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## Roosevelt The Greatest Champion of Human Rights

The first of last week Mr. Will McKinzie received a bundle of literature from the so called American Liberty League. With the printed matter came a polite request that Mr. McKinzie send them a dollar to assist them in the spreading of the anti-democratic doctrine throughout the nation. Mr. McKinzie being a democrat first, and a man who does not believe in throwing his dollars away, sent the literature and request for the dollar to our mutual friend J. Floyd Clouse of Dallas, Texas. Mr. Clouse has many warm friends in this and adjoining counties, and for this reason we are publishing the reply to Mr. McKinzie from Mr. Clouse.

Dallas, Texas,  
July 10, 1936

Mr. Will McKinzie,  
Jayton, Texas.

Dear Bill:

With reference to the Republican National Committee enclosures, I believe my old friend Wade had something to do with you sending it to me. He knows how I feel toward that outfit. Under their management we, and all the other poor people of the earth, would have perished long ago, and along with the common herd would have followed the country banks under the disguise of a chain or branch banking system. I do not believe in any government by a few and for a selected few, and I believe we have a much better chance to anchor the ship in a harbor of stability and security in casting our lot with a man who has due regard for the happiness and welfare of the people as a whole regardless of race or color, religion, or politics. To me Mr. Roosevelt is the greatest champion of human rights since the inception of the American system of Government. No I shall reserve my dollar for a Divine and Righteous cause, not based on material profits. When the votes are counted the Republicans will look worse than Joe Louis did in that fatal 12th round. I doubt if they can ever find their corner.

Will, I am glad to again hear from you, and I appreciate this opportunity of service, but honestly I would rather see the constitution filed away in a safety deposit box if it kills and destroys human life and human rights. It reminds me of a model "T" with all four spark plugs missing. Like the model "T" if our constitution is not flexible it needs mending (fixing) Why take your ear to a mechanic when it gets out of running condition, just imagine it is suitable for your every day needs forever. Why buy a V-8 when you can buy a model "T" for the same money. Why any of the unconstitutional modern achievements serving to lighten the burdens and carry the crosses of our people. I prefer to view life aright in its broader and deeper sense than from the standpoint of profit alone. Hoover would have let us, perish from the earth, without blinking of an eye had Divine Providence not dethroned him. You know the story, so do I. It makes me shudder when I think of any man of the middle class downward contributing a cent (much less a dollar) to a cause that means his own utter banishment from the earth. The Liberty League shall not control or influence my two votes. The glory and accomplishments of Franklin D. Roosevelt will be transplanted with him at the dropping of his working days of this life, but those same elements and policies will be used by his court in interest of suffering humanity. Long live ROOSEVELT, and I hope and pray people everywhere will think for themselves and not be trapped by The Liberty League, an organization unworthy of a name.

Give my regards to my old friend Wade, and Uncle Jack Harrison. Come to see me. If I can be of any service to you let me know. I think a great deal of my friends at Jayton and Kent County. I am getting along very well in the F. A. Department of our bank handling coupon government securities of a classes, for redemption and exchange, but above all, I am enjoying my home and family, even the dog and bird.

Let me hear from you again, as ever,  
J. Floyd Clouse.

## Junior Harris Drowns In Credit Lake

Last Sunday afternoon near four o'clock, Junior Harris met his death while he and Le Roy Engledow were in swimming in the Credit Lake. From the best information obtainable it seems that the two boys after being in the water a short while decided to try floating. Presently the little Engledow boy looking around missed his friend and when he called to him and he did not answer he decided something was wrong, so he got out of the water, put on his clothes and went home for help. On the way home he notified the women folks at Marvin Fullers. They rushed to the lake where others gathered quickly as the alarm spread. Verda Mae Fuller and Alice Davis found the body and with help from others got it out of the water. The Dr. arrived soon after but his examination soon proved the child was past all earthly help. Junior was ten years of age. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Harris

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Baptist Church, Rev. McPherson conducting the services. He was buried in the Jayton Cemetery, Robinson Undertaking Company having charge of the interment. This tragic death of Junior Harris was a terrible shock to the citizens of Jayton as it was the first death in this vicinity this year from drowning and it happened within 400 yards of where a large crowd had gathered to watch a soft ball game between Spur and Jayton teams. Mr. and Mrs. Harris have the sympathy of everyone in their sad bereavement.

## Voters and Friends

As you perhaps well, know, I have been very busy attending to the duties of the office which I hold. Added duties, such as assisting in the spending of federal funds in the construction of all weather lateral roads that the un-employed in the county could have employment and be kept off the relief rolls, which money can only be spent in cooperation with the county commissioners, has greatly increased the work of the commissioner, and at this time is demanding much of my time.

I cannot and will not shirk on the job in order to visit over the precinct and solicit votes. I would be glad to visit with you and talk over the situation but I hire out to you to look after the commissioner's work, and I feel that I would not be true to the trust you have placed in me if I thought more of my re-election than I did of your confidence.

Since becoming our commissioner I HAVE BEEN ON THE JOB. I have kept posted on the financial condition of not only the precinct but of the entire county. I have worked with all sincerity to the end that our precinct may be freed from debt. I have done all I could to hold down the county's indebtedness and when possible reduce it. I have used very available dollar that I could get my hands on in an honest effort to keep the roads passable and the bridges and culverts in. You know as I know that the heavy rains of the past year has called for much road work and I have not had the finance to do all the work needed, but I have done all I could do under the circumstances.

Friends and close observers of my work from all part of the precinct have asked me to stay on the job another two years. I am willing to stay, but as its almost impossible for me to see all the voters, I ask these same friends of mine as well as of the precinct and county, to take an interest in my candidacy and do what they can personally and otherwise to secure my re-election, that I may continue to give the greater part of my time to the affairs of the precinct and county.

