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HOWELL, THE WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER, AT WIRT'S DRUG

TWELVE DAYS of BARGAIN GIVING BEGINNING MONDAY AND LASTING TWO WEEKS

Come in next Monday or any day of next or the following week and get such bargains in the goods mentioned below==anything we have in the Dry Goods line, Shoes, Hats, etc., not named also included==as would cost you much more in the ordinary way of selling. REMEMBER tho, goods CHARGED must be at REGU-

LAR PRICES and that

To Get Bargain Prices You Must Pay the Cash at Time of Sale.

Bargains For Men

Include Clothing, a good line to choose from and up-to date in make; Hats, different shapes and from good quality to Stetson's Best; Shirts, from the work kind to the finest soft Madras and Pongee; Boots and Shoes, including Oxfords, as good as made; Underwear, Collars, Ties, etc., and all at prices "way down."

Bargains For Everybody

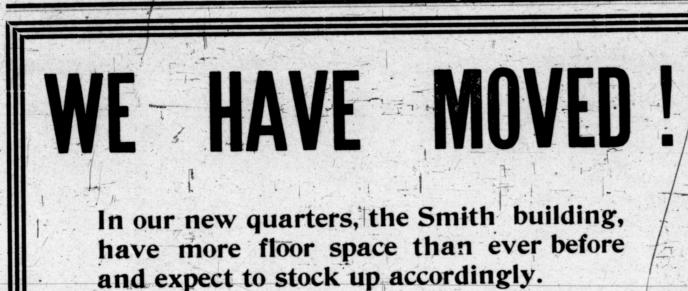
Suit Cases, Grips, Telescopes. Trunks, Overshoes, Rubbers, and many other things. In short, everything in the store goes in this sale at BARGAIN PRICES FOR CASH except groceries.

The Seydler Mercantile Company.

Bargains For Ladies

Summer Dress Goods, a well selected line and new; Silks, light and heavy, strong and serviceable, the best made; Ready-to-wear Waists, Underwear, Lace of all widths, Dainty Oxfords, from good to the best on the market; Hosiery, Belts, Bags, Handkerchiefs, and everything else in the way of Notions.

W. C. JOHNSON.



News Roll of Honor. prepared some nice exercises, Under this heading will be found and we are expecting a large crowd. the amounts received on subscript-You are cordially invited with all your friends to attend the exion to the News since last reercises beginning May 25th and port, and names of the parties closing 28th. paying. This will serve as a receipt to those of our subscribers forwarding money by mail. WATER REQUIRED FOR CROPS. H A Jochen \$1 00 It is astonishing to find, even Frank Smith 50 A F Hamilton ... 1 00 among farmers, how much igno-TA Ridgeway...... 1 00 rance there is as to the amount W B Jones 1 00 of water required to make crops. ger; if he is rich he is dishonest.

STORY OF MAN.

NO. 8

STORE

He comes into this world without his consent, and goes out against his will, and the trip be tween the two is exceedingly rocky. The rule of the contrairies is one of the important features of the trip.

When he is little the big girls kiss him; but when he is grown, the little girls kiss him.

If he is poor he is a bad mana-1 00 about irrigating from windmills it; if he is prosperous, everyone

place him and he's no good for

If he doesn't give for charity,

and expect to stock up accordingly.
To supply your wants in every line, and at correct prices, is our greatest ambition.
Our contracts for this season's supplies of clothing for men and boys, and for ready-to-wear goods for women and children were placed months ago, so we have escaped the recent market advances on these goodsour customers will get the benefit.
Our earnest desire is to make this a banner year, not only for ourselves, but for our customers, and if good quality, courteous treatment and low prices will count, we shall succeed.
Call and see us in the Smith block The Big Brick Store, S. W. Corner Square Danyon Git last week within tr ays that these
Canyon Mercantile and Hardware Co.

