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YOUNG COUNTY ELECTION RETURNS

There has not been an official count of the votes cast in the primary election held last Saturday. We have made an effort to get unofficial returns from all the boxes in the county and give same below but there might be some slight errors as in some instances the returns were made over the telephone.

These are the results in Young county only:

For submitting an amendment to the Constitution providing for home ownership 568
Against submitting an amendment to the Constitution providing for home ownership 291
For Governor:
Jos. W. Bailey 567
B. F. Looney 151
Pat M. Neff 965
Robert E. Thomason 332
For Lieutenant Governor:
I. W. Culp 287
J. C. McNealus 207
W. A. Johnson 526
R. B. Humphrey 569
W. T. Pace 74
Lynch Davidson 169
For Attorney General:
C. M. Cureton 2014
For State Treasurer:
John W. Baker 2002
For Court of Criminal Appeals:
W. L. Davidson 1994
For Supreme Court:
William E. Hawkins 831
William N. Key 187
William Pierson 700
For Commissioner Agriculture:
Geo. B. Terrell 1270
Sam H. Dixon 543
For Railroad Commissioner:
John L. Andrews 790
Earl B. Mayfield 915
For Superintendent Public Instruction:
Annie Webb Blanton 1948
For Land Commissioner:
J. T. Robison 1987
For Comptroller of Public Accounts:
Lon A. Smith 974
Mark L. Wigginton 784
For Representative, 13th Cong. Dist.:
Lucian W. Parrish 1994
For Representative, 99th District:
Thos. G. Binkley 1043
Herman T. McBrayer 935
For District Judge 30th Judicial Dist.:
H. F. Weldon 984
For District Attorney:
Elmer Graham 1170
Fletcher S. Jones 742
For District Clerk:
Willie Byggs 2041
For County Chairman Democratic Executive Committee:
W. P. Stinson 1587
For County Judge:
L. Z. Timmons 1974
For County Attorney:
F. V. Hinson 2026
For County Clerk:
W. H. Kennedy 2067
For Sheriff:
J. L. Flint 642
M. M. Wallace 776
John W. Saye 701
For County Treasurer:
Mrs. Julia Baynes 2006
For Tax Assessor:
L. H. Harris 702
F. M. Southall 448
Earl Gilbert 922
For Tax Collector:
D. D. Cusenbary 2006
For County Superintendent Public D. K. Lyon 975
H. H. Avants 1066
For County Surveyor:
John E. Meyer 1992
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
W. C. Burns 231
A. C. Anderson 622
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
Sherman McCready 89
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
W. R. Weaver 269
E. A. Hawley 76
Sam Bird 438
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. E. Kilpatrick 140
J. W. Hodges 173
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:
Robert A. Crawford 477
George Black 328
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 3:
Henry Wood 430
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 6:
H. Dent 249
H. H. Blanton, Jr. 118
For Constable, Precinct No. 5:
F. Thompson 68
Justice Peace, Precinct No. 1:
B. Brewton 833
Justice Peace, Precinct No. 5:
M. Taylor 132

THE LEADER RAISES SUBSCRIPTION PRICE

The continued advances in all lines of newspaper supplies have forced The Leader to join practically all the other weekly papers in advancing the subscription rates to \$2.00 a year. Many of the papers advanced their prices some time ago. The Leader has tried to keep the same old price of \$1.50 a year but the recent advance in news print and other supplies have forced us to announce that on and after September 15, 1920, all subscriptions will be \$2.00 a year. The advance is effective on all out of state subscriptions at once.

We are announcing the increase several weeks in advance in order to give our subscribers the opportunity to take advantage of the old rate in renewing. Until September 15, 1920, we will accept subscriptions at the old price of \$1.50 a year but after that date all subscriptions will be \$2.00 a year.

FARMERS CONGRESS AT A. & M. COLLEGE

Dallas, July 28.—Programs are now ready giving complete information regarding the work of the Texas Farmers Congress and affiliated organizations at College Station August 9, 10 and 11. These meetings will be of interest to all, but particularly so to those interested in horticulture, dairying, farm management, bee keeping, truck growing, improvement of field crops, poultry raising, and the work of the various experimental stations.

Meals will be served at the College mess hall at the lowest possible price, and a small charge will be made to cover cost of janitor service, bed linen, ice, lights, etc. Railroad rate is one and one-half fare on the certificate plan, the only rate given this year for any convention. Pay full fare to College Station, taking a receipt from your local agent. Then when there are as many as 250 receipts turned in to the Secretary at College Station, return tickets may be purchased for half fare. Those attending the Short Course the week previous can take advantage of the reduced fare and remain over for the Congress meetings.

All dormitories have been screened, and one of them is being specially prepared for ladies. Automobiles will be taken care of; and repairs and supplies can be secured at the College.

Officers of the Texas Farmers Congress are Will B. Munson, of Denison, president; Geo. S. Bruce, of Houston, vice president; M. Falkner, of Waco, secretary-treasurer. Mr. Falkner will be glad to send you a program and full information. If you want a room reserved, write to Mr. Falkner at Waco, or to Dean E. J. Kyle, College Station.

DELEGATES TO COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

A Democratic precinct convention was held Saturday afternoon in the East Graham precinct. The following delegates were elected to the county convention:

Boyd Street, Jno. E. Morrison, R. E. Lynch, M. K. Graham, Wallace Sloan, W. P. Stinson, Wm. Johnson, J. M. Atcheson, P. K. Deats, Z. A. Hudson, L. H. Harris, C. W. Black, W. A. Morris, G. B. Johnson, Frank Atcheson, A. W. Kay.
M. K. Graham was elected Precinct Chairman for the two ensuing years.

LOST—Lady's blue silk pocket-book Saturday night. Finder may keep money if jewelry, valuable as keepsakes is returned to Leader office.

W. E. Braddock and family are visiting in Weatherford this week.

J. E. PARSONS HONORED

Last Saturday was a great day for J. E. Parsons. He was 62 years old on that day, July 24th and Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Cusenbary prepared a fine dinner for him and invited all of Mr. Parsons' children and grand children. Mr. Parsons experienced a most delightful day and feels grateful to his children in remembering him on his birthday.

OIL INDUSTRY FACES VERY HARD FIGHT

The statement was made in the Star-Telegram under a Wichita Falls date that a fight for its life would be staged by the oil industry of Texas in the next Legislature, according to present indications, says, J. D. Parnell, retiring representative from the district composed of Wichita and Wilbarger counties.

"There are at least ten measures drawn up at this time for consideration of the next Legislature, adoption of practically any one of which will put the oil industry of the state back twenty-five years, if not out of the running entirely," he said.

"Of these proposed measures, one, the intangible assets law, has already attracted some attention. This law provides a tax on the intangible assets of a concern—the intangible assets being based on the yearly earnings of the concern. It will be readily seen how this measure will hit a piece of oil property, inasmuch as oil property is very short lived as compared to other business, and has to return in only a few years the entire investment made in the property. Such a bill would tax it out of existence.

"Other measures include a prohibitive tax on wildcat leases—the most hazardous part of the oil industry, where the oil operator is already taking a huge risk with only a small chance of return, and naturally has to have big profits in sight before risking his money, a raising of the present gross production tax clear out of all reason, and the imposing of a three per cent tax on gross receipts of refineries. The latter measure is particularly iniquitous. It will simply drive the refineries out of the State. For, the tax, mind you, is not on profits, but on gross receipts. So this bill would break every refinery in Texas, if enacted into law, or force them to move into other States to compete with the refineries out of the State. It would sound the death-knell of an industry which has already grown to be one of the greatest in the State.

