

Sterling Lead Is 2,601; 866,000 Votes Counted

FARMERS PATROL ROADS TO STOP FLOW OF PRODUCE



This is a typical scene of activity in the "farmers' holiday" strike territory of western Iowa and Nebraska, where farmers tried to keep produce off the commodity markets and thus boost prices.

Towler And Ory Stay In Offices

Semi-Annual Tax Payment Plan Adopted

Big Spring Commissioners Allow November 30, June 30 Payments

On recommendation of the city manager an ordinance was passed Tuesday evening by the board of city commissioners providing for payment of current taxes to the city on a semi-annual basis.

The ordinance stipulates that if the first payment is not made by Nov. 30 the entire amount will have to be paid not later than January 31 or become delinquent.

Winners Of Posts On R. R. Commission



C. V. TERRELL, railroad commissioner, 6-year term.

McKinnon Is Constable In Precinct One

Ferguson Leads In Howard 228 Votes; Lockhart Carries County

Two of the three office-holders of Howard county who figured in Saturday's run-off primary for the Democratic nomination will serve another term, while one was defeated.

E. G. Towler, veteran county treasurer, found stiff opposition from C. W. Robinson but came out 107 votes ahead in a total vote of 3,165.

John Ory, was again named Public Weigher of Precinct 1, defeating Ebb Hatch 367 votes.

J. B. Sneed, county commissioner of Precinct 4, was defeated by Louis Fletcher 444 to 269.

Smith McKinnon won by a wide margin over Seth Pike for constable, precinct 1. The vote in this race was 1,858 to 812.

Lockhart Leads G. E. Lockhart of Lubbock defeated A. P. Duggan of Littlefield in Howard county 1,710 to 1,296 in the race for state senator from the 30th district.

Miriam A. Ferguson came out 228 votes ahead of Governor Ross Sterling in this county.

Total vote in the four Big Spring boxes, which include the Lomax and Elbow communities, southwest of town, as well as a few votes just north of town, was: Sterling 1,179.

Ferguson 1,100. Chief hope of the Sterling supporters was box No. 3 and in that precinct the lead they expected for Sterling failed to materialize. He led by only 81 votes out of 1,207.

This coupled with a Sterling defeat in Forsan box, carried Mrs. Ferguson out in top place. Chief surprise in the vote for governor was that for J. E. Hickman of Eastland for associate justice of the supreme court, Hickman having received 2,127 to 901 for William Pierson.

In the three races for congressman-at-large Howard county gave majorities to Pink Parrish of Lubbock, Joseph W. Bailey, Jr. of Dallas and Joe Burgett of San Antonio. Parrish received 2,013 to 1,009 for Davis and Burgett got 1,547 to 1,443 for Sterling P. Strong.

Complete vote in Howard county. GOVERNOR Ferguson 1694 Sterling 1466 R. R. COMMISSIONER (6-Yr) Terrell 1333 Satterwhite 1781 H. R. COMMISSIONER (4-Yr) Thompson 1939 Hatcher 1118 SUPREME COURT Pierson 901 Hickman 2127 CONGRESS NO. 1 Terrell 1009 Parrish 2013

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Governor Comes Back After 'Ma' Takes Up Margin

Predictions of the closest race in history were borne out when returns from 233 of 254 counties including 108 complete, showed Governor Ross S. Sterling leading Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson by only 2,601 votes at 1:30 a. m. Sunday when 866,495 votes cast in Saturday's Democratic primary had been tabulated by the Texas Election Bureau.

Governor Sterling maintained a fair lead, at one time being around 22,000 ahead until more than 700,000 votes had been counted. He then went into second place.

Mrs. Ferguson's lead afterwards went above 4,000, then dwindled away, leaving Sterling in first place again, by a slim margin, with the chances perhaps fifty-fifty that he would not stay there.

Two hundred and thirty three counties have reported, 105 of them complete, with the probability that the vote may fall short of a million when all the stragglers are rounded up. Ninety-two complete counties cast 3,505 more votes than they cast in the July primary. Unless the incomplete counties voted disproportionately heavy, the total should be around 980,000.

