public service to their people to make such a sacrifice?

There are those who have said to me that they thought I was proposing a plan which consummated a thing to the people instead of increasing the costs of our Legislature. In answer to this, I give you the following figures. For the 42nd Legislature there was spent for salaries and traveling expenses of such men \$23,277. The total cost for forty-two men at \$5,000.00 per year for two year period would be \$900,000. Then, after allowing for traveling expenses for each of these forty-two men as is now allowed for each of the one hundred and eighty-one men, we would have a clear balance for each two year period of approximately \$10,000.00 for salary and expense fund alone. My proposal likewise calls for one continuous term of the Legislature each two year period. This does mean that the Legislature shall be in session all the time, but that they may meet with or without the call of the Governor of this State, at such time as needed for further carrying on the business of this State, and when they do convene, that they shall stay in session, not for an arbitrary time, which permits the editing of legislation to the last minute of the session thereby enabling filibustering and the passing of hasty laws, but until their work shall be efficiently concluded.

Are those who say let's wait for what Nebraska does. Is this a reason for waiting?

The argument of the opposition is that when we should never doubt our system, but on the other hand, decisions herein drawn and made in our state, cannot be easily disputed, then, why do we wait for anyone? The general sentiment throughout this State favors the proposal — saying if we could only get a vote on that there is no doubt but that it would be adopted.

There is one way of securing the people of this proposal in Texas, and that is two-thirds of the members of the house and of the

Payment of Adjusted Service Certificates

Plans for prompt and expeditious handling of Veterans' Adjusted Service Certificates were completed at a conference held April 28, 1936, by Postmaster General James A. Farley with Brigadier General Frank T. Hines, Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, national leaders of the veterans' organizations and officials of the Treasury Department.

Payment on these adjusted service bonds becomes effective by law on June 15, 1936, on and after which date they will be received at the 45,000 post offices of the first, second, third and fourth classes throughout the nation.

Following the conference, Postmaster General Farley stated that it would be possible, through the cooperation of the Post Office and Treasury Departments and the veterans themselves, to make payment on the great majority of these bonds within one week of June 15, the first date of payment.

Payment of the adjusted service certificates will be made, the Postmaster General pointed out, after the proper identification and certification by the veterans. The payment will be made by Government check and in the larger cities this will be done directly through the local post office. In the smaller communities the bonds will be forwarded immediately to a designated central post office within the State for payment by mail.

The handling of the adjusted service certificates will be accomplished without inconvenience to the veterans and with a minimum of delay, Mr. Farley stated.

On June 13, the Postmaster General will, over a nation-wide radio hook-up, deliver a special message to the veterans of the nation in which he will give full and complete information concerning payment of the bonds and what the veterans will be required to do in identifying themselves.

J. W. Bandy Dies of Heart Attack

Kent County lost one of her best citizens, Sunday night when Mr. Bandy died suddenly from a heart attack. He was only sick a few minutes and died before medical aid could reach him. He lived on his ranch in the South East part of the County which he purchased some years back. His former home being at Sweetwater, which was the place where his body was taken for interment.

The unexpected death of Mr. J. W. Bandy was quite a shock to the people of Kent county, more especially to all those who were well acquainted with him. During the time he has lived among the people of this county he has made many true friends who regret his passing. He was an honorable, industrious citizen, a good neighbor and a true friend. He was 63 years old at the time death called him. His family has the deepest sympathy of all in this time of their sad bereavement.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deepest appreciation for the many expressions of kindness and sympathy shown us during our bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. J. W. Bandy,
Mr. and Mrs. Otha Smith and family,
Mrs. Kathryn Puryear
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bandy and son,
Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Neblett, and family.

Senate shall vote to submit to the people of Texas a constitutional amendment for their approval or disapproval after the regular session of the 45th Legislature. You can now discuss with your prospective Legislators who are now running for such positions, their views with reference to this question, thereby letting them know what your desires in this regard may be.

If the people of this State desire to have this form of legislation, then the Legislature is there who has the right to say to his constituency that we will not vote upon this proposal.

P. H. Miller, Pioneer Citizen, Buried Friday

All this part of Texas mourned Friday for one of its best loved citizens, P. H. Miller of Spur, who passed away Thursday afternoon at 3:05. Death came not unexpected to another of the city's builders after he had been ill since Tuesday, following a stroke of heart failure.

