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Community Fair

Following are the prize winners

n the Dothan-Friendship commun-

ity fair, held last Monday, Septem-

Mrs. Arch Bint-Corn bread,

cookies, painted quilt, first; peach

Mildred Jones-Corn bread, sec-

Mrs. E. M. Oney-Biscuit, choco-

Mrs. Lucille Boshears-Biscuit,

Miss Pearle Donoway-Loaf cake,

Miss Merle Sublett-Angel food

Mrs. Addie Evans-Pieced quilt,

Mrs. L. M. Donoway-Pieced

Mrs. Ruby Parmer-Pieced quilt,

Mrs. W. L. Parmer-Quilt top

Mrs. B. J. Camp-Quilt top, third;

potatoes, first; canned dewberries,

Mrs. Roy Farley-Pillow, first

Mrs. Ina McCarver-Fancy pil-

Emajane Hazlewood-Doll quilt,

Yvonne Hazlewood-Doll dress,

Mrs. M. F. Choat-Hand made

Mrs. Bob Key-Canned peas, can-

Miss Beulah Harris-Canned

ned gumbo, canned chcken, pepper

Mrs. Jack Reeves-Rug, first.

and second.

ow. first.

first.

lace, first.

relish, first.

doll apron, first.

second; canned kraut, first.

quilt, second; applique quilt top,

ber 12:

cake, first.

first.

Prize Winners of Dothan-Friendship

ON BROADWAY OF AMERICA

Fifth Amendment to **Charter Presented for Commissioners Recall**

sion Tuesday night, providing for from the filing of such petition the missioners, when R. W. H. Kennon | tition and from the list of qualified asked that the commission accept voters ascertain whether or not said the electorate without the legal formality of securing the required shall attach to said petition a cersignatures. The reason why the tificate showing the result of such draft of the amendment was presented without signers was in conformity with the action of the commission at the called session recently in which the commission suggested that all proposed amendin order that all could be advertised filed with him, make like examinaat the same time.

commission, and asked whether the to be insufficient, it shall be returnbody would waive the legal require- ed to the person filing same, withment, and if so the amendment out prejudice, however, to the filwould be considered submitted in ing of a new petition. its present form, otherwise it would be sought.

Commissioner Clements stated out delay, and the city commission, that he had told some one if the in the event the officer fails to re- pillow cases, first; peach sweet recall amendment was ordered it sign, shall order and fix a date for would have to contain the requir- holding the said election not less apple butter, second. ed signatures, but personally he than thirty nor more than forty did not object to receiving it without the required signatures.

all the same to him, whether it contained the signatures or not.

favored holding the amendment ov- from the date of said certificate, er till next meeting and consider- then said recall election shall be ing it with others that might be of- held on the same day. If the offifered, and if rejected ample time cer in question resigns, no election would be given to permit its circu- shall be necessary and the vacancy lation for signers before the amendments would be submitted to the as in other cases of vaancies. voters

Elliott Opposes Recall. Commissioner Elliott said he was tice and provided for holding such opposed to the recall as he believ- election, and the same shall be coned it would result in confussion and turmoil, while if the commis- thereof declared in all respects as sion was not hindered in its plans other city elections. Any officer he thought the people would be- so elected shall hold office only come reconciled, and realized the during the unexpired term of his administration was really working predecessor. Any person sought in the interest of the city.

Mayor Berry inquired if any oth- to succeed himself and, unless he

preserves, second; peach jelly, An amendment to the city charter | is that of the person whose name it first; plum jelly, second; pickled was proposed to the city commis- purports to be. Within five days pepper, second. the recall of the mayor and com- city secretary shall examine the pe- ond. late pie, layer cake, catsup, onion the amendment to be proposed to petition is signed by the requisite pickles, peach preserves, strawbernumber of qualified voters, and he ry preserves, canned blackberries canned dewberries, peach sweet pickles, first and second; plum jelexamination. If, by the secretary's ly, berry jelly, pickled peppers, certificate, the petition is shown to first; grape juice, first; canned be sufficient, it may be amended beans third; chunk pickles, second. within ten days from the date of such certificate. The secretary second; gold cake, quilt top, canshall, within ten days after such ned carrots, first; strawberry prements be submitted at this meeting amendment is filed, in case one is serves, second. tion of said amended petition, and dried figs, fig preserves, first.

Mr. Kennon stated this to the if his certificate shall show same

"If the petition be found suffiwithdrawn and signatures cient the secretary shall submit the first.

same to the city commission withfirst; scarf, first and third; fancy pickles, third; apple jelly, first; days from the date of the secretary's certificate to the commis-Commissioner Burnett said it was sion that a sufficient petition is filapplique quilt, second; pillow, third; canned beans, second; can ed; provided, that, if an election is to be held within the city for any ned grapes, canned okra, canned Commissioner Henderson said he other purpose within sixty days Irish potatoes, corn relish, tomato relish, first; canned corn, first and second; canned beef, canned sweet canned beets, third; canned cherries, first.

shall be filled by the commission "The city commission shall or

cause to be made publication of noducted, returned and the result to be removed may be a candidate

ers had any amendments to offer, requests otherwise, in writing, the that all might be considered to- secretary shall place his name on beans, canned peaches, first; can-

"Taxpayers" Cites Statutes on Removal Public Officials

To the Editor of the Citizen:

At a meeting of the city commission on August 25th, I believe it was, a petition signed by 265 of our citizens, asking the commission to submit to the voters of the city the question of adoption of an amendment to the city charter reducing the compensation now being paid to the commissioners, and, although t was admitted that the petition had the requisite number of signers, the commission refused to then act on the petition, but postponed action thereon until the next meeting of the commission. The reason assigned for the postponment of action was, that the commission had in mind one or more amendthe commissioners in lusty voice, declared that "I would like to see can throw me out. I have done nothing that I am ashamed of."