"With these facts in mind, it is readily apparent that every one who derives his livelihood, or is dependent in any way, directly or indirectly, on any part of the oil business, should exercise great care in the selection of representatives to the next Legislature. And this holds true for the big oil operator, who has large amounts of money tied up in the development of the oil resources of the State, to the laborer on the leases and to the refineries, who owe their prosperity and livings to the prosperity of the business in which they are engaged.

"It is especially true that this care should be exercised in the selection of representatives from the oil districts. These are the districts from which men who know the oil business have to come from. If the men sent from these districts are enemies of the industry they will bring untold harm on the oil business."

A NEW INSURANCE FIRM

F. W. Holder and Co. have opened up an insurance office in Graham with offices at the Dolman House. They will handle practically all kinds of insurance including rigs, tools, oil storage, autos, compensation, life and accident. They handle the State Life of Indiana and will have their general offices for Young, Throckmorton and Haskell counties here. Mr. H. L. Thornton, member of the firm, will have charge of the Graham office. Every week is bringing new enterprises to Graham and Holder and Company are welcomed to our fair city. They show their faith in Graham by opening up first class offices. Mr. Thornton is an affable gentleman and would be glad to have those interested in his line to call on him at the Dolman House.

THE WHITE WAY ASSURED

The "white way" mentioned in The Graham Leader of July 1 is now assured. The City Council has ordered the lights for the square. As stated before, several posts about twelve feet in height will be placed around the square. Very brilliant lights will be placed on these posts and the appearance of the square at night will be greatly improved.

GRAHAM SCHOOLS ARE UNSURPASSED

Among the many public enterprises and one in which the citizenship of Graham is justly proud, is the public schools. Cast as it was upon foundations broad and deep, the school system was intended to expand with the city's growth. The policy of this institution has been to provide a center of primary education for the citizens of Graham and the neighboring territory.

Notwithstanding the fact that the people suffered the loss by fire of their school building two years ago, they immediately erected a larger, more modern, and more expensive building. In the erection of the new building, the greatest care was taken to provide every convenience. The plans were made with due regard to the heating, lighting, and ventilation of each room.

The present building is a large two-story brick structure. It is commodious, suitably arranged, and so situated as to command a full view of the town and surrounding country. This building has twenty large recitation rooms, a science laboratory, a large and well equipped auditorium, a library of well chosen books arranged in sectional book cases, two shower bath rooms, and indoor toilets connected with the city sewerage system. The halls are wide and the ceilings are high; the stairways broad and commodious. As precautions in case of fire, the building is equipped with automatic fireproof doors, which divide the structure automatically into three parts.

The equipment of this magnificent edifice is in keeping with, and is as elaborate as the building. The science laboratories are supplied with the latest and most practical apparatus. The library is furnished with tables, chairs, sectional book cases, and it is well supplied with reference books, histories and source books, encyclopedias, and current magazines. The recitation rooms are equipped with maps, charts, blocks, tables, and such other material as is necessary in the teaching of each subject. Notwithstanding the fact that the school is well equipped, new material and reference books are added each year.

The Board of Education is glad to announce, to all persons seeking the best of public school advantages that the Graham High School has twenty-one affiliated units with the State Department of Education; that a strong faculty of twenty-two teachers will be employed; that the curriculum of the Graham schools will be in keeping with that of the schools of Fort Worth, Dallas, Houston, or San Antonio; and that the graduates of the Graham High School are permitted to enter, without examination, all the colleges and universities of the State.

The influence of a good school upon a community and its people is immeasurable. The greatest work a school can do for a pupil is to give him a proper view of life. The best place to educate a child is as near home as the proper facilities may be obtained. The closer the schools can be brought to the children the better.

Every county can not support a university, but every county can support one or more good high schools; every district can not maintain a high school, but every district can provide for a first class primary or intermediate school. The authorities of the Graham High School do and shall continue to encourage every school enterprise of every district in Young county and surrounding territory, but under the State Rural High School Law very few of the rural schools can do work beyond the sixth grade, and the pupils who desire to do high school work must, of necessity, attend an organized high school in some other district. The citizens will endeavor to maintain at Graham a high school of the first rank, fully affiliated with all the leading colleges and universities where all deserving boys and girls who have completed the work in the Graham High School may continue their preparation for a more useful career.

It is the desire of the Graham High School to be of service to all districts in the county and surrounding territory, and to gain inspiration and encouragement from their work and successes; and every effort will be put forth to encourage the most cordial relations and closest affiliations with all teachers and schools of neighboring territory.

Many graduates leave the high

HOUSE NUMBERING TO BEGIN SOON

Where do you live? Oh, yes, you live in Graham, but where in Graham? Probably you live on Oak street and probably you live on Elm street, but where on Oak street or Elm street? These two like all other streets extend all the way across our city, and you cannot direct a stranger to your home by saying you live two houses south of H. N. Jones, because he does not know where Jones lives.

Owing to the fact that it has become so inconvenient to direct the new people to the different parts of our city, and because it is a prerequisite to free mail delivery the Chamber of Commerce, working through I. T. Gilmer and Fred T. Arnold, has arranged for all the houses in the city to be numbered, and along with the numbering of the houses will be gathered data for a City Directory, which is very necessary under present conditions in our city. Half of the people do not know each other and therefore it is hard for us to locate the new homes of some of our late citizens.

The numbering of the houses and the information given by the directory will solve our most acute problem, and it will be of very little expense. The numbers for each house will cost 50 cents and this will pay for everything. It will pay for the working out of a system of the numbering of the houses. It will pay for the aluminum figures required for your number, and it will pay the expenses of the workmen who will put up these numbers and gather data for the City Directory. The work will start this week, and within a few days every house will be numbered and within a few weeks we will have a City Directory—thus our city will be made much more attractive to visitors and strangers.

MECCA CAFE AND BAKERY OPEN

The Mecca Cafe and Bakery opened Saturday under auspicious circumstances.

Some time ago the proprietors opened up their cash market and grocery store and have been doing a fine business Saturday was the first day for the Mecca Cafe and they report a big day.

The building is well arranged for the business and the proprietors have it equipped in first class shape. There are twenty nice sanitary tables and in addition sixteen stools at the lunch counter. They are prepared to accommodate about one hundred people at one time. This with our other large and commodious restaurants and cafes will help to care for the large number of people who are coming daily. The Mecca Cafe was beautifully decorated for the opening Saturday and a full orchestra was on hand to furnish music. The beautiful tables, excellent music, cool electric fans, and the bountiful supply of wholesome, well cooked food made the guests feel like staying all day.

Messrs. Worm and Worm are welcome to our fast growing city. They have shown their faith in Graham by opening up four new establishments on the east side of the square. The grocery and market is in one building and their cafe and bakery in another building two doors south. The proprietors are pleasant gentlemen and invite the public to visit their stores.

schools; some to enter upon the active duties of life, others to pursue more advanced studies in the higher institutions of learning; all with the same purpose in view—to make a success of some chosen vocation. Yet there are many pupils in and near Graham who have not completed a high school course; to these is extended an invitation to attend the Graham High School.

The foregoing tells the story and purposes, in brief, and the ambitions of a high school which is doing much to make possible that hope expressed by President John Adams that "Every boy and girl in the land might receive adequate preparation for all the duties of life." Rapidly, surely, and steadily this high school has grown until today it stands "One of the best high schools of the Great State of Texas."

OIL ACTIVITIES CONTINUE UNCHANGED

The oil activities in the county continues unabated. Many representatives of the different companies have been in the county this week looking after their interests already acquired and others securing acreages.

Several big deals have been closed thought declaration on my part Leader has not been able to secure definite data concerning the transactions. Everybody is optimistic. New companies and corporations are coming every week.