Services for Mr. Miller were held at the First Baptist Church of Spur, where he had served as a charter member and one of its deacons since 1909 when the church was established.

The services were held at 3:00 in the afternoon, interment following in Spur cemetery.

Mr. Miller was born Sept. 18, 1859 at Sugar Valley, Georgia. He came to Texas in 1883. For a number of years he lived at Ft. Worth where he was in 1909 when the Fort Worth and Denver began construction of the Wichita Valley railroad from Stamford to Spur. Seeing the opportunities in the new western country that was beginning a period of development that is still going on today, Mr. Miller came further west and followed this branch line railroad establishing lumber yards in towns along its line to the end at Spur and with the opening of each town, Swenson, Peacock, Jayton, Girard and Spur, operating under the name of P. H. Miller Lumber Co. He aided in the development of these towns making his home in Spur.

In 1924 he sold his lumber interests to the W. H. Norris Lumber Company and since that time has looked after farming and other business interests.

Survivors are his wife, a brother, W. A. Miller of Goodlet, Texas; a nephew, W. H. Miller of Abilene; a cousin, Miss Jennie Shields of Spur and a number of nieces and nephews in other parts of the state.

I Am A Candidate For The Legislature

Henry Ford said, "History is the bunk," and I say the usual way of candidates advertising is the bunk. Few people read it, and no one believes it. The newspaper collects its fee, and your name goes on list in an obscure part and is promptly forgotten.

I prepared quite a "spiel" and had same published in some papers; I have not seen anyone who read it. All of us candidates remind me of Little Jack Horner, who "sat in a corner, stuck in this thumb, pulled out a plum, and said: 'My, what a great man am I!'"

You may be wise enough about Legislative matters. Maybe I could tell you something that would arouse greater interest. I do not want to have to speak on street corners. The office of Legislature is of more importance than the office of Governor, and needs able persons. The Legislature makes your laws and spends your money. Will you please provide a place and come to hear me.

For three years we have heard about social security. We have promised the needy aged people bread; shall we give them a stone?

Respectfully,
W. A. CRADDOCK
Candidate for 45th Legislature,
118 District

P. S. One Dr. Nelson has discovered there is something wrong with the Legislative body at Austin, but he is 55 years late and entirely wrong in his "diagnosis." The trouble is in that organ called the Senate. It was long ago condemned for extravagance and general incompetency — just an old diseased appendix of the Legislative body, and should be removed. I shall gladly assist Dr. Nelson in the operation.

W. A. CRADDOCK

Milton Ramsey and family are in Jayton since the close of Mr. Ramsey's school year in New Mexico.

L. H. Mason reports the sale of a New Chevrolet to C. J. Robinson Wednesday of this week.

C. O. Fox is now with Brown's Cafe. He had been with Mason Chevrolet for about a year.

At this time, Thursday, 10:00 A. M. it hasn't rained for six days, and are the farmers killing insects.

Texas Politics Trying To Warm Up

The political aspirants for honors in Texas are now most all on the firing line. The several candidates for Gov. have opened their campaign either officially or unofficially. Some of them are making plenty of noise, but none of it seems to get very far. Just for why they are running few of them seem to know, and what hopes they have for beating Gov. Allred out of his second term is as hard to analyze as the book of Psalms.

One of them seems to be running on the bones of Jim Ferguson, for Jim is certainly dead in this world politically. Another is trying to run on the ignorance of the people, who are not so ignorant as one might think they are. In this day of rural routes, and daily star routes, radjos, and good roads, ignorance has given away to enlightenment and the old boys who live at the forks of creek are better posted than many town and city business men who are too busy to read or think.

Another, a darn good man, but one who has evidently run his races and lost twice, apparently is running just because he wants to be governor so badly that he honestly believes a majority of the Texas voters want him for governor, which is just a delusion on his part as he will realize when the votes are counted.

More than 30 county papers come to our desk every week, not to mention the State Dailies. Everyone of these papers are actively supporting Allred which tells us plainly that the other candidates are just running but will get no where.

When we come to the United States Senate — Well Senator Morris Sheppard will be re-elected by (acclamation we like to have said) a wonderful majority and that's that. Congressman Mahon will likewise be re-elected "Speck, or no Speck," for a majority of the people while believing in taking good care of the old and enfeebled, do not believe in taxing themselves to death and bankruptcy, just to give the older folks a chance to commit financial suicide for the nation. Mahon favored and worked for the passage of the Federal Old Age Assistance bill and this bill as now in effect matches the State Pension funds dollar for dollar up to fifteen dollars per month making a total assistance monthly grant of \$30.00 per month to worthy needy old people in Texas, and most all old folks are reasonably well satisfied with this arrangement, which under present conditions seems fair to us.

