# THE CISCO WEEKLY CITIZEN

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# **COUNTY DEMOCRATIC TICKET IS MADE**

**Executive Committee Decides Rebative Positions Candidates** To Appear on Official Ballot

The Eastland county Democratic executive committee for Precinct No. 4. He will appremet in the county court room at Eastland Monday after- ciate your support in the coming noon with Chairman Ed. T. Cox presiding. After calling primaries, and if chosen your comthe roll of precinct chairmen the first business transacted missioner will serve you to the best was the filling of vacancies of the chairmen of several pre- of his ability. cincts. All went by on well-oiled political machinery, with no contest except that of West Cisco precinct, of which Clay- and for the last 25 years has lived ton Orn was chairman, but had removed from the county. in Eastland county, during which A petition from West Cisco in behalf of George W. Daniels time he has been engaged in farmhad previously been filed with the chairman, but it seemed ing and ranching, which is still his that this petition, containing some 40 names of voters in occupation. About eight years ago West Cisco, had been devoured by the official cat, or other-wise inadvertently disappeared. Chairman Cox admitted his children might have the advanthat the petition had been filed with him when it was called tages of the schools, but he still to his attention, after Will St. John had placed in nomina- manages his farm and ranch intertion W. J. Armstrong to fill the vacancy. Mr. St. John's ests. nomination was amended by Tom Stanton, committeeman from Olden, who nominated Mr. Daniels for the place. In-

stead of voting on the amendment first the chair ruled that litical office, but says the offices it would be in order to dispose of Mr. St. John's motion, with of the county belong to the people, the result that the name of Mr. Daniels was never placed and "if it is a good thing it should before the committee, as seven of the 20 precinct commit- not be monopolized, but passed on teemen present voted for Mr. Armstrong and four voting to some other good man. If it is against his being named. This vote made Mr. Armstrong not, some one else should share its chairman of West Cisco for the ensuing two years, while hardships, as the people should not the 30 or 40 signers to the petition asking for Mr. Daniels' appointment was passed without consideration.

But the appointment of Mr. Armstrong was not personally object- cided, and those not receiving a ionable to anyone in Cisco, and the majority of the votes cast, the two only insistence made for the ap- highest candidates will determine business man, having made a reaspointment of Mr. Daniels was that the nominee in the second primary, the people of West Cisco might August 27. The only candidate exname their own precinct chairman. pressing himself for the preferen-

**Precinct Chairmen** Following are the chairmen of nee was County Judge Clyde Garthe respective 26 precincts for en- rett. While not urging his prefersuing two years, who are also, by ence Garrett stated that individualvirtue of their chairmanships, pre- ly he would favor preferential nom- others, should be provided with the siding officers of the primary elect- ination. ions to be held July 23 and August 27:

No. 1, Eastland, Guy Parker. No. 2, Ranger, C. E. May. No. 3, Tudor, W. P. Guest. No. 4, Sabanno, W. E. Lush. No. 5, Cisco, Will St. John. No. 6, Cisco, W. J. Armstrong. No. 7, Rising, Star, D. E. Jones. No. 8, Desdemona, J. . Rushing. No. 9, Pioneer, L. C. Cash. No. 10, Fir, W. J. Jones. No. 11, Kokomo, B. F. Woods. No. 12, Carbon, J. E. Gilbert. No. 1, Gorman, F. S. Perry. No. 14, Long Branch, J. W. Gage. S. Yeager. 15, Okra, J. E. Smith.

tial vote for determining the nomi-

**County Candidates** 

Citizen for the entire ticket but ent, we should economize in road we give below the relative positions building as well as all expenditures of each legislative and county can- of public money. However, he fadidates as they will appear on the vors construction and maintenance official ballot to be voted in the of community roads wherever need-July primaries: ed.

Senator, 24th District-Wilbourne B. Collie, Y. L. Thomason, Mr. Qualls is reduction in taxes, Oliver Cunningham, Andrew M. valuations and the expense of ad-Howsley. Representative, 107th District-T. S. (Tip) Ross, B. L. Russell, Jr., should be adopted and practiced

Representative, 106th District

### Announcement of L. H. Qualls For Co. Commissioner

L. H. Qualls authorizes the Citizen to announce his candidacy for the office of county commissioner

Mr. Qualls is a native of Texas,

This is the first time Mr. Qualls has been a candidate for any poinflict burdens continuously on one man."

Mr. Qualls is, in every way, qualified to make an acceptable county commissioner, as he is a careful onable success of his own affairs, if elected, it is reasonable to presume he will be just as careful of the business of the county.

Then too, he understands the importance of good roads, as he believes every farmer, oil man and best highways to better transport his products to market. But in Space is not available in the times of depression, like the pres-

But the main policy favored by ministering county affairs, and believes that a program of economy Cleve Callaway, Cecil A. Lotief, J. until we are able to finance more expensive public improvements. re his policy

#### RECEIVER NAMED FOR STATHAM DRUG STOCK

Thursday morning R. W. Mancill was named receiver for the Statham Pharmacy, and the stock of

drugs and fixtures were turned ovcreditors. Mr. Mancill stated that tory has not been made.

This business failure is just angedy in which any business concern W. Statham being a registered ticle. pharmacist, and W. B. Statham an experienced business man, there was every reason to expect success, but this depression is liable

to hit the best men in the land. Mr. Mancill said he would inventory the stock at once, and it would be conducted at the present loca-

WILL ATTEND NATIONAL

retail.

Cisco will have one lady repre<sup>2</sup> name the standard bearers of the gence. party. This lady will be Mrs. L.