The law under which the city is to petition for submission to the voters of an amendment to the charter; and when a petition signed by the requisite number of qualified voters, the law makes it the duty of the commission to subamendment to the voters of the city. an oath by which they swore that they would faithfully discharge the

state. Did they faithfully discharge their duty when they failed to promptly act on the petition? It is quite clear that they did not. Is it not passing strange that the

commissioners did not think of they hatched out the three amendcamouflage-a smoke screen-used in Cisco knows the purpose the fish interest.

titute of all sense of shame who an recall and remember without

| a blush of shame having deliberately ignored and trampled upon the legal rights of those who are feeding him and his family. Insofar as gratitude is concerned, our commissioners are evidently bankrupts. Court Machinery Baldheaded

It may be true, as said by the commissioner above referred to, that he "would like to see the color of the man's hair who can throw him out:" he no doubt is fearless on this score; but there is an ancient adage to the effect that where there is least fear there is frequently most danger." I seriously doubt whether he would like to see the judicial machinery grinding this kind of grist; yet it is within the range of human probments it purposed submitting to ability that such grist may find itthe voters. At this meeting one of self at the mill, Courts are hairless. For the information of our city fathers I quote from our statutes the color of the man's hair that relative to grounds for removal from offce. Civil Statutes:

"Art. 5972. INCOMPETENCY. By incompentency as used herein chartered gives the voters the right is meant gross ignorance of official duties or gross carelessness in the discharge of their duties."

Art. 5973. OFFICIAL MISCON-DUCT. By "official misconduct" as used herein with reference to county officers, is meant any unmit the question of the proposed lawful behavior, wilful in its character, of any officer intrusted in When the commissioners any manner with he administration were inducted into office they took of justice, or the execution of the laws, and includes a wilful or corrupt failure, refusal or neglect of duties of their office according to any offcer to perform any duty enthe constitution and laws of the joined upon him by law."

"Art. 5974. The two, preceding and aldermen." Article 95 of the Penal Code is as

follows:

"If any officer of a county, city their proposed amendments when or town, or any person employed by such officer, shall fraudulently ments which have been published take, misapply, or convert to his in a local paper? This was mere own use, any money, property or other thing of value belonging to for the purpose of deceiving and such county, city or town, that may hoodwinking the public; every one have come into his custody or possession by virtue of his office or commission had in view, and employment, or shall secrete the knows quite well it was not for the same with intent to take, misapply welfare of the public, but for the or convert to his own use, or shall purpose of serving their own sel- pay or deliver the same to any person knowing he is not entitled to That man must be entirely des- receive it. "Shall be confined in

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Rabbit Show Will Feature Eastland **County Farm Fair**

NUMBER 4.

The forthcoming county fair for Eastland county, to be held at Eastland Sept. 21 to 24, promises to excell all previous county exhibitions, which will feature all manner of farm products, art and needle work, curios, etc. Exhibits are now being gathered which, despite the recent heavy rains, promise to be of a superior quality.

One of the most interesting features of the County Fair this year will be the Rabbit Show, sponsored by the Eastland County Rabbit club. A nice list of cash prizes has been arranged, and in addition there are nearly 60 special prizes, in merchandise, offered by the business men of Cisco, Eastland and Ranger. These were solicited by John A. Garrett, Cisco's rabbit and pigeon fancier.

The Rabbitt Breeders' association has arranged a prize list with rules, regulations and terms of entry, a copy of which may be secured by applying to H. L. Owen, president, Eastland, or to any of the offcers of the association.

The cash awards will be from \$1 to \$3.50, and will be in first, second and third prizes for each class, and in addition there will be a \$2 prize for champion buck and champion doe. These prizes will be supplemented by the special prizes offered by business men.

Special Prizes

Following is a list of the special prizes and the names of contributors

Exhibit from greatest distance, Miller-Lauderdale, Cisco, shirt; Boston Store, Cisco, pair silk hose. Largest exhibit: Bankhead Feed articles shall apply also to mayors | Mill, Cisco, 100 pounds Rabbit Ration.

> Best Display: Gulf Service Station, Eastland, 5 gallons gas; J. C. Penney Co., Eastland, pair overalls. Champon buck, all breeds: Corner Drug Co., Eastland, kodak.

Champion Doe, all breeds: Beatty Drug Co., Eastland, \$1.50 billfold.