President Roosevelt will be renominated and re-elected in November by a larger majority than in his first race. The Republicans have no one to offer for president who can hope to beat our great democratic leader. The republicans have nothing to offer the people and no one to offer it. What few there are left of them just run around in circles, squalling and catawailing and the only good that will come out of their campaigning will be the money they will put in circulation, which we hope and know will be a plenty.

Coming on down to the local district offices we are passing out no opinions, and as for the county candidates, let the best men win.

C. L. Harris and Hon. Leonard Westfall, candidates for the Legislature were Jayton visitors, Monday.

District Attorney Grindstaff, who is a candidate for district Judge was seeing Kent County voters this week. He was accompanied by his son.

Harold Kenady who has been with the Mayer Auto Service for some time has moved to Spur where he has a job with the Texas Co.

Most of the young folks who have been attending college at different places in the state are now home for their summer vacation.

NOTICE!

All members of the Chorus who are interested in going to the Centennial at Dallas on June 12, please meet at the Robinson building, Saturday morning at 9:00 o'clock. If you are interested in going don't fail to be present.

Director Robert Williams.

Final Date For Filing Of Work Sheets June 10

June 10th has been set for the final date for signing work sheets in the State of Texas by the State Board. The county agent wishes to take this means to urge all the farmers of Kent County who have not filed work sheets for all the land they either own or operate to do so between now and June 10th. The filing of a work sheet in no way obligates a person to comply with the regulations. However, the regulations require that one must have a work sheet filed in the county agent's office on his farm prior to June 11th in order for him to be eligible for a payment or grant. The filing of a work sheet is merely a precaution or form of insurance which cost the farmer nothing, but makes him eligible to receive a grant later in the year should some weather hazard or insect infestation damage a part of his crop. The county agent will be glad to go over the proposition on any farm with any grower and explain in detail the requirements of the regulations for each particular farm.

I Want To Be Your Cotton Weigher

Howdy Folks: This is Less Matthews talking over the Chronicle radio and I want to be your public weigher. Circumstance are such that I am now without a job and needing one badly I have decided to ask the public for one, as these public jobs are open for any one who wants them and is fortunate enough to get one.

I am acquainted with every man and woman within this territory. All of you know me—you know that I work at my job. If you will elect me your public weigher — I will make you the very best and most accommodating weigher its possible for one to make. I am going to make a close, clean campaign and do my dead level best to persuade every one of you to vote for me. I will appreciate your votes as few men can, think my candidacy over—think about it seriously, and when it comes time to vote — remember I am earnestly, sincerely and hopefully asking for your vote.

LESS MATTHEWS

Red Mud Man Killed By Bolt of Lightning

Olan Browning, 26, was killed by a bolt of lightning at his home in Lower Red Mud community about noon Friday. Mr. Browning and a brother, Thell Jr., were out penning some baby chickens during a shower when he was struck. He was killed instantly, his shoes and clothes being torn to shreds. The brother was knocked unconscious for several minutes. He was brought to the Spur Hospital for treatment and his nerve swere found to be badly shattered.

Epworth League To Re-Organize

You are cordially invited to attend the organization meeting of the Epworth League in Jayton Sunday at 8:00 o'clock P. M. at the Methodist church. We will appreciate your coming and uniting with us.

—Organization Committee.

CANDIDATE FOR STATE SUPT. VISITS HERE SATURDAY

Pat Bullock, of San Antonio, was in our city Saturday greeting voters in his race for State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Mr. Bullock is running for the office strictly on a platform of economy and efficiency.

Some of these days someone is going to have to pay a stiff fine for driving excessively fast on the highway that passes thru Jayton. Junction signs and speed limit signs do not apparently have any effect on their desire for speed but we believe a good stiff fine will slow them down to where one may cross the highway with reasonable safety. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Most of the farmers are hoping it will remain dry for the next two weeks and give them time to get their crops worked out and replant what failed to come up on account of the excessive rain fall of last week.

Jayton's Centennial Celebration To Be Held Friday, June 19

Under the auspices of the various ladies organizations of Jayton, assisted by the business men and chamber of Commerce of the town and everyone else within the community, Jayton will hold her Centennial celebration on Friday June the 19th.