Bellveing you will do your part as I faithfully promise to do mine, I am very truly yours,  
J. A. SUITS

## COUNTY AGENT TO SHORT COURSE

The County Agent will be out of the county all next week attending the Farmer's Short Course at College Station.

## All Old Folks Of Kent On Pension Rolls By August 1st

Mr. C. C. Peek, Old Age Pension Investigator for the State in Kent County informs us that he hopes to conclude his work in this county by not later than July the 23rd and have all persons who have applied and who can qualify on the pension rolls by August the first.

Those applying prior to July the first will receive their checks for the July pension and those applying and qualifying since that date will also be taken care of. He tells us his work in the county has been pleasant and that he has found every one fair and reasonable. Mr. Peek is a very pleasant gentleman and is doing his work honestly and sincerely and according to the law as he understands it. We do not know exactly how many have already received their checks but we are told quite a few have and that most of them are well satisfied.

## W. L. Coons Enrolled As Graduate Student

Denton, July 15. — W. L. Coons of Jayton is enrolled as a graduate student in North Texas State Teachers College this summer. From an enrollment of sixty-five students last regular session, which was the first time graduate work was offered by the College, the graduate division has grown to 480 this summer. Work leading to the master of arts and the master of science degrees is offered in thirteen departments.

## Card of Thanks

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all those who helped us during the death of our baby boy and for the beautiful floral offering. May God bless each of you.  
Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Harris and family.

## Family Reunion

On Wednesday P. M. at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Murdoch a grand cafeteria styl. dinner was served to the Murdoch family and relatives. Those present to enjoy the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murdoch, and Woodrow and Lorene of Girard, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lawson and Gene of Matagorda and Mrs. C. H. Ritz and Clifford Jr. of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Culver and Arthur Jr. and Ray of Matagorda, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cooper and Betty Jo of Girard, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Darden of Girard, and Mr. and Mrs. Alf Parks and Myriam Alva, of Girard, Ivey Murdoch, wife and Beryle, Mr. and Mrs. Sandell and sons, Junior and Frank Corner; Shorty Gillham T. E. Murdoch, Uncle Hugh Murdoch, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Murdoch.

## Esquire Billingsley Marries Couple

Last Saturday, Esquire W. G. Billingsley had the pleasure of uniting in marriage Mr. B. V. Coen and Inza Johnson. He failed to learn where these young folks were from, but seemed to think they lived near Clairemont. The Chronicle extends congratulations.

Again Sunday, W. G. Billingsley had the pleasure of performing the marriage of Mr. Woodrow Wilson, and Miss Velma Mae Gillham, both of near Jayton. The Chronicle extends to them congratulations and a long and happy married life.

On Saturday P. M. Hilton Hicks of Spur and Miss Maydelle Brown were quietly married.

One more week and then election day, Saturday the 25th.

R. B. Whitaker and wife are here taking care of the telephone office and work while their parents are on their vacation.

Last Thursday Mrs. Oscar Hargus was given a lovely shower by Aletha Sprouls, Pearl Fuller and Mrs. M. V. Jay at Mrs. Jay's home and Mrs. Hargus was the recipient of many useful, lovely gifts and 90 names were registered on the brides book.

## Girard Leads Soft Ball League

Girard continues in the second half to set the pace for the Golding Trophy cup. With four victories and no losses Girard is setting a fast pace for the other teams of the league.

The Bryant-Link that looked to be a winner at the close of the first half in June has been unable to win in three starts this half.

The standing to date:

	W	L	Pct.
Girard	4	0	1.000
Dickens	3	1	.750
Spur Creamery	3	2	.600
Kinney	2	3	.400
Jayton	1	3	.250
Bryant-Link Co.	0	3	.000

## Anna Belle Hargus Manager of Lyles Store

Monday of this week Mr. Will Lyles was in Jayton and while here appointed Miss Anna Belle Hargus manager of his store in Jayton. Miss Hargus has been employed at Lyles as clerk for about a year and during this time she has proven herself capable of such an appointment. Miss Madell Brown who moved to Spur the first of the week was formerly manager. Miss Hargus wishes to express her appreciation to the people of Jayton and surrounding trade territory for their patronage and now she will put forth an extra effort in order to serve the people.

## Card of Thanks

We thank the good people of Jayton who were so kind and attentive to us during the illness and death of our husband and brother. Every kindness and favor shown us in anyway by anyone is more than appreciated. Please take this as individual for space forbids us naming each one personally. The lovely floral offerings and the kind words and the deeds of our friends and neighbors will never be forgotten.  
—Mrs. John York and Sister

## 1927 Bridge Club

Floral decorations were in the rooms where four tables of contract progressed last Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Mary Robinson, hostess to fourteen members of the Club and two guests.

Mrs. Bake Robinson making high score received a decorative salt and pepper shaker and for low score a vase was given Mrs. Lawrence Mayer who also made high cut.

Members present were: Messers, Bill Vencil, Charles Robinson, Jr., M. V. Jay, W. M. McLaurry, Wade Thorton, Van North, M. S. Sandal, Lawrence Mayer, J. B. Earnest, George Branch, Bake Robinson, Tom Murdoch, Claude Kelly, Mrs. Jackson and Miss Bess Robinson were guests with Miss Mary Robinson as hostess.

## Political Speaking Next Thursday

Hon. Hunter Lane, one of the most eloquent speakers, and one of the best posted men in Texas, will bring a message to the people of this part of Texas they will be glad to hear. Come and hear this Texan. Get the true facts on the Governor's race. Why John Garner is for Allred and why Allred will be nominated in the first primary.