The Leader gave notice last week of the new oil exchange. Mr. Young, of Fort Worth, and, in fact of all Texas, has opened his exchange in the corner of the Tidwell building. He has given the oil game a close study. He is of the opinion that Graham is the logical center for future developments.

It is reported to The Leader that Chicago interests have acquired a block of acreage near the McCluskey well and will begin drilling immediately. Many new locations have been made in all sections of the county and within sixty days the county will be dotted with many additional derricks. Considerable interest has been manifested in the Olney country in the shallow sands and we feel that within ninety days the drilling activities will be doubled in that section.

The South Bend field is attracting the attention of oil men from all sections. The McCluskey well continues to produce from 700 to 850-barrels a day. Many new locations have been made and several new rigs are now under construction in that field.

The Douglas well, about sixteen miles south of Graham, came in last week and is a good producer. Mr. L. W. Steele, of Ivan, was in The Leader office today and reported that the Douglas was producing as much as 2,000 barrels a day.

The Elliasville field is getting better every day. There are a number of good producing wells around Elliasville. The secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Elliasville reported to The Leader that not a dry hole had been found in the Elliasville field. There have been so many new locations that space forbids us giving a detailed statement of all of them.

Next week we hope to give a full account of all the drilling activities in the county and the progress made in all the wells now drilling.

The Scott No. 2 is expected to come in this week but we were not able to get definite information before going to press.

SECRETARY GILMARTIN OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ASKS THAT FARMERS HAVING EXHIBITS FOR THE WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FOR THEIR TRAVELING EXHIBITS BRING SAME TO HIS OFFICE IN GRAHAM AT ONCE.

This is a great opportunity to advertise the products of West Texas and every one is urged to bring products to Mr. Gilmartin, so that he can prepare them for the exhibits which will leave here August 1st. He will be glad to give you all the desired information.

McBRAYER ELECTED AS REPRESENTATIVE

The race for Representative of the 99th District, composed of Jack and Young counties was close. There were two contestants for the place, Thos. G. Binkley and Herman T. McBrayer, both from Graham.

Mr. Binkley carried Young county and Mr. McBrayer carried Jack but Mr. McBrayer's lead in Jack county was enough to nominate him by about 100 majority. Both are good men and either one would have represented the district creditably.

FAMILY REUNION

The James Porter home enjoyed a family reunion last week.

Mrs. J. E. Burdick and daughter, Ardine, of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cooper and sons, Victor and Jack, of Atlanta, Georgia, and Jim Porter, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, are all in this city this week. Henry Porter lives here and all the others are here now which makes a complete reunion.

It is the first time all the members of the family have been at home at the same time in several years and it is needless to say that Grandma Porter is enjoying the week immensely. These reunions are happy occasions and this family is extremely happy to have the privilege and pleasure of being together again.

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NOTICE—Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation which may appear in the columns of The Leader will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publishers.

The earthquake in Los Angeles has caused many tourists to leave California before they had completed their visit. Many Texas people have already returned feeling that the "terra firma" of Texas with its high temperature was preferable to the tremors of California with its cool and delightful temperature.

Harding and Cox are both bidding for the suffrage vote. To our way of thinking Cox beat Harding to it. In a telegram to Louisiana soon after his nomination, Governor Cox urged Louisiana to ratify the amendment.

The situation at Galveston is still far from satisfactory. The congested condition of freight on account of the strike there some time ago caused the State to take hold of the situation and put the town under martial law.

The population of Cleburne was announced last Thursday. The town has grown from 10,000 to more than 12,000 in the last ten years, a gain of 23 per cent. Of course Cleburne is dissatisfied and does not understand why its population is not as much as Waco or some other place much larger than Cleburne.

Hon. J. H. Lowry, of Honey Grove, has for a long time been a strong advocate of buttermilk as a substitute for beer and other drinks of higher alcoholic content.

Even-tempered and long-suffering as the Signal man is, he must inform the world that there is a point in his make-up where forbearance ceases to be a virtue.

lactical fluid is based on the high alcoholic percentage thereof, will meet the fate that all defamers of character deserve.

Governor James M. Cox of Ohio is for the League of Nations. He is for equal suffrage. He is for the enforcement of all laws including the Volstead act. He is as strong as the law and no stronger; as weak as the law and no weaker.

HENRY CHAPEL We have had some fine showers this week around us and today they came on us. We are always glad for it to rain.

The thresher came to Horace Ribble's yesterday and intended to begin threshing Thursday morning. Mrs. Bill Williamson and little girl, Inez, have been sick the past week.

George Boyle's children have the whooping cough. Mrs. L. P. Moren and little daughter, Mildred, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Amanda Crow at Caddo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Agee spent last week with Mrs. Agee's aunt, Mrs. Arthur Vick, of Finis. They fished some and caught some nice fish in Rock Creek.

Mrs. Flora Anderson and little son, Jack, of Megargel, are spending this week with her father, John Vick, and brother, Arthur Vick, and sister, Mrs. Morris Glidewell, all of Finis.

Mrs. Ada Graves and daughter, Miss Alice, of Fort Worth, spent last week with Mrs. Graves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Young, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dillinder and children spent a week in Mineral Wells when Mr. Dillinder's father was sick and died.

Mr. and Mrs. Rome Wade are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl at their home the 7th of this month. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Birdwell, of Graham, Mrs. Wess Shannon and daughter, Mrs. Alice Bigham, of Pad-rnd'MdkdStdnodfoio hm d hmucah, visited in our community Thursday evening.

Mrs. Callie Shannon and daughter son, Mr. and Mrs. Agee, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Glidewell.

Mrs. Shelton-Bowers spent several days with her grandma, Mrs. Alford, of Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Posie Bowers spent Wednesday night with Mr. John Shahan and family.

Mrs. Harve Shahan returned from a month's visit with her brother in Arkansas. She says Texas suits her fine. She enjoyed the good fruit while there.

The meetink was put off until the third Sunday in August on account of the thresher coming in here this week.

JEAN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Box and children of Seymour were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Gray last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Turney Cope of Fort Worth visited the former's brother, W. W. Cope, and family, last week.

Miss Grace Oliver, of Loving, visited her sister, Mrs. F. O. McBrayer, last week. Willie Swaim and wife returned last Sunday to Fort Worth after spending a week here with his parents, Y. Swaim and wife. Miss Lillian Swaim accompanied them home for a month's visit.

Misses Lola and Jemie Jordan are visiting their sister, Mrs. Gordon Elliott, in Fort Worth. James G. Staples, cashier of the Jean State Bank, went to Denton for a few days' visit.

The Methodists closed a two weeks' meeting Sunday. Rev. D. A. McGuire of Waco preached some forceful sermons. Mrs. O. C. Elliott accompanied her sister, Miss Pauline Swaim, to her home at Arlington for a week's visit.

J. T. Sims, Mack Sims, Emmett Willis, Ray Nicewarner and Hiram Stroud left Sunday for Clovis, New Mexico, on a prospecting trip. Miss Lora Cope is visiting relatives in Limestone county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lowe, of Olney, were pleasant callers at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Weems Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Y. Swaim and children, Vera Dean and Jerome, have gone to Oklahoma for a month's visit with relatives.

W. Duckworth and family of Graham, were in Jean Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Pearl Bigger and children returned Sunday from a two week's visit with relatives in Hill county.

HAZEL EYES RED CROSS WOULD REDUCE DROWNINGS A list of "don'ts" for swimmers, prepared by the Red Cross, that is expected to cut down the number of preventable drownings, has been issued, as follows:

"Don't swim on a full stomach, wait at least two hours after eating. "Don't swim if overheated. "Don't swim until exhausted. "Don't swim if you have heart trouble. "Don't dive without accurate knowledge of the depth of the water. "Don't fail to learn Red Cross life-saving resuscitation methods. "Don't cry 'help' in fun. "Don't go in swimming alone without you are an expert."