First senior N. Z. white buck: A. J. Ratliff Feed Co., Ranger, rabbit mugg

First senior N. Z. white doe: Oil City Pharmacy, Ranger, electric clock.

First 6 to 8 N. Z. white buck Norvell-Miller, Cisco, 50 pounds of rabbit food.

First 6 to 8 N. Z. white doe: M-

gether. had heard of others, but none were tion. The names of other candipresented.

Clments' motion that all amend- placed on the official ballot by pements be held in abeyance till the tition in the manner provided by next meeting carried.

The peittion is now being circu- such an election the candidate related for signers.

amend section 9 of article 5, and is rules regulating the election of first. as follows: such officers shall be declared

Article 5 - Recall of Mayor and elected. City Commissioners. "At such election, if some other

"Section 9. Recall of mayor or person than the incumbent receives city commissioners procedure— a majority of all votes cast for such election of successors. The mayor office, the incumbent shall thereor commissioners of this city may upon be deemed removed from ofbe recalled and removed from of- fice upon the qualification of his fice by the electors qualified to vote successor. In case the party who for a successor of such incumbent receives a majority of all votes cast as herein provided. The procedure at said election shall fail to qualify

as follows: tification of his election, the office "A petition signed by the quali- shall then become vacant. If the fied voters entitled to vote for a incumbent receives a majority of first; canned peaches, third; tosuccessor to the officer sought to all votes at such an election he mato relish, second; chunk pickles, be removed, equal in number to at shall continue in office and shall third. least twenty per centum of the en- not be subject to any other recall tire number of persons entitled to for any grounds existing prior to pickles, second; pickled peppers, vote in said city, as appears from said election. "Section 10. District judge may the county tax collector's rolls for the year ending January 31, next order election. Should the commispreceding, demanding the recall of sion fail or refuse to order an elecsuch officers shall be filed with the tion as herein provided for the recity secretary, provided that such call of such an officer when all the petition shall contain a general requirements for such election have statement of the grounds for which been complied with by the petitionthe removal is sought. The signa- ing citizens, in conformity with tures to the petition need not all be this charter, then it shall be the appended to one paper, but each duty of any one of the district signer shall add to his signature his judges of Eastland county, Texas, place of residence, giving the street upon proper application being and number. One of the signers to made therefor, to order such eleceach of such papers shall make oath tion and to enforce the carrying before an officer competent to ad- into effect of the provisions of this minister oaths that each signature charter."

The members said they the official ballot without nomina- ned squash, canned plums, second Miss Estelle Bint-Canned tomadates for such position shall be toes. first.

> Mrs. C. H. Yeager-Canned tomatoes, canned peaches, second. law for a place on the ballot. At Miss Ida Hazlewood-Canned tomatoes, third.

ceiving a majority of all votes cast Mrs. James Harris-Canned The proposed amendment would for such office, according to the squash, canned beets, canned plums

> Miss Loraine Donoway-Dried okra, dried apples, first.

Mrs. D. L. Donoway-Canned grapes, first: canned dewberries. second; strained honey, stuffed pepper, first.

Mrs. G. A. Swenson-Apple butter, first.

Mrs. Roy Ashburn - Canned beets, second; cucumber pickles, ger stage the quarantine had been mixed pickles, chunk pickles, first; to remove such officers shall be within ten days after receiving no- mixed pickles, second.

> Mrs. Ina Richardson - Canned plums, third; canned apricots,

Mrs. Travis Parmer-Cucumber third.

Mrs. G. S. Swenson-Cucumber pickles, third.

Relics and Antiques W. L. Parmer-Gun, 75 years old;

chair, 70 years old. Mrs. D. L. Donoway-China sugar bowl, 75 years old.

Field and Orchard White corn-James Harris. Surecropper corn-B. J. Camp, D. L. Donoway, W. L. Parmer. Yellow Dent-B. J. Camp. Popcorn-D. L. Donoway, B. J. Camp, D. L. Donoway.

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CITY COMMISSION WILL FORCE **COLLECTION OF WATER RENTALS**

After disposing of the charter | letter from Judge B. W. Patterson amendments by postponing all ac- regarding the litigation pending tion till the next meeting, the city with W. H. Craddock in which the commission last Tuesday night gave | land on the Twin Lakes are located consideration to other matters. is involved, in which Patterson Before doing so, however, the com- inquired if the commission would mission received the report of Dr. be willing to have an agreed judg-W. P. Lee, city health officer, who ment entered in the case, giving stated that the general health of title to Craddock after the new the community was excellent. He settling basin is built. The setreported six births and three deaths tling basins are located on this during August. One case of dipproperty. No time limit was set by theria, with one home quarantined, Judge Patterson. but the patient being past the dan-

Clements suggested that the city go into court and ascertain who owns the property unless Craddock

Dr. Lee reported that toxoid was would give the city the use of the still being administered, but with land for an indefinite time, or unthe completion of the present treat- til the new settling basin could be

> Elliott stated that he was not in favor of any lawsuit that could be avoided.

Burnett stated that he would not be in favor of any judgment except one entered on the order of the court. That he was not in favor of agreeng to any judgment to give the city's property away.

The city attorney was instructed to confer with the plaintiff's attorney and attempt to reach an agreement whereby the city mingt use the old settling basins for an indefinite period, or until the new basins could be built at Lake Cisco, and if no agreement could be be reached that the matter would have to be adjudicated in the court. J. C. King, Katy agent, requested

System, Ranger, 50 pounds flour. First junior N. Z. white buck: Eastland Furniture Co., wall picture.

First junior N. Z. white doe: Mickle Hdw. Co., Eastland, 4 water and 4 food crocks.

Second senior N. Z. white buck: United Dry Goods Co., Eastland, pair overalls.

Second senior N. Z. white doe: Economy Store, Eastland, pair ladies' silk hose.

Second 6 to 8 N. Z. white buck: Leach store, Cisco, 2 food crocks; Perry Bros., Cisco, 2 food crocks; McDonald Hdw. Co., 2 water crocks. Second 6 to 8 N.Z. white doe: Crigler Pashchall, Cisco, 5 spools salt; R. H. Boon, Cisco, 5 spools salt.

Second junior N. Z. white buck: Wolf's, Eastland, half gal. paint. Second junior N. Z. white doe: The Men's Shop, Eastland, shirt. Third senior N. Z. white buck: Eastland Chronicle, 25 hutch cards. Third senior N. Z. White doe: Pickering Lumber Co., Ranger, pint paint.

Third 6 to 8 N. Z. white buck: Love Barber shop, Ranger, haircut. Third 6 to 8 N. Z. whitedoe: Mills Bros., Ranger, can Todzy & Shaker Third junior N. Z. white buck:

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an adjustment of the taxes of the Katy road in conformity with that made with the Texas & Pacific. During the discussion it developed that the board of equalization had never been discharged, and the mat-

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lifted.

All of the commissioners were

Craddock Controversy City Attorney Grantham read a

ment about six hundred children built. will have been immunized against

of the citizens, Dr. Lee said, wherever called to their attention. The fruit and vegetable ordinance was held in abeyance for the time

being, by the action of the commission.

present at the opening hour with the exception of Commissioner Elliott, who was a few minutes tardy. When he arrived one of the members facetiously inquired if "he had been attending a dark lantern meet-

ing?"

diptheria. All health hazards have been abated by the hearty cooperation THE CISCO WEEKLY CITIZEN R. W. H. KENNON, Editor-Publisher

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

If thou shalt do this thing, and God command thee, then thou shalt be able to endure, and all this people shall go to their place in peace .-Ex. 18:23.

> O Love divine, thou are with us, And we, thy children, bless, Each other, and by healing show Reflected loveliness. -Eleanor T. Norton in S. C. Sentinel

"What sweet enjoyment it is to be able to shed a little happiness around us! What an easy and agreeable task is that of trying to render others happiness."

NOT IN THE GOVERNOR'S CALL

The Texas house of representatives turned down a proposition for a moratorium on debts by sustaining a point of order, as it was not submitted in the call of Governor ed an inner circle that has, on one occasion at least, domi-Sterling. What has that to do wih it? Didn't the legis- nated the meetings. lature lose a week in scrapping over probing the election? down a proposition to limit such salaries from \$12,500 to \$6,000 per annum.

HULING'S PLAN TO BREAK THE DEPRESSION

A Fort Worth man, H. C. Hulings, has advanced a plan, if adopted by the federal government, he says, will give the country a mild dose of inflation that would not only break the depression, but wouldn't cost the government a red cent, other than printing the bonds. This plan was first published in the Fort Worth Press and later advocated by Liberty magazine as a means of paying the soldiers' bonus But Hulings, it seems, did not suggest that the veterans be the vehicle to start this machinery going, but to be in general use. However, should this or a similar plan be adopted for paying the bonus, even an Andrew Mellon could not claim it would discredit our currency. Hulings says:

"There are in this country, according to various estimates, 4,000,000 families in dire need; 1,000,000 homes in process of being broken up thru foreclosurean almost demoralizing situation.

"Uncle Sam should find a way to give each of these families help to the extent of \$1,000. And here is the way I would have Uncle Sam do it:

'Pick out these families and give them, thru a local agency, 10 bonds of \$100 each. And now-for example, John Jones owes his grocer \$75 and he wants to use one of these bonds to pay. Jones goes to the post-office, buys a \$1 stamp provided for the purpose, attaches it to the bond, gives it to the grocer and receives \$25 in change. There's the start.

"The grocer, in turn, owes the wholesaler. He, too, buys a \$1 stamp, attaches it, and passes the bond along with proper discount. And so on down the line, until the bond has changed hands 99 times, with each user attaching a stamp which bears his name and address. Then the 99th man turns it to the government, and receives \$100 in cash.

Hulings doesn't know. He only hopes that city and state organizations will force it to the government's attention-or that other magazines will see fit to follow Liberty's lead. So far, he says, he has found no flaw in the plan. Maybe you can find one.

How is your wood pile? Winter is just around the corner. If the Community Natural hijackers put on their threatened gas rate you may get a bit cold this winter. You nor more than ten years." won't be able to pay that \$5.15 before you can enjoy the beneficence of their 50 cent rate promised under their sliding scale.

A TAXPAYERS' TAMMANY CLUB

Last April the local taxpayers organization of Cisco won what they thought was a great victory, when they captured control of the city council in the municipal election. Now, all is not going very well between the city officials and their constituents. The taxpayers organization is re-ported to have been virtually taken over by those whom the membership elected to office, and they are attempting to convert it into a strictly political club, making it a sort of local Tammany Hall institution.

If these ambitious amateur politicians are successful in putting their plans over they will achieve the most fruitless and useless victory imaginable, for after they shall adopt their constitution and by-laws, which it is said will bar all newspaper men from membership in the organization and forbid affiliation with the county and state taxpayers' association, they will find only themselves left facing a lot of empty chairs, as the real taxpayers will quietly withdraw from the taxeaters club and proceed to form their own organization, in which no person holding public office will be permitted even honorary membership, which is what ought to have been done in the first place.—Taxpayers Voice.

The league had previously passed such a rule, making those who have been elected to office only honorary members, but it seems that the Tammany bunch has ignored that provision in the rules of the league, and have organiz-

But should the official bunch prevail in their apparent Twasn't in the governor's call. Neither was the limiting desire to control the league, the result will be as the Voice of county and district officials' salary, but the house voted predicts-they will have empty chairs for their constituents.

	RABBIT BREEDERS	mercial Printing Co., Cisco, bottle India ink.
	(Continued from Page One)	Third 6 to 8 Chin. doe: M. L.
i, ekdt ys.el-tot	Langston Barber shop, Ranger, haircut. Third junior N. Z. white doe:	Notgrass shoe shop, Cisco, pair leather tips. Third junior Chin. buck: Cisco Citizen, 1 year's subscription. Third junior Chin. doe: Cisco Citizen, year subscription. First senior N. Z. red buck: A. G. Motor Co., Cisco, inner tube. First senior N. Z. red doe: Red Front Drug store, Cisco, \$1 water set. First 6 to 8 N. Z. red buck: Tul- los Bros., Cisco, suit or dress clean- ed and pressed. First 6 to 8 N. Z. red doe: Toombs & Richardson, Eastland, safety ra- zor and shaving cream. First senior Dutch buck: Pan- handle Superservice station, East- land, 5 gallons gasoline. First senior Dutch doe: F. E. Harrell, Cisco, bale alfalfa hay. First senior Silver Marten buck: Moore Drug Co., Cisco, box station- ery. First senior Silver Marten doe: Dean Drug Co., Cisco, box station- ery. First senior Gray Flemish Giant buck: Hassen Co., Ranger, pair ov- eralls.
	Second junior Chin, buck: J H	

"Taxpayer" Cites the that it is a fact that the city com-Statutes on Removal mission has been donating water, distributing free fishing permits,

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the penitentiary not less than two

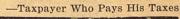
All penalties accrued on delinquent taxes belong to the city. The waterworks and the water in our lakes belong to the city, and we are being taxed to pay for them, as our commissoners, and of those who are operating the waterworks and for electric current to pump the water. And all the fish in our lakes belong to the city; and the commisson has fixed the price of fishing permis at 25c per day and the city commission who are not \$2.00 per annum.

Tax Penalties City Property

whole nor any member thereof has permits are being given away or but such is current rumor on the streets. An investigation by the grand jury will develop the truth or falsity of these rumors. I pay

of Public Officials or that it paid for picnic ice cream with city funds, but that such is the current rumor on the streets. However, if it be true that the commission, or any member or members thereof, have been donating and giving away funds or property of the cty, or paying for ice cream with city funds, I say if this, in fact, be true, then it seems to me. that some one is skating on very thin ice. A casual reading of the well as to pay the salary of one of Article of the Penal Code copied above will show that it is a criminal offense to give to any person not entitled to receive them, money or property belonging to the city. And then, too, those members of

execution proof-who own property subject to execution-will propably Neither the city commission as a be required by the succeeding adhe legal right to donate or give ministration to account for all away penalties on delinquent taxes, property and funds misappropriatwater and fishing permits. Last ed, and to make good the loss, if year the city commission made a any sustained, by the city. For the donation of penalties which ac- law not only makes it a penal ofcrued on delinquent taxes to the fense to donate or give away the amount of several hundred dollars, city's property and funds in the and has signified its intention to exercise of charity and generosity the donation again this year, but to but will hold them liable for any a different party. It is current financial loss from such misapprorumor on the streets that the com- priation, for misappropriation is mission, or some one or more of nothing less than conversion. It the commissioners have been, and occurs to me that our city fathers still are, donating water to a num- should watch their steps, for unber of persons; that fishing per- less they do some one may find mits are being distributed among himself in trouble. Our people are the favored many, without money patient and long suffering, as the and without price; and that, at a past year demonstrates; but it is recent banquet or . entertainment said that "a worm will turn when given by the city commission to the stepped upon," and a baldheaded, employes of the city, a large quan- hairless man might start the ball tity of ice cream was purchased, rolling, if he should grow impacharged to and paid for by the city. tient over the arbitrary action of I do not state it to be a fact that the commission in refusing to grant water is being donated, that fishing the people what they have a legal right to demand; and if the ball that ice-cream provided for a party should start to roll it would require was paid with funds of the city, prophetic vision to tell when and where is would stop.





'A number of people have been benefitted, the government has received \$100 from the sale of stamps and has had the use of the money during the life of the bond, which should be five or six months.

"The bond bears no interest, and so it can't be hoarded. It is to the interest of the user to pass it."

Commenting on the Hulings plan, the Fort Worth Press says:

Hulings points out that no one is out anything except the person accepting the bond and he is out only the purchase of the \$1 stamp, which could be considered as applying to discount.

Hulings sees many ramifications to the plan. It would, he says, create jobs, expand credit, put money into circulation, and help pay off the soldiers' bonus. This latter phase is the one being stressed by Liberty magazine.

The government could use the bonds to buy land, a team of horses, a cow, and chickens for the destitute soldier and his family-or he could be paid off with the bond itself-and either way the nation would benefit from a period of inflation.

More than that, Hulings believes, the plan could be put in use by a state or county-or even a city-if a city, state or county could be found willing to try the experiment.

Hulings has offered his plan for what it is worth. His motives are purely patriotic, untouched by any thought of selfish interests.

But what will Uncle Sam do about it?

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DALLAS, Sept. 16-Great interest is being shown in the State Taxpayers Association of Texas all state meeting to be held at Waco, State Taxpayer's program. Hilton Hotel, Saturday the 17th. Geo. B. Latham, secretary, stated reports indicate that all county xpayers associations will be represented by large delegations and that this will be the most important meeting the association has held since it was organized nine months ago.

The meeting will be opened at 10 o'clock, by Pres. D. M. Jones, Saturday morning. Plans will be presented by J. T. Newsom, state organizer and chairman iof the steering committee for a five year program for the work of the ass- day, 4:00 o'clock P. M., and the ociation for economy in city, county state meeting Saturday 17, at 10:00 and state offices, and for the reduction of taxes. More than 200 busi- Waco. ness men and the largest taxpayers in the state have been invited to meet with the steering committee at 4:00 o'clock P. M., today at Waco, Hilton Hotel, to advise and assist in planning the five year program. Committees will be appointed to formluate and plan for bills to be presented to the next state legislature at Austin for merging



"I have found nothing in the

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of bureaus and departments, reduc- We Must Cease to tion of salaries and economy in all county and state offices.

Reports will be made from each county association as to the nominees of the state legislature and

nominees of the county commissioner's courts as to their friendliness and co-operation with the

The association through its work has saved more than \$25,000,000 (twenty-five million dollars) by lowering rendition values, reducing laws should be enacted to safetax rates, placing on tax rolls properties heretofore escaping taxation, cancelling unsold bonds, defeating proposed bond issues and emergency warrants, and cutting expenses through commissioners courts.

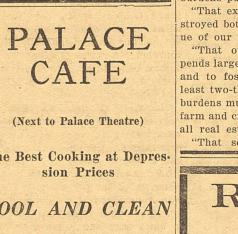
throughout the state today are invited to be present at both meetings-the steering committee too'clock A. M., at the Hilton Hotel,

R. R. COMMISSION TO GET DATA ON GAS CO.

AUSTIN, Sept.-The Texas railroad commssion has decided to send its engineers to obtain evaluation data affecting properties of the Community Natural Gas company to determine fairness of rates it proposes to charge in approximately 90 small towns served by it.

The commission concluded a hearing of testimony before it in an effort to arrive at a conclusion as to reasonable rates the company had put into effect in unincorporated towns and places of 500 population or less.

Chester L. May of Dallas, vice



THE CISCO WEEKLY CITIZEN

Finance Our Own Undoing—Hunter

Before leaving Wichita Falls to attend the state convention Tom F. Hunter, who ran a close third in the governor's race, gave out a statement of what the Democratic platform should contain, and what guard the interest of the people. It will be noticed that he has consistently avoided the trap that to reach all industries proportioncaught and dammed Clint Small. ately, all values tangible or intan-In refusing to be ensnared in en- gible. tangling alliances he has shown that sagacity that has stamped him Texas as one unit for state tax pur-The taxpayers and citizenship as a leader, one in which everybody poses and not 254 units. The benhas perfect confidence. Despite the fact that he was eliminated in al conveniences and protection machine." the July primaries, he is without must pay proportionately for that question, the most popular Demo- which they receive.

crat in Texas today. Stating his position on matters vital to the people Mr. Hunter said in a pre-convention interview:

"At Lubbock I will concern myself only in a constructive program for the relief of the plain people. Fundamentals not prejudice, should be our objective. Our passions should not control us in times of distress, contentment of our people being of so much greater importance than our whims. We must be aware that the organized predatory interest have in the past spent more than \$1,000,000 a month thru one advertising agency, schooling the 99 per cent that own less than 40 per cent of our wealth into a designed line of thought that they might make our government a business of profit while we, divided upon prejudices, called it politics. We must cease to finance our own undoing.

"May I plead for the united brain

little tax.

"That our ox-cart tax system is provided. antiquated and must be supplanted by a blended system that will re- one holding state office of emcluquire all who live in Texas or who ment to take pay or compensation

do business in Texas to pay in pro- from a corporation. portion to their ability to pay. "Taxes must not only be reallo-

cated but a retrenchment in expenses must be had for tax reduction. Texas must get her expense account within her means.

"That the state ad valorem tax business must be preserved that must be abolished. The blended our people be not reduced to the system adopted must be designed ranks of masters and servants.

"That our tax system must treat eficiaries of our state government-

Destroy Monopolies

"Combines of wealth that never die must be required to pay a grad- The Fort Worth Press today said: uated tax that individuals of only some 30 years' business life have equal opportunity with them. Mergers should not be encouraged. Monopolies must be destroyed.

"Earnings of utility companies must be restricted to a fair return on their present replacement values. . Their water stock claims must be disproved. They must treat the plain people as fairly. "Methods for raising revenue for

FARM FOR SALE!

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"Many of our commissions, bu-

state's wealth escapes or pays but city and county governments other vestigating committee from the than the ad valorem tax must be Riverside Civic League, appointed to lead the fight for reduced phone "It must be a penal offense for rates.

clared Wills.

The committee will call on N. H. Moore, telephone company manager, next week and present the "A graduated tax must be placed league's demand for cheaper serv-

upon chain stores, fixed on the number of stores and upon gross "When we get 5000 people in Fort sales. Care must be used that Worth to take out their phones, holding companies of the East can not evade this tax. Independent you can expect some action," de-

> H. O. Westerfeldt and R. C. Mc-Cann spent Monday in Fort Worth.



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reaus and departments of government must be abolished. Some may be consolidated. Duplications in office shall be eliminated. Our governmental family should be a working body and not a political 200 FORT WORTH FOLK SAID JOIN PHONE FIGHHT Two hundred telephone subscribers in Riverside have volunteered to have service discontinued unless lower rates are given. Henry G. Wills, attorney, said today Wills is chairman of a special in-

Merchants to Stage Free Rodeo to Farm Friends of County

Cisco will be host tomorrow to its country friends and patrons when all out of town folk will be given a free rodeo in appreciation of the patronage extended Cisco merchants and business men. All persons living in the Cisco trade territory may secure tickets absolutely free by applying to any of the merchants, as practically every business house has secured tickets to be given to their country frends and customers.

No, there is no catch in this one The business folk of the town are staging this rodeo absolutely free to their patrons, and you will not be required to spend a thin dime to get a ticket for yourself and family. Just go to your merchant friend and tell him you are ready to take in the rodeo, and he will promptly give you the necessary admission ticket that will entitle you to see all that's going on.

Rodeo Just A Beginning

P. L. Ullom is chairman of the arrangements committee that is responsible for the show, and has everything arranged to give you all the thrills you anticipate.

This rodeo is the entering of the to show their appreciation for your

appetizer for the more substantial have enjoyed the sport, if you are



CITY COMMISSION WILL FORCE **COLLECTION OF WATER RENTALS**

ter was referred back to the board for an adjustment.

Must Collect Water Rentals the amount due the city, but wanted to settle the account, if possible, by the city allowing him what damage it thought equitable, or he

would sell the city nursery stock on his water account.

to emergency charity, if approved coin of the realm, the commissionby the commission, with Mayor ers stated, would be given work.

scheme contemplates.

Better Market Aim

The Ctizen realizes that Cisco merchants have not provided an ample market for your produce in the past, but they have come to a thin edge of the program Cisco folk realizaton of their short-comings expect to put on to convince those and propose to make amends. Plans living in this territory that we are are already on foot to create a your friends, and are more than market for the farm products that willing to do all things necessary should be sold in Cisco. If all works out as contemplated Cisco friendship and patronage. The will pay top prices for everything Citizen is aware that much is yet the farmer produces even before to be done to convince our country the present season is over. These friends that Cisco merchants are plans call for Cisco being the top their friends, but the Citizen is con- cotton market in the Oil Belt, the vinced that every business man has best place to sell every farm proresolved to show their appreciation | duct, and in capacity volume. So, in a more material way hereafter. | come in Saturday, meet your This rodeo is but a social feature friends, take the wife and kids to -just a bit of refreshments as an the rodeo show, then, after you

(Continued from Page One) | Berry as custodian of the funds At this juncture Elliott reported there was about \$175 still in the welfare fund.

During the washout on the Tex-J. B. Ely made a statement that as & Pacific, Henderson said, the he was indebted to the water de- town was filled with tramps who partment in the sum of \$42, but congregated here, all hungry was unable to pay. "A previous enough to rob a bank or cut a administration had laid a pipe line throat, but by feeding them he bethrough his nursery," he said, by lieved he had averted a series of which he was damaged more than lawlessness of an undtermined seriousness at a cost of a little more than \$3.75.

The water commissioner was in- Swenson, D. L. Donoway. structed to either collect water bills or take out the meters and cut to beautify city property. The the water off. Some, it was recommission voted to have Ely file ported, were in arrears of \$200 or first and second. his bill for damages and the matter more, and it was not treating the be adjusted by allowing him credit prompt payers right to allow these bills to accumulate. The Cisco James Harris. Henderson read a communication Country club was one of the large from the city employes offering to delinquents, the commissioner redonate one day's pay each month ported. Those who can't pay in the

feast that their trade extension in need of merchandise drop in on your merchant and place your order.

> The Cisco Citizen extends a cordial welcome to all of its friends and subscribers to make this office headquarters while here tomorrow

VICTORIOUS DELEGATES **RETURN FROM LUBBOCK**

Cisco's delegation has returned from Lubbock, where they attended the state Democratic convention, wearing their laurels of victory after seeing Mrs. Ferguson declared the nominee for governor.

The returning delegates report that our flotorial representativeelect, Cecil A. Lotief, was given an ovation after his address to the convention. Some said it was second only to the silver-tongued C. C. McDonald.

The delegates included (all Ferstrong, Judge J. D. Barker, Dr. R. for the day. C. Bowen and C. R. West.

VISITORS ARE AMAZED AT

Mrs. Mabel Hail, accompanied by farming. Will trade for other proher son, Erwin Hail and a young perty of equal value. Prefer good lady friend, were dinner guests of truck. HAYDEN COOPER, Cisco. Mrs. W. H. Kittrell last Sunday, while enroute to San Angelo.

In the afternoon Mrs. Kittrell and Miss Lucy induced them to visit Lake Cisco, which, when once seen, proved most amazing to these visitors. Mrs. Hail stated she was most agreeably surprised at what she saw, as she never dreamed that Cisco had such a wonderful resort. 'If the rest of the state knew what you have here Csco would be the most popular resort in Texas," Mrs. Hail told her host

MISSION FESTIVAL WAS Prize Winners of **Dothan-Friendship** Community Fair

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Sweet corn-E. M. Oney. Kaffir-Albert Harris. Hegari-Curtis Yeager. Milo-B. J. Camp. Gallon oats-A. Bint, J. F. Jones. Barley-A. Bint. Wheat-J. F. Jones. Cotton stalks-G. A. Swenson, E.

M. Oney. White spuds-A. Bint, G.

Red spuds-A. Bint, Joe Donaway Sweet potatoes-W. L. Parmer. Squash pumpkin-Joe Donaway,

Field pumpkin-D. L. Donaway. Sugar pumpkin-D. L. Donaway,

Kershaw-Albert Harris, A. Bint. Gallon B. E. peas-Albert Harris, L. D. Donaway.

Crowder peas-Albert Harris, L D. Donaway. Cream peas-E. M. Oney.

Pinto beans-E. M. Oney, L. D.

Donaway. Black wax beans-Albert Harris. Butter beans-Loraine Donaway. Green peas-A. Harris, D. L. Donaway, Mildred Jones. Green beans-Albert Harris, Mil-

dred Jones. Bell peppers-A. Bint. Hot peppers-Albert Harris, A.

Bint. Tomatoes-Loraine Donaway. Beets-Mildred Jones.

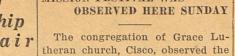
Green corn-A. Harris, A. Bint. Apples-I. A. Bailey. Honey-Loraine Donaway, Ada

Hazlewood, W. C. Yeager. Saddle horse-Emery Booth, Yernon Donaway, Julius Jones. Saddle pony-Jack Honea, Cecil

Jessup. Work horse-J. R. Burnham. Team horses-J. R. Burnham.

Winners in the horseshoe pitching tournament were Orval Cash guson supporters) Will St. John, and Emmett Kyle. Washer pitch-. M. Williamson, L. B. Campbell, ing tournament winners were Tom Omar Burkett, J. T. Denton, Coe Lucas and LeRoy Wright. A base McLeRoy, Walter Miller, W. J. Arm- ball game concluded the program

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theran church, Cisco, observed the annual Mission Festival here last Sunday. The servces were held at the city hall auditorium, as the local church was too small to accomodate the throng expected. At these annual events usually there are representatives from Albany and Abilene, which, when augmented by the local congregations and others, required a commodious auditorium to seat the congregation. However, the audience was not as large as anticipated, Abilene not being represented. But despite the absence of Abilene representatives, the auditorium was comfortably filled with members of the Albany and Cisco churches. Christ Church, in the German

community of which Rev. E. Speyer is pastor, will observe the Mission Festival at that church Sun. day, September 25, so the Cisco Citizen is informed.

MR. AND MRS. O. P. WEISER **RETURN TO THEIR HOME**

The Citizen is glad to announce that Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Weiser have returned to their splendid farm home, a few miles south of Cisco. Mr. Weiser and his estimable wife, are two of our most valued friends, as well as splendid citizens, and their numerous friends will be glad to know that they are again with us, and this time for keeps. We loaned this couple to Del Rio for a short while, as we never anticipated their loss entirely, and their return is just like a come-back from an extended visit-The Weisers own a valuable farm out in the German community, and their home has been famous in times past for the generous hospitaily of this estimable couple.



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