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J C Coker wants to do him a favor. J L McReynolds 1 00 and, so it is, as the facts will If he's in politics, it's for pie; if S J Moore 50 Prof. Widstoe and Merrill, in his country. A E Brown 1 00 Bulletin No. 91 of the Utah Agri-Mrs E M Conner 1 00 cultural Experiment Station, pa-J W Reed..... 1 00 ges 80, 83 and 84 says: Hotel Victoria 1'00 W W Underwood 1 00 States, it has been found that to Brent Taylor 1 00 produce one pound of dry plant L C Lair 1 00 duced at an expense of 500 tons of water. W F King 1 00 -"In the drier climate of Utah, N Thompson 1 00 S V Wirt 1 00 ter. Experiments on this sub- lives to an old age he has missed Travis Shaw...... 1 00 ject, not yet published, indicate S V Gentry...... 1 00 pounds of mater will be about 750 his calling.—Life. pounds of water will be required PH Young 1 00 to produce one pound of dry plant Ed Hoffman 1 00 substance. "The chief arid farm crop is Joe Foster 1 00 J H Jowell 1 00 wheat. Grown without irriga that should concern all of as, Joseph L. Seitz 1 00 Elmer Stuver...... 1 00 pounds of water are required to would stand square with the rest W A Duke HH Saul C H Still 1 00 grain. Geo N Kern 1 00 C M Houser 1 00 amount of water, yet when com- known to most of us now, but

1 00 pared with the amount of water how to burn ashes with coal "is Keiser Bros 1 00 form of snow or rain it is very a secret just out," says a Penn-1 00 that falls upon our soil in the 50 small. For instance, a rainfall sylvania paper, describing the JA Hammitt 1 00 of one inch amounts to over 113 process in this way: enough, if it could be used by ing ashes with coal is out and

rainfall amounts to 1356 tons of saving in coal bills. Common DEAR EDITOR: It has been water per acre, or enough to pro- salt, one pound, Oxalic acid, two some time since I wrote you last duce 27 bushels of grain." but when I think of the Canyon The plant food is in the soil; and moisten a mixture contain-

City News that makes me beg the water dissolves and carries one more little column in your it to the growing plant, which, Our school has grown a great the water, passes off into the air. deal since I wrote and I am glad Here is where the Campbell systo say that it has been growing tem of conserving the moisture used in several large industrial

good instead of worse. Our comes in- to prevent all evapora-President is very much liked by tion save the one mentioned,

he is a stingy cuss; if he does, it's for show. "In Europe and the Eastern If he is actively religious, he is a hypocrit; if he takes no inter-If he shows affection he is a soft specimen; if he seems to care for no one, he is cold blood-Burning Ashes With Coal. How to economize is a question tion nearly one-half of the wheat at times, it becomes necessary 25 it may be calculated that it will half of the coal, we now use require 50 tons of water to pro-duce one bushel of arid farm should, therefore, be of some interest to Plains people. How to "This seems a very large successfully burn slack coal is

the plant, to produce two bush- nearly every householder in Alels of grain. Twelve inches of toona is now using it with great ounces, water, one gallon. Mix ing one part of coal and three parts ashes. This mixture-will, upon being placed upon a burning retaining the food, its carrier, fire, fuse into a cokelike mass and deposit but little residue.

The compound is now being and mercantile places here, and it is claimed for it that it has reduced the fuel item more than half.

Buy from the Canyon Lumber Company and get the BEST at the lowest prices.

From Goodnight.

A H Rife

Rev W B Wilson

paper for my letter.

all and that has caused us to have through the plant itself.

the school that we have, since he The average Plains rainfall is has been in charge. We are ex- ample for crops, and good crops, pecting a real nice time during if coupled with intelligent farmcommencement; there are being ing.

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SUBSCRIPTION.

SPECIAL SESSION WORK.

Saturday.

According to the Dallas News of Monday the important bills passed are as follows:

That increasing charter and of it. permit filing fees. Gross receipts tax bill.

Intangible assets tax bill, Delinquent tax bill.

amendment bill.

on corporations. Inheritance tax bill.

Texas.

The general land bill.

That legalizing tax assessments made at special sessions of Commissioners' Courts.

The Revenue Agent's bill. That requiring full assessments.

The telephone connection bill. local option elections.

The general textbook bill. The official court stenographer's bill.

als before payment of fees to offi- community. cers conducting same.

A Canyon City Book Club.

