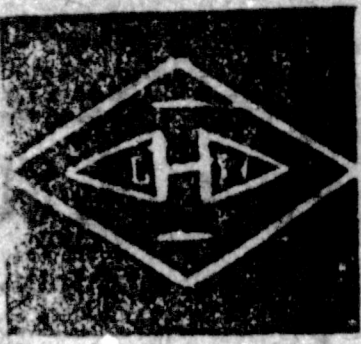


# THE BORDEN CITIZEN.

MOTTO: "Hew To The Line; Let The Chips Fall Where They May."

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The Republicans of the Tenth Congressional District of Georgia, after nominating a nigger barber to oppose the Democratic nominee in the congressional race, passed resolutions indorsing the administration of Roosevelt. In view of the first mentioned fact, the latter was not only an appropriate, but a consistent finale.

Ross Green, of Roby has been arrested, charged with the assassination of Ross Millsap, his father-in-law. Mrs. Millsap, believing as most people do that Mr. Green is innocent, has withdrawn her reward, and will defend him in his troubles.

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Late Saturday evening Joe Beal was the victim of an accident. He had roped a 'beaurow' on public sq, and his rope broke and caused his horse to fall on him, breaking three ribs. He is getting along alright and is as lively as ever.—Terry Voice.

A certain magazine writer recently asked the question: What are the four sweetest words in the English language? After a close study of the definition of words we have come to the conclusion there are more sweetness and real satisfaction in the four words: "Enclosed please find check."—Voice.

W. R. Jeter was here the first of the week.

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District Court Convened Monday and adjourned Tuesday. Nothing of importance was done. No bills were returned by the Grand Jury.

Everything is getting green now. This is conceded to be the earliest spring known in this country for 12 years. Last winter was the mildest ever known.

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Gail, Texas, Mar. 24, 1904.

GEO. A. CLARK, EDITOR.

All the Republican Conventions recently held have instructed for Roosevelt.

Hearst, Gorman and Parker are gracefully covering the reluctant retreat of Bill and Grover.

Clark Howell, editor of the Atlanta Constitution has added considerable fuel to the Bailey Presidential Boom.

C. W. Thompson, Representative from the Fifth Congressional District of Alabama, died in Washington Sunday.

Bob Escott, a 13-year-old boy, of Palestine, shot and killed a negro woman recently. His reasons were that she had spoken insultingly to his mother.

According to a statement made by Senator Hale our government has appropriated \$760,896,567.75 for naval purposes since 1883. Of this amount \$100,000,000 is to be expended this year.

All things, including rain, come to those who wait.—Dallas News

We have assumed as much but have been unable to demonstrate the matter satisfactorily. We might add, however, that we have not ceased to wait.

The Voice, Avalanche and Lynn County News are making strenuous efforts to induce the people of their respective localities to plant cotton seed this year.

Two Chinamen have arrived in Lubbock and through the Avalanche have advertised as follows: "Tellee allee peoples Chinaman washee clothes mighty good lookee."

In a recent issue of the Clairemont Enterprise we notice that Kent County will be put on the market for sale on the 11th prox. One hundred thirty-seven thousand four hundred seventy-eight acres will be put on sale at Clairemont on that date.

The Merkel Mail and several other local papers are asking for fewer and wiser Legislators. The modus operandi is that the salaries of said Legislators be increased, as the present limit of remuneration is insufficient to call forth the best talent. No doubt this Solonic body would speedily appropriate an increase

of salary sentiment if it should be consistently fostered, but in the light reflected by the Mail, such action would only be a concession of the charge of incompetency.

THE CITIZEN is by far the best paper published in Borden County.

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Two years of boll weevils in Limestone County have completely devastated the country.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Borden County,

Greeting: You are hereby commanded that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Borden, if there be a newspaper published in said county, (but if not then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published,) for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon the heirs of Jonas Garrett, deceased, whose names and residence are unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. County Court of Borden County, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Borden at the Court house thereof, in Gail, on the first Monday in May, 1904, the same being the 2nd day of May 1904, File number thereof being No. 12, then and there to answer the petition of M. J. Thornton filed in said Court on the 7th day of March, 1904, wherein he prays the said Court to appoint him administrator of the estate of the said Jonas Garrett, deceased, which said estate consists of the following real estate situated in Garza County, Texas, described as follows to-wit: Sur. No. 1, in block No. 10, located by virtue of script No. 697 issued to the E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

Herein fail not under penalty of the law, and of this writ make due return.