J. T. Lyles, and Vernon D. Adcock candidate for District Attorney, and Mrs. Adcock spent the first of the week in Haskell and Throckmoton counties. After looking the situation over in these counties Mr. Lyles came home convinced that Mr. Adcock will lead the bunch in the first primary. He claims that more than half the voters in those two counties are strong supporters of the candidate from Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Simpson and children, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Whitaker and Freddie Marie Estes are spending a few days this week at the Centennial.

Harold Kenady is home after a visit to Longview, Texas with Mrs. Max Maples and attending the Centennial. He will be employed at the City Tailor Shop.

## First AEF Reunion At Centennial Exposition

"Major General B. B. Buck, National Chairman of the AEF Reunion Association announces the First Annual National Reunion of the American Expeditionary Forces is Dallas, Texas, September 3rd thru 13th, 1936 as a feature of the Texas Centennial. Every division that served with the AEF will have separate Reunions and the Gobs that served on ships will have Ships Reunions. September 12th, will be St. Mihiel Day and September 13th, will be Pershing Day a combined meeting of all the AEF Military and Naval forces being held on these last two days. Many special features are being planned for your entertainment, such as Company and Regimental Luncheons, Divisional banquets, and dances, in addition to the hundreds of attractions on the grounds of the great Texas Centennial Exposition. The finest attractions of all however is the fact that you will meet that Buddy you went thru Hell with during the great war and relive the many happy memories of the AEF when we shared a common danger in the service of our beloved country. Thousands of the rank and file have already sent in Post Card registrations and we have letters from practically every Commanding General of the AEF. So load up your gang Buddy lets fight the War over again in our Memories. Low rates on all Bus Lines and Railroads."

## To The Voters Of Precinct No. 2

Friends: I am asking for this important office on my qualifications, experience, reputation and ability to attend to the duties of the office.

I have studied construction and road building work from all angles. I know materials and I know how to handle labor. I learned these important things from experience and not just looking on.

If elected I will cooperate with my people and with their help do my best to give you the service you deserve. I shall do my best to hold expenses and taxes down and at the same time strive for a fair distribution of available county and precinct funds. I will use all possible fair means to secure for my precinct a just allotment of any funds received from the State or Federal government for the employment of surplus labor.

If elected I will be your commissioner in the true sense of the word, have no favorites or pets, but give to each and all a square, fair deal. Thanking you in advance for your help, I am yours for personal service  
J. R. (JET) GEORGE

## CAMPAIGN TO COMBAT THE SCREW WORM FLY

The screw worm fly and its damage has been known to ranchmen and farmers of Texas since 1843. At the present time the United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Entomology & Plant Quarantine, Division of Screw Worm Control, in cooperation with the Extension Service and Agriculture Experiment Station of the Texas Agriculture and Mechanical College, and the State Department of Agriculture, is conducting a campaign to combat the screw worm fly.

In general, the purpose of this campaign is to convey to livestock raisers that information concerning the screw worm fly which has been made available by search workers. This is information which has been found to be practical and economical in treating screw worm cases and in controlling the screw worm fly.

A state office has been opened at College Station, Texas, Room 337 New Administration Building.

District Screw Worm Supervisors are now in the field and are ready to assist livestock raisers in combating this problem.

Mr. L. L. Brock has been appointed district supervisor for Kent County with headquarters at Lubbock, Texas.

Mr. Brock will hold meetings and give demonstrations regarding screw worm control, at scheduled places in the above county.

You can get in touch with your district supervisor through your local county agricultural agent.

## County Agent's Notes

### SCREW WORM CONTROL

Mr. L. L. Brock, District Supervisor for seventeen counties in this area, was in Kent County this week working with the County Agent and a number of ranchmen who have been bothered considerably the past few years with screw worms. Mr. Brock uses Benzol as a killing agent and Pine Tar Oil as repellent. His experience is that any killer with a chloroform base has a tendency to irritate the wound while benzol has a soothing as well as a healing effect on the wounds. Many of the commonly used repellents will blister. The pine tar oil has proved to be just as effective as the other agents but will not blister or cause the loss of hair. The main principal Mr. Brock works toward is to kill the worm, prevent re-infection, and to cure the wound as soon as possible.

Mr. Brock advises whenever possible to put the infected animal in a pasture where they may be observed and doctored if necessary every other day until the wound is cured beyond danger of re-infection. He appreciates the fact that this practice cannot be followed to the letter by the large ranchman since it would be impractical to drive the cattle several miles during the hot weather. The small ranchman is practicing this with almost one hundred percent results. The reason this practice has proved so successful lies in the fact that the flies are eliminated during the worm stage of their last cycle. To the extent that the ranchers are able to control this fly they will be able to solve their screw worm problem.

### COUNTY BOARD RECOMMENDS JOHNSON GRASS ERADICATION AS A SOIL CONSERVING PRACTICE

Johnson Grass has been the cause of decreased production, increase in cost of cultivation, and even the abandoning of a number of fields in Kent County. Experience has shown that clean cultivation with intensive cultivation during the months of July and August is very effective in the eradication of this grass. Due to the fact we the County Committee of Kent County do hereby respectfully request that clean cultivation along with intensive cultivation in July and August of Johnson grass infested land be considered a Soil Conserving practice for Kent County.

### "TERRACING PAYS" SAYS HENRY STILES

Henry Stiles threw up a dam in one corner of his field last winter to stop a wash. The dam held the water on a small spot of his cultivated ground he planted to wheat. From that spot he harvested approximately 25 bushels of wheat per acre. The adjoining land produced approximately 4 bushels per acre. Henry says a conservative estimate of the value of that dam in increased production is \$12.00 per acre. He plans to terrace his entire acreage this winter.