Unreported counties are: Archer, Bailey, Crane, Crosby, Duval, Glascock, Hansford, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, Kenedy, Kinney, Live Oak, Marion, Moore, Real, Victoria, Waller, Ward, Winkler, Yoakum and Zavilla. Unreported counties cast a total of 21,769 votes in July.

C. V. Terrell, the present chairman, defeated Lee Satterwhite for railroad commission, six year term, and Ernest O. Thompson defeated W. Gregory Hatcher, for the four year term, both apparently safe majorities.

In races for congressman-at-large the winners are: George E. Terrell of Cherokee county, Joseph Weldon Bailey, of Dallas county and Sterling P. Strong of Dallas county, defeating respectively Pink Parrish, of Lubbock county, Cyclone Davis of Hopkins county and Joe Burgett of Bexar county. Majorities of the leaders range from around forty to more than one hundred thousand, Bailey's majority being the most impressive.

In the thirteenth congressional district W. D. McFarlane has a lead of around two thousand over George W. Backus, in returns from nine out of twelve counties, of which three are complete.

In the appellate court races, Joel R. Bond is leading Robert M. Vaughan in the fifth district and Geo. W. Johnson was leading Edd Rabb in the sixth by apparently safe majorities.

For associate justice of the supreme court, Judge William Pierson took the lead over Judge J. E. Hickman after Hickman had led through the first half million votes. Pierson's lead at the close of the night was conclusive.

ROSS S. STERLING 1:30 A. M. TOTALS

DALLAS, Aug. 28—Returns to the Texas Election Bureau at 1:30 a. m. from 233 out of 254 counties in the State, including 108 complete, show the following totals for candidates in Saturday's Democratic run-off primary: Governor—Ferguson 431,947, Sterling 434,548.

Railroad Commissioner, six years—Satterwhite 317,941; Terrell 479,540. Railroad Commissioner, 4 years—Hatcher 378,985; Thompson 416,651.

Supreme Court—Hickman 883,921; Pierson 391,323. Congress, Place 1—Parrish 340,409; Terrell 421,724. Congress, Place 2—Bailey 468,130; Davis 325,834. Congress, Place 3—Burgett 354,455; Strong 422,849. Congress District 13—Geo. W. Backus 17,052; W. D. McFarlane 18,947.

Civil Appeals, District 5—Joel R. Bond 38,856; Robert M. Vaughan 31,615. Civil Appeals, District 6—Geo. W. Johnson 54,412; Edd Rabb 38,470.

Cans Needed On Share Plan For Use In County More cans for use in putting up vegetables on shares are needed in Howard county, Manager C. T. Watson of the Chamber of Commerce, said Saturday. He reported that "we have run out of cans and now have more calls for them than from persons who wish to furnish cans to be filled on shares."

Those wishing to give cans in return for a share of the canned goods are asked to see Mr. Watson.

Duggan Has Lead Of 1,022 Nominated For Congress



STERLING P. STRONG Place No. 3



JOSEPH W. BAILEY Place No. 2

Lubbock Vote Very Close In District Race

Littlefield Man 29 Votes Behind In Opponent's Home County

The contest for the Democratic nomination for state senator from the 30th district was as close in the run-off between A. P. Duggan of Littlefield and G. E. Lockhart of Lubbock as was the first primary race in which five men figures, according to incomplete returns from 21 of the 24 counties tabulated by The Herald.

On the face of these returns Duggan led by 1,022 votes on a total vote of 35,740. The vote was: Duggan 18,381 Lockhart 17,359

The two ran neck and neck in the first primary Duggan was giving Lockhart a "horse race" in the Lubbock, the home county of the latter, where Lockhart led by only 29 votes out of 6,437.

No report had been received from Cottle, Kent and Stonewall counties. The vote by counties, including complete returns from Howard, Borden, Dawson and possibly others was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: County, Duggan, Lockhart. Rows include Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Cottle, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Dickens, King, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Gaines, Dawson, Borden, Andrews, Martin, Howard, Total.

