

# THE SLATON SLATONITE

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## SOCIETY, CLUB AND CHURCH ACTIVITIES ABOUT SLATON

### Eldridge-Miller.

On last Thursday evening Frank K. Miller of this city and Miss Louisa Miller of Amarillo were married at the Presbyterian church at Lubbock, by Rodgers, pastor, officiating. Miss Miller is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller of Amarillo. She was a teacher in the Amarillo schools last year, and had been a house guest of Misses Irene and Dorothy Levey here for several days. The groom is assistant accountant at the Santa Fe general offices here. The attendants at the wedding were Frank M. Culberson and Miss Grace L. Bailey, both of this city. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Levey gave a dinner party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Friday. The newlyweds will make their home in Slaton.

### The Girls Club.

The Girls Club was entertained last Thursday afternoon by Misses Georgia Farschon and Edna Hammock with a tennis party. Every one reported a most enjoyable time. Lovely refreshments of lemonade and sandwiches were served and were eagerly devoured by the hungry girls. Fourteen were present. Visiting gentlemen were Messrs. Carl George and C. W. Taylor.

### Mrs. R. V. Jones Entertains

Mrs. R. V. Jones entertained Wednesday afternoon from four to six o'clock with a "42" party. The home was beautifully decorated with sweet peas and petunias and on each table was found a dainty cut glass pickle dish laden with salted almonds.

Mrs. Robt. E. McReynolds received a handsome piece of cut glass for high score in "42."

All during the afternoon delicious fruit punch was served. Before the party was over the following guests were served to ice cream and angel food cake:

Mesdames Jack Vardaman, G. I. Hancy, Ray Stephenson, R. E. McReynolds, J. V. Thompson, W. C. Wright, Richard Ragsdale, J. B. Dobson of Fort Worth, and Misses Louisa Miller and Grace L. Bailey.

### Entertained at V Ranch.

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robertson was a pretty scene on last Friday evening when their son Sug, and daughter Miss Muff, acted as host and hostess to a large number of their friends. This occasion was a most delightful one for all present. Delicious refreshments of fruit punch, sherbet and cake were served. Following is the guest list: Van Stokes, Gilder Levey, Bruce Pember, Burns McAtee, Flake Young, Earl Allen, Harvey Austin, Earl Florence, T. A. Worley, Jr., C. C. Hoffman, Jr., Royce Pember, Sug Robertson; Misses Estelle Douglas of San Angelo, Frances Adams, Pauline Hardesty, Faye Tucker, Edith Edwards, Edith Smith, Josephine McHugh, Vertezuma McReynolds, Ada

Belle Darwin, Grace McAtee, Martha Cox of Indiana, Patty Jay of Comanche, Muff Robertson.

### Social at Community Hall.

A social was held at the Community Hall, three miles west of Slaton, on last Tuesday night. A large number of guests were present and a delightful affair is reported. Refreshments of hot terrapin soup, crackers and ice cream were served, then dancing and music were enjoyed.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kitten and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoge and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Kitten and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kitten and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kitten and family, Mrs. Frances Reuss, Harry, Leo, Roman, Augusta and Minnie, Vercamp, Ben Vercamp, Gerd Vercamp and children, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Blume and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gabel and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schum and daughter, Mrs. Hilers, Frances Hilers, Edwin, Norman, Ramie, Helen, Joe and Isabel Miller, Anthony Boro, Mr. and Mrs. Callie Myatt.

### Japanese Lawn Party.

One of the most successful social events of the season was a Japanese lawn party given Saturday night by Miss Frances Hoffman at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hoffman. The beautiful lawn was made into a Japanese garden, by means of lighted Japanese lanterns, many colored crepe paper streamers, Japanese umbrellas, balloons and tall palms.

After the guests had arrived they were given envelopes containing candy beans and were requested to ask each other questions demanding for an answer either yes or no; the penalty for answering in such a manner being the forfeiting of a candy bean. Miss Aileen McDonald was presented the prize for winning the most beans.