POSTAL EMPLOYEES WARNED TO ESCHEW POLITICS Washington, July 26.—All postmasters and postal employees are warned to "refrain carefully from engaging in pernicious political activity during the pending political campaign," in an order issued today by Postmaster General Burleson.

Quoting rulings by the Civil Service Commission, the order gave notice that presidential appointees in the postal service are forbidden to solicit or receive contributions, must not use their office to "control political movements or cause public scandal," while employees actually under civil service are forbidden to take an active part in management or conduct of political campaigns.

We have just received a nice assortment of Ice Tea Tumblers and Goblets at SMOODY & SON, 4514e. Byrd Padgett and family left Saturday for a trip to Colorado.



EVICTED

Where Can They Go? Homes are more difficult to find and more costly to build than ever before.

When the home burns, possessions that money cannot replace are destroyed—frequently lives are lost. Adequate fire insurance repays the money loss; but safety can be secured only by preventing fire.

A Hartford Fire Insurance Company policy entitles you to Hartford Fire Prevention service at no extra cost. Both are obtainable through this "Hartford" Agency. You should have them both.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Will McMillan, whose residence is unknown to Plaintiff, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 30th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Young County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1920, the same being the 6th day of September A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6185, wherein The Clear Fork Oil and Gas Company, a private corporation, with G. F. Browning, president, and N. C. Harlan, secretary, is Plaintiff, and Will McMillan is Defendant and said petition alleging that Plaintiff is engaged in the business of buying and selling oil and gas leases in the State of Texas, both for the purpose of development and sale of oil and gas products, but of making sales of such leases and estates in minerals for profit in the market. That the Defendant is a shareholder in said corporation, Plaintiff herein owns and holds forty-six shares of the par value of \$4600.00 on the books of the company which are so far as is known to the plaintiff corporation unpledged at this time. That the defendant while a director and owning stock in said company was directed in good faith by the officers and directors of said company and appointed agent for said company for the purpose of procuring a certain oil and gas lease on land in Young County, Texas, being 258 1-8 acres out of T. E. & L. Co. Survey No. 1978, Abstract No. 1052, the land being owned by W. H. Millican and his wife, which lease was in the name of F. T. Littlejohn and which lease the company was desirous of buying, and which in fact the plaintiff furnished the defendant, as agent and trustee for the company, plaintiff herein, money to purchase said lease from said F. T. Littlejohn on the 3d day of February, 1919, same being at a price of \$2500.00, and the defendant without authority caused said assignment to be made in his own name, when in truth it should have been made in the name of the Clear Fork Oil and Gas Company; that said sum of money was a trust fund and was agreed to be applied to the use and benefit of the corporation and in fact such lease became the property of the corporation aforesaid, but the defendant willfully and intentionally with fraud and deceit organized a co-partnership with one P. O. Eckels of Dallas, Texas, known as the McPoe Petroleum Company, and as part of the holdings and assets of said concern sold, transferred and conveyed same to said co-partnership, when in truth same was the property of the plaintiff, all of which the defendant well knew. Plaintiff further says that it believes that said defendant in making such sale of its leasehold estate aforesaid made a large profit on such transaction which amounted to the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars, that the defendant though often requested to account to the plaintiff for such profits and in the alternative to properly assign and transfer such lease interest to plaintiff as he contracted and agreed, and became bound to do, wholly refused to do to its damage the sum of \$10,000.00. That the defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition; that defendant be restrained from selling or disposing of his stock in the plaintiff corporation pending this suit; that the defendant be required to answer under oath what money and profits he received for the sale of said lease, and that he be required to reimburse the plaintiff with the original purchase money, account to the corporation, and that such stock as defendant holds in said corporation be applied to his obligation to the plaintiff as far as same will reimburse plaintiff for its purchase money and profits from the sale of such lease in oil and gas and minerals as aforesaid; that it have personal judgment against the defendant for any sum said stock lacks of paying plaintiff the defendants obligation.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness, Willie Riggs, Clerk of the District Court of Young County. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office (L. S.) in Graham this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1920.

WILLIE RIGGS, Clerk District Court, Young County.

Miss Aytchle Chism has accepted a position in the Music and Drawing department of the Dallas City Schools. She has had several flattering offers and has accepted the Dallas proposition. She has been successful in all her work every where she has taught.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Baptist church are having a social meeting this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. J. T. Rickman on South Elm street. The social meeting is being held in honor of Mrs. Edmondson, who is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Taylor.

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BEN JOHNSON REBUILDS HOME

Ben Johnson is practically rebuilding his residence. The house will be made modern in every respect. He is adding several new rooms and when finished will be one of the best residences in the city.

The Leader reporter has tried on more than one occasion to get an interview with Mr. Johnson but he seems to be too much absorbed in business or other matters to give the reporter the information desired. When his new home is completed we expect to be able to give out something.

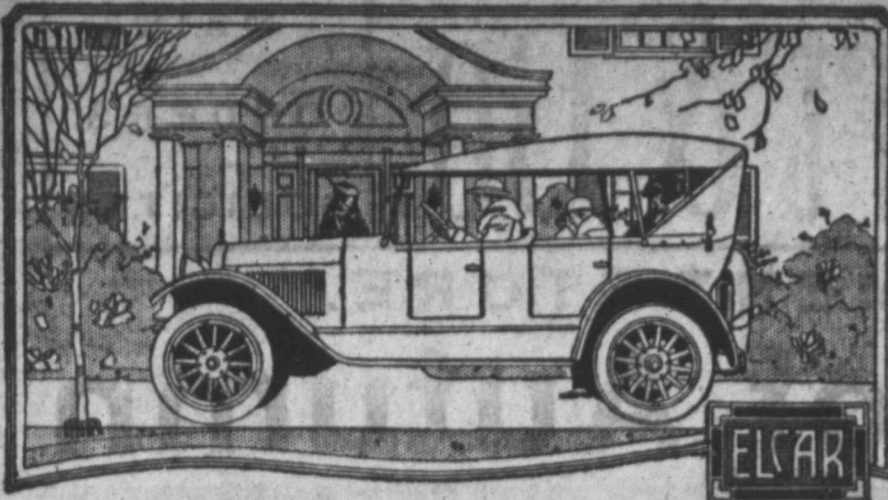
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon E. H. Layne and T. B. Jackson by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 30th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Young County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1920, the same being the 6th day of September A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of May, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6190, wherein J. M. Kirby and wife, R. T. Kirby, are Plaintiffs, and F. G. Delaney, E. H. Layne and T. B. Jackson are Defendants and said petition alleging that on or about the 1st day of June, A. D. 1918, they were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract of land situated in Young County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple to-wit: 173 1-6 acres of land out of T. E. & L. Co. Survey No. 1934, described as beginning at the N. E. corner of Survey No. 1934; Thence South 816 2-3 vrs. to a stake on East bdy. line; Thence West 1225 vrs. to a stake on West bdy. line; Thence North 816 2-3 vrs. to a stake the N. W. corner of Survey No. 1934; Thence East 1225 vrs. to the place of the beginning, being Abstract No. 1008. That about the 1st day of Dec. 1919, the Defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and premises and ejected therefrom and unlawfully withholds Plaintiffs from them the possession to their great damage the sum of \$1,000.00. That the actual rental value of said land is \$10,000.00 and the reasonable annual rental value is \$1,000.00; that on or about the 1st day of June, 1918, they made, executed and delivered in good faith an oil and gas leasehold interest and estate in the form of a lease in favor of P. Gideon covering all of said land which said lease provided that it should run and remain in full force and effect for a term of five years from its date and as much longer thereafter as oil and gas or either of them was found and produced by the lessee and lessors were to receive One Hundred Dollars each year in advance from each well where gas only was found and Fifty Dollars per annum from any well and used off the premises, and if no well was commenced on said and before the 1st day of June, 1919, said lease should terminate unless the lessee pay to the lessor the sum of Eighty-Six and 50-100 Dollars as rental. That P. Gideon conveyed all of his right, title and interest to the Defendants herein, who are the record claimants of said lease. That Defendants have failed, refused and neglected to drill a well on said land or any part thereof in accordance with the terms and stipulations mentioned in said lease; that Defendants have failed, neglected and refused to pay lessors, Plaintiffs herein, any rentals due and payable under the terms of said lease; that Defendants by reason of their failure and refusal to drill a well upon said land and by reason of their failure and refusal to pay the rentals when due have abandoned said lease and have forfeited their rights and estate, and that said lease is now null and void and of no further force and effect, and that Plaintiffs have elected and declared same to be of no validity whatever, by reason of the same; that Defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, that upon trial hereof Plaintiffs have judgment for the title and possession of said land and that the cloud cast upon Plaintiffs title by reason of the said oil and gas lease claimed by the Defendants be removed, and that writ of restitution be issued and said lease cancelled and held for naught and for damages in the sum of \$1,000.00 and for all costs of suit, etc., etc.