290,000 Cotton Workers Open Strike In England

MANCHESTER, England (AP)—Factory whistles at noon Saturday called 290,000 cotton mill workers throughout Lancashire on a strike which threatens to become the greatest industrial war Great Britain has experienced since the general strike of 1926.

How far the call will be obeyed will not be known until the mills open Monday. Tragic aspect of the grim struggle in which women and children will be sufferers is that these negotiations were wrecked not on the main issue of wages but on reinstatement of about 500,000 strikers.

Public Takes Advantage Of Lower Fares

Texas and Pacific Offers New Attractions To Passengers

Many Big Spring families who have delayed vacations to September are taking advantage of exceptionally low Labor Day excursion rates being put into effect by the Texas and Pacific Railway, according to Frank Jensen, general passenger agent. Both nearby and distant cities may be visited at a fraction of the usual cost on one of the Labor Day excursion offers, Mr. Jensen said.

Return limits have been extended to provide for trips of the desired length. On sale Sept. 3, the Texas and Pacific offers a round trip rate of \$6.00 to El Paso, \$5.50 to Dallas and \$5.00 to Fort Worth, with a return limit of Sept. 8.

These drastically reduced rates are good on all trains either in coaches or Pullman cars. Pullman car rates also have been reduced.

In addition to these rates the Texas and Pacific is offering greatly reduced round trip rates to northern and eastern points including St. Louis, Chicago, Memphis, Little Rock, St. Paul and Minneapolis. Tickets under this offer will be on sale September 2 to 5 with a return limit of Sept. 12.

The rate is approximately one cent per mile in coaches. In sleeping cars the rate is the usual one-way fare plus 25 cents for the round trip.

On sale Sept. 3 to 5 with a return limit of Sept. 10, the T. and P. is also offering a round trip rate of approximately one cent per mile to all points in Texas and Louisiana and the T. and P. lines. It is good either in coaches or sleeping cars.



ERNEST O. THOMPSON, railroad commissioner, 4-year unexpired term.



WILLIAM PIERSON, for associate justice, Supreme Court.

Walter C. Teagle Heads Committee On Unemployment

WASHINGTON, (AP)—An unemployment conference headed by Walter C. Teagle, one of six committees named at the Hoover economic conference Friday, held its first meeting Saturday. Its field will be seeking the sharing of jobs.

Teagle said he hoped to make a further dent in unemployment or at least prevent further unemployment. Secretary of Labor Donak and department officials participated in the meeting. Teagle is president of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey.

Cotton Rises \$3 Per Bale

NEW YORK (AP)—There was further broadening of the recent buying movement on the cotton market Saturday and an additional advance of nearly three dollars per bale. Business was said to have been more active than in any Saturday session in years.

Demand was supposed to be based on the recent unfavorable crop report. December contracts sold up to 9.34 or 50 points above Friday's close and \$20 per bale above the low record early in June.

December closed at 9.21. The general market was strong at net advances of 45 to 50 points. Closing futures: October 9.14-15; December 9.31-32; January 9.38; March 9.49-50; May 9.62-63; July 9.84.

Sheriffs Of West Texas Gather Soon

Program Calls For Address Here By Attorney General

Program for the West Texas Sheriff's association convention to be held here Monday and Tuesday, September 5 and 6 has been completed.

The convention will be opened Monday morning following registration beginning at 9:30 a. m., with an address of welcome by Garland A. Woodward, Sheriff Red Wright of Fort Worth will make the response.

Congressman R. Ewing Thompson of El Paso will be the principal speaker in the afternoon session.

At 6:30 p. m. Monday a barbecue will be given at City Park and a dance will begin at 9 p. m. honoring the visitors.

Attorney General James V. Allred has been invited to speak Tuesday morning with an address in the afternoon by District Attorney George Mahon of this district.