The rest of the evening was delightfully spent playing "42." The unique feature was a fish pond where those who successfully bid 84 were allowed to fish. Many surprising packages were opened which added to the merriment of the crowd. High score prize was won by Miss Josephine McHugh. Favors of balloon squawkers were given each guest.

At a late hour the hostess served dainty refreshments of iced tea, sandwiches, olives and pickles to forty-five guests. The out-of-town guests were Misses Eva Everton and Idalou Ellis of Lubbock, and Mrs. Frank Eldridge of Amarillo.

### Short-Taylor.

On last Sunday morning just before the close of church services M. M. Taylor and Mrs. Octavia Short walked to the altar and were united in marriage by Rev. Jno. P. Hardesty, who performed the ceremony in a short, but impressive manner.

The bride has been a resident of Slaton for several years. The groom came here recently from Texarkana,

but was formerly a resident of Slaton. The newlyweds have gone to house-keeping in South Slaton in a home that had already been prepared.

### Harold Wilson Entertain on Birthday.

Harold, aged eleven, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wilson, entertained a number of his boy friends on Friday, July 21, at the beautiful country home of his parents, celebrating his birthday anniversary. Many outdoor games were enjoyed during the afternoon, and before leaving the youngsters were refreshed with delicious home made cream, cake and lemonade.

### Honoring Cousin

Miss Eunice Florence was hostess at a wienie roast Tuesday evening, given in honor of her cousin, Miss Inez Rerrell of Seymour.

A picnic supper was served to a number of guests during which time wienies and marshmallows were toasted over a large bon fire and served with the supper.

After their supper the guests indulged in a few games of "42." A delightful time is reported by all who were present.

### Camp Fire Girls.

The Camp Fire Girls met at the home of Alline Tucker Friday. The guardian, Mrs. Callaway, was not present. We talked over business and discussed ways to make money for the club. Eunice Florence's cousin, Miss Inez Herrell, was the guest of the club. Delightful refreshments were served by Margaret Smith and Louise Lanham, consisting of punch, ice cream and cakes. The next meeting will be at the home of Frankie McAtee August 11th.

### SLATONITE IS MOVING.

We are getting out the paper one day early this week, and also in a very condensed form in order that we may move the plant to our new location, the Slaton State Bank old building. Many items were necessarily left out this week, but we hope to greet our readers on time next week with the usual number of pages.

## Personal Mention

S. N. Norwood of Goree is here visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, J. L. Collins, and son, Stanley Norwood.

R. L. Gale and family have returned to their home at Colorado City after a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gale.

W. B. Woodrum and wife and Jesse Swint of Paducah, returned home on Wednesday after a visit to their cousin, Prof. C. L. Sone and family.

Misses Erma Mae and Pauline Hardesty have returned from a visit to friends in Lockney, their former home.

Prof. C. L. Sone states that prospects are good for opening school on time this season. Work is progressing nicely on the school buildings.

Miss Maurice Hardesty left Wednesday for Canyon, near which place she will spend ten days at the B. Y. P. U. Encampment in Palo Duro Canyon.

Prof. Henderson and family of Blooming Grove were guests at the home of T. M. George and family Sunday. They were en route to New Mexico.

J. A. Spinks and granddaughter, Miss Inez Harroll of Seymour, are guests at the home of Mr. Spinks' daughter, Mrs. W. P. Florence.

Mrs. W. C. Drenham and children from Dallas are here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Lee Green, sister, Mrs. Richard Ragsdale, and brother, A. K. Green, and their families.

C. M. Fincher and family of Austin have returned home after a visit to Mrs. Fincher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry, and other relatives and friends about Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Owens and children Adrian and Pauline, have returned from a month's automobile trip to points in the north, during which time they visited the former's father, J. C. Owens at Baxter, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Anderson and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson have returned from a

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NOTES AND ACTIVITIES AS REPORTED

By S. E. Staggs, Secretary-Manager.

The business interests of Slaton should not be expected to carry the whole expense in the upbuilding of this community. There are other interests here who are reaping more benefits from this campaign than are the business men, and they should carry at least a part of the load. Lots and business buildings that a year ago were considered poor investments have, by the unprecedented growth of the city increased in value three-fold. Many of the owners of this real estate have raised the rent to their tenants, yet they are not paying one dollar toward the interests that are pushing Slaton to the front. Every subscription list asking donations for any charitable or civic need invariably goes the round of the business men and then stops. I ask you in all fairness, can the business men so continue and hold to their policy of low prices now prevalent. Think it over and ask yourself if you are doing your proportion.