H. McCrea, who is now sojourning EASTLAND COUNTY FOLK in that city, and will remain over to witness the convention proceedings. Will St. John will go as a delegate from Texas, as will Silli-

man Evans, son-in-law of Mrs. Mc-Crea. FIREMEN RETURN FROM

STATE MEET AT AUSTIN

C. O. Pass, chief of the Cisco fire department; J. E. Stuart, truckman; Barton Philpott and Dutch Boatman, members of the local fire organization; O. Gustafson, local fire marshall, have returned home from Austin where they attended the state meeting of Texas firemen. All report a good time, but complain of the warm weather

Master Swims as **Dog Takes Clothes** 

Orville Davis, about 18 years of age, who makes his home with his er to him for the benefit of the mother, Mrs. Nola Davis, of the Reich community, is the owner of the assets and liabilities have not a police dog of rare intelligence. yet been determined, as the inven- The dog has been trained to do most any of the domestic duties

around the farm that the boy could other results of the financial tra- do-minus hands. When the cows are to be driven home for milking may be a victim. With ample but the police canine is told to get moderate capital, Statham brothers them, and he does. When any arestablished this business several ticle around the home has been years ago under most favorable misplaced and can't be located, the auspices, as both were well equip-, police dog is put on the job and ped to conduct the business. O. rarely fails to find the missing ar-

But Orville says he thinks the dog is over-trained. About three weeks ago he decided to enjoy a swim in the farm tank, and while the dog left for home, unobserved by his master. To Orville's chagrin he found that his canine comtion for the time being, but could panion had carried his clothes with not say whether it would be sold him. Too far to make himself all his life, and understands conalternative except to await the coming of darkness to enable him DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION and regain the shelter of the home -under cover of darkness.

sentative at the Democratic con- ter from about one hour before vention when the delegates will sundown till dusk by reason of gather in Chicago next Monday to having a dog with super-intelli-

The following Eastland county couples have secured marriage clerk:

C. M. Van Geem and Miss Mamie Opal Fultz, J. T. Crow and Miss Eta Blelle Frasier. Winnifred B. business. Crossley and Miss Nell Ethel Curry. W. I. Loflin and Miss Loraine Meador.

#### NEW LITIGATION FILED WITH DISTRICT CLERK EASTLAND GIRL DIES

The following causes of action are of recent filing in the office of the district clerk for litigation:

## E. C. Satterwhite Is **Making Active Race** For Tax Collector

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E. C. Satterwhite, candidate for Tax Collector, whose announcement appears in the Cisco Citizen, accompanied by Mrs. Satterwhite, was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday while in Cisco in the interest of his candidacy.

Both are making a close canvass of the county, and from encouragement given them justifies the presumption, Mr. Satterwhite stated. that his candidacy is being most favorably received by the voters of the county. Therefore, he feels that his chances of winning the election is very favorable.

While this is not the first race he ever made for public office, yet he was doing his acquatic stunts he has always taken an active part in county affairs, and a keen interest in both county and state government. Then, too, he has lived in Eastland County practically at wholesale or be disposed of at heard at the house, there was no ditions as they now exist. During his residence in the county he has been actively engaged in business, to do a "September Morn" stunt having his business friends and customers in nearly every community in the county. Those who Orville had to remain in the wa- have known him longest and more intimately are today his strongest supporters for the office of Tax Collector. Many who may not place him in their memory book will readily do so when it is recalled that he owned and managed the GET LICENSE TO MARRY Satterwhite Hardware Company at Eastland for many years.

> His qualifications for the office are unquestioned, and if you elect license at the office of county him you will be assured that the office will be filled by a competent, and courteous public servant Moon. Iro O. Murrell and Miss with whom it will be a pleasure to come in contact and to transact

> > He is asking a most careful consideration at your hands of his qualifications and will appreciate your support in the July primaries.

## **OF GUN-SHOT WOUNDS**

Daisy Dell Roper, 14 years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John