One of the most progressive Rollins.

gham vice-president.

have this club room ready by the ent contract with the Camp exfirst of June and Mrs. A. S. Rol- piring, the committee should get The Legislature special session lins and Mrs. J. U. Cranford together and begin active work closed a little after midnight form the committee to see about with the object in view of making the necessary furnishings. A member of this Book Club point of merit and attractions

in a letter addressed to The ever held here. News has the following to say

This Woman's Club is one of which the town should feel justly proud. A little over seven that there was a difference of months ago Mrs, C. R. Burrow, opinion among our citizens as to Fourteen-hour railroad labor as leading spirit, assisted by whether or not an entire city Mesdames Stewart, Sowder and ticket should be elected in April. That increasing franchise tax others, interested themselves They are also aware of the fact enough to aspire to organize in that Mayor Jasper-N. Haney Canvon City a literary associa- held that such an election was Mr. Stratton's bill providing tion where the lovely graces of not required by law and that in for service of individuals and co- high motives, gentleness and sym- this opinion he was upheld on twopartnerships doing business in pathy should be acquired more distinct occasions by the Attorand more; where gossip should ney General's department. It be banished and where, in this was thought by some that this age of worship of material prog- ruling would settle the question. ress, attention should be turned It fell short of doing so, howevto the things that make the mind er, as a considerable number of and heart richer. With little ex: our best citizens, including a maperience in club work but with a jority of the lawyers, still contend perseverance and enthusiasm that such an election should, unwhich predicts certain success, der the law, have been held. The Senator Looney's bill expedit- these ladies have gathered into mandamus case, referred to elseing and simplifying contests of their ranks forty interested wo- where, is an outgrowth of thismen, wide awake to their privi- Now, waiving entirely the quesleges and ready to take advant- tion of law involved, such a conage of every opportunity to ad- troversy, if long continued in, vance and ought to make a club can but have one effect-two fac-Mr. Faust's bill requiring writ- whose individuality impresses tions, one for and the other. ten testimony in examining tri- itself upon every member of the against the present city govern-

The automatic tax bill and a thing unusual, but it is the de-maker of others not of State number of others not of State sire of the membership, in the tion be held as soon as possible

John Knight, J. C. Hunt, Travis Shaw, C. R. Burrow and A. S.

organizations of the town is the The question arising as to Womans' Book Club, Mrs. C. R. what date the Reunion would be-Burrow president and Mrs. In- gin on this year it was stated by J. C. Pipkin and others that the

This club, the membership of regular order of Stonewall Jackwhich is limited to forty, has son Camp was Tuesday before rented a room over the Canyon the full moon in July. This will National Bank and its regular put the Reunion, if held but three, meetings are set for 4:30 p. m. on days, on July 23, 24 and 25. the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of As this may be the last Reun-

each month. It is proposed to ion held in Canyon City, the presthe July Reunion the best one in

A City Election Likely.

News readers will remember ment. Seeking to obviate such We are not trying to do any- deplorable conditions it has been



school district measures.

the following; Senter bill pro- beautifying of our little city and acts of the city council, is now viding for the codification and an- the elevation of its literary and being considered favorably by notation of the laws and recommendation for changes in the entire judiciary; fraud on the public revenue bill; the private corporation, or book value, bill; that taxing bonds of all kinds; defining and taxing peddlers; that requiring Assessors to put property on the rolls at full value; Mr. O'Brien's oath bill; the nine hour juror bill; Mr. Robertson's bill taxing mortgages; Mr. McDonald's bill authorizing Tax Assessors to go into banks to ascertain amounts deposited, etc., besides numerous bills regulating the practice in Texas courts from the lowest to the highest; the Balm. I was rubbed with it and two-cent fare bill, the beer inspection bill, the liquor inspection bill and that making a violation of local option laws a felony.

The Hereford Brand on account of increased demand for advertising space has been compelled sale by S. V. Wirt, druggist. to increase its size to sixteen pa-The News-wishes it could ges. say one-half as much.

> The Hereford Brand reports that the contract for the first fifty miles on the Panhandle Short Line was on Tuesday awarded to Miller & Jefferson. The first twenty miles is to be completed within four months or as "The Brand" says, "into Dimmit by early in September."

Thursday evening of last week the Legislature passed a bill granting the Rock Island an extension of the charter for the line from Amarillo to Tucumcari provided said company complete one-third of the distance this summer. Work is to begin at once, so 'tis said, and it is believed it will go clear through to Tucumcari by fall.

Herman Schmidt of Boonville, Missouri, an old school mate of L. G. Conner's, came in Saturday, this year: returning home Wednesday.

lish a public library, and to suc, the interest of harmony and for Among the more important ceed in accomplishing one very bills which failed to pass were worthy object this year-the touching the validity of future social ideals,

Relief from Rheumatic Pains.