While all plans for the celebration have not been completely worked out. The outline for the event is about as follows. In the morning a big parade will be held of oldtime vehicles driven by folks in oldtime costumes, leading the parade. Following the old time rigs will be the modern floats etc. featuring the modern days.

An exhibition hall will be one of the attraction in which will be assembled old time articles of various kinds to show the younger generation the things the old settlers used and worked with in the days long gone by.

Prizes will be given to the oldest couple attending the celebration, and other outstanding features, all of which will be published in the Chronicle next week.

There will be an "Old Fiddlers Contest" and every old fiddler in West Texas is invited to attend and enter. If any reader of this article knows of an old fiddler anywhere send him word to be in Jayton on Friday the 19th.

Candidates from all over this state are invited to attend and they will all be given an opportunity to address the crowd. There will be ball games and other athletic events. Music and old time singing. We can't tell you all about it at this time, but there will be a great time for all who come and come with the Centennial spirit. Bring well filled baskets and spread your food under the shade of the public square and lets all celebrate.

Soft Ball League Features Extra Inning Games

The games of the past week have been featured by the fact that two of them had to go extra innings before the outcome could be decided.

Sunday the Spur Creamery went to Girard and lost a 11-12 decision in 14 innings of thrill packed ball. This was the second straight defeat suffered by the Creamery boys.

Jayton was in Dickens Sunday also, Dickens winning by a score of 8 to 5.

Monday the best game of the season was enjoyed between the Kinney team and the Jayton team in a game played at Jayton. The score was 1 to 0 in favor of Jayton. The interesting part of the contest was however that it went twelve innings before the score was made and then there were two outs when that happened.

Dickens came to Spur Monday and won another game handing the Bryant Link Co. team a 15 to 8 defeat.

—Texas Spur
Wednesday Bryant-Link Co. came down and handed the Jayton boys a defeat in the form of 9 to 5, and unless the Girard team lost to Kinney of Spur Wednesday afternoon Jayton goes into third place in the Texas Spur Soft Ball League.

In the games between the Jayton teams this week we find that the Pill Rollers lost to the Prune Peddlers and the Oil Mill lost to the Pill Rollers.

The long discussed softball game between the local Fats and Leans climated in a barbecue rally for the Leans in the 5th and 6th innings yesterday, which assured a good feed for the winning Leans. As we see it the Leans were not the best ball players but had the best system for beating the opposition. They let the Fats run themselves down in the first few innings of the game and then mopped up on them when the Fats were give out, tired, sore, and hungry for fried chicken. We understand that the Sandi Bullff and twenty barbecued chickens, the 15th of June will be the 9th inning rally for all involved.

The Verbena Dramatic Club will present a 3 act comedy at the Clairmont, Saturday night at 8:45 P.M. entitled "Ginger."

Everyone come at blues away. Admissi

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Fourth of All Wells Drilled in Texas, Dry

Headlines in the daily newspapers make much of new oil strikes and so called "gushers," but the fact of the matter is that the drilling in a dry hole makes headlines in the news. This is natural, since human interest reacts more readily to the successful side of life. Yes, figures prepared by The Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association of Texas show that one fourth of all wells drilled in Texas result in failures.

The oil business is far from being all "Milk and Honey" for it is fact that last year the Texas oil industry spent \$100,000,000 for drilling about 3,000 wells which failed to be productive of oil or gas. This is a lot of money and it naturally must come out of surplus funds of the oil companies. Still, when financial statements of the oil companies show substantial surpluses, there are individuals who immediately seize upon such information as a talking point in support of their contention that increased tax revenue may readily be obtained by further assessments upon the Texas oil industry. Such reasoning apparently omits consideration of the fact that the Texas oil industry already pays sixty cents of every dollar derived from taxation, and that twenty seven cents out of every dollar that the oil industry spends for drilling is necessarily lost through the drilling of dry holes.

One out of every four dry, is the experience of drilling for oil and gas in Texas. In "Wildcat" developments, such as are pursued in the territory surrounding the famous East Texas field, nine out of every

ten wells drilled are dry holes. In the prolific East Texas field, itself, however only three wells in every hundred are dry holes. In North Texas, the oil industry brings in a dry hole for every producing well completed. In West Texas, one out of five wells drilled is dry. In Central West Texas, the experience is fifty four dry holes in every hundred drilled. In the Gulf Coast, every third well drilled is a dry hole.