	No. 15, Okra, J. E. Smith.	Representative, 106th District-	In short, Mr. Qualls says, his policy	that prevailed there and all said	88th District Court-J. R. Ruth-	Les Deper of Flortland died at 9
	No. 16, Scranton, R. R. Brad-				erford vs. Archenhold Auto Supply	
-	shaw.	dricks, J. W Cockrill, Oscacr F.	to the lowest possible figure to de-	again and enjoy the splendid cli-		o'clock Wednesday afternoon of
	No. 17, Nimrod, W. N. Compton.	Chastain, O. F. Carr, Merritt F.	fray the expenses of the county	mate prevailing in the Cisco coun-		gun-shot wounds. Reports were
	No. 18, Olden, Tom Stanton.	Hines, Elzo Been, W. O. Russell.	government, administered on a ba-		and the second	that the girl had been suffering
	No. 19, Dothan, L. D. Dunnaway.	Judge 88th District-Burette W.	sis of rigid economy.	try.	enport, administrator, suit to es-	from melancholia for several
5	No. 20, Romney, Guy Brogdon.	Patterson, J. D. Barker, Frank	If chosen your commissioner he	CANDER A CANDER CANCELS	tablish claim against administra-	weeks. Judge Lizo Deen, who was
	No. 21, Mangum, J. L. Noble.	Sparks.	says, he will work for every reform	CLYDE L. GARRETT CANCELS	tor.	in Cisco Thursday, told parties here
	No. 22, Pleasant Hill, Edgar Alton	Judge, 91st District-Geo. L.	to relieve the taxpayers from the	PREVIOUS SPEAKING DATES		that the girl shot herself with a
	No. 23, Staff, W. H. White.	Davenport, Allen D. Dabney, Tom		the same that an and the second state and	divorce and injunction.	shot gun by placing the muzzle
		J. Cunningham.		Some time ago my speaking dates		against her body and pulling the
	No. 25, Ranger, R. L. Pearson.	District Attorney—Grady Owen,	struggling.	were published in which I invited	Gas Co., damages for \$2,620.	trigger with a stick.
		W. S. Adamson, Frank Judkins, M.	He asks your careful considera-	my opponents to be present and		
		A STRACTOR CONTRACTOR OF A DATA STATE OF A DATA STRACTOR OF A DATA STRACTOR OF A DATA STRACTOR OF A DATA STRACT	tion of his candidacy in the Dem-	agreed to divide time with them.	divorce.	NEIGHBORS SURPRISE MRS.
	son.	E. (Milton) Lawrence.	ocratic primaries, and will appre-	One of my opponents, Mr. George	Miley E. Williams vs. Citizens	S. G. BLOUNT ON BIRTHDAY
		County Judge—J. R. Burnett, C.	ciate your support.	Bryant, declined to accept my in-	State Bank, Ranger, et al, suit on	S. G. BLOUNI ON BIRINDAI
	John, Cisco; Guy Parker, Eastland;			vitation and proceeded to make and		Mar G G Blant - h - 1
	Frank Robertson, Rising Star; a	District Clerk—P. L. (Lewis)	<b>GUESTS AT SHEPARD HOME</b>	publish speaking dates for himself	91st District Court-Dolly Lou	Mrs. S. G. Blount, who makes her
	committee to select the order in		Mrs. C. V. Gibson and Miss Lela	and did not see fit to invite and	Slaughter vs. F. A. Slaughter, di-	home with Mr. and Mrs. John Scott,
	which the names of the candidates	County Clerk—Turner M. Collie,	Jaco, of Fort Worth, sisters of Mrs.	agree to divide time with me, and		at Avenue F and Twelfth street,
	will appear on the primary ballot.			upon being asked if he would do	Pipe Line Co., a corporation, gar-	was given a surprise Tuesday last
	Another committee consisting of		F. E. Shepard, are guests of Mr.	so declined, therefore, I desire to		when several of her friends called
	Dave Jones, Rising Star; L. R.	Sheriff-Virge Foster, W. A.	and Mrs. F. E. Shepard this week.	cancel all speaking dates hereto-	Liquidation First State Bank, Car-	to honor her on the occasion of her
	Pearson, Ranger; F. S. Perry,		They will remain through the re-	fore made and published.	oon, approve May expense account.	75th birthday. Bringing plenty of
	Eastland; W. J. Jones, Fir; and J.	Tax Collector—E. C. Satterwhite,	mainder of the week, and return	I will therefore make a tour of	In Re: Liquidation Texas State	good things to eat neighboring la-
	E. Gilbert, Carbon, was named to	T. L. Cooper.	home early next week.	the county with all county and dis-	Bank, Eastland, sell oil well sup-	dies came and helped her celebrate
	estimate the cost of holding the	Tax Assessor—Will M. Woods, T.		trict candidates and will discuss the		the event in a most enjoyable man-
	election, and assessing the candi-	J. (Tom) Haley, John S. Hart.	Precinct 5-Horace Reynolds, J.	issues of the campaign on the dates		ner. Those in the party invading
	dates their pro rata amounts for	County Treasurer-Mrs. Mae Har-	T. Chapman.	and at the places mentioned in the	VISITING PARENTS HERE	the Scott home were Mrs. Mattie
	defraying the expenses incident	rison.	Precinct 6-J. H. McDonald, R.	announcement for speaking dates		Robinson, Mrs. W. H. Kittrell, Mrs.
	thereto.	County Commissioners	W. H. Kennon.			J. D. Mann, Mrs. Jay Warren, Mrs.
	State candidates were assessed	Precinct 1-V. V. Cooper, John	Precinct 7-W. M. Morrison.	for all other offices published in last week's issue of this paper.	Judge and MrsJ. Lee Cearley.	G. H. Kinsey and Mrs. M. Little.
	\$1; candidates for the two district	W. Thurman, Henry V. Davenport.	Precinct 8-Tom Nabors.		She will also spend some of her	The honoree had recently return-
	judgships, \$150; candidates for the	Precinct 2-W. E. (Mack) Nelson	Constables	and the second	the second s	ed from a visit to Big Spring, and
	county offices, \$100; candidates for	T. G. Gray, J. B. (Bascom) John-	Precinct 1-Sim Dabbs, Thomas	Candidate for County Judge.	visit with the parents of her hus-	while her friends gave her a real
	county commissioner, \$50, while	son, O. O. (Oscar) Mann.	A. Bendy, M. N. (Marion) Seaborn.	DOW DADY ADDIVES	band, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Abbott,	surprise, the event was none the
	precinct candidates were assessed	Precinct 3-J. T. Poe, A. N.	Precinct 2-G. J. Moore, W. C.	NEW BOY BABY ARRIVES	Barton Abbott, who is a former	less enjoyable. The Blounts have
	\$5.00.	Snearley.	Niver, John Barnes.	A new boy baby arrived at the	Cisco boy, is now manager of a	lived in Cisco for the past 25 years.
	165 Names on Ballot	Precinct 4-L. H. Qualls, Arch	Precinct 5-H. F. Hodges, J. R.	home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sea-	Piggly-Wiggly store at Robstown.	and the second se
	There will be 165 names on the	Bint, Birt Britain.	Todd, J. N. (Jimmie) Ellison.	bourne, ooo habe hade	His friends here will be glad to	Mrs. E. S. Bond, of McHenry,
	ballot, providing all qualify by pay-	County Chairman-E. T. Cox.	Precinct 6-J. B. Hicks.	Indisday morning.	know that he is making good.	
	ing their assessments by Saturday,	Justices of the Peace	Precinct 7-G. W. Hardin, A. D.	a sister of Mr. Lloyd Doyle, of the		Miss., is a recent arrival at the
	June 25, making this one of the	Precinct 1-M. Newman, Ed Hat-	Carroll, J. B. Laurent.	Palace cafe.		home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
	longest ballots ever made for East-	ton, J. T. Sue.	Precinct 8-C. H. Williams.		cent candidate for Judge of the 88th	H. C. Wippern. Mrs. Bond will be
	land county.	Precinct 2-S. R. Black, T. W.		Mrs. M. E. Townsend, well known	district court, spent several hours	remembered as Miss Clementine
	Nominations will be made by a	Harrison, J. N. McFatter, J. C.				Wippern by her many friends in
	majority vote, the committee de-		Brown.	ness matters in Cisco Saturday.	his candidacy.	Cisco.
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#### **CITIZEN'S PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE** NEWTON D. BAKER, OF OHIO

#### BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

ly with a loud noise.—Ps. 33:2-3.

Those joys of earth, what do they bring? The promise that the angels sing: The Christ is near. They are but symbols of the real, Whose bliss Love only will reveal, And heaven appear. -William Forbes

to the gate, and holding the lamp high in her hands, she would sing an keep singing till he disappeared, and then as he passed into the night of dollars. I would walk wearily out of the same, and find my way home guided by her lamp and song. The memory of her music has made my whole 700,000 worth of bonds by the county and by the city of life happy .- Arthur C. Archibald.

#### SOVEREIGN PEOPLE FAWNING AT FEET OF MONOPOLY

Communities of Texas served by the Community Natural Gas company will ask that company "in the name of mercy" not to raise gas rates at this time, it was decided at a meeting here Thursday afternoon attended by officials and citizens of a large number of West Texas towns and cities.

The "name of Mercy" phrase was coined by Judge C. M. Caldwell of Abilene, a member of the resolutions committee, who said:

'We are not asking the gas company to lower rates now; we are asking in the name of mercy that rates be not raised. If by pleading with them we cannot reach the hearts of the gas company officials, about all we can do is to fall back on kerosene, coal and wood."-Abilene News.

To my mind no more pitiful sight could be visioned than the picture one can draw from the above statement of C. M. Caldwell, made when the people of Abilene and other cities were called together to consider the threat of the Community Natural (hijackers) Gas company, and its parent, the papacious Lone Star, to force an unjust and unreasonable gas rate upon the people of those communities. It is indeed a sad day for an alleged free people, and a pitiful spectacle to see a sovereign people grovel in the dust at the feet of corporate greed and beg for mercy from a child of their own creation.

Merciful God, have we lost every vestige of that rich heritage bequeathed to the American people by patriotic I hereby solicit your support in the forebears? It is sad indeed when a sovereign people, once primary election July 23. I believe lords of the land in which they live, feel there is no other all will give me credit of being a remedy to right our wrongs except to fawn at the feet of friend of those, who, like myself, tice one of my first acts will be to corporate greed, grown powerful from poluted pelf extract- find that the present depression is establish a place for holding court ed from a lethargic people, who have slept while monoply fastened its deadly fangs in their very vitals; a people, so You who have been reading the tribunal, as I do not believe justice secure in their sovereignty that they cared little of what was Citizen know the interest of the can be as well administered where going on until it is everlastingly too late. Truly the wisdom more unfortunate has been cham- two courts occupy the same locaof "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty" is now being pioned by the Citizen, and if I am tion. So, if I am elected to preside brought forcibly home to Texans. sacrifice in throwing off the yoke of Mexican tyrants must leniency should be exercised the In the first place the city needs turn in their graves if they could only know how little we have valued their patriotic valor. If their spirits can realize how faithlessly we have kept the trust reposed in their punished. In fact the law recog- deem it an intrusion upon the city followers they must feel that their sacrifice was to no purpose when they know they freed this fair land only to be justice should be tempered with court room. ground in the lust under the heel of a more ruthless tyrant. mercy, and always administered

THE CISCO WEEKLY CITIZEN eign people fawning at the feet of corporate greed, and sup-pliantly "begging for mercy."

## We predict that Abilene will get nowhere in its "mercy plea" to corrupt monopoly, grown rich with ill-gotten gains extracted from the people. What care they for your "mercy pleas;" what care they for the untold suffering that may occur this winter when jobless men find their gas meters removed and their loved ones shivering with cold; what care they if some child may die, even, by reason of the fact there is no fuel in the home to keep its frail little body ONE YEAR \$1.00 warm? Mr. Chester May, of the Community company, told the city commission: "We must do something, as we are not making what the law allows." He may be again re-minded that the people, if forced to, may also "do some-

thing." Whether the people wish to do so or not, it seems that they will have to adopt the alternate plan of reverting back to wood and coal for their fuel supply, for there will be many who ennot pay the present rate, to say nothing of the The defendants against whom felrate requested, which is more than double that now being charged.