"I suffered with rheumatism for over two years," says Mr. the present city government Rolland Curry, a patrolman, of will resign to take effect on the Key West, Fla, "Sometimes it election and qualification of its settled in my knees and lamed successors. me so I could hardly walk, at other times it would be in my feet and hands so I was incapacitated for duty. One night when I was in severe pain and lame from it my wife went to the drug store here and came back with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain found the pain had nearly gone during the night. I/kept on using it for a little more than two weeks and found that it drove the

rheumatism away. I have not had any trouble from that disease for over three months." For

Reunion Mass Meeting.

Held in the courthouse Saturday evening with Geo. A. Brandon chairman and T. F. Reid secretary.

The executive committee serving for the past two years, towit: Dr. Howell, L. G. Conner, R. W. O'Keefe, J. H. Dunbar, L. T. Lester, A. N. Henson and Cyrus Eakman through its secretary, A. N. Henson, made its report for the past year and asked for a discharge.

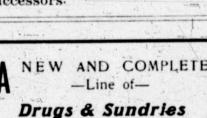
This report shows a total amount received of \$1129.40. Total expended, \$969.60; leaving a balance of \$159.80.

On motion the committee report was approved and the committee discharged with a vote of thanks for its efficient and faithful service.

On motion the following citizens were chosen as, forming a Reunion executive committee for Cyrus Eakman, I. L. Hunt,

the further purpose of setting the contending parties and from present appearances will likely result in an election at which, it is hoped all past differences will

be buried for all time Should this election be ordered



has been opened up in the Wal lace building on the east side of the square.

You are cordially invited to call and see the freshness and beauty of our stock and fixtures. If you cannot come, phone No. 90 and your order will receive prompt attention. Among the many things w

carry a fine assortment of-

Face Powders Tints for face and lips Tinting and Enamel for finger

nails Hand and Face Lotions. Best Imported Perfumis Breath of Violets

Fine Soaps and Cosmetics Hair Dyes and Restorers 'ombs. Hair Brushes. Clothe Brushes, Tooth Brushes Whisk Brooms and Mirrors Fine Stationery, Grepe Paper and Paper Napkins

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Purses and Card Cases

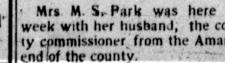
Game Cards, Dominors, etc. Your Prescriptions accurately

compounded by a registered pharmacist Soft Drinks by an expert dis penser from a clean; sanitary fountain, endorsed by all Boards

of Health Won't you be our customer?

DRUGGIST

this meeting. A. H. Thompson





holding evening sessions with the in for the next school from superinsingers this week at the Metho- tendent down, but the board on yesterday was not in a position to dist church, getting ready for the protracted meeting. matter.

Counting the ladies and children in with the Methodist conference delegates the number of Rose slipped away from their lins & Cranford and J. C. Hunt. visitors would not fall far short of one hundred and fifty.

C. M. Houser called in one day ing they took the train for Roslast week remaining long enough to renew for one of the best newspaper combinations going-The Canyon City and the Dallas News.

Among our callers Saturday were Geo. N. Kern, John Hill and ing matter pertaining to Randall News wishes these young people rillo this week. county.

Judge Frank Lester arrived from Canyon Thursday. He is in fine health and is as jovial as he used to be, even though he lives away from his old home in ure in testifying to the good qual. expectedly and without a strugald.

The Rife Land Co., doing busi-18 months, has rented an office Bank building. A: H: Rife says, that he and Mrs. Rife will become residents of Canyon City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Earhart of Lubbock, came in Thursday of last week remaining with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sowder, until Monday, when they left for Dickson, Tennessee, to attend a Southern

Presbyterian convention. > F. F. Reid, engaged in taking

the Ganyon, City scholastic cen- W. Foster for \$165, alleged to be men-the earth from which their small, brown gelding pony. Was sus, last week reports 292 chil- due as commission on the sale of first beginning was formed by raised near Canyon City. Redren within the prescribed age. a section of land sold in 1905, was the great Architect of the uni-He says that he thinks he can submitted to a jury in the justice verse. move these figures up to 300 or court Saturday with a mistrial Deceased lost his wife some rillo, Texas. possibly a few over. All those as result. The Jurors were, J. twelve months ago. They had residing within the district who M. Myers, C. P. Money, I. C. no children. for any reason failed to "give in" Whitman, J. W. Holman, P. H. Mr. Keiser, a courteous gentle- lays south of the school building. their scholastics to Mr. Reid Young and J. M. Gorman. They man in all matters, was deserv. Desirable part of town and will should do so without delay or stood about equally divided and edly popular with Canyon City sell from 1-4 block up. See us else report them to the county with no chance of getting togeth. people and his untimely death is for prices. judge. This is important. er were discharged.

bon voyage,

Good Words for Chamberlain's Cough

Remedy.

well as ever." This remedy is

In the Justice Court.