Witness, Willie Riggs, Clerk of the District Court of Young County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in (L.S.) Graham, this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1920.

469c WILLIE RIGGS,
Clerk District Court, Young County Texas.

WANTED—Small farm, 40 to 60 acres on public road, good prairie land preferred. Also want to lease from 2000 to 5000 acres good, well watered grass land in Young county.

—W. C. BURNS. 47-50c

Mrs. Steadham, of Cherokee, North Carolina, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sherrill Norris.

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COX AT WORK ON ACCEPTANCE SPEECH

Dayton, Ohio, July 26.—Governor Cox made considerable progress today on his address for August 7 accepting the Democratic presidential nomination. The Governor found, however, that he was unable to carry out his plan for "locking" himself in his library to work on the speech. But between several visitors the candidate put in some good licks on the hurried drafting job.

The address, the Governor said, will be "just long enough to tell the story," but because of its embryonic stage he could make no definite prediction as to length. He is to send it in installments, as subjects are completed, to his newspaper office here for composition and then he promised to "use the blue pencil vigorously" on proofs to eliminate every unnecessary word. Between shifts on his address, the Governor today conferred with Judge J. G. Johnson of the Ohio Supreme Court, who made the Cox nomination speech at the San Francisco convention. It was their first meeting since the convention.

"The Western people seem to realize Governor Cox is one of them, in their ideals and aspirations," said Judge Johnson, who toured the West en route to his home at Springfield. "They believe Governor Cox is for the people. They refer to him as 'Jimmy,' like Theodore Roosevelt was called 'Teddy.' It indicates a strong feeling of personal interest and regard, as I believe Governor Cox is the first presidential candidate since 'Teddy' whose first name is being popularly and generally used."

Another caller of the Governor's was Oscar E. Bradfute, of Xenia, Ohio, of the Ohio Farm Bureau and a director of the Federal Farm Bureau, as well as former member of President Wilson's industrial commission. Agricultural affairs were the principal topics of his conference with the Governor, who also had a social call today from John D. Spreckels, Jr., of California.

RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS

Austin, July 27.—September 25, 1920, is the date on which the selection will be made of the Rhodes Scholar who will represent the State of Texas at Oxford University during the three years beginning October, 1921. The scholarship has the value of \$1,500 a year. To be eligible a candidate must be a citizen of the United States, and unmarried. He must, at the time of making application, be not less than eighteen nor more than twenty-four years old, and must have completed at least two years of college work in a recognized degree-granting institution. Application may be made either for the State in which the candidate maintains his ordinary residence or for any State in which he may have received the requisite college training. The following conditions will be taken into account by the committee of selection:

Qualities of manhood, force of character, and leadership as exhibited by candidates in college and elsewhere; Literary and scholastic ability and attainments; physical vigor as shown by interest in outdoor sports, or in other ways.

No application will be accepted by the committee of selection after August 14. Detailed information may be obtained from the secretary of the committee, Prof. H. Tranham, Baylor University, Waco, Texas.

ENJOY VISIT TO EAST TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wood returned last week from a month's visit to relatives in East Texas. Both of them report a great trip. Mr. Wood has a sister, Mrs. Mart Wilkins, of Gladewater, who was married one day after he was and Mrs. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Wood were married July 18, 1866, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins the following day. These two couples always enjoy being together and rehearsing the days of long ago. In talking with Mr. Wood about his visit he stressed the fact that he had plenty of home cured ham and red gravy as well as fried chickens and melons.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood came to Graham forty-four years ago and have had a conspicuous part in the development of the town. Until recent years few buildings were projected that Mr. Wood did not help put up.

Mr. Wood has been a reader of The Leader since the paper was instituted.

E. O. McNew and family, of Mineral Wells, and Mr. Eubank and family, of Louisiana, were in Graham last week. They were inspecting the Young County oil fields and hoped to fish a little along the Clear Fork. Mr. McNew was once principal of the Graham high school but for many years has been superintendent of the Mineral Wells public schools. Like so many others he has forsaken the school work for other lines of business.

REPRESENTATIVE NOMINEES

Returns indicate the following candidates have been nominated for Representative in the districts named:

District 13—Quinn, Beaumont, (elected).

District 61, Place 1—Henderson, Waco.

District 80—Burmester, Christine; took lead from Newman, Poteet.

District 99—McBrayer, Graham, took lead from Binkley.

District 121—Chitwood, Sweetwater took lead from Thompson, Loraine.

District 9—Bee, Kirbyville.

District 10—Laird, Luffkin.

District 12—Lindsey, Kountze.

District 26—Perkins, Rusk.

District 30—Thorn, Hawkins.

District 36—Martin, Paris.

District 41—Sneed, McKinney.

District 42, Place 2—Westbrook, Denison.

District 62—Childress, Lotta.

District 68—Lauderdale, Somerville.

District 86—McKean, Prairie Lea.

District 98—Wilson, Mineral Wells.

District 102—King, Throckmorton.

District 106—Rowland, Anson.

District 112—Sims, Paint Rock.

District 115—Stevenson, Junction.

District 122—Marks, Pride.

District 127—Tillotson, Sealy.

District 24—Creath, Crockett.

District 32—Grisham, Mount Pleasant.

District 44, Place 2—Hendricks, Waxahachie.

District 44, Place 1—Barry Miller, Dallas; Place 2, F. B. Horton, Dallas; Place 3, John E. Davis, Mesquite; Place 4, C. O. Laney, Lancaster.

District 47—John Davis, Dallas.

CONGRESSIONAL RACES

In congressional races results are:

Third District—Bond and Sanders go into run-off primary.

Fourth District—Congressman Rayburn has heavily defeated State Senator Ed Westbrook.

Tenth District—Congressman Buchanan has heavy lead over A. T. McKean of Austin.

Eighth District—Garrett of Houston has defeated Fisher of Houston, two to one.

Fourteenth District—Congressman Bee has defeated former Congressman Slayden.

Seventeenth District—Congressman Blanton has decisively defeated Grisham.

In the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals race at San Antonio, Judge T. D. Cobbs of San Antonio has defeated Sluder of that city by a heavy majority.