The Slaton Band is badly in need of a director. Circumstances have

arisen that have taken the services of Profs. West and Harling, which was gratis, away. One of the best assets to a community is a good band. In order that we may have the services of Prof. Croft of Lubbock during the month of August Mr. McKirahan, business manager of the band, has purchased a number of Slaton Booster Auto Plates to be sold to car owners, the proceeds from which are to be applied toward this expense. The price is one dollar each. Let every auto owner who can assist the movement.

The Slaton Masonic Blue Lodge No. 1094 will lay the cornerstone of the new East Ward school building at 5 p. m. Monday, Aug. 7th. They will be escorted by the Knights Templars. Senator Bledsoe of Lubbock will make the address. Grand Master D. Frank Johnson of Brownwood was expected to be present, but on account of a previously arranged date at Fort Worth, he will be represented by a substitute.

## Chautauqua Friday, Saturday, Monday Will Be Free To Entire Community

At a recent meeting of the guarantors of the Radcliffe Chautauqua which is to be here Friday, Saturday and Monday, it was decided to raise sufficient money if possible to pay for the three days' entertainment and give it to the public free of charge. They cordially invite every citizen of Slaton and surrounding communities to be present at the afternoon and evening entertainments each day. It is understood that the committee has not yet secured enough money to pay for it and invite you contribute whatever you feel that you can afford.

week's recreation trip spent in the Concho country.

SPIRELLA Corsetier Phone 178.

J. H. Brewer, president of the First State Bank, has gone to Grand Prairie to spend a few days with his family and to make preparations to move them to Slaton.

C. H. Stonecipher and family of Hamlin have been visiting their son-in-law, T. J. Ervin and family here, and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Head of the Southland community.

Miss Grace L. Bailey left Monday for Munday, where she will spend a month with relatives and old home friends, after which she will return to Slaton and resume her position as teacher of violin and piano and theory.

LIGHT Housekeeping rooms for rent.—CANNON HOUSE.

FOR SALE: 40 head full blood Poland-China hogs.—T. J. HEAD, Southland, Texas.

LOST: Between Post and Slaton Thursday night, boy's black laced slipper. Finder please return to Highway Garage or notify P. O. box 475, and receive reward.

For sale or trade, 1,000 acres smooth land in southwest part of Bailey Co., Texas, fenced, well and windmill, small shack, clear of debt, at \$15.00 per acre.—Coffman & Griffin, Goree, Texas.

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W. E. Smart



### Wilson Items

Miss Inez Ketchum of San Saba, is conducting a B. Y. P. U. Study Course this week at the Baptist church, beginning at 8:30 p. m. Everybody is invited.

Mrs. J. T. Williams and son Johnnie, returned Friday from a visit with relatives and friends at Alpine.

Miss Ella Carter of Dallas and Lester O. Carter of McGregor, are visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. W. J. West.

William Green and family of Shiner are visiting at the Lumsden home.

R. C. Forrester and family attended the basket dinner at Dixie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fountain visited at the Bird home Sunday.

Mrs. Homer Scott and daughter, Zada Mae, spent last week visiting relatives in Brownfield.

Miss Lura Howell, who has been with the Wilson Mercantile Co., left Saturday to visit with relatives in Tahoka a few days before going to her home in Hot Springs, N. M.

Mrs. W. H. May and daughter Clara, went to Slaton Monday afternoon.

### Baseball.

The Slaton Monograms divided a two-game series with Crosbyton on the local grounds Saturday and Sunday. Slaton won the initial game 12 to 5, while Crosbyton took the last to the tune of 13 to 8. Up to Sunday's game the Monograms had won 22 straights.

### REVIVAL MEETING AT POSEY IS PROGRESSING NICELY

Rev. John P. Hardesty, pastor of the Baptist church of this city, assisted by Rev. J. F. Grizzle of Post City, is conducting a series of meetings at Posey school, morning and evening. Good interest is being manifested and large crowds are attending each night. Six additions to the church were received Wednesday night.

A. M. Watson of this city, is conducting the song service.

### TO THE VOTERS OF LUBBOCK COUNTY.

I take this means of expressing my appreciation for the votes you gave me on July the 22nd, and will also appreciate your support in the second primary. My lead over the next was two hundred and twelve votes.

I am running strictly on my own merits, having lived in your county twenty-one years. I also want to say that my three opponents were all gentlemen. It was one of the cleanest campaigns I ever witnessed, and as for my part it will be the same.

If I am elected I will be found on the job at all times. If elected I will appreciate it as much as anyone, and if defeated I will take it like a man, and will stand for Lubbock County and her best interests.

Yours respectfully,  
J. S. SLOVER,  
County Treasurer.

Grocery Stores Close at 7 p. m.

Hereafter all grocery stores in the city will close at 7 p. m. and no orders for delivery will be taken after 6 p. m.

Join the Chamber of Commerce.

### Plant Bought for Slaton Ice Factory

W. A. Dykes and R. H. Tudor, local business men, have placed an order with Fort Worth parties for a 15-ton ice plant. The equipment will be modern throughout. The refrigerating room will have a storage capacity of 150 tons of ice. A sixty h. p. oil engine will furnish the power. The building housing this plant will be of brick construction and will cover a space of 42 by 71 feet.

### Wilselma Program

Friday, July 28: "White Eagle," No. 11; Aesop's Fables, "The Miller and His Donkey;" Snub Pollard in "Call the Witness," and Pathe News.

Saturday Night: A feature western picture, "The Masked Avenger;" also the Hallroom boys in two snappy reels, "Kidding Uncles." Matinee always at 3 o'clock.

Monday, July 31: "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight?" Special music; advanced prices.

Same show Tuesday night; also Larry Semon comedy.

Wednesday Aug. 2 and Thursday, Aug. 3rd: Conway Tearle in "Love's Masquerade." Six big reels; also Harold Lloyd in "Two Gun Gussie."

### GAS ENGINE FOR SALE.

I have a one and half h. p. Dempster gasoline engine, run about three months for sale at bargain. Especially suitable for farm use.

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# GATES' \$ DAY SALE

—Two Big Days of Bargains—Saturday and Monday, July 29th and 31st. If you want your \$\$\$\$\$\$\$ to have more cents take them to Gates Dry Goods Company.

Two pairs ladies' Silk Hose	75c \$1.00	5 yards best 25c Bleaching for	\$1.00
Two pairs ladies' Unions	75c \$1.00	Four good Turkish Bath Towels	\$1.00
Four pairs ladies' Lisle Hose	35c \$1.00	Eight pairs Men's Hose for	\$1.00
One pair ladies' Silk Hose	\$1.35 \$1.00	One Lot Men's Dress Shirts worth \$1.25 & \$1.50 for	\$1.00
One ladies' Mid-dy Blouse	\$1.45 \$1.00	Men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Leather Gloves	\$1.00
One ladies' white Organdie Blouse	\$1.75 \$1.00	Two 85c Neckties	\$1.00
Two Gingham Dresses, size 3 to 8	\$1.00	Men's blue overalls per pair	\$1.00
Two boys' Dress Hats	75c \$1.00	Men's \$1.25 Union Suits for	\$1.00
One pair Ladies' Crepe Bloomers	\$1.00	Many other very low prices will be found in this two days' sale.	
One pair Ladies' Sat-teen Bloomers	\$1.00	Special low prices on all Tennis Oxfords.	
5 yards best 25c Gingham for	\$1.00	Misses' and Children's Slippers at the lowest prices.	

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### Ford Retail Sales Make New Record

COMPANY REPORTS THE TOTAL SALES HAVE REACHED 5,709 MACHINES A DAY.

Retail sales of Ford cars, trucks and tractors established a new high record during June, when, according to a statement issued from the Ford factory at Detroit, an average of 5,709 machines were sold daily.

Ford sales have been showing a constant increase each month this year; June being the highest in the history of the company, with a total of 148,439 cars, trucks and tractors. Of this number, 6,054 were sold by the Ford Company of Canada and 9,345 by the various European Ford Companies and South American branches, reaching purchasers in practically every civilized country in the world.

With the closing of business for June, Ford records disclosed the fact that total sales for the first six months of 1922 were well over the half million mark, the exact figures being 652,261. This is also a new high record as it is considerably in advance of any previous half-year period.

July Ford sales are expected to equal, and probably eclipse June. The estimated output of cars, trucks and tractors has been placed at 151,767, although dealers have requisitioned

more than 200,000. Ford officials state that every attempt has been made to supply their dealers with sufficient cars to fill their orders, but that for the past three months, prompt deliveries have been impossible with some types. The demand for Ford enclosed cars has been especially hard to meet, due to the ever-increasing popularity of the Coupe and Sedan for all-year-round use.

A reflection of general business conditions is seen in the record of Ford truck sales, which show an increase of eighty-four per cent over last year. Merchants and farmers alike have come to recognize the utility of the motor truck in cutting transportation costs and speeding up deliveries, and the fact that they are buying nearly twice as many now as a year ago clearly points to better business conditions.

At the present time Ford is employing 75,000 men in Detroit.

### IN THE RUN-OFF PRIMARY.

We are authorized to announce the following candidates for the democratic nomination in the primary election to be held August 26th:

For County Judge: GEO. W. FOSTER, Lubbock. P. F. BROWN, Lubbock.

For Tax Collector: A. J. CLARK, Lubbock. S. C. SPIKES, Lubbock.

For County Treasurer: WILL MCKINLEY, Lubbock. J. S. SLOVER, Lubbock.

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## Foster's Weekly Weather Bulletin

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Washington, Aug. 2.—As the first severe storm period of this month, covering about seven days, centers near August 11, I will give some special explanations. If I do not say dangerous don't expect danger. I have no better term than "severe storm" to express weather extremes. Severe storms, not necessarily dangerous, sometimes cause extremes of heat, cold, rain, drouth, snow, floods, hail, wind, thunder storms, frosts, hot winds. The severe storms near August 11 will be of a character that requires watching, though not expected to be very dangerous. Cropweather for middle third of August will be of the same kind as for the past three months, but a little more extreme than the average. I have no personal interest in wheat, corn, oats or cotton, but I still advise farmers to sell their old cotton but hold their grain. My reputation is at stake on farmers getting better prices for grain later this year. I also advise local dealers to buy and hold all the grain they can carry.

Local Forecasts, Northeast: Low temperatures near August 6 and 12, high near 10, averaging below normal; more than usual rain during next seven days, distributed near the average of past three months.

Northwest: Low temperature near 7 and 11, high near 10 and 13, averaging lower than usual; more than usual rain for those eight days, distributed about as the average of past three months.

Southwest: Low temperatures near 7 and 14; high near 10, averaging lower than usual; more than usual rain, distributed near the average of past three months.

Pacific Slope: Low temperatures near 6 and 13, high near 10; less than usual rain distributed westward of the gaps in the Rockies, because the moisture from the Caribbean Sea must pass the Rockies. Following August 22 moisture for Pacific slope will come from west of Mexico and Pacific slope rain will increase for a short time.

The cotton crop will get a good top growth and the crop will be better than now appears. Grain of North America will be near the 10-year average; Europe, Australia, New Zealand will be immensely short; South America will have a shortage, but not so great as Australia.

Probably the greatest discovery ever made is the cause that controls future cropweather. Some of the details have recently been worked out. Some local errors occurred before these details were completed. Otherwise I have successfully foretold the cropweather of all continents for six years. Certain electro-magnetic combinations of the ten bodies—sun, earth, moon and the other seven principal planets—magnetize large parts of some one of the five great oceans, and for several months after the moisture to water the continents comes from the great body of water so magnetized. If the magnetization occurs on land it causes a drouth. Sometimes the effects are small, at other times very great. The variations are caused by the relative positions of the ten bodies. These electro-magnetic effects either create or vastly increases the very small animalculae upon which salt water fish feed, and that is the cause of certain schools of fish changing their feeding waters once or more times every year. That fact is important to ocean fisheries.

### RETURNS FROM EXTENDED AUTOMOBILE TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. DeLong, son William, and Miss Flora Dunscomb have returned from a six week's automobile trip to the Pacific coast and other points of interest. They first went to Riverside, California, where they visited Mr. DeLong's mother, who accompanied them on their return. From California they visited Old Mexico, then went up the Pacific coast, coming back by way of Salt Lake City and Denver. They drove over 5,000 miles and report a delightful outing. Alex has some excellent fish stories to tell of his adventures in catching game fish in the mountain streams.

### Presbyterian Church Building.

The Presbyterians of this community are going ahead with the proposition of getting a church home of their own for the near future. Those handling the matter have been surprised to find so many Presbyterians in this community. They hope to have their own building before the Winter is over.

### R. A. Henderson

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION.**

On this the 14th day of July, A. D. 1922, the commissioners court of Lubbock County, Texas, being in regular session, came on to be considered by the court the petition of C. R. Baldwin and 114 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, in the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half per cent per annum from date until paid, maturing from one to thirty years from date thereof serially as follows: to-wit: all of the said bonds to be numbered from one to thirty, and the first ten of the said bonds to be issued for the sum of five hundred dollars each, to mature serially from one to ten years; that is, No. 1 to mature one year after date, No. 2 two years after date, and so on one of said bonds to mature each year up to ten years; and the next twenty of the said bonds to mature serially from eleven to thirty years, and each of the said bonds to be issued for the sum of one thousand dollars each; No. 11 of the last mentioned series of said bonds to mature eleven years after date thereof, No. 12 of said bonds to mature twelve years after date, and so on the last mentioned bonds are to mature in regular rotation one each year up to and including No. 30, the last one of the said bonds; all of the said bonds to be issued for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved, roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, at two or more places across the Yellowhouse Canyon in said Road District; and it appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property taxpaying voters of said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, and that the amount of said bonds to be so issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such Road District No. 1 of Lubbock County, Texas.

It is therefore considered and ordered by the commissioners court of Lubbock County, Texas, that an election be held in said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, on the nineteenth day of August, A. D. 1922, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, shall be issued in the amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half per cent per annum from date until paid, to mature serially from one to thirty years from the date thereof as hereinbefore

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stated in this order; the said bonds to be issued and used for the purpose of constructing, maintaining, and operating macadamized, graveled or paved, roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, at two or more places across the Yellowhouse Canyon in said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas; the said election being also to determine whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property within the said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, and in addition thereto there shall be posted notices of such election at three public places in the said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, one of the said notices shall be posted at the courthouse door of said county, and all of the said notices shall be posted as aforesaid for at least three weeks prior to the date of said election.

The said election shall be held at what is commonly known as the R. J. Murray Office in the City of Slaton and also at what is known as the McClung School House, both said places being within the territorial limits of the said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, and R. J. Murray and J. C. Stewart are hereby appointed managers of the election held at the said R. J. Murray Office, and W. W. Johnston and C. R. Baldwin are hereby appointed managers of the said election held at the McClung School House, the said managers may appoint clerks to assist them in holding said election at the two places named, respectively.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the law now in force and effect governing such road district elections, and only qualified voters who are resident property taxpayers in said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, shall be allowed to vote in the said election. All voters who reside north of the Yellowhouse Canyon shall vote at the McClung School House, and all voters who reside south of the said Canyon shall vote at the R. J. Murray Office in Slaton; and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds aforesaid shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the Issuance of Bonds and Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof," and those voters who oppose the said proposition shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing general elections so far as applicable to this election.

A copy of this order signed by the county judge of said county shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the county judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, for four successive weeks next preceding the said election, and cause to be posted a notice thereof at three public places in the said Road District No. One of Lubbock County, Texas, one of which notices shall be posted at the courthouse door of said county, and all of the said notices shall be posted for three weeks prior to the said election.

P. F. BROWN,  
County Judge of Lubbock County, Texas.

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