Given under my hand and seal of office, in Gail, this 7th day of March, 1904.

J. D. Brown, Clerk,  
County Court, Borden County,  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

### FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. D. Black as a candidate for election to the office of Tax Assessor of Borden and Garza Counties.

We are authorized to announce W. S. Cathey as a candidate for election to the office Tax Assessor of Borden and Garza Counties.

THE CITIZEN is authorized to announce H. A. Kincaid as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Borden and Garza Counties.

We are authorized to announce that S. A. Marrow is a candidate for election to the office of Tax Assessor of Borden and Garza Counties.

### FOR TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of David Dorward, JR. as a candidate for election to the office of County Treasurer Borden and Garza Counties.

### FOR SHERIFF.

Thanking my friends for past favors, I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Borden and Garza counties, and promise, if elected, to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,  
W. K. Clark.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. W. Hale as a candidate for election to the office of Sheriff and Tax collector of Borden and Garza counties.

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. N. Hopkins as a candidate for election to the office of County Judge of Borden and Garza Counties.

### FOR CLERK.

In announcing myself as candidate for re-election to the office of District and County Clerk of Borden and Garza Counties, I wish to thank my friends for past favors, and to promise, that if again honored by the voters, to continue to perform to the best of my ability the duties devolving upon me.

Very Respectfully,  
J. D. Brown.

### FOR COM. PREC'T NO. 1.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. D. Pruett as a candidate for election to the office of County Commissioner from Precinct No. 1, Borden County.

### FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

We are authorized to state that H. D. Pruett is a candidate for election to the office of J. P., Precinct No. 1, Borden County.

The following rates will be charged for announcements in this paper:  
District offices \$10.00.  
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J. P. 5.00.  
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If you send us your announcement let it be accompanied by the required amount of cash. Head this and thus save us the pain of dunning a defeated candidate.

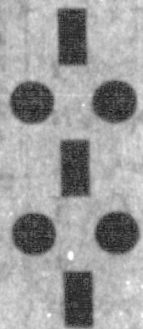


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L. D. Graves was here on business yesterday from his place on Glen Creek.

H. M. Boyd, representative of the Lynn County News, favored this office with a call Tuesday.

Jake McCall, Jr., passed thro' here the first of the week in company with inspector Merritt on his way to the ranch on the plains where he goes to have a herd inspected for shipment.

Only a few more copies of the land rush issue on hand. Send 5 cts for one now.

**Couldn't Be Twice As Bad.**

T. A. Smith, of Red Mrd, called at the Enterprise office last Tuesday and informed us how fast the cattle on the Spur ranch were dying. He said that while coming through the Spur pasture a distance of three miles, on his way to town, that he was not out of sight of dead cattle. He said that around the boggy places dead cattle were placed to prevent cattle from bogging.

Mr. Smith also stated that unless it rained within the next two weeks to start grass, there would be but very few cattle live through.—Enterprise.

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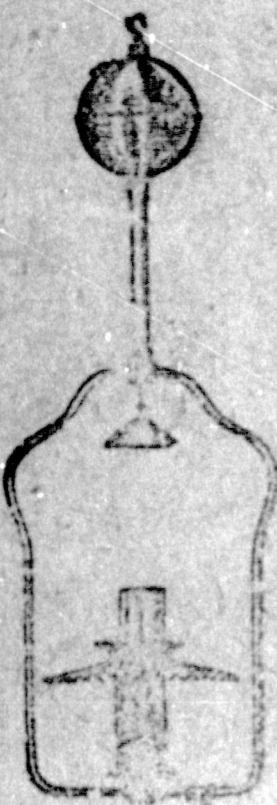
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Mullins, S. C., March 10, 1901.

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