Van A. Petty, San Antonio, is in the city looking after his oil interests. He thinks that Graham will have the greatest boom this fall that she has ever had. All the oil people visiting the Young county fields are very optimistic over the future of Graham. Our people are better prepared now to take care of the people. Several new rooming houses have opened this summer and new cares have been put in.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

We hope to see a large crowd at Sunday School and church Sunday morning. Subject, "A Christ-Like Man."

No services Sunday night in the church. All the forces will be thrown together in a union service on the lawn.

Be sure and get there for Sunday School.

T. E. BOWMAN.

MARRIED

John B. Nehls and Miss Eula B. Harrison were united in marriage by Rev. T. E. Bowman at the parsonage Tuesday.

They both live in Graham and The Leader joins in extending congratulations.

I. W. Steele, of Ivan, made The Leader a pleasant call today. He came to this section of the country in 1876 and has been a reader of the paper since that time. He is a strong friend of The Leader and always has an encouraging word. The Leader appreciates his visits and the good cheer he always brings.

Capt. J. W. Burnett, of Fish Creek, returned Tuesday from a month's visit to relatives in Tennessee. Mr. Burnett enjoyed the trip and saw some fine country but he was glad to get back to Young county—the best place to live. He came to Young county in 1875 and has been reading The Leader since it was established in 1876.

NOTICE

I have for fourteen years been an automobile man and dealer for Buick automobiles. I have thought that there never could be perfected anything like a Buick car for automobiles I don't yet. I had an invitation to visit The Leader office and inspect a piece of machinery which is a self feeding job printing press, which is the most up-to-date and complete piece of machinery I ever looked at except a Buick automobile.

And I am now glad to say that The Leader force has changed around and installed a lot of new machinery. So Graham can now say she has a first class up-to-date printing office.

JNO. C. BOWER.

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"YOUR DEPARTMENT STORE."

Harbingers of Autumn

Will soon appear. The first of August will mark the beginning of the end of Summer. Naturally the thoughts of our patrons will turn to styles and needs for the coming autumn. School days will soon be here. To those purposes we looked ahead and have had our fall stocks delivered much earlier than usual. In the next two weeks our store will be completely stocked with new and seasonable merchandise for your coming needs. Please note our advertisement for the date of the real opening.

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LADIES SWEATERS These come in several shades and are in the newest mode for early Autumn and late Summer night wear. Belgian Blues and Brown predominate with fancy open collars and the flare bottom. These are very attractive and will find favor with you. PRICED \$7.00 TO \$12.00	LADIES SCARFS The "Shawlette" which we are featuring in the way of scarfs will find immediate favor with you. They combine the comfort of a sweater with the attractiveness that only a garment of a cape or shawl motif can give. Browns again predominate with Burgundy and Blues running a close second. PRICED \$9.00 TO \$12.00
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It will be of interest to note that the coming styles for the season in coat suits and dresses show all tendencies to drift again to straight lines. This will call for greater length in coats and the panneling and ripple-back features that have been so popular the past season will find an even better mode of expression in breaking the severe lines imposed by Dame Fashion this season. Our suits and dresses will be on display in a few days. Watch for the date.

A Few Arrivals in Fall Shoes

SCHOOL SHOES FOR THE GROWING GIRLS These you will find in a very medium heel and good lasts. Both brown and black leathers are used and make a most attractive as well as a most useful school shoe. Priced \$7.50	SHOES ARE A SPECIALTY WITH US
Wanted:--An Experienced Saleslady. Apply to - Mr. Rickman	A ladies dress shoe, by far the best shoe we have ever shown in Graham. This shoe comes in a twenty-four eyelet, full Louis XV heel, long vamp, and is shown in Brown Kid \$20.00

The Fall Pictorial Patterns Are Here
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<h3>NEFF OPENS WAY FOR UNDIVIDED SUPPORT IN FIGHT ON BAILEY</h3> <p>Dallas, July 27.—Pat M. Neff arrived here from his home in Waco late Monday night and in a statement given out, by him immediately after arrival, opened the way for support of his candidacy as against Bailey by followers of Thomason and Looney, who were eliminated in Saturday's primaries. Mr. Neff is to speak in Dallas Friday night.</p> <p>Mr. Neff says that in the heat of debate things are frequently said that should not be said and he apologizes for any unkind statement made by him. He asserts that had Mr. Thomason been chosen to enter the run-off primary he would have given him his loyal support as against Bailey and what Bailey stands for. Mr. Neff's statement follows:</p> <p>"In the recent campaign many things were doubtless said by candidates and their overzealous friends far better unsaid. For myself, I freely state in this public way that I treasure no ill will against those who opposed me and if in the heat and strain of conflict I have said anything anywhere that offended I cheerfully make the amends honorable."</p> <p>"As to the particular statement complained of, this was an up-and-downer under way, but the which I realize, was a mistake. Of course had Mr. Thomason led I would have given him my earnest and loyal support against Bailey and the things for which he has stood and now stands in the politics of Texas."</p> <p>"The differences between rival candidates against Bailey are trivial in the presence of the vital issues now confronting the patriotic people of Texas. I now summon to my standard all the forces of Democracy that stand for clean, forward-looking government in Texas."</p>	<h3>IVAN</h3> <p>The new postoffice is now in operation at this place, which is quite a help to the people in this vicinity and should be much appreciated.</p> <p>Walter Steele suffered intensely with a bruised finger but the prompt service of a physician soon relieved him.</p> <p>Several good showers have fallen here within the last few days.</p> <p>Dr. J. O. Brockman and family, of Breckenridge, are taking an outing on Cedar Creek near the Barron place fishing, etc.</p> <p>The threshing machine is doing efficient work in this vicinity this week.</p> <p>The Douglas well, about four miles north of Ivan, came in good one day last week. At our last account it was reported to be making about 2,000-barrels per day.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">IVANHOE.</p> <p>Dr. Padgett came very near having a serious accident last week when his Nash slipped into a six-foot ditch on the South Bend road. He had driven to the side of the road to wait for an approaching car to pass him. Blinded by the lights of the approaching car he drove too close to the ditch with the result given above but fortunately no damage was done.</p> <p>Mrs. J. C. Carmack and daughter, Kathleen, of Fort Worth, were in the city the first of the week visiting relatives. She had been to visit a sick sister in Oklahoma and stopped off here on her way to Fort Worth. Mrs. Carmack moved to Fort Worth two years ago and is enjoying city life. The reporter of The Leader has been acquainted with Mrs. Carmack several years and did not mind asking questions about herself and children. She has ten children, eight girls and two boys. All her girls are married except the baby, Kathleen, a little girl nine years old. One of the boys is at Breckenridge and the other with her in Fort Worth.</p>	<h3>GRANDMA PARSONS NINETY-FIVE YEARS OLD</h3> <p>Grandma Parsons, who is 95 years old, is enjoying good health for a person of her age. She has good use of her faculties and bids fair to reach the 100 mark.</p> <p>She makes her home with her son, J. E. Parsons, and it is a delight and a pleasure to have her with him in her declining years. She had as her guest one evening last week Grandma Young, of Padgett, who is 90 years old.</p> <p>FOR SALE—A reed baby buggy.—Phone 72-W. 48p.</p> <p>W. D. Spivey, of Henry Chapel, was in the city Saturday. He told The Leader reporter that he had quit his Graham bunch and is now making an honest living.</p> <p>Mabry Short, of Dallas, is in the city visiting relatives. He is with the American Exchange National Bank. He says his bank has the largest deposits of any bank in Texas. He has been with this bank since September, 1916, with the exception of the time he was in the U. S. Navy.</p> <p>M. B. Costello one of the leading stockmen of Palo Pinto county, was in to see us Tuesday and to renew for The Leader. In speaking of the well on his place he said they had shut down at 2640 feet to await the arrival of casing from Dallas. There is a slight showing of oil in the last sand.</p> <p>Grandma Young, of Padgett, is in the city this week visiting her son, Mark Young. She called on Grandma Parsons one day last week and they enjoyed the afternoon talking over old times. They have both been in the country a long time. Grandma Young is 90 years old. She is so vigorous and has such good use of herself that we feel more like saying Grandma Young is 90 years young rather than that Grandma Young is 90 years old. She married at the age of 14 and is the mother of 24 children.</p>	<h3>RENO STINSON RETURNS FROM SUMMER VACATION</h3> <p>Reno Stinson returned last Sunday night from his summer vacation and study. John Lynch and Reno Stinson were fortunate enough to be included in a class of university students to do some research work this summer.</p> <p>Two advanced courses in field work were given by the department of geology of the University of Texas. One was a course of topographic map making and the other an advanced course in paleontology. John and Reno were both in the course in paleontology.</p> <p>The place chosen for the work by the University was in the Hueco Mountains about thirty-five miles northeast of El Paso. The boys made the trip in trucks from Austin to El Paso by the way of Llano, Mason, Junction, Ft. Stockton, Van Horn and Sierra Blanca.</p> <p>The boys spent three weeks in the mountains studying. They made trips into New Mexico and Old Mexico.</p> <p>The return trip was made through Marfa, Alpine, Del Rio, Eagle Pass, Uvalde and San Antonio. John Lynch remained in the University for a few weeks study. Reno Stinson visited friends in Milam county and took some lessons in politics.</p> <p>The boys had a great trip and feel that they have been well paid.</p> <h3>GOOD BASEBALL THIS WEEK</h3> <p>Decatur came here this week for a three game series. The boys played good ball and Graham has had three of the best games of the season this week.</p> <p>Graham won the game Monday by a score of 2 to 1 and on Tuesday Graham won by a score of 4 to 3. Decatur came back Wednesday and won by a score of 5 to 1.</p> <p>The games were all good games but a costly error on Wednesday gave a game to Decatur.</p> <p>Mrs. George Jones and daughter of Orth, were in the city Monday.</p>
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LOCAL NEWS