#### TARRANT NOT ALONE FOR ECONOMY

The taxpayers of Tarrant county are on a rampage and recovered. He returned home Wed-Praise the Lord with harp: sing anto him with the psaltery and an instrument with ten strings. Sing unto him a new song; play skillful- mands for fewer taxes and wiser expenditure of the public funds. An example of their desperate earnestness is their proposal to reduce the number of representatives in the lower house of the legislature to seventy-five. That means that Tarrant county is ready to give up two of her members in the house and perhaps three. It is only by that sort of self-denial, however, that we will ever get any real relief from taxation.

Going further, the taxpayers would limit courthouse salaries to a top of \$5,000. They would combine the office of county clerk with that of district clerk, abolish the treas-One of the most vivid recollections of my boyhood is the picture of urer's place altogether, consolidate posts of tax collector my mother, standing at the gate with a lamp in hand, sending one boy and tax assessor, economize on lateral roads, let the sheriff to work in the mills and welcoming another boy home. My brother police traffic on highways, tighten up collection of delin-was on the night shift and I was on the day shift. On dark nights my quent taxes, trim off a number of county sinecures, hire a I am correct, he has already sermother, realizing that my little brother was afraid, would go with him reliable outside audit of county accounts and clean house ved in the office 12 years, and ungenerally. If one-half of these recommendations should be less I can unseat him, will have old Welsh song while he trudged bravely into the dark. She would adopted, Tarrant county will save hundreds of thousands held the job 14 years if elected for

But the taxpayers propose even further to cancel \$1,-Fort Worth and now left unspent. The News is not prepared to say what should be done in that case, but the very fact that it is proposed shows that the sentiment for saving money in public business is getting very strong and very concrete. If that determination becomes general, taxation will actually come down .--- Dallas News.

## **KENNON ASKS FOR .YOUR SUPPORT IN COMIN PRIMARIES**

To the Voters of Precinct 6:

of justice of the peace of the Cisco wealthiest citizen by simply makprecinct, No. 6, it was my purpose ing an affidavit of his inability to to make a close campaign and per- pay the court costs. From having sonally visit every voter in this previously held this office in anprecinct. Owing to the fact that other Texas county, and spent mucs other duties, principally publishing time in the study of law, I shall the Cisco Citizen, I find that it will go into the office equipped to prebe impossible to prosecute this pare the court papers for those uncampaign as closely as intended, able to employ counsel. In other for like many others I must labor words, I know the duties, am fato support my family, and rely to a miliar with the practice and underlarge extent on my friends to sup- stand the court procedure. I beport my candidacy.

ble, and those whom I do not meet and more so than the average man sorely afflicting the entire country. separate and apart from any other

tigant to employ counsel to have his rights adjusted, while it is always advisable, but if the litigant 'it is the duty of the justice to prepare citation and have the process

served. Then, too, the poorest man in the county can file his case, and When I announced for the office get the same court service as the

lieve my judgement of the law is I hope to see as many as possi- as sound as the average lawyer, who is not a practicing attorney. Will Move From City Hall

Should you elect me as your jus-

#### **PRORATION OF COFFEE EFFECTIVE IN BRAZIL**

A press dispatch says that in an effort to bring prices back to a profitable scale, Brazil has undertaken not only to buy and destroy 12,000,000 bags of coffee, but between 300,000,000 and 400,000,000 coffee trees. Funds for the purchases are obtained from a tax on exports. Only the best grades are allowed to leave the country.

Former Police Chief Miller, and candidate for sheriff, was summoned to Fort Worth Tuesday as a ony charges were filed for housebreaking, were arrested here about two months ago by then Police Chief Miller and his patrolmen, when most of the stolen loot was nesday night.

criminal and civil. Then, too, the well known Democratic policy of rotation in office should apply to his case. We generally favor a second term to all offcials who have demonstrated their fidelity, and qualification. He has not only been honored with the second term, but is now a candidate for his sixth term, as his present tenure dates back to 1922, if I rememhe ensuing term.

Don't you think a change would believe I can show you even if you are from Missouri.

Assuring each and all of you of my appreciation for the voluntary the further assurance that I will administer the office conscientiously and faithfully, I am

R. W. H. (Judge) KENNON, Who desires to be your next jusis not financially able to do so, tice. May I count on your vote? Citizen office.

Sam Rayburn, chairman of the Texas delegation. He announced immediately that the Dallas members of thes delegation will leave from Dallas Friday afternoon on the train that carries the Old Gray Mare band, Will Rogers, America's ace humorist, will also be on the

train, as well as a number of

prominent Texans not mebers of the

CISCO BOY SECRETARY

OF TEXAS DELEGATION

Sam Rayburn, chairman of the

Garner campaign forces, has nam-

ed W. H. Kitrell, Jr., secretary of

the Texas delegation to the Demo-

cratic national convention at Chi-

cago. The appointment of Will

Kittrell as secretary of the Texas

delegation is a reversal of the ac-

tion taken at the convention in

Houston, which named Miss Carter.

daughter of Amon G. Carter, sec-

retary. Just what process Ray-

burn resorted to, or his authority

to reverse the action of the presi-

dential convention, is not known.

However, the Dallas News Monday

carried the following paragraph,

telling of the departure of the Tex-

W. H. Kittrell, Jr. was named

Sunday as secretary of the Texas

delegation. The appointment came

in a telegram from Representative

as delegation:

delegation.

#### NEW MANAGER OF HOTEL GUDE IS L. B. CAMPBELL

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Campbell and children have recently moved to the Hotel Gude, where Mr. Campbell has been made manager of this popular hostelry, where he is arbe beneficial? If you elect me I ranging to take care of the general transient business. Mr. Campbell was manager of the Laguna up to the time the property was sold, and no doubt many of the traveling support you have-promised me, and public will be guests of the Gude just as soon as it is ascertained that Campbell is in charge.