April.

The relator was R. A. Sowder, say when it would act upon this Esq., and the respondents the April election officers and the city government The attorneys

S. G. Whitman and Miss Sarrah engaged for the relator were Rolfriends Friday evening May 3rd, Those appearing for the respon- want the best material-Canyon went to Amarillo, obtained license dents were T. H. Turner and Lumber Company. and were married. Next morn- Jasper N. Haney.

The court held the application well on a "tower" returning or petition insufficient, in that it for you. Phone 49. home Wednesday of last week. failed to show specific interest Questioned about going back on by the relator in any one of the his friends this way Seth said offices contested for in the said

that not even his mother knew election and the writ was thereanything about it. Miss Rose is from about Dallas and was fore denied. A similar case, teaching at Gilleland school amended to suit this ruling of R. N. Hill of Mason City, Illinois, house. Altho, with many others, the court was instituted immediand we supplied them with read- feeling "terribly slighted" The ately and is to be tried at Ama-

Sam I. Keiser's Death.

Sam I. Keiser, of Keiser Bros: People everywhere take pleas. & Phillips, passed out of life un- cows. 6-tf JOHN KNIGHT.

Hale county.-Hale County Her- ities of Chamberlain's Cough gle on our streets last Friday Remedy. Mrs. Edward Phillips evening about 7p. m. while guidof Barclay, Md., writes: "I wish ing one of the company automoness in the Panhandle for about to tell you that I can recommend biles. He and a companion, R. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. W. Smyder, one of the company Maude Good and Mrs. Chas. Patup-stairs in the Canyon National My little girl, Catherine, who is agents, had started from their terson, one door E. Presbyterian two years old, has been taking office toward the depot and when church. Patronage solicited. 8-2 this remedy whenever she has about two blocks away Mr. Smy-

had a cold since she was two der observing Mr. Kieser about tions one mile and a half south of months old. About a month ago to fall applied the lever and school house. Will sell in blocks I contracted a dreadful cold my- stopped the machine. Sam I. self, but I took Chamberlain's Keiser was dead. Heart failure

Cough Remedy and was soon as is assigned as the cause. The body was embalmed here for sale by S. V. Wirt, druggist. and on Saturday was shipped to the home of the deceased. Keota,

Iowa, where on Tuesday, after funeral services, it was consigned

The case of Lee Shifflet vs. R. to the last resting place of all

sincerely regretted.

new brick building

J. F. SMITH. I still have some dry goods, following brands: ST with bar unboots, shoes and hats at whole der on left side; Z on left hip, and Johnson.

last November storm

29th.

THE

8-2

J. T. MORROW.

JOEL PRESLAR.

I. E. SMITH, M. D.,

Weatherford, Texas

Most healthy,

vigorous men and

United States are

raised on good, old-

ARIOSA Coffee.

fashioned Arbuckles

drink, you want to be well

Say things to the man who tries

to switch you from Arbuckles'

to coffee that pays him big

profits at the expense of your

No. 2041, filed at Was

stomach.

For Sale.

Specialist.

I treat all diseases of the Eye,

HOME! IS WHERE

Ear, Nose and Throat; also have

Clarendon, Texas.

sale cost. S. V. WIRT. 7-tf Send us your orders if you

Call me up at any time of night Will be pleased to go to the store

A. H. THOMPSON, Druggist. Broom Corn Seed for sale by Go- write me. Phone No. 204.

ber & Shotwell This is a fine 5-tf money crop and would do well here. The Canyon Lumber Company

has the stock and the prices to merit your business.

All kinds of Racket Goods glasses and pay special attention School supplies and Confectionto fitting them. Fifteen years ery at Wilson's. Try us. experience in Special Practice.