PLAIN SEWING—Phone 44M.

Edd Jeffery was in Graham Sunday afternoon.

Secretary Gilmartin was in Fort Worth last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Shipley July 19, a fine girl.

Judge W. W. Price, of Eliasville, was in Graham Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Marshall, July 21, a fine boy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. King returned last week from Colorado.

Preston Dickenson, of Eliasville, was in Graham Saturday.

G. W. Carmack, of Murray, was in to see The Leader Tuesday.

Bro. C. R. Taylor went to Jermyn Sunday to begin a meeting.

John B. Wood and son, Ed, returned from Kilgore, Texas, Saturday.

C. B. Jones returned Monday from a visit to relatives at Forney.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jeffery, of Ingleside, were in the city Friday.

Earl Wheat, of Loving, was attending to business here Saturday.

W. O. Raburn, of Olney, was in the city on business Tuesday morning.

F. P. Brazelton, of Farmer, was in with a big load of melons Friday.

J. H. Groene and family, of Handley, visited J. Q. Adams last week.

R. F. Short returned to Dallas Saturday after a short visit to Graham.

L. L. Spivey left last week for Oklahoma City, where he will reside.

Rev. W. T. Veatch, of Eliasville, was in Graham Saturday and Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Barrett, of Ada, Oklahoma, is visiting her parents at South Bend.

Robert and Jack Douglass returned last week from a trip to the Ozarks.

Little Malcolm Graham has been quite sick with whooping cough the past week.

Mrs. Frank Reeves and son, Frank, Jr., of Stamford, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. T. J. Eddleman has as her guest her aunt, Mrs. Albert Johnson, of Wisconsin.

Misses Fannie and Leona Stoffers have been on a visit to Cleburne several days.

Miss Genella Mayes left last week for Fort Worth to spend a few days visiting relatives.

A. H. M. Anderson, Earl Gilbert, and A. A. Cooper, of Olney, were in the city Monday.

Geo. Parsons, of Mineral Wells, was in the city Wednesday on his weekly trip. He is on the road for the J. L. Hill Company of Weatherford.

J. B. Norris, of South Bend, was in the city Tuesday.

Supt. H. B. Cogdell was in Fort Worth and Dallas Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Graham left last week for Winslow, Arkansas, to spend a few weeks.

Bill Yancey and family and Miss Cleo Hindman left last week for Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Misses May and Fannie Ragland left last week for Buchanan, New Mexico, to visit relatives.

Miss Capitola Farmer of Fort Worth, is visiting in the city the guest of Mrs. James Akin.

Mrs. E. A. Steadham and son, of North Carolina, are here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sherrill Norris.

Stanley Wright was in Graham yesterday working in the interest of Baylor College, Belton, Texas.

JUST RECEIVED—A nice line of Stone Churns and Jars at SNODDY & SON. 47-9c

Bruce Casburn and family and Carl Timmons left last week for Colorado Springs for a few weeks visit.

LADIES, BUY ANOTHER HAT During our Final Clearance Sale. STREET & CO.

Mrs. Eunice Effeman has returned to her home in Eastland after a visit here with Mrs. James Akin.

PRICES REDUCED 20% ON Boys' Wash Suits at STREET & CO.

Jim Norman has returned to his home in Paducah after an extended visit here with his aunt, Mrs. W. M. Morton.

FOR SALE—Registered Poland China pigs, satisfaction guaranteed; also two high grade Hereford bulls.—W. B. GRANTHAM, Graham. 46-8p

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Evans left a few days ago for Odessa, where Mrs. Evans will spend several weeks with her parents.

HALF-PRICE SALE On Ladies' Coat Suits, Coats, Silk and Wash Waists at STREET & CO.

The only place in town to get the famous Mineral Wells Ice Cream—DELMAR GARDEN, next door to The Leader office. 48fc

PRICES REDUCED 25% ON Silk Dress Skirts, White Wash Skirts, and Fine Wool Skirts. STREET & CO.

Mrs. Grace Loren and Miss Eula Lasater returned Saturday from Galveston. They both report a great time.

WANTED—Live real estate salesman. Good proposition to right man.—YOUNG COUNTY REALTY CO., Guaranty Bank Bldg. Graham, Texas.

Capt. Frank S. Jones has charge of the construction of the Beckham National Bank. Capt. Jones went with the first engineers to France and was in service during the whole period of the war. He was responsible for much of the best hospital construction in France.

Mrs. B. G. Wood and son, A. G., and granddaughter, Pauline Wilkins, of Fort Worth, are in the city visiting Mrs. Woods' daughter, Mrs. Will Craig.

FINAL CLEARANCE SALE On Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hats at STREET & CO.

The Leader is receiving many subscriptions each week from various sections of the United States. Graham is destined to be one of the great oil centers of Texas.

PRICES REDUCED 33 1-3% On entire stock of Satin and Crepe de Chine Gowns, Camisoles, Bloomers and Teddies.

STREET & CO.

A letter from E. L. Howell, Boulder, Colorado, this week states that he is enjoying the climate but that he is too busy to see much of the scenery. He asks that The Leader follow his to "cool Colorado."

WALK HOSE ON SALE Greatly Reduced Prices at STREET & CO.

Mrs. L. E. Norman and children left last week for Amarillo to visit her son, Leonard Norman, and family. They will make the trip in their automobile.

HOUSE DRESSES AND APRONS On sale at 20% reduction at STREET & CO.

S. R. Hall, Rising Star, is here establishing tent hotels at South Bend to take care of the influx of people to the fast developing oil fields.