Practically new, gives ex-cellent light, will sell cheap.



by a creature of our own creation, under the laws of our own enactment.

need never be surprised should these same sovereign peo- law. ple decide to take back the authority ursurped by these monopolies, and ignore statutes enacted by the hirelings of corporations, even though this can only be done by the rule of the mob.

in righting the wrongs that corporate greed is seeking to justice has an eye single to fair- able to protect themselves. The impose upon the people, yet there is a limit to human tol- ness, justice and equity, your in- justice court is the poor man's erance, and that limit, we can see, is fast approaching the terests will be taken care of. If court and it is the duty of your breaking point.

Previously this paper has warned our local octopus, the should be exercised, I promise that humblest citizen gets as square a Lone Star and its illegitimate child, the Community Nat- you will have every consideration, deal as a most influential person ural (hijackers) Gas companies, that the finger fate is and none will be penalized more that may have business with this slowly writing their doom at their own instigation. So far, this warning goes unheeded, but when the wrath of an out- fense should warrant. raged people does break it will be just too bad. It will also be everlastingly too late.

There is no lesson that bloated monopoly will learn. Everyone is from Missouri, and must be shown. The fate fairness that will be accorded the that befell the ruling house of Russia means nothing to most influential citizen. And it will filled. them; the horrors of the French commune has faded from be the policy of the court to ad-their memory. They must have their "guarnteed 10 per minister justice according to the cent on their invested capital" regardless of how their ex- law and evidence, and not accordpense accounts may be padded, and what price they may ing to the pleadings of counsel. pay into their own coffers for the raw material they are In other words I will be the justice selling the people.

We repeat, it is indeed a sad spectacle to see a sover-1 The law does not require a li- the proceedure of litigation, being

elected will administer the law as over the justice court I shall not Surely those immortal heroes who made the supreme justice demands, and that is where maintain my office in the city hall. law contemplates the unfortunate the entire building to administer nizes that the administration of to hold justice court in the police

I have gone into some detail to It is no consolation to know that we are being tyranized impartially and without bias. This acquaint you with my qualifica-I know I can do, as I will, if elect-| tions for the office I am seeking ed, go into the office with exper- and to give you my ideas on how But we are told that history repeats itself, and one ience, and some knowledge of the the office should be administered. I presume most of you know me

Poor Man's Court

personally, but only as a man and The office of justice of the peace newspaper worker. As such I

is the court of the poor man. Here have always championed the cause he is arraigned, and here his dis- of the less fortunate, because those The Cisco Citizen would deplore resorting to violence agreements are adjudicated. If your financially and socially strong are yours is a case where leniency justice of the peace to see htat the

harshly than the gravity of the of- court. It will be my purpose to see that this is done. I know that

In civil matters the poorest and after I have served one term as most obscure person will be treat- your justice of the peace that you ed with the same courtesy and will be convinced that I have made no promises that will not be ful-

Ten Years Long Enough

I have no rocks to throw at my opponent. He and I are personal friends. But I believe I can make you a better justice by reason of the knowledge I have of law and in fact, as well as name.

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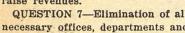
# **QUESTIONNAIRE PROPOUNDED BY TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION LEGISLATIVE ASPIRANTS**

The following is a condensation | bureaus and the consolidation of of the questionnaire adopted by the others that all departments of state the country are being foreclosed State Taxpayers association to be answered by candidates for the state legislative bodies.

Do you favor, will support and work for the enactment of the following reform measures, promulgated by the State Taxpayers association and its affiliated county and local subsidiaries? Please write your answers and mail to the county secretary, J. M. Parker, Gorman, Texas; or George W. Daniels, local secretary, Cisco, Texas. QUESTION 1-Reduction of state, county, precinct and municipal government expense 33 1-3 per cent exclusive of bonded indebtedness. QUESTION 2-Limitation of all bond issues; requiring two-third vote of tax payers to issue bonds. **QUESTION 3—Graduated income** tax to take the place of general property ad valorem tax.

QUESTION 4-Re-adjustment of tax system, removing burdens now placed on real property, and forcing personal property to be rendered for taxation, that it may pay its share of the cost of government.

QUESTION 5-Re-apportionment of gasoline revenues: One-fourth to schools, one-fourth to retire county road bonds, one-half to build and maintain roads: abolishthis in the hands of the counties.





may be reduced to not exceed twenty-five.

QUESTION 8-An effective arbitration measure as required by the constitution. Simplifying court procedure; reduction of courts; reduction of cost of litigation at least seventy-five per cent. QUESTION 9-Abolishment of

paid into general fund of each bodies to which the people must is important that they be heard at county. QUESTION 10-System of com-

pensation of officials and employes now until the election to see that may be made. Remember the dates of state, county, municipal and pre- only persons are elected whom they closest to you and be there for the cinct officials on a par with remun- know will carry out a policy of meeting. eration of private persons for an rigid economy in county and state equivalent service. Change of prigovernment. mary election laws to prorate cost of holding such elections between tinue for a few more years, both the counties and state, that men county and state governments will of limited means may run for pub- be irretrievably bankrupt, and relic office.