Cliff Day Announces For Commissioner Of Agriculture

Plainview, June 3. — Cliff Day, 47, of Hale County has announced his candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Agriculture. Day became a national figure in agricultural circles when he organized and led 4500 farmers of the nation to Washington a year ago in support of the national farm program.

A native Texan, Day has done farm work as a day laborer, a tenant farmer and now owns and operates a farm near Plainview, Texas. When the AAA program was launched Day was elected a member of his community committee, county committee, and was chosen by the farmers of his district to represent it on the State Cotton Advisory Committee of which he was made chairman.

In making his announcement Day says:

"I doubt if there is another individual dirt farmer in Texas who has talked and advised with more farmers than I have in many trips through out the State. I have never before been identified with farm organizations except as a member, but have felt it my duty to give my time, even somewhat to the neglect of my own farm, in the common interest.

"I believe that the contracts with the national and state administrative agencies of the farm programs and with the actual farmers, together with my own experience, qualifies me to know and understand their wishes and needs.

"The farmer's plight for the past

several years in my opinion has been one of the major contributing causes of the unprecedented conditions that the country has been struggling to overcome. I think the efforts of the Federal Government to improve the farmer's condition have greatly strengthened his position, not only in Texas, but in the farming districts all over the country, and if elected to this office, I pledge my unqualified support and energies to the furtherance and betterment of agriculture in Texas and those who are engaged in this laudable profession. In Texas when the farmer prospers, all prosper.

"I haven't a lot of pre-election promises to make the public, knowing full well that no one can forget matters which this important office will be required to pass. But I do earnestly promise that I will, if elected, strive to administer the office according to the laws relating to it and with a full understanding of the interdependence of agriculture, labor, industry, and the consuming public.

"I am under no obligation to any individual, group or class. I have had no political experience heretofore, and if elected to the office it will be at the generosity of all the people who believe I can and will honestly and conscientiously discharge the duties of this office to the best of my ability; and it will be my conscientious endeavor at all times to fulfill this trust placed in me and render the best services possible to the people of the State as a whole."

Stamford Reunion To Preserve The West

Stamford, Texas, June 4 — The cowboys square dance at the cowboy bunkhouse each night and the old fiddlers' contest of the closing day featured at the Texas Cowboy Reunion here July 2, 3 and 4 which will be two of the entertainments carry out the general purpose of keeping alive traditions and past-times of the early day cattle country.

Oldtime cowboys as well as active cowhands of the present day and large numbers of visitors enjoy the square dances at the Reunion each year. The committee in charge is composed of oldtime cowboys, with Judge C. E. Coombs of Stamford, former cowhand and now prominent West Texas attorney and past president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce as chairman.

The fiddling contest will be held in the City Auditorium, downtown, beginning at 8:30 a. m. on July 4, last day of the Reunion. No entry fee is charged and cash prizes totalling \$32.50 are awarded the winners. First prize is \$15.00, second, \$10.00, third, \$5.00, fourth, \$2.50.

To be eligible for the contest, fiddlers must be not less than 50 years of age and professionals are barred. Each contestant is allowed to select the two tunes he plays, but only "break-down" tunes are permitted. Fiddlers may play alone or choose their own seconds, but only one accompanist is allowed for each player. Jim Stell is chairman of the committee in charge of the contest.

Tom Michael, 62, of Sweetwater won first prize in the contest last year; C. A. Ward, 60 of Weibert was second; Aut Dial, 64 Stamford, third, and J. K. Hughes, 78, Anson, fourth. Dial played a fiddle which he made himself by hand.

C. of C. of Texas Meet At Lubbock, June 11-13

The Chamber of Commerce Managers of West Texas will be co-hosts to approximately 150 managers throughout Texas who will meet at Lubbock for their 36th Annual Convention on June 11, 12, and 13.

Lubbock was the convention city for the Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers Association in 1926, and these past ten years will bring new sights and a new Lubbock to the visitors.

Lubbock has entertained over 150 associations with an attendance of over 100,000 in their annual meetings during the last six years — and with this knowledge of conventions in the bag, a great meeting is promised all who attend the Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers Association Convention there June 11, 12 and 13.

An informal gathering at the Hilton Hotel, Convention Headquarters, on Wednesday, June 10, is scheduled with registration starting at 4:00 P. M.