Following selection of the next meeting place a pistol shoot will be held at the Big Spring gun club. Prizes offered in the pistol shoot are: First, silver cup, donated by Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion; second, Stetson hat, donated by Albert K. Fisher company, third, shop made shoes, donated by J. C. Penney company; fourth, fountain pen, donated by Cunningham and Phillips drug stores; fifth, box of shells, donated by C. & C. Hardware company.

M. E. Bode of Nerikirk, Okla., is visiting his son, J. A. Bode, and family. Arthur Bode of Atchison, Kansas, a nephew of J. A. Bode, also is visiting him.

Moreland Is Western Golf Title Winner

Dallas Boy Also Earns Place On American Walker Cup Team

ROCKFORD, Ill. (AP)—Gus Moreland of Dallas, won the western amateur golf championship along with a place on the American Walker Cup team Saturday by crushing Ira Couch of Chicago 5 and 4.

Roosevelt's Speech Bears On Pro Topic

Republican Plank 'False, Insincere,' Democrats 'Plain' He Says

SEAGRIT, N. J. (AP)—Praising temperance as "one of the cardinal virtues" and labeling the eighteenth amendment as "a stupendous blunder" Governor Roosevelt delivered Saturday what party leaders called his "prohibition broadside."

He termed the republican prohibition plank "long, ambiguous, insincere, false."

The presidential nominee declared the Democratic prohibition plank was "so plain and clear and honest that no one could doubt its meaning." He attacked President Hoover's acceptance speech as designed to "misrepresent the position of the Democratic party" on prohibition.

Mrs. R. E. Lee and son, Robert Ewan, returned Thursday night from a trip to Sterling City.

Mrs. Raleigh Davis and daughter, Angie Lee, left Saturday for their home in San Antonio.

The Weather

Big Spring and vicinity—Fairly cloudy Sunday and Monday, not much change in temperature. East and West Texas—Fairly cloudy, scattered showers in south portion Sunday and Monday, not much change in temperature.

New Mexico—Unsettled tonight and Sunday probably thunderstorms in north central and northwest portions, not much change in temperature.

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Stars Of "The Doomed Battalion"



This group have the leading roles in "The Doomed Battalion," a road show production playing at the Ritz Sunday and Monday.

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Chatterton Again With Lukas At Ritz

Paul Lukas appears opposite Ruth Chatterton in the role of the romantic doctor in Paramount's filmization of Philip Barry's play, "Tomorrow and Tomorrow."

Girl Psychic Wonder Coming Here



Edna, the Kansas Wonder Girl, will appear on the R. & R. Ritz stage twice daily for five days beginning Tuesday.

up more of the glamor and romance of the South Sea background of the new Fox picture, "The Painted Woman," which plays at the Ritz Theatre next Thursday only.

The daring work of the native pearl divers, a thrilling undersea battle with a giant octopus and the tempestuous conflict of three men over the heart of one girl...

Cast Of Erwin's Picture Lives Up To Title

As befits a movie with the title, "Make Me A Star" there is no dearth of stellar talent in Stuart Erwin's latest picture at the Ritz.

The Ritz brings Edna the Kansas Wonder Girl to its stage for five days commencing Tuesday. She is a psychic medium who from the stage will answer questions asked by anyone in the audience and call them by name or by initials.

Theatre. It will be seen there Friday and Saturday of this week. In addition to the regular cast which includes Erwin, Joan Blondell, Zasu Pitts and Ben Turpin, there are seven others whose names are "electric-light must-go's" in every picture in which they play.

and Charlie Stupples—appear in authentic studio scenes which are part of the plot-action of "Make Me A Star." Erwin, as the movie-struck hero-worshiper who saves up his pennies as a grocery clerk in a small midwest town and goes to the film capital seeking fame in pictures, meets these various stars in the course of his wandering about the studio, seeking a job as an extra.

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SOAP SPECIALS

Table listing soap specials: Lux or Palmolive, Jergen's Hard'arter Soap, Jergen's Hardwater Soap, Giant Size Crystal White, P & G Soap, White Eagle, Super Suds, Oxydol.

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Ford Continues To Lead IN SALES

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