Stock For Sale-A few horses Consultation and examination and mules and one or two milk free. Canyon City May 28th and

Just received by the Canyon Lumber Company, a car of windmill tower timbers.

Experienced Dressmaking - Miss For Sale-Three quarter sec

ney, P. V. general offices, Ama-8-3t

We have for sale the Hutchin son property, 65 acres, which

HELLER & KNIGHT.

Canyon City, Texas to the work and everybody is greatly interested.

\$25 Reward - For information Grandma Hill of Deaf Smith, leading to recovery of cattle in the spent last week with Mrs. B. T.

C. H. Hitchcock and daughters, H on left side--yearlings not branded. About 25 head in all and Misses Mollie and Luna, went to strayed from near Happy during Canyon Monday shopping.

> J. W. McClain and wife of Can yon, were in our midst last week. Bro. Ballard delivered four able discourses last Sunday.

We want to thank the people Some nice lots and residences in general for the donation given in Canyon City, Texas. See or to Paloduro church for an organ,

and especially the help received of Canyon City. The business men of our county seat have been very generous hearted in time of need

Roy Cage visited his brother John at Channing last week.

Will Cage and A. S. Burnham went to Canyon Monday.

Two of our neighbors met in the Canyon lane last week. They were so enthused over the rain that had just fallen they stood and talked until the road dried out so they could go through dry shod. If any information is needed ask L. A. Pierce.

Tax Assessor Joe Foster was out last week reminding the people of their possessions.

TASSIE.

Commissioners' court proceedngs next week.

The Cummings-Foster butcher shop is now located on the south side of the square.

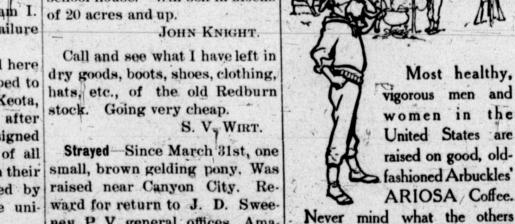
Mrs. I. L. Vansant and daughter, Bernie, leave today to visit relatives at Petersburg. women in the

Mrs. J. W. Gartwright of Amarillo, visited her daughter, Mrs. D. A. Park, last week.

L. S. Carter and wife and Mrs. Moreland spent Tuesday in the country, guests of I. W. Scott.

Miss Maud Brandon leaves today on a visit to relatives at the "old home" and at Lampasas and Georgetown.

Our Baptist people have called for the local work here Rev. J. M. Harder, of Myra, Cook county. He is expected to move here with his family about the first of ' June.



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sed Amendment to the State Constitution Providing for the Establishment of a Home for Con-federate Widows.

Joint Resolution to amend Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution

HOT OR COLD BATHS LAUNDRY

Your Patronage Solicited. PROFESSIONAL CARDS. D. M. STEWART, Obysician and Surgeon, Office-Thompson Drug Store. Calls promptly answered night or day

GEO. J. PARSONS, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON OFFICE--THOMPSON DRUG STORE. lamity. DR. S. L. INGHAM -DENTIST-

Canyon National Bank Building first Tuesday in August, 1907. ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Rollins & Cranford LAWYERS. CIVIL PRACTICE SOLICITED.



Have had years of experience in Texas Courts and will practice in all the higher courts of the Panhandle. Land titles examined.

not exceed eight dollars per month and provided further, that no appro-

priations shall ever be made for the

resolution.

(A true copy.)

the Confederacy, and making an appropriation. Section 1. Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: to be voted upon on the first Tuesday in August, 1907. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the ballots, as follows: "For the amend- the State not otherwise appropriat-Joint ResolutionThat Section 51 of Article 3 of the
Constitution of the State of Texas, as
amended in 1903, beso and the state of Texas, as
amended in 1903, beso amended as to
of aid in the establishment and
maintenance of a home for the dis-
abled and dependent wives of wid-
ows and Confederate soldiers andThat Section 51 of Article 3 of the
State of Texas, as
amended in 1903, beso amended as to
bereatter read as follows:ballots, as follows: "For the amend-
ment to the Constitution, providing
for a Department of Agriculture and
a Bureau of Labor." And those op-
posed to said amendment shall have
as follows: "Against the amend-
ment to the Constitution, providing
a Bureau of Labor." And those op-
posed to said amendment shall have
as follows: "Against the amend-
as follows: "And the sum
of aby grant of public money to any
individual, associations or individu-
als, municipal or other corporatione
whatsoever; provided, however, the
Egistature may grant aid to Indi-
gent and disabled Confederate sol-
diers and sailors who came to Texas
prior to January 1, 1880, and whoare
ither over sixty years of age or
to fay the expenses of such public-
to pow the state of
to pay the expenses of such public-
to any on National BankThat Section 51 of Article 3 of the
Constitution of the State of Texas, as
a solows: "And the sum
of (\$2000) two thousand dollars, or
so much thereof as may be necessary.
is hereby appropriated out of any
funds in the Treasury of the State of
traces, or so not otherwise appropriated,
to pay the expenses of such public-
to any on the creasition of the State Con-
stitution providing for the Creasition of Improvement Dis-
tion of Improveme either over sixty years of age or whose disability is the proximate re-sult of actual service in the Confeder-(A true copy) L. T. DASHIELL.

ate army for a period of at least three months, their widows in indi-Secretary of State.

gent circumstances who have never remarried and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since March 1. 1880, and who were married to such soldiers anterior to March 1, 1880; provided said aid shall bot a state Printing Plant.

mission to a vote of the people of the State of Texas of a proposed amendment of Section 21, Article XVI, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to printing, publishing, stationery, paper and fuel, and making an appropriation therefor. Be it Resolved by the Legislature

purpose hereinbefore specified in ex-cess of five hundred thousand dollars for any one year. And also grant aid to the establishment and mainte-nance of a home for said soldiers and sailors that wives and widews and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limita-tions as may be provided by law; provided the grant to aid said home State of Texas be so amended as to

gether in the home; and provided fur-ther, that the provisions of this sec-law, and for the accomplishment of city or county purposes, and not ex-ceeding fifteen cents for road and ther, that the provisions of this section shall not be construed to prevent these objects and purposes the Legis-the grant of aid in case of public ca-lature may provide and establish all bridges, and not exceeding fifteen The Governor of the State ed with such powers as may be deem- dred dollars valuation, except for is hereby directed to issue the neces- ed adequate and advisable.

sary proclamation for the submission Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutionof this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas on the State at an election to be held thro The sum of \$5000, or so much thereughout the State on the first Tuesof as may be necessary, is hereby ap- day in August, A. D. 1907, at which propriated to pay the expenses of election all voters favoring said pro-carrying out the provisions of this posed amendment shall write or have

L. T. DASHIELL, For the amendment to Section 21 of Secretary of State. Article XVI of the Constitution, re-Proposed Amendment to the State Conwrite or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the amend ment to Section 21 of Article XVI of stitution Authorizing the Levy Joint Resolution amending Section 9,

of Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a section to be known as Section sary proclamation for said election 9a, increasing the amount of tax that may be voted for the purpose and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and ex-isting laws of the State. of improving public roads, and to allow counties or political subdi-visions of counties by a majority Sec. 4. That the sum of two thou-

vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county, or subdivision thereof wothout, or by appropriated outcessary, is heresubdivision thereof, voting at all by appropriated out of any funds in county. And the Legislature may elections, to be held for that pur-

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Secretary of State.

dment to the State Constitu

tion Fixing the Salary of Members

Joint Resolution amending Section 9, of Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, pro viding for the creation of improvement districts in cities of more than five thousand inhabitants, and charging the cost of certain improvements made therein against the abutting property. Section 1. Be it Resolved by the egislature of the State of Texas: That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas,

be so amended as to hereafter read as follows: Sec. 9 The State tax on prop-

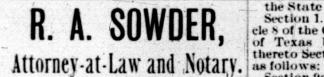
provided the grant to aid said nome shall not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for any one year, and no inmate of said homes shall be entitled to any other aid from the State; the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain to-for husband and wife to remain toceeding fifteen cents for road and requisite means and agencies, invest- cents to pay jurors, on the one hunpayment of debts incurred prior to al amendment shall be submitted to the adoption of the amendment Sepa vote of the qualified electors of the tember 25, A. D. 1883, and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water works and other permanent improvements, posed amendment shall write or have not to exceed twenty-five cents on printed on their ballots the words the one-hundred dollars valuation, in any one year, and except as is in this Constitution otherwise proand fuel," and all those opposed shall vided; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and colthe Constitution, relating to station-ery, printing, paper and fuel." Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the neceslected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a

paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed-fifteen cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; of the property subject to taxation in such

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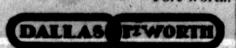
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ose, to adopt same be it Resolved by the Legislature of election. the State of Texas: (A true copy.) Section 1. That Section 9 of Arti-

cle 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 9a, which shall read

of a Road Tax.