### KENT COUNTY WORK SHEETS SENT TO COLLEGE STATION

502 work sheets for the new Agricultural Conservation Program representing approximately ninety percent of the farms and ninety-two percent of the cultivated acreage of Kent County were mailed out the latter part of last week to College Station by the local county agent for the consideration by the State Board.

### MUCH INTEREST SHOWN IN TRENCH SILOS

The county agent has had numerous inquiries concerning the construction of Trench Silos. Several farmers in the county have their Trench dug and are ready to fill them as the feed gets mature. Mack wants to caution the farmers to not cut their feed too green. Let it mature.

### SUBSIDY CHECKS RECEIVED

154 Subsidy Checks for the farmers of Kent County were received last week. These checks represented approximately \$4600.00 and brings the total received for the county to 460 checks for a total of \$17,382.70. Approximately forty checks are still to come.

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**Newspapers and Politics**

Well, most of this issue of the Chronicle has to do with politics. Why not? One week from tomorrow is election day and at that time officers to make and enforce the laws of Texas and assist in making the laws for the nation will be chosen. This is an important matter. Its one that all should be deeply interested in and most of us are. People should THINK before voting and think deeply. Little personalities should be

eliminated. Real men of qualification should be selected to work for and represent the people. The newspapers are used more and more by the candidates and studied more closely by the voters. Newspapers as a rule are sincerely working for the good of the state and nation. Some few put the dollar first the same few in all the other walks of life think only of the dollar, but that cannot be helped, but the newspaper that would willfully mis-lead the public is no way worthy of the name. In local politics we are hands off. In national politics we are happy to say we are for Roosevelt and his administration because he has saved this nation from social, moral and financial bankruptcy. We are for Mahon for Congress because he has made good and deserves re-election for that reason. We are for Alfred for Governor because he has made us the best governor Texas has had within the past twenty years. He not only deserves re-election but will be re-

lected probably in the first primary and if not in the first, most assuredly in the second, so why not end the contest in the first primary. What is the use of voting for a candidate that can't even hope to win? We have nothing against the other candidates for Governor, only at this time they do not have a chinamans chance so lets forget them and make it as near 100 per cent for Alfred in the first primary. But everyone has the right to vote as they please and think as they please and no hard feelings. We will be seeing you one day early next week, which will be Thursday.

**What Ho 118th District Let The Truth Be Told!**

I have been over the six counties, and have found there is not much respect for the office of Legislator.

They say what is the use -- all they go for is the \$10 a day, and other things to be had on the side. Whose fault, dear voters? Yours, of course. The man shaking the most hands gets your vote.

Mr. Merrit has had the office four times, but can not point to any thing of importance he accomplished.

Mr. Westfall, Well, I will leave it to you to find out. I could not.

Mr. Harris? Be it remembered you sent one young man from Scurry County. He drew his pay, rarely answered the roll call, and never returned to the District.

Dickens later offered a young man and he came near being elected. Experience in life and accomplishments in the Legislature should merit your consideration:

I helped to save the oil rights to the schools of Texas.

I was first to propose the Parole Law.

I helped to pass the law opening West Texas to settlement, and many other important measures.

The crowning ambition of my life is to help pass an old age assistance law that will not be a burden on any thing or anybody, a law after two years trial will work so satisfactorily that no one will want to discard it; one that will be a consolation to the needy aged, as time marches on.

Respectfully,  
W. A. CRADDOCK,  
Candidate For 4th Legislature.



TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 39TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT AND OF KENT COUNTY:

I am asking that you kindly consider this advertisement as a personal solicitation of your vote and influence in my efforts to be elected your District Judge. Owing to the fact that Court was continuously in session until July 4th, I have been unable to make a close personal campaign.

I have resided in this judicial district fifteen (15) years. I have had fifteen (15) years actual experience as a lawyer, and fourteen (14) months service on the bench by appointment. I am seeking to be elected for the (2) years unexpired term.

The people of this judicial district have heretofore adopted the custom of electing appointees to the offices of District Judge and District Attorney. I was appointed your District Judge in May, 1935, to succeed Judge Clyde Grissom, resigned, and am now asking for the same consideration and chance to make good, accorded all former appointees to these offices. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,  
DENNIS P. RATLIFF

**WILD WEST LIVES AGAIN**

**Wild and Whoopie Days Enacted in Frontier Centennial**

There probably is nothing new under the sun. Electricity existed long before Messrs. Volta, Edison, Marconi, et al, started to fuss with it. There have been wild west shows before . . . and successful ones. Before that of course there was the real wild west with an arena a million square miles in compass. Now comes a spectacle based on what has gone before but staged with such lavishness and consummate art that one might well believe the old west lives again in "The Last Frontier," one of the outstanding attractions of the Port Worth Frontier Centennial.

When Billy Rose was engaged as director general of the Port Worth Frontier, his first act was to get about organizing the biggest and most spectacular wild west exhibition of all time. Some advisers suggested that appeal of such a show nassed with the demise of Buffalo Bill. To Rose the suggestion was no dice.

"As long as men live there is a certain glamour about the old days on the frontier that will never tarnish. Like the glimpse of a pretty woman the deeds of brave men always make folks buy tickets," declared the shrewd showman. "That's why I intend to deal as my top ace . . . girls and horses."

A special set, 200 feet wide and 107 feet deep, representing the plains and foothills, will serve as the locale for such stirring events as attack on the stage, rescue by rangers, battle with U. S. troops, a prairie fire and concluding with an old fashioned square dance with 160 couples. More than 1,000 Indians, cavalrymen, cowboys and cowgirls, singers and dancers are engaged in "The Last Frontier." Direction of the dynamic spectacle is in the hands of Verne Elliott, foremost rodeo entrepreneur and protégé of Buffalo Bill, and Edward Clarke Lilley, well known New York drama producer.