A complete and constructive program based on problems confronting the Chamber of Commerce Managers in Texas, has been worked out by Geo. S. Buchanan, Marlin, President of the TOCM, Grady Shipp, Longview, Vice-President, and Pete Smith Langview, Secretary, together with the fine cooperation of the various Chambers of Commerce in Texas.

F. W. FISCHER



For Governor

A Tax on Natural Resources Will:

1. Pay Old-Age Pensions in full
2. Take Tax Burden Off Land
3. Give Teachers More Pay

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Political Announcements

SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE JOE A. MERRITT, of Snyder, Texas.

LEONARD WESTFALL, of Aspermont, Texas.
C. L. HARRIS, Dickens County.
W. A. CRADDOCK of Dickens Co.

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE DENNIS P. RATLIFF, of Haskell, Texas.
H. F. GRINDSTAFF, Of Haskell, County, Texas.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY VERNON D. ADCOCK, of Kent County Texas.

FRENCH M. ROBERTSON, Of Haskell County, Texas.

SEN CHARLIE CHAPMAN Of Haskell County, Texas.

FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR, AND COLLECTOR B. A. (BARNIE) CUMBIE

R. I. GOODALL

FOR COUNTY JUDGE AND EX-OFFICIO SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT J. B. EARNEST, (re-election)

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK MRS. LAMORA PAGE.

W. T. (BILL) CATHEY, Re-election.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER ASTENA B. WADE (Re-election)

FOR COMMISSIONER PRESENT NO. 4. C. H. (CAL) CADE MARK CAVE

FOR COMMISSIONER PRESENT NUMBER ONE: W. W. THOMPSON

TOM HUNNICUTT.

M. F. HAGAR J. A. SUITS

FOR COMMISSIONER PRESENT NO. 2

J. R. (JETT) GEORGE A WOOD BAXTER I. SCOGGIN EDD FUQUA

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRESENT NUMBER THREE: A. C. (AB) CARGILE J. B. DURHAM

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER, J. M. D. FULLER.

LESS MATTHEWS

EBB SMITH

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER CLAY MONT BOY UNDERWOOD (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY SAM F. STEELE

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, G. W. BILLINGSLEY

FOR THE BEST

Of better barber work, the kind that you will appreciate, the kind that brings you back without an invitation.—

PALACE BARBER SHOP
Ivey F. Murdoch, Owner

Old Customers

We have many customers who have been trading with us since the first year we opened for business in Jayton. These friends are our best recommendation to the younger generation. We appreciate these old friends more than words can express and we hope to continue to deserve their confidence and patronage.

We also are very proud of our many new and younger friends and will strive to hold their business and good will as the days go by.

We make trading here of interest to all who are looking for full value for every dollar spent.

COFFEE, Good bulk, 6 pounds	\$1.00
TEA, Good bulk, 2 pounds	.25
OLIVES, Stuffed or plain, 8 oz. bottle	.20
FLOUR, Texas Lillye, 48 lb sack	1.80
CRACKERS, 2 pound box	.17
GINGER ALE, 28 oz bottle	.25
TEA, Liptons, 1-4 pound, 1 tea glass free,	.25
TEA, Liptons, 1-2 pound, 2 tea glasses free	.45

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Mrs. Ivey F. Murdoch

PALACE

JAYTON'S HOMETOWN THEATRE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Victor Jory and Sally O'Neil
in

"Too Tough To Kill"

Chapter 9 of serial and comedy

GROCERY NITE FRIDAY

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Headlines in the daily newspapers make much of new oil strikes and so called "Gushers," but the fact of the matter is that the drilling in a dry hole makes headlines in the news. This is natural, since human interest reacts more readily to the successful side of life. Yet, figures prepared by The Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association of Texas show that one fourth of all wells drilled in Texas result in failures.

The oil business is far from being all "Milk and Honey" for it is fact that last year the Texas oil industry spent \$100,000,000 for drilling about 3,000 wells which failed to be productive of oil or gas. This is a lot of money and it naturally must come out of surplus funds of the oil companies. Still, when financial statements of the oil companies show substantial surpluses, there are individuals who immediately seize upon such information as a talking point in support of their contention that increased tax revenue may readily be obtained by further assessments upon the Texas oil industry. Such reasoning apparently omits consideration of the fact that the Texas oil industry already pays sixty cents of every dollar derived from taxation, and that twenty seven cents out of every dollar that the oil industry spends for drilling is necessarily lost through the drilling of dry holes.

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Cliff Day Announces For Commissioner Of Agriculture

Plainview, June 3. — Cliff Day, 47, of Hale County has announced his candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Agriculture. Day became a national figure in agricultural circles when he organized and led 4500 farmers of the nation to Washington a year ago in support of the national farm program.

A native Texan, Day has done farm work as a day laborer, a tenant farmer and now owns and operates a farm near Plainview, Texas. When the AAA program was launched Day was elected a member of his community committee, county committee, and was chosen by the farmers of his district to represent it on the State Cotton Advisory Committee of which he was made chairman.

In making his announcement Day says:

"I doubt if there is another individual dirt farmer in Texas who has talked and advised with more farmers than I have in many trips through out the State. I have never before been identified with farm organizations except as a member, but have felt it my duty to give my time, even somewhat to the neglect of my own farm, in the common interest.

"I believe that the contracts with the national and state administrative agencies of the farm programs and with the actual farmers, together with my own experience, qualifies me to know and understand their wishes and needs.

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several years in my opinion has been one of the major contributing causes of the unprecedented conditions that the country has been struggling to overcome. I think the efforts of the Federal Government to improve the farmer's condition have greatly strengthened his position, not only in Texas, but in the farming districts all over the country, and if elected to this office, I pledge my unqualified support and energies to the furtherance and betterment of agriculture in Texas and those who are engaged in this laudable profession. In Texas when the farmer prospers, all prosper.

"I haven't a lot of pre-election promises to make the public, knowing full well that no one can foretell matters which this important office will be required to pass. But I do earnestly promise that I will, if elected, strive to administer the office according to the laws relating to it and with a full understanding of the interdependence of agriculture, labor, industry, and the consuming public.

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Stamford Reunion To Preserve The West

Stamford, Texas, June 4 — The cowboys square dance at the cowboy bunkhouse each night and the old fiddlers' contest of the closing day featured at the Texas Cowboy Reunion here July 2, 3 and 4 which will be two of the entertainments carry out the general purpose of keeping alive traditions and past-times of the early day cattle country.

Oldtime cowboys as well as active cowhands of the present day and large numbers of visitors enjoy the square dances at the Reunion each year. The committee in charge is composed of oldtime cowboys, with Judge C. E. Coombs of Stamford, former cowhand and now prominent West Texas attorney and past president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce as chairman.

The fiddling contest will be held in the City Auditorium, downtown, beginning at 8:30 a. m. on July 4, last day of the Reunion. No entry fee is charged and cash prizes totalling \$32.50 are awarded the winners. First prize is \$15.00, second, \$10.00, third, \$5.00, fourth, \$2.50.

To be eligible for the contest, fiddlers must be not less than 50 years of age and professionals are barred. Each contestant is allowed to select the two tunes he plays, but only "break-down" tunes are permitted. Fiddlers may play alone or choose their own seconds, but only one accompanist is allowed for each player. Jim Stell is chairman of the committee in charge of the contest.

Tom Michael, 62, of Sweetwater won first prize in the contest last year; C. A. Ward, 60 of Weinert was second; Aut Dial, 64 Stamford, third, and J. K. Hughes, 78, Anson, fourth. Dial played a fiddle which he made himself by hand.

C. of C. of Texas Meet At Lubbock, June 11-13

The Chamber of Commerce Managers of West Texas will be co-hosts to approximately 150 managers throughout Texas who will meet at Lubbock for their 30th Annual Convention on June 11, 12, and 13.

Lubbock was the convention city for the Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers Association in 1926, and those past ten years will bring new sights and a new Lubbock to the visitors.

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An informal gathering at the Hilton Hotel, Convention Headquarters, on Wednesday, June 10, is scheduled with registration starting at 4:00 P. M.

A complete and constructive program based on problems confronting the Chamber of Commerce Managers in Texas, has been worked out by Geo. S. Buchanan, Marlin, President of the TCCM, Grady Shipp, Longview, Vice-President, and Pete Smith Longview, Secretary, together with the fine cooperation of the various Chambers of Commerce in Texas.

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Mr. Craddock of Dickens county is this week placing his announcement in the Chronicle for the office of State Representative from this district. Mr. Craddock is one of the few original old timers of this section. He owned the first store, or one of the first ever in Jayton. It was located on the square in Jayton and was housed in a big tent. He is the needs of Texas and should be the choice of the voters for the office for which he aspires there is no doubt but what he would make an efficient champion of the people while in Austin.

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6.00-20	\$16.95
30x5	\$23.30
Others Proportionately Low	

SENTINEL TYPE	
4.50-21	\$6.05
4.75-19	\$6.40
5.00-19	\$6.85
5.25-18	\$7.00
Others Proportionately Low	

COURIER TYPE	
4.40-21	\$5.00
4.50-21	\$5.00
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Miss Katie Crider who attended school in Jayton for the past two terms is spending the summer in Stamford with her parents.

Howard Johnston, Ellis Scoggin and Roy Earnest returned home this week after spending a week of fishing down on the Pecos. They report a fine catch and a big time and all had a sun burned nose.

Miss Vida Cox is spending the summer in Jayton with her folks. Miss Cox is a teacher in the Pampa public schools.

Bro. Sidney Cox, an old Jaytonite who has been living in New Mexico for the past year has been called to preaching at Peacock. We are glad to see Bro. Sidney back in this country.

Miss Ruby Williams is spending a few days in Abernathy, Texas with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Corder of Odessa, Texas were visiting in Jayton over the week-end.

James Patterson left Tuesday for Monahans, Texas where he has secured employment in the oil fields.

Earl Harrison's father and two sisters from Post, Texas, visited in Jayton last Sunday.

Last Thursday evening the senior B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a marshmallow roast well sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coons left for Denton, Texas where Mr. Coons will attend the summer school session at N. T. S. T. C. before returning to Jayton to take up the duties of Superintendent of the Jayton School.

Miss Eloise Wilson left Tuesday for Midland where she will be employed as a beauty operator.

Tuesday at noon an army plane made a forced landing on the local field for repairs.

Miss Henry Sue Barfoot of Lubbock is spending the summer in Jayton visiting her grandparents.

Mr. G. A. Lowrey and family have moved to Idalou, Texas where Mr. Lowrey will be Superintendent of the Idalou public schools for the coming year.

The Missionary Society met with Mrs. Wagoner last Monday. Twelve were present with two visitors. The society will meet with Mrs. A. L. Patton next Monday.

Every citizen of Jayton is expected to lend a helping hand toward the success of Jayton's Centennial Celebration dated for June 19. It is urgently requested that any one

having old buggies carts and wagons in their possession and who would lend them to the success of the old time parade please notify Mrs. Tom Jones or Mrs. McLaurry.

All candidates, state and district, county and precinct have a cordial invitation to be in Jayton, June the 19th for the Centennial celebration.

PROGRAM

Associational Workers Conference will meet with the Oriana Baptist Church, Monday, June 8, 1936. Following is the program that will be rendered. 10:00 A. M. Song Service - Carl 10:15 Devotional - Rev. Sidney Cox. Guest. 10:30 The New Testament Church and Soul Winning - Rev. J. V. Bilberry. 11:00 Sermon - New Testament Church - Rev. Rowan. 12:00 - NOON 1:00 Board Meeting. 1:30 Song Service.

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PENSION PAYMENTS START JULY 1.

These are questions that the people of Texas are asking. Orville S. Carpenter, executive director of the Old Age Assistance Commission, answers them: Q - When will first pension payments be made? A - July 1. Q - Are you sure of this? A - Yes, because both State and Federal pension money will be in the Texas Treasury. Texas was granted only recently \$1,181,250 by the United States Government. Q - How many of the aged past 65 years of age will be eligible? A - As far as I can estimate now there will be approximately 65,000. Q - How much will each receive? A - Each will receive up to a maximum of \$30 a month, or \$15 from the State and \$15 from the United States. However, payments

will be based upon need because of the Federal Social Security Law and the Texas Law. People who do not need as much as \$30 will receive less. All payments considered, the average will be around \$20 to each applicant who meets the requirements of the Texas law.

Q - Does not the Texas law require that each applicant for assistance be investigated? A - Yes. Q - Is not the organization of the Old Age Assistance Commission based upon rules laid down by the Washington and Texas laws? A - Yes. Q - Is not the entire procedure for obtaining a pension required by the Texas Law and Social Security Board at Washington? A - Yes. Q - Is it true that some payments will be only \$9 or \$10 per month? A - Yes. Payments will be based on need. It is true that payments will be \$30 to those whose needs require it.

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