QUESTION 11-Restoration of edness will necessarily follow. original authority to commissioners courts for full control over all business of the county, with full power to determine the help re- fishly working to relieve this sitquired for each office and the compensation to be paid therefor. QUESTION 12-Requiring all lo-

cal laws to be published in the county affected to be prominently published for thirty days prior to passage, declaring intention to

corporations, including all public yourself while serving the people as legislator, to refrain from any connection, directly or indirectly,

The following additional ques-

QUESTION 14-The repeal of the

QUESTION 15-A law to prevent

QUESTION 16-A law requiring

#### **Taxpayers** Warning To Voters of Texas In Coming Election

The paramount issue in Texas today, is the question of taxation as shown by the records. Thousands of homes in the cities and in and titles passing to the State because the owners are unable to pay the taxes. To close our eyes to this condition is worse than criminal. The taxing bodies of this state, towit, the commissioners court and the legislature, have indulged in gram and alternate in the opening an orgy of extravagance and ex- and closing. As the legislature is penditure unheard of before in the the most important office in the fee system and excess fees to be history of the world. These are the gift of the people of this county it look for relief and every taxpayer this time and that a good crowd in Texas should be on edge from hear them that the proper choice

> If this spending orgy shall conpudiation of their bonded indebt-

**Association's Fight Unselfish** The State Taxpayers association of Texas is devotedly and unseluation. It earnestly solicits the cooperation of the entire citizenship of this state.

We know without going into details that thousands-even millions -of dollars are spent unnecessar-

legislative bodies be required to re-

We urge that every taxpayer

# **Speaking Dates** For Candidates For Legislature

The following speaking dates for

candidates for the 106th legislative district were announced this week by the candidates. A number of the boys agreed on these dates and all of them who care to attend will be given equal time on the pro-

All dates, unless time is set, are for eight o'clock. A few of the Saturday dates are at 3 p. m. Saturday, June 25, 3. p. m., Des-

demona. Saturday, June 25, 8 p. m., Gorman.

Monday, June 27, Sabanno. Tuesday, June 28, Flatwoods. Wednesday, June 29, Alemeda. Friday, July 1, Long Branch. Saturday, July 2, 3 p. m., Cisco. Saturday, July 2, 8 p. m., Olden. Tuesday, July 5, Morton Valley. Wednesday, July 6, Center Point Friday, July 8, Nimrod. Saturday, July 9, 8 p m., Carbon Monday, July 11, Pleasant Hill. Tuesday, July 12, Scranton. Wednesday, July 13, Okra. Friday, July 15, Staff.

The lesson-sermon subject is of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, June

"When ye received the word of The lesson-sermon includes the (Isaiah 29:18,19): "And in that

## Linking Scenes of Solomon's Temple And Texas Capitol

It's a far cry from the "cedars of Lebanon" to the cedar brakes of the Colorado, likewise it is some distance from Mount Lebanon to the rocky hills on Travis county, yet to negotiate that entervening space is the ambition of one who seeks to represent his people in the Texas capitol.

About 3000 years ago King Solomon decided to erect a temple of worship, which, he said, was to be "exceedingly magnified" in which God was to meet with man.

He sent to "Hiram, king of, Tyre," to cut him cedar trees on Mount Lebanon, and said: "I will give thy servants 20,000 measures of wheat; 20,000 baths of oil; 20.-000 baths of wine," (that is 180,-000 gallons. The records fail to mention any protest, so evidently the "noble experiment was not in effect at that time.)

An English statistician estimated that Solomon's Temple cost the princely sum of "seventy billions (not millions) dollars" to construct this "house of God."

About a year ago, Cecil A. Lotief, a youth 15 years of age, emigrated from this scene, where these cedars were "cut, felled and hewn in the forests of Mount Lebanon", coming to America. He lives here now, and is offering to represent this flotorial district in the Texas le-

gislature. He is an aggressive and progressive citizen, of about 45 years of age, the husband of a beautiful Syrian 'wife, (of his own nativity); the father of two bright children; a good business man, and if sent to Austin will battle for that which he believes is for best interests of his constituents.

Incidentally, his election will form an invisible chain connecting Jerusalem, the site of the ancient temple, with our own magnificient temple, the state capitol, in the city of Austin.

Adv't. W. H. Kittrell, Jr.

#### STROEBEL RECOVERING

Elvin Stroebel, who recently submitted to an operation at the Graham sanitarium, has been discharged and returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stroebel, where he is convalescing. It is reported that he is fast gaining his health, and will soon be fully restored.

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THE CISCO WEEKLY CITIZEN

## A Shot\_Scarred Ford Stands Mute Witness Wednesday Tragedy

A shot-scarred Ford sedan, the death car that figured in an horlast Wednesday evening, stands as Custer engaged in a pistol duel at nue D and West Tenth street. With the farm of Rogers, who lives about three miles west of Cisco.

The trouble that led up to the shooting between Rogers and Custer is said to be of long standing, having its commencement over Rogers signing a bond for Custer some time ago, and Custer's disappearance, causing Rogers considerable expense to bring him back to Eastland county authorities.

Many rumors are being circulated as to the cause of the fued between these parties, which will doubtless be brought out when Rogers is arraigned on the charge of homicide in connection with the death of the child.

After the shooting the little fellow was brought to the Graham little body before it reached the hospital.

A formal complaint was made against Rogers before Judge J. H. McDonald, who placed his bond at \$2,000, which he readily made and was released, after the bond was Waters.

After the shooting Custer iesdressed, and then he was at liberty till Thursday when he was captured by Sheriff Foster and deputies. Custer was taken to jail at Willard battery. Eastland where he is held on a charge of car theft.

The dead baby was the little son of a brother of Lee Custer.