**THE SPUR HOSPITAL**

JOHN T. WYLIE, M. D.  
Surgeon in Charge

X-RAY and RADIUM

**Sam F. Steele**

Attorney at Law  
GENERAL PRACTICE

JAYTON, TEXAS  
Office With N. E. Porter

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilbert and Joe were visiting Jayton friends Sunday.

Tom Jones is on the sick list this week. It is a case of mumps.

G. H. Brown and wife had as their guests this week Mr. Brown's sister and husband from California.

**J. E. ROBINSON, LAWYER**  
Will Practice In All Courts  
Office Anson and Jayton, Texas

**VERNON D. ADCOCK**  
LAWYER  
General Civil Practice

**R. L. ALEXANDER**  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office Phone 28

**DON'T SCRATCH!** Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to promptly relieve Eczema, Itch, Chigger Infections or any itching skin irritation or money refunded. Large Jar 50c at

**HULS DRUG STORE**

Dr. Warner the eyesight specialist makes regular visits to Jayton office with Huls Drug Store. Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted. Next visit Saturday July 25.

**Vote For**



**VERNON D. ADCOCK**  
Kent County's Candidate For  
District Attorney

The farm boy who has qualified for this office by years of diligent study, training, and experience.

Attended College at McMurry, Texas Tech, and West Texas State Teachers College.

Taught in the public schools 4 years.

Graduated from Blackstone Law College and admitted to the Bar in 1931.

Student of law 9 years and serving 4th year as County Attorney of Kent County.

There is no law requiring residence in the town of Haskell in order to be elected to an office in the 39th Judicial District, yet it has been 30 years since the first and only person living in any other town in the present District was elected to his initial term in one of these offices.

From reports all over the District, Adcock is sure of a place in the run-off, and his chances on August 22nd will depend greatly on how well Kent County indorses him July 25th.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE WILL BE APPRECIATED.

BANKS No. 1670

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF**

**The First State Bank,**  
AT JAYTON, STATE OF TEXAS.

at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1936, published in the Jayton Chronicle, a newspaper printed and published at Jayton, State of Texas, on the 17, day of July, 1936.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security \$ 66,700.05  
Securities of U. S., any State or political sub-division thereof ----- 31,823.97  
Banking House ----- 3,500.00  
Furniture and Fixtures ----- 1,000.00  
Cash and due from approved reserve agents ----- 10,883.82

**TOTAL ----- 113,907.84**

**LIABILITIES**

Capitol Stock ----- 25,000.00  
Surplus Fund ----- 3,000.00  
Undivided Profits, net ----- 2,961.00  
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days ----- 82,946.84

**TOTAL ----- 113,907.84**

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF KENT.

We, J. D. Patterson Jr., as President, and W. H. McKinzie, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CORRECT--ATTEST:

J. D. Patterson, Jr., President  
W. H. McKinzie, Cashier  
Thos. P. Johnson  
J. W. Matthews (Seal)  
G. H. Huls

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, A. D. 1936.

Thos. P. Fowler  
Notary Public, Kent County, Tex.

**Buy Now And Save**

Its only 45 days until September the 1st. By this time if no territory wide calamity hits this country the cotton pickers will be in the fields gathering the first bales of cotton for this year. While the prices are low on all cotton goods, shoes, sox and such, is the time to anticipate your fall needs and lay in a full supply. By doing this you will make a big saving. We have some special bargains on Summer merchandise that will interest you. Be wise and look our offerings over.

**FOR SATURDAY FOOD BUYERS**

COFFEE, Blue Goose, 3 lb pkg. .... 65c  
WHEAT PUFFS, Large pkg. 3 for ..... 25c  
CATSUP, 2 bottles for ..... 25c  
SUGAR, Granulated, 100 lbs ..... \$5.30  
TEA, Bulk, 2 pounds ..... 25c  
ORANGES, Each ..... 01c

All kinds of fresh vegetables, Saturday Morning.

Canning supplies of all kinds. Put your surplus fruits and vegetables in cans for winter.

Our Undertaking Department meets every requirement of the state laws.

**ROBINSONS**

Everything from the Cradle to the Grave.

QUALIFIED BY ACTUAL EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING TO DISCHARGE THE DUTIES OF THE OFFICE IN A CAPABLE AND EFFICIENT MANNER.



**Ben Charlie Chapman**  
CANDIDATE FOR  
**District Attorney**  
39th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

32 years of age.  
Former City Attorney of Haskell.  
Now serving fourth year as County Attorney of Haskell County, and during that time have assisted in all grand jury work and in the trial of all felony cases in District Court.  
Engaged in the active practice of law since 1930.  
**YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE WILL BE APPRECIATED**

# The Townsend Plan

By F. I. Townsend

Editors Times:

The so-called Townsend old age pension plan has become a political question because of the fact that throughout the country a number of political demagogues, economic parasites and mental crackpots are trying to ride into office on the supposed popularity of this miscalled "plan."

The "plan" was not originated for the purpose of securing the pension of \$200 per month for all persons over 60 years of age, as pretended by Dr. Townsend and his associates, but the real purpose was to secure money for themselves by misleading their credulous victims, and as shown by evidence given before the congressional committee that investigated the matter, Dr. Townsend and Clements and others associated with them secured thousands and thousands of dollars from the aged poor people of the nation, who sent in their dimes and quarters to Dr. Townsend and his associates, because they had been led

to believe that the "plan" was an honest above board movement to assist them.

If the Townsend plan had been an honest one, would Mr. Clements, who was the master mind of the plan, have resigned and run away as soon as the congressional investigation began? Would Dr. Townsend have stalked out of the committee room and refused to testify further if they had nothing to conceal and welcomed the investigation? When they saw that they were about to be caught, a row started between the two arch conspirators, Townsend and Clements, presumably over the division of the loot. "When thieves fall out honest men get their due."

The Townsend plan is one of those things you cannot approach with thought—you have to go into a trance and dream of it, like you would dream of a rich half uncle with a large family living in Australia, whom you hope will remember you in his will.

It would cost the government 24 billion dollars annually to give every person over 60 years of age a pension of \$200 per month. It would take all persons between 40 and 60 to collect the taxes to meet the payments; if would require all persons between 20 and 40 to police the pensioners and see that they spent the money and did not bootleg it to poor relatives. All of those under 20 would live with their grandparents.

In other words, the originators of the Townsend plan were trying to invent an ointment to take the place of sweat. Under this "plan" a man over 60 holding much property would receive a pension, while a widow under 60 with dependent children and no property would receive nothing. A pensioner over 60 having a wife under 60 and minor children could not make provisions for them out of his pension, so they may be cared for after his death. He must spend his entire pension and save nothing, and in case of his death, his widow and her dependent children would be forced to go on relief. Even though some other kindhearted pensioner desired to support the poor widow and her children, he could not do so, because the plan limits all gifts to persons or institutions to 10 per cent of the pension, and all contributions to churches, lodges and charity could not be more than 10 per cent of the pension.

It is proposed to finance the plan by a two per cent transaction tax, which is a tax on all business transactions, on all wages earned and on the value of goods or property bought and sold. It would apply to all food and clothing and would therefore weigh more heavily on the poor than upon the rich for the rich would add the tax to the price of their goods or services and pass it on to the consumer. The farmer and wage learner cannot "pass it on," and therefore the burden would fall most heavily on these two classes.

To illustrate: A farmer would be compelled to pay two cents on every dollar paid in wages for cultivating and picking his cotton crop but when he sold the cotton the buyer would make the price. When a wheat farmer harvested his wheat crop and sold the wheat to the local buyer a tax of two cents on the dollar would be collected. This would be added to the selling price every time that the wheat changed hands during the time that it was going from the farmer to the elevator, flour mill, wholesale grocer, until it finally reaches the retail groceryman there would be 12 or 14 cents on the dollar, and the poor wage earner or farmer who bought it for his family to subsist on would pay it all. The local wheat buyer, elevator, flouring mill, wholesale grocer or any of those through whose hands the wheat and flour had passed would not pay one cent of the tax.

The demagogue whose only motive is to get elected to office is ruining this country by capitalizing the ignorance of the voters, and appealing to passion and prejudice for the purpose or promoting his own interests. Such schemes as the Townsend plan are not new. Read Gibbon's "History of the Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire." It was the visionary governmental schemes of Dicoletion that finally destroyed the Roman government. And Lycurgus tried the experiment of dividing the land of ancient Sparta in equal parts among the people. Demagoguery and ignorance are fast leading

this country to the same fate that befell Rome and Sparta.

There are more than 11,000,000 persons in the United States over 60 years of age, and over 10,000,000 of these are eligible. If all apply who are eligible, the cost of paying the pensions would be 24 billion dollars annually. The population of the United States, according to the 1930 census, is 122,775,046. By dividing 24 billion by the number of the people in the United States, we find that it would cost every man woman and child in the United States \$194.40 annually to pay this unnecessary and unjust tax. A family of five would pay \$97 per year. A young man 20 ears of age would pay out \$39,080 before reaching the age of 60 and if he should die on the day before reaching 60 years of age, his family would be left on the charity of the people.

All of this talk about the plan ending the depression is just the mouthings of demagogues and fools. This country became the richest and most powerful in the world because of the initiative, industry, resourcefulness, self reliance, independence, thrift and frugality of our people. This so-called "plan" would destroy all these necessary and splendid traits of character, and make of us a nation of parasites spendthrifts if it were possible for the people to pay the sum necessary to pay the proposed pension.

If this monstrous plan were enacted as a law, it would destroy every business in this country before the had raised the money to make the first monthly payment. The government would go to pieces and fall during the process of raising the money to make the first payment. In short there would not be any payment made.

I am strongly in favor of an old age pension law providing a reasonable sum to assist those who are incapacitated by old age, but I am unalterably opposed to the Townsend scheme.

—Scurry County Times

### NOTICE VOTERS

In making up the ballots for Kent county the printer or someone else got A. A. Pat Bullock as being from Cherokee county. This is wrong as Mr. Bullock is from Bexar county and a native of West Texas.

Jewel Hughes, sister of Mrs. C. B. Wagoner, formerly of Jayton, made the spring semester honor roll at Texas Technological college with an average grade of B.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dake are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born Wednesday of last week. The young fellow has been christened Tommy Gail.

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### FIFTY TIMES AROUND THE WORLD, IN FLYING MILES

Dallas, Texas, July 15. — Fifty time around the world — 1,250,000 miles in the air—that's the Clyde E. Pangborn's record.

Those flying miles, accumulated through 20,000 hours or more in the air, should stand as a challenge to anyone anywhere.

Now he is ready to settle back in to a cock-pit again and try for another record, a non-stop commercial air mail flight over the Atlantic to Paris with Monty G. Mason in the Texas Sky Ranger. The flight will be under the sponsorship of the Texas Centennial Exposition. Pangborn and Mason plan to leave Dallas July 18 for New York, stop several days during which radio equipment will be installed and then hop for Paris. They will fly the plane at an altitude of from 16,000 to 22,000 feet.

Clyde Pangborn's flying life reads like a dime thriller. World glider ocean spanned, army airman, instructor, barn-stormer, commercial flier, he has been through it all in his 19 years of flying.

Pangborn gained the world's lime-light in 1931 when he flew around the world with Hugh Herndon, and figured as principal in a sensational spy trial in Japan.