Section 9a. A majority of the property tax paying voters in any county or one or more political subdivisions thereof, in this State, yoting at an election held for that purpose may vote a tax for road and bridge purposes not to exceed 30 cents on the \$100 valuation of property subject to taxation in such county or political subdivision of such county, or may issue bonds not to exceed 20 per cent of the State of Texas: of the assessed value of the real prop-

Will practice in all the State Courts. Examine Titles to Texas Lands for such tax, or proceeds of such bonds, State of Texas be amended so as to the amount charged against all such all Purchasers who desire such work. shall be expended in the territory in Non-resident land owners represent- which it is voted, and no other, and this provision of the Constitution

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State for other purposes, then this provisions of this Constitution, and tion. purpose of submitting this proposition to a vote of the people of the State of Texas. L. T. DASHIELL, A true copy.)

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Creating the Office of Commissioner of Agriculture.

of the State of Texas: Section I. That Article four (4) of

of the public roads and highways of such publication and without the local notice required for special or local laws. L. T. DASHIELL,

In addition to the foregoing, cites of more than five thousand inhabitants may lay out within their corporate limits, improvement dis tricts in which they, by and with the consent of a majority of the taxpayers owning real estate therein.

An Act to amend Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the may build sidewalks and charge State of Texas, relating to the the cost thereof against the abutting compensation of members of the property, and may build sewers and pave streets and charge one-third

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the cost thereof against the abutting property on weither side of the Section 1. That Section 24 of streets upon which such improve-

State of Texas be amended so as to the amount charged against all such hereafter read as follows: abutting property shall be deemed Sec. 24. The members of the and held to be a tax against and a

ed in general. Contracts of all kinds shall be self-enacting without the ne- Legislature shall receive from the lien upon such abutting property, carefully prepared. Your patronage solicited. Sec. 2. The Governor of this state is hereby directed to issue the neces-sary proclamation submitting this sary proclamation consulted votors of consulted voto amendment to the qualified voters of exceed one thousand dollars for each ly chargeable against each parcet of year in which a biennial session of abutting property, and providing beld in this State, or in case any pre-vious election shall be had in the the Legislature is held under the for the enforcement of its collec

> proposed amendment shall be sub- five dollars for each day of any Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby mitted to the qualified tax paying Special Session held during the sub directed to issue the necessary voters. And the sum of \$2000, or so Special Session held during the sub directed to issue the necessary this much thereof as shall be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the treasury of the State of Texas for the purpose of submitting this process and returning from the the qualified voters of the State of State Capitol, not to exceed three Texas on the first Tuesday in Aucents per mile; the distance to be gust, A. D. 1907, at which election computed by the nearest railroad all voters favoring this amendment Secretary of State. route, and the Comptroller shall shall have written or printed on prepare and preserve a table of dis- their ballots: "For the amendment

tances for each county seat now or to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Conhereafter to be established, and by stitution, permitting property ownsuch table the mileage of each mem- ers in cities of more than five thou- Ranger R dam Mattie Mont. by Norwood Star 1395. Dam Daisy H. ber shall be paid; no member shall sand inhabitants to create improve-

Toint Resolution proposing an ber shall be paid; no member shall sand innabitants to create improve. amendment to article four (4) of be entitled to mileage for any extra ment districts, one-third the cost is session that may be called within of which to be charged against abut-and drivers they are unequaled. Texas, by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 27, provid-ing for a Department of Agricult-ure, with a bureau of labor. Be it Resolved by the Legislature tional Amendment shall be submit-to said amendment shall have writ-to said amendment shall have writ-ten or printed on their ballots 'the

ted to a vote of the gualified elec following: "Against the amend- Phone 195 the Constitution of the State of Texi as, be amended by adding thereto Section 27, when a majority of the gualified electors for members of the Legislature of Texas at an election all voters favoring thousand inhabitants to constitution. for that purpose shall vote in favor said proposed amendment, shall provement districts, one-third of the of the amendment, shall read as fol- have written or printed on their cost of which to be charged against Legislature of Texas at an election ballots, the words: "For the abutting property on either side of

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