Lee Custer, who has a long crimeven, was not the one in which the city hall. Custer was riding when the tragedy was enacted. The owner of reform measures that are being the stolen car came for the ma- advocated by the people in general chine Thursday. The car was stol- and the Taxpayers association paren at Carlton, Texas.

many in this part of the county, he favors is included taking 70 per and all speak highly of him as a cent of the advalorem tax off real man of many good qualities. It is estate, both farm and city; exempthe death of little Clyde Alvin is any state tax and regulation of utildeplored by no one more than Rog- ities. ers, as it was stated he said he did

when he was shooting at Custer.

Popular Cisco Girl Succumbs to Injury By Fall off Truck Cisco was shocked this morning

when it was learned that Miss Dorrible tragedy enacted near Cisco othy Chambliss, popular high school graduate and daughter of a mute witness, when little Clyde Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chambliss, had Alvin, the three year old child of passed away. Death resulted from ficials and members of the several Clyde C. Custer, was accidentally injuries received Tuesday evening killed when Steve Rogers and Lee when she fell from a truck at Avea party of young folk she was returning home from Lake Cisco, all the gas officials are hell-bent on riding on the truck. As the machine turned at D and Tenth street The people are carrying every she was thrown to the brick pavement and one of the rear wheels passed over her chest. She was immediately taken to the home of gas utility a settlement is not imher parents, but later removed to the Graham sanitarium.

Until Thursday evening it was thought there was a chance for her recovery, but death ended her suffering at 4:45 this morning.

Miss Dorothy was a favorite with all who knew her, and many are sorrowing today over the untimely passing of this popular young lady.

been completed at the Citizen's it is presumed that burial will be cable deal for all concerned." Saturday.

#### NEW MEN IN CHARGE OF WILLARD BATTERY SHOP

The Willard Battery service stasigned by F. E. Shockley and D. E. | tion, which has been in charge of A. J. Edwards for some time, is now in charge of L. E. Vaughn and Jack caped, went to the home of his Elkins, who are conducting the busmother, where his wounds were iness under the firm name of he were in Abilene, under the pres-Vaughn & Elkins Auto Repair and Electric Service. They are also distributors for the well known

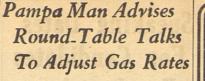
#### TOM HUNTER SPEAKS IN CISCO JULY 4th

Tom Hunter, candidate for govinal record for a young man, had ernor, writes Cisco people that he only returned to Eastland county will speak here July 4, in the interafter being released from the Texas est of his candidacy. The hour penitentiary. County officers were will be at 1:30 p. m., but the place notified to arrest him for automo- of speaking has not been announcbile theft. The stolen car, how- ed, but will likely be in or near

Mr. Hunter favors many of the ticularly. All are requested to Steve Rogers is well known to hear him. Among those reforms said that the tragedy that ended in tion of homesteads of \$3,000 from

not know the baby was in the car COUNTY TAXPAYERS MEET AT RANGER TODAY 2 P. M.

> The fortnightly meeting of the Eastland county Taxpayers association will be held at Ranger Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This



The Abilene News, anent the gas rate squable that is now agitating all towns in this part of Texas, quotes a Pampa man, who advises a conference between the gas ofcity commissions. The plan is at least worth trying, and it seems to the Cisco Citizen that an amicable adjustment might be likely unless driving the people to desperation. ounce of expense that it is now possible, and if there is a bit of reason in those representing the possible. Worse things have happened than a bad compromise.

Quoting F. M. Gwin of Pampa, and the recent gas conference, the Abilene paper says:

"We have been over the same ground," Gwin said. "Up in Pampa, instead of having our domestic gas rate raised, we have had two reductions from the Central States Funeral arrangements had not Power & Light company since 1927. We just sat across the table from sanitarium, but life had left the hour of going to press, however, the gas officials and made an ami-

> Pampa's rate is second lowest in the Panhandle. Domestic users pay 30 cents per thousand for 30,-000 feet: 18 cents for the next 170,-000 feet; and 16 cents for the next 300,000 feet. Minimum bill is \$1.50 monthly, no service charge. The town has 2,400 gas connections. The customer who uses 5,000 feet pays only the minimum, \$1.50. If ent flat rate of 67 1-2 cents, he would pay \$3.38. Under the Community's proposed sliding charge

of \$1.50, \$1.25 and 75 cents, he would pay \$5 for 5,000 feet. "The Central pays four to six cents for its gas wholesale, and trict offices, without addipipes it an average of ten miles in- tional fees. to Pampa," Gwin said. "The company is not complaining, although since 1927 it has had to reduce the are as follows: rate from a top of 75 cents net per 1,000 feet. In 1928 we were granted a 45-cent rate, and in 1930 the County Com \_\_\_\_\_ present 30-cent rate. Amarillo has County an even better rate than ours, a District \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ top of 27 cents. Other Panhandle towns served by the Central States

pay generally about a fourth more than we." January '28. He has recently resigned. Earlier he was mayor-

CISCO LODGE NO. 556, A. F. & A. M. ELECTS OFFICERS

Cisco Lodge No. 556, A. F. & A. M., elected officers Thursday night for the ensuing Masonic year. The elected officers are G. R. Kilpatrick, worshipful master; George Boyd, senior warden; Howard Brown, junior warden; Jewel Poe, treasurer; L. D. Wilson, sec-



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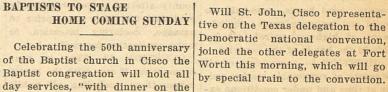
BURETTE W. PATTERSON FRANK SPARKS For Judge 91st District Court: ALLEN D. DABNEY

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE: CLYDE L. GARRETT (Re-election)

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Gwin has been at Pampa since manager at Cross Plains.