Today this unassuming, quiet aviator is the last living member of an all-star-cast of three pilots who flew planes around the world. Wiley Post and Kingford Smith are dead, victims of plane accidents. Pangborn is credited with making the longest trans-oceanic flight in history, Japan to the United States in 1931 and he has flown both oceans.

Clyde Pangborn was born in Washington state and educated in the public school of Washington and Idaho and spent two years in the University of California.

He enlisted as a flying cadet in 1917 and attended the School of Military Aeronautics at the University of California. He did his primary aviation training at Elberts Field, Lonoke, Arkansas and his advanced flying at Love Field, Dallas, Texas. Later he served as an instructor at Ellington Field, Houston, Texas. He was discharged from the flying service in 1919.

Back in civvies, Pangborn purchased the ninth airplane to be sold to a civilian and flew the first civilian plane up the Pacific coast thru Oregon, Washington and Idaho on a barnstorming trip.

Later he organized a flying circus barnstorming through the United States and working in 2600 towns during which his planes carried over 1,000,000 persons. Pangborn flew with 200,000 persons personally without an accident. Never in his flying career has he had a serious ack-up.

'32 Pangborn became interested in air express work and established the first overnight air express from New York to Los Angeles.

He flew in the London to Melbourne International Air derby in October 1934, with Roscoe Turner. He finished in third place.

Pangborn was awarded the Harmon Trophy in 1932, the Japanese Imperial White Medal of Merit for the Pacific Flight and the International Federation Aeronautic gold medal in 1933. He is a lieutenant in the United States aviation reserve.

able to pass a mental examination equivalent to eighth grade education, and pass the prescribed physical examination.

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### VICE PRESIDENT GARNER FOR ALLRED

John Nance Garner, Vice President of the United States and The Grand Old Man of Texas Democracy on his return from a fishing trip in an interview published in the State Papers Wednesday gave Governor Allred his personal indorsement and said he hoped he would receive the nomination for his second term as Governor of Texas in the first primary. Well that just about puts the crowning touch to the governors race and that is not all.

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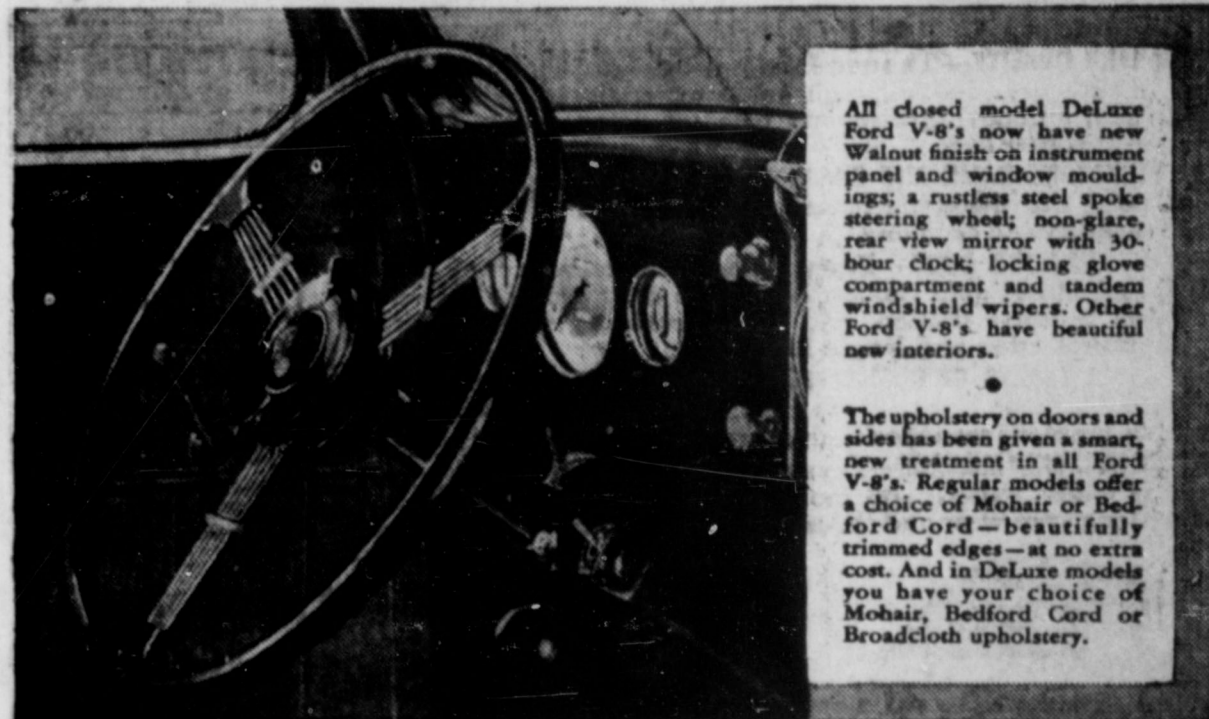
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Hillboro, Texas  
May 11, 1936

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I have been informed that you are being opposed for re-election to your second term to the house of Representatives of the Texas Legislature and I cannot understand the reason for such opposition.

If your constituents are fully acquainted with the fine record you have made as a member of the 44 legislature, I feel certain of your nomination in the first primary. Your conduct and your attitude in the House toward legislation there being considered has marked you as a leader in the fight for good government in Texas and your record in this respect alone is such as that the people of that district should unhesitatingly give you the second term to which any office holder is entitled when he has rendered un-

selfish service during his first term in office.

I think I am fairly well acquainted with the ideas and need of the people of that section of Texas, and if my understanding of those ideas and needs are correct, I personally know what you have represented the best interests of your constituents at all times and in all matters and things. You have always exhibited a moral courage that is unsurpassed in the house and the people of the 11th District should justly proud of the representation you have given them. I know that if they return you to the Legislature that you will continue the good work that you have done in the past and that the people who elect you will never have the occasion to regret their vote.

With very best wishes for your success, I am

Sincerely yours,

R. W. Calvert,

Representative 60th Dist.  
POL. ADV.

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FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
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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. ADCKOCK, of Kent County Texas.

FRENCH M. ROBERTSON, Of Haskell County, Texas.

GEN 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. E. 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 PRECINCT NO. 4.  
C. H. (CAL) CADE  
MARK CAVE

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W. W. THOMPSON

TOM HUNNICUTT.

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J. A. SUITS

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2  
J. R. (JETT) GEORGE  
BAXTER I. SCOGGIN  
EDD FUQUA

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FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER, JAYTON  
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FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER CLAIREMONT  
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**H. D. Club News**

**PAN OF ASHES UNDER FRUIT BUTTERS PREVENTS STICKING**

Mrs. R. C. Beaver of Girard has found that setting a pan of ashes directly over the flame, under the plum butter will keep the fruit from sticking to the pan while cooking. This is quite a help in making fruit butters in the summer because ordinarily they have to be stirred constantly while cooking.

**CORNSTARCH MADE AT HOME**

Mrs. R. C. Hoyle of the Polar home demonstration club makes her own cornstarch for cooking purposes. She says that when the corn is in the starch stage, it should be cut off the cob and placed in a very thin cloth sack. Wash this in a pan of water until all the starch is out of the corn. Let the starch and water stand two or three hours until all the starch has settled to the bottom.

Pour off the water and let the corn starch dry, and then it may be broken up into a powdered form and stored.

The Jayton Home Demonstration Club met at Mrs. W. Davis in regular meeting Thursday, July 2.

Miss Grimes gave a demonstration on placing small kitchen equipment. "Equipment should be placed where it will be used first. All articles for mixing a cake should be placed within arms reach of one another, preferably near the sink."

Equipment needed first at the stove should be placed near the stove.

There were seven members present. This was the last meeting until September.

**LOST LAKE CLUB MEETING**

The Lost Lake home demonstration club met with Mrs. J. A. Parks in regular meeting July 10 with the president in charge.

The agent gave a demonstration on the arrangement of groceries and small equipment in the kitchen.

The club decided to give a demonstration on a canned meal at the Foods Exhibit in October.

**CONVENIENT HOLDER PROVIDED FOR LIDS AND SHALLOW PANS**

"Since cabinet space in my kitchen is limited, I made large pockets on a strip of cloth to hang near my work table to hold pan lids, and shallow pans," said Mrs. H. D. Underwood of Antelope.

Cake pans, muffin pans, wire cake racks, and other shallow articles may be filed in this manner and are much easier to find when needed than they are when stacked in the cabinet.

**CLUB WOMEN AND 4-H CLUB GIRLS TO ATTEND SHORT COURSE**

The delegates from Kent county to the Texas Home Demonstration Association and Annual Short Course will leave for College Station Saturday July 18 from Roby with a group from adjoining counties.

Those attending from Kent county are Mrs. Van North, Jayton, winner of Farm Food Supply Pantry contest in 1935. Mrs. H. D. May, representative from the county council; Mrs. Lillian Caddell, delegate from the Riverdale club; Polly Thompson, winner of the 4-H club Bedroom Demonstration, and Miss Ruth Grimes, Home Demonstration Agent.

A number of noted speakers on different phases of agriculture will appear on the Short Course Program including G. B. Dealy, president of the Dallas News; H. R. Tolley, Administrator of A.A.A., Washington, D. C.; and members of the faculty and extension service of A. and M. College. The program covers most phases of agriculture and home making, and the Centennial theme is added including something on Texas Art, Texas Poetry, Texas Plants, Texas Birds, Texas History, Texas Architecture, and Texas Folks. The following exhibits have been planned in connection with the regular programs: Suggestions For Pantry Achievement Events; China, Glassware, and Silver; Finishing Texas

Woods, Quilts, Old and New; Texas Shrubs. Entertainment for the group has been planned for each night including the Gainville Community Circus, Amateur, Musical programs, and one-act plays.

The programs beginning July 20 will last through July 24. The group is planning to stop by the Centennial on the way home.

**KENT COUNTY QUILT IN CENTENNIAL EXHIBIT**

A quilt belonging to Mrs. J. A. Suits will be displayed in the Centennial Quilt Show at A & M College during Short Course.

This quilt was made by Mr. Suits mother and is about fifty years old. The pattern, called the Irish Chain, is a very old one and has been neglected by quilt makers the last few years. This quilt is made up in red, green, and white, and is quilted in tiny squares which show fine workmanship.

This quilt took a prize in a quilt show here several years ago.

Mrs. Wren Rose and Baby Ray Smith are visiting in Brownwood.

Mrs. W. J. Lane has the honor of having two sisters visiting him.

Mrs. Gertrude Pursley of New Mexico is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. McLain.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peek and children and Mrs. Haywood Peek of Dexter, New Mexico, have been visiting with Mrs. Oscar Peek's mother, Mrs. Tatum at Clairmont during Mrs. Tatum's illness.

Thos. P. Johnston and Dallas Kennedy have gone to the mountains of Ruidosa, New Mexico, to get a little cool breeze and rest up.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lang and Children and Mrs. Herbert Lang Sr. have gone to Mayo Bros. for a 3 months where Mr. Lang will take treatment.

Tuesday p. m. of this week Mrs. Mack Rose was honored with a lovely bridal shower given by Mrs. Anson Sewalt and Mrs. J. B. Earnest and Mrs. Emmitt Rainey at Mrs. Rainey's home.

**ASKS REELECTION GEORGE MAHON**



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