FOR SALE—Five nice residence lots in East Graham.—GREY HOWARD. 47

Sherrill Norris and wife returned recently from a visit to Dallas. Mrs. Norris' sister, Mrs. R. E. Mabry. They will likely return here in the fall to again make Graham their home.

Uncle Billie Higgins was in to see us Monday and told us that he had had some narrow escapes from automobiles. He can neither see nor hear well and says that drivers often endanger his life.

FOR SALE—One 12-foot Soda Fountain, one steel drum, two tables and chairs. See GREY HOWARD, Graham, Texas. 46

Miss Ray Thomas the seventeen-year-old daughter of Mrs. Ada Thomas was operated on for appendicitis last Thursday. She is doing well and will soon be up. Her friends rejoice in her speedy recovery.

FOR SALE—Child's Folding Bed—a bargain. Inquire at Leader office.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Oatman and two sons, Elmer and Neval, of Roby, Texas, were in the city from Friday until Sunday visiting Mr. Oatman's sister, Mrs. R. E. Mabry. They will likely return here in the fall to again make Graham their home.

Ex-Governor Colquitt, of Dallas, was in the city last week looking after his oil interests in Young county. The recent developments in the county have given the oil situation renewed interest.

Jay Garvin and family returned from a three weeks' visit to New Mexico. Jay's mother and Frank Galaher accompanied them on the trip. They had a great time and enjoyed the outing.

Personally conducted excursions to the famous Rio Grande Valley of Texas. Very low rate for round trip ticket, including board and berth. Where the winters are warm and the summers pleasant. Where you can farm every day in the year. More profitable farming, more pleasant living; where irrigation means success. See for yourself—for seeing is believing. For further information, write or wire E. B. ELLIOTT, General Agent, Dublin, Texas. Agents wanted. 48p

FINAL

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Ladies Hats and Ready-to-Wear

We must sell all these Summer Goods at once, as it is against our rule to carry anything over to another season, so we will put on this Final Clearance Sale at prices that will assure quick sales.

Ladies and Misses Hats Almost Given Away

\$2.00 to \$3.50 hats at	\$1.00	\$6.00 to \$7.00 hats at	\$2.45
\$4.50 to \$5.50 hats at	\$1.95	\$7.50 to \$9.50 hats at	\$3.45

\$10.00 to \$15.00 Hats at only \$4.95

Fine Silk skirts, wash skirts, Wool skirts at 25 per cent reduction	All Silk Dresses on sale at Half Price	Silk Underwear on sale at 33 1/2 per cent Reduction
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Entire stock of Silk and Wash Waists at Half Price	Gingham and Percal House Dresses and Aprons at 20 per cent reduction	Middle Suits, Middies and White Dresses at 20 per cent reduction
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Bargains in Dry Goods Department

Boys Wash Suits at 20 per cent reduction	Boys Straw Hats at 20 per cent reduction	Boys Rompers and Overalls at Reduced Prices
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Fine Dress Voiles at Reduced Prices	\$2.00 Silk Hose at \$1.49	\$2.75 and \$3.00 Silk Hose at \$2.25
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Fine Bleached Domestic, special, at 33 and 1-3 cents	Heavy Bath Towels at Reduced Prices	Women's and Misses Pumps and Oxfords at Reduced Prices
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Muslin Underwear at Sale Prices	Good Dress Gingham Special at 35 cents	Light Percals and Calico at 22 cents
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KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CON

Fort Worth, July 25.—Worth Commandery No. 19, Knights Templar, of Fort Worth, has received a special dispensation from Grand Commander John B. Sawtell, of Waco, Texas, to hold a Knight Templar Conclave at Fort Worth, September 23-24, which will be held at Moslah Temple's mosque, on the shores of Lake Worth.

All of the Commanderies under the jurisdiction of the Grand Commandery of Texas have been invited to attend this Conclave, and the Grand Obcers have also been given an invitation to attend the Conclave. It is expected that more than thirty Commanderies will accept the invitation of Worth Commandery No. 19, and will elect to bring their candidates to Fort Worth and have the work conferred upon them at the Conclave.

Elaborate entertainment is being provided, and it is confidently expected that the Conclave will draw about 3500 Knights Templar to Fort Worth for this occasion.

The railroads have granted special rates to Fort Worth for the Conclave. The selling date will be September 21 to 25, inclusive; returning September 26.

The morning of September 23 will feature the largest Knight Templar parade ever held in any city in Texas. The Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce has arranged to decorate Main and Houston streets with the National colors for the parade, and all Knights Templar are invited to come to Fort Worth and wear their Knight Templar uniforms and participate in the parade.

Ample hotel facilities have been arranged; and the Chamber of Commerce is co-operating with the Knight Templar Hotel Committee in seeing that there will be plenty of hotel accommodations. It is hoped that arrangements can be made to take care of 200 or more Knights at the mosque during the Conclave.

Knights Templar wishing hotel reservations made are requested to write Sir Knight H. W. Austin, 215 1-2 Main Street, Fort Worth, stating when they will arrive and the extent of accommodations wanted.

Special entertainment will be provided for the ladies who attend the Conclave with Sir Knights participating in the Conclave.

Extensive changes in Moslah Temple's mosque have been made to properly stage the several orders on Red Cross, Malta and Knight Templar.

EXPLAINS HOW TO

GET RID OF ANTS

Austin, July 23.—Requests are pouring into the State Department of Health for ways and means to rid residences of the small red ant, which deposits its eggs in the walls or under flooring during the late spring and summer months. According to V. M. Ehlers of the Bureau of Sanitary Engineering, the ant is not inimical to health nor is there evidence at present that it acts as a host to transmit the cause of disease.

In order to get rid of such invaders, Mr. Ehlers says, it is of first importance to keep food products in tight receptacles and to remove sugar and sweetmeats scattered by children. Several methods to destroy them have been suggested, and as temporary measures, when the nest can not be located, Mr. Ehlers says the following may suffice:

"Moisten a sponge with sweetened water; when filled with ants, drop into boiling water.

"An ingenious method has been described as follows: A groove large enough for the passage of a single ant is made in an ordinary cork, the bottle is partly filled with sweetened water and a thread moistened with the preparation passes from the floor to the passage through the cork. When the ant within the bottle is gogged with food he can not get out. Thousands may be trapped in this way. Several of the traps may be prepared and enough time allowed to elapse for the ants to swarm into the openings.

"However, the only thorough extermination is the destruction of the colony and its nest. There is no means of locating the latter except by following the ants back to their point of disappearance. Bisulphid of carbon in liberal quantities (about two ounces) is then poured into the region of the nest. This substance is so penetrating that its work is thorough, if the nest is properly located."

HEARSE CONTAINED WHISKY

Greenwich Conn., July 23.—Many of the residents of this section are much grieved over a funeral cortege that was not permitted to proceed to its destination. As the hearse was passing through Seymour, a suburb, several prohibition agents ordered the driver to stop his horses.

Seated beside him was a man attired in clerical robes carrying a prayerbook, who vehemently protested against the agents' request that the hearse be opened.

They insisted and found instead of a corpse, a hundred gallons of whisky. Both men were arrested.

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SUGAR FROM SAWDUST

Cheer up good people, for relief is now in sight! News dispatches out of Pittsburg are to the effect that a scientist of that city has discovered a process by which he can make sugar from sawdust—and retail it from less than a nickel a pound. Sounds too good to be true, doesn't it?

Anyhow, the Pittsburg-man is said to have shown a sample of his sawdust sugar, or sugar-sawdust, just whatever you want to call it, and it is declared to do the work intended. Of course he refuses to reveal the secret. And why not? Who wants to see all of our shade trees cut down and used up for sawdust? Who wants to have to quit work now when production of other things is needed so badly to take a rip saw and get out enough sawdust to make sