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Constitutional Amendments Explained By Secretary of State

For the convenience of those voters, and we suspect there are many of them, who did not take the trouble to make a study of the proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas which will be voted on tomorrow, we are publishing the following concise summaries, which are furnished by the Department of State. The summaries state clearly the contents of each amendment, with no arguments as to their merits.

We suggest that our readers avail themselves of this last opportunity to study these amendments before going to the polls, in order to be able to vote intelligently on these important subjects.

Proposed Amendment No 1 OLD AGE PENSIONS

The first proposition to be found on the ballot in the August 24th special election on constitutional amendments is the so-called Old Age Pension Amendment. This year, for the first time, the amendments will be numbered, according to Secretary of State, Gerald C. Mann.

The Old Age Pension Amendment proposes to give the legislature the authority to pay these pensions to persons over the age of 65, who are not habitual drunkards nor habitual criminals, nor inmates of any State supported institution. Those who are eligible must have lived in Texas at least 5 years, during the nine immediately preceding application and in the State continuously for one year.

All other restrictions and limitations would have to be set up by the legislature.

The amendments authorized the legislature to accept money from the federal government for the same purpose. It is presumed that federal funds would match State funds. The maximum amount to be paid by the State would be \$15 per person per month. It is presumed that the federal government would match State funds. The total pension per person per month in this case it is presumed would be \$30. The amounts might be smaller, however; but not larger.

It is estimated that the cost of this pension to the State would run between forty and fifty million dollars annually. No provision is made to the legislature to determine where the money would come from. The legislature would have to enact such laws as it deemed proper to utilize the right money would come from. The legislature might do this at once, or some time later—or for that matter, not at all. The amendment is permissive and not mandatory, through few doubt that some form of old age pensions would be enacted if the amendment is adopted in August.

Proposed Amendment No. 2 Temporary Commitment of Insane

Proposition No. 2 on the August 24th special election ballot has to do with the temporary commitment of insane persons, preliminary to a trial by jury.

Under the present constitution whereby everyone is granted a jury trial, it is impossible to commit a mentally ill person to an institution for treatment or observation without the necessity of a jury trial. It has been pointed out that this is often very inconvenient and embarrassing.

The proposed, according to Secretary of State Gerald C. Mann, if passed, would authorize the legislature to pass such laws as would permit mentally ill persons to be confined by county courts in institutions, presumably, or under the care of physicians or experts for a period of ninety days prior to a jury trial. It is presumed that the ninety day period of confinement would be for the purpose of observing such persons.

The provisions would apply only to persons not charged with a criminal offense.

The amendment specifically sets out that right of trial by jury shall remain inviolate, but that in the par-

ticular case of insane persons a confinement period of ninety days for observation may be prescribed without the necessity of a jury trial. At the end of that time a jury trial would be had.

Proposed Amendment No. 3 Repeal of Liquor Prohibition

Probably chief interest in the August 24th special election on the seven proposed constitutional amendments will center on Proposition No. 3 on the ballot—the repeal of prohibition, according to Secretary of State Gerald Mann.

The constitution, at present, prohibits the sale, manufacture, and transportation of alcoholic liquors (except 3.2 beer. This prohibition would be stricken out by adoption of the repeal amendment.

The proposed amendment specifically prohibits the return of the open saloon—and it would be up to the legislature to define the term "open saloon."

No machinery is set up for the sale of liquor. The legislature would have the authority to determine just who and just how liquor is to be sold. This could be done by State monopoly or through private channels. The legislature also would have the authority to pass laws regulating local option elections.

If the amendment is adopted, all counties, cities and precincts that were dry in 1919 when statewide prohibition was adopted would be dry now—at least until local option elections were held to determine otherwise.

It is well to remember, Secretary Mann points out, that there will be an election next year in November to determine whether the State shall sell liquor through a State monopoly system. If the repeal amendment is adopted in August, the State MAY establish a State control and monopoly system. If the repeal amendment is defeated in August, it will in effect be submitted again in November 1936, in the State monopoly amendment which says the State SHALL have a liquor monopoly. To retain the present dry status both the August 24th amendment and the November, 1936, amendment must be defeated. Passage of either will repeal the present prohibition section of the constitution.

Proposed Amendment No 4 Submission of Amendments at Special Sessions of the Legislature

At present the legislature can submit proposed changes in the constitution only at regular sessions—held every two years.

Proposal No 4 on the ballot for the August 24th election would revise the constitution to permit the submission of amendments at special sessions. It is pointed out that in emergency cases, particularly on relief matters, that it might be necessary for the Texas voters to vote on an emergency measure at a time, when the regular session of the legislature is quite far distant in the future.

The original purpose of the provisions which makes submission possible only at regular sessions was to make the fundamental law hard to amend and change. Two schools of thought are at variance here. The one believing that the constitution should be easy to change—particularly in emergency cases, and the other that every safeguard should be placed around it to make it difficult to change.

If the proposed amendment is adopted the legislature in any special session can submit proposed amendments to the voters—provided such amendments are submitted by the Governor for the legislature's consideration. If the amendment is rejected the present system will obtain; that is, constitutional amendments can be submitted to the people only at the regular sessions of the legislature.

The 44th legislature submitted thirteen amendments to the voters—seven in August of this year and six in November of 1936. These were all submitted during the regular session. Under the proposed change the 44th

might yet submit additional amendments for the voters' consideration.

Proposed Amendment No. 5 Suspended Sentence or Probation Amendment

Proposition No. 5 on the ballot of the August 24th election reads: "For (and against) the amendment to the State constitution authorizing the courts to place defendants on probation."

Proponents claim that if this amendment is passed, many who are now sent to the penitentiary for first offenses will be permitted to enjoy suspended sentences under restrictions of the court.

The only restriction under the present suspended sentence law is the fact that the defendant must not be convicted of a felony—that is, a crime punishable by confinement in the penitentiary. The judge or court has no control nor can it set up or impose any other restrictions.

It is the understanding of those who have studied the amendment that if passed, it would permit the legislature to pass laws giving the courts the right to suspend sentences and place defendants on such probation as the court might deem proper. In other words the court could suspend sentences subject to certain limitations. If those restrictions or limitations were not observed the court would have the authority to have the defendant committed to the penitentiary without further ado. Many courts now refuse to grant suspended sentences for the reason that they have no control over the defendant after the same is granted. It is pointed out that this would prevent many first offenders from having to go to the penitentiary and reclaim many of them for society.

If a suspended sentence is given under the present law the only limitation is that the defendant must not be convicted of a felony. The court has no control over him nor can it impose other conditions.

Proposed Amendment No. 6 Abolishing Fee System for Paying Officials

Two years ago a senate investigation committee discovered a number of flagrant abuses of the fee system as practiced in Texas for recompensing certain public officials. The fee system was established and written into the Texas constitution to pay salaries and the theory was that an official was entitled to "all he could make". Since the senate committee discovered and revealed the malpractices existing under the system there has been a demand for a constitutional change on this score, according to Secretary of State Gerald C. Mann.

Proposed amendment No. 6 on the ballot provides that the fee system as a method of paying certain precinct, county and district officials shall be abolished in counties having 20,000 or more population according to the last federal census. The legislature will if the amendment is adopted, set the salaries for the officials now receiving fees in such counties. In counties of under 20,000 population the commissioners' courts may put their county and precinct officials on a salary basis if they so desire. The amendment does not specifically state who shall set the salaries of such officials in this case.

If this amendment is adopted all district officers must be compensated on a salary basis.

The amendment provides that fees shall continue to be collected as at present but they will go to the county instead of the officer. The evident purpose of this amendment is to place as many public officials on straight salaries as is possible and thus abolish, insofar as is possible the payment of official through the present fee system.

Proposed Amendment No. 7 Free Text Books For Private And Parochial Schools

Amendment No. 7 on the ballot for the August 24th election would permit the State to supply free text books to all schools, private and parochial schools.

The Texas constitution at the present time provides that the State is without authority to furnish free text books to other than public schools. The State to supply free text books to all schools, private and parochial. Proposed Amendment would permit Such text books it is presumed, to be the same as used in the public schools.

Advocates of this amendment state that this would entail no additional expense because the State now purchases more books than are necessary. However, this point is merely one of the claims made and has not been substantiated by the Secretary of State. Advocates point out that they pay taxes to support schools but that if they choose to send their children to private or parochial schools the least the State can do is to supply the text books free.

Probably the most important and less publicized provisions of this amendment is the fact that it proposes to rewrite section 5 of article seven of the constitution so as to permit the apportionment of school funds on some other basis than scholastic population.

For many years there has been considerable agitation in certain quarters to abolish the "school census" or scholastic population system of apportioning school funds and substitute in lieu thereof "average attendance" basis or some other basis. The legislature would determine just how this was to be done, if this amendment is adopted.

If adopted this proposed amendment No. 7, would mean, in effect: (1) That the State would furnish free text books to pupils in all the schools of Texas; and (2) That a new basis for apportioning school funds other

than the scholastic census basis, could be set up
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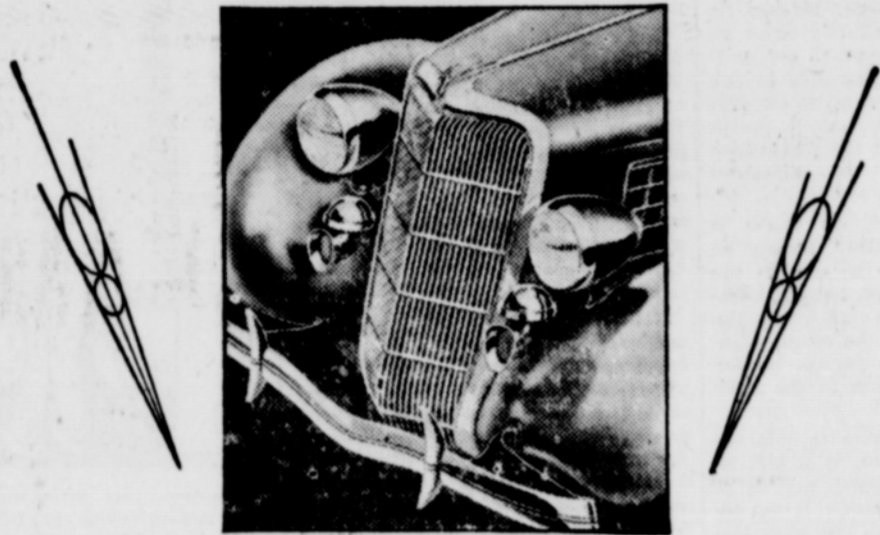
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W. B. Jones returned a few days ago from the eastern markets where he bought fall and winter goods for the Jones Dry Goods. New goods are arriving every day and are being placed on display.

W. D. Boydston returned Wednesday from Dallas where he bought goods for his dry goods store. The new goods have arrived and are now on display.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes and two children Johnnie Mae and Mike and Mr. Mike Hughes of Baird have returned from a three weeks visit with friends and relatives in Indiana and Illinois and other points.

Greer Holmes has returned from Abilene where he attended summer school at Hardin-Simmons University. Greer will enter Baylor Dental College, at Dallas in September.

Miss Iya Lou Malphurs of Breckenridge is the guest of Miss Mary Jo Hart this week. Misses Hart and Malphurs are class mates in Abilene Christian College.

W. A. West, Petroleum Engineer and Geologist with the Oscar Pyron Oil Co., who are drilling a well on the Wm. Boyd farm 3 1-2 miles east of Putnam, was in Baird on business Monday.

Mrs. Linwood Hayes returned to her home in Breckenridge yesterday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Gilliland and family. She was accompanied home by her little niece Charitve Gilliland and Betty Mc Coy. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes returned Wednesday of last week from a two months visit with Mr. Hayes' parents in Alabama.

Judge B. L. Russel returned Wednesday morning from Austin where he attended a meeting of the Highway Commission. Judge Russell in company with Fred Cook of Putnam State Senator W. B. Collie and Judge Melburn M. Carty of Eastland and others from Ranger and Strawn went before the commission urging the completion of Highway 89—the Ranger—Weatherford cut-off which is all finished except the placing of the hard surface and the people of this section are urging the completion of the road which is a short cut from this section to the Fort Worth markets saving something like two hours run or thirty miles on a trip to Fort Worth for truckers from this section.

Griggs Hospital News

Mrs. Clyde Johnson is a patient suffering from a rattlesnake bite on the ankle. Mrs. Johnson was bitten Saturday night as she stepped from a car.

Miss Ruby Saddler of Rowden was a tonsilectomy patient yesterday.

Sterling Reynolds of Baird was a tonsilectomy patient Monday.

Cecil Jones, Rowden was a tonsilectomy patient Monday.

Miss Grace Loper, Clyde, was a tonsilectomy patient Wednesday.

Little Ethel Kendrick of Denton Valley was a tonsilectomy patient Friday.

Henry Martin of Putnam was a patient Thursday night for adjustment of a broken forearm sustained when cranking a car.

Joe Ross Milliron, 4 years old of Oplin was a tonsilectomy patient

Saturday night.

H. Schwartz was a hospital patient Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Maner and baby boy were able to leave the hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Ault who had major surgery last week is convalescing.

Thurman Nooseman of Clyde who has been a patient for sometime was able to leave the hospital Wednesday.

Judson Russel of Cisco has been a patient this week for treatment of injuries received when a gas line on which he was working bursted pain fully lacerating his face.

Colonel Dyer was an X-Ray patient Sunday.

Mrs. R. F. Mayfield was able to leave the hospital Saturday following an illness of two weeks.

Jimmie Maltby of Rowden, a medical patient is considerable improved.

Joe Allphin has returned from a trip to points on the Pacific coast.

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STRAYED—My dog, Jiggs, a screw-tail bull dog, black with white markings. Reward for his return to me. Charitve Gilliland 37-1f

PERSONALS

Mrs. Bob Neel is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allman and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Allman

Mrs. J. L. White has returned home after spending the weekend with Mrs. Bill Avery of Abilene.

Mrs. J. M. Reynolds, Miss Hazel and Sterling have returned from Arizona and New Mexico where they spent the summer.

Rev. Geo. B. Ely and daughter Mrs. Bell Batin of Clyde spent Friday in Baird attending to business and visiting old friends.

Mrs. G. W. Johnson from Westmoreland, Calif. and Mrs. E. D. Allman of Wingate, Texas have returned home after spending the week end with relatives here.

Miss Marie Loven of Denton Valley returned Monday from Midland where she visited her aunt, Mrs. L. E. Floyd and is visiting her grandparents Judge and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Reta Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dallas have moved to Leaders where they are working with Uhrgren & Prazier, drilling contractors

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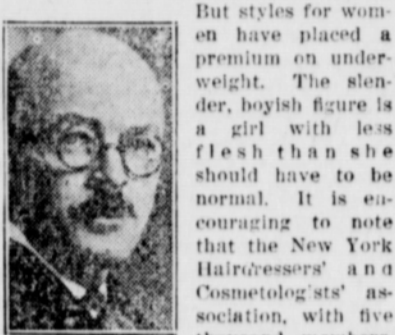
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Let Our Motto Be GOOD HEALTH

BY DR. LLOYD ARNOLD Professor of Bacteriology and Preventive Medicine, University of Illinois, College of Medicine.

A WORD FOR THE PLUMP

Both overweight and underweight conditions are hazardous to health.



But styles for women have placed a premium on underweight. The slender, boyish figure is a girl with less flesh than she should have to be normal.

Painters, sculptors, courtiers and great lovers have always given the plump girl the best of it.

The esteem for slenderness has been only faddism, just an evanescent idea. Long ears, protruding lips and other fetish customs are confined only to local areas. Plump girls are more normal than slender, skinny ones.

The anemic, slender, underweight girl will develop into a plump young woman if she eats the proper food. Directly after birth the first major battle every little girl baby has to solve is to keep her internal heat regulated and constant.

But when she reaches nine years of age she begins to change. She grows faster; she becomes more active in her movements. She is preparing herself for womanhood.

Authorities on public health have always been apprehensive about the slender faddism among young women. Young women can keep slender only by modified starvation methods.

Young mothers with plump figures have plenty of vitality-giving vitamins and other necessary substances stored in their bodies for the growth and nourishment of their babies.

The stole-makers talk of fuller skirts for the 1935-36 winter season. This is good news from the health standpoint.

And, if you notice, the girls pictured on the magazine covers a d-d in bill-board advertisements now definitely have curves. So do the girls chosen to advertise swim suits.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for August 25

BARNABAS

LESSON TEXT—Acts 4:36, 37; 11:19-30. GOLDEN TEXT—He was a good man, and full of the Holy Spirit and of faith.—Acts 11:24.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Barnabas' Love Gift. JUNIOR TOPIC—The Friendly Barnabas.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Barnabas Used His Possessions. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—In Partnership With God.

The explanatory title given by the lesson committee, "Barnabas (A Consecrated Man of Means)," is not entirely satisfactory, as it emphasizes only one of his many excellent qualities.

I. Barnabas the Man (Acts 4:36). His original name was Joseph. When he became a Christian he was by the apostles renamed Barnabas, which doubtless signifies the change from the old life to the new.

II. Barnabas the Philanthropist (Acts 4:37). So fully had the divine love permeated the very being of Barnabas, that, seeing the need of his fellow believers, he sold his property and brought the money and laid it at the apostles' feet.

III. Barnabas the Christian Statesman (Acts 9:26-30; 11:19-30). 1. Befriended Saul (9:26, 27). After Saul's conversion he came to Jerusalem and tried to join himself to the disciples, but they were afraid of him.

2. Sent to Antioch (Acts 11:22-24). Violent persecutions of the Church sent many disciples to the regions about the Mediterranean sea. As they went they preached the gospel and churches were established.

3. Goes after Saul (11:25, 26). The work at Antioch prospered that help was needed; therefore, Barnabas went after Saul. Barnabas thus introduced Saul to his great work as the apostle to the Gentiles.

4. Disciples called Christians first in Antioch (v. 26). After a year of teaching by Paul and Barnabas the name "Christian" was given to the disciples.

IV. Barnabas the Dispenser of Alms (vv. 27-30). Because of the oneness of Christians with Christ and with one another, the distress of the brethren at Jerusalem must be relieved by the gifts of believers at Antioch.

A Strong Will If we have need of a strong will in order to do good, it is more necessary still for us in order not to do evil; from which it often results that the most modest life is that where the force of will is most exercised.—Count Moltke.

Lies One lie in word or act opens the door to a thousand. Truth is the magician's circle, to cross which is to break the spell and turn all to darkness.—O. S. Marden.

GOOD LADDERS WILL CUT LOSS BY RURAL FIRES

"A good ladder on every farm would help a lot in lessening losses from rural fires," says David J. Price, of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Speed is essential in fire fighting, and a convenient ladder makes any roof fire quickly accessible.

Among small precautions other than convenient ladders are care in handling gasoline and kerosene, especially in kindling fires; careful disposal of hot ashes; care in using open fires and matches and in burning rubbish; repair of stoves, furnaces, fireplaces, flues, and chimneys not in first-class condition; and frequent inspection of electrical wiring and electrical appliances.

Observance of simple precautions, adequate water-storage facilities on every farm and at every rural home, with a well-manned fire truck at every cross-roads hamlet, is the Utopia at which Doctor Price hopes rural America will arrive.

In the meantime, one of his suggestions is, to paraphrase, "A farm fireman's best friend is his ladder."

Tells on Tax Dodger

A burglar has helped the authorities of Carlsbad, the Bohemian holiday resort, to deal with a case of evasion of taxes.

Evidently he knew something of accountancy, for a few days later the police received the book by post with numerous items marked in red pencil.

Comic strip for Grape-Nuts Flakes. Panels include: STRIKE UP THE BAND AND GIVE IT A HAND; THE FLAVOR'S GLOR-I-OUS JOIN IN THE CHOR-I-IOUS; IT'S GOT EVERYTHING IT'S THE CEREAL KING GRAPE-NUTS FLAKES!; ONCE you taste Grape-Nuts Flakes, you'll cheer too!

Blake makes a Fresh Start

Comic strip about Blake's coffee habit. Panels include: NO! NO! THAT'S NOT THE CLUB I WANT! GREAT WORK! WHY, DADDY... THAT'S NO WAY TO TREAT THE BOY I HE DIDN'T DO ANYTHING WRONG! OH, WELL... LET'S QUIT! I DON'T FEEL LIKE PLAYING ANYWAY! SWELL! BREAK UP THE GAME... MAMBE THAT WILL TEACH HER TO KEEP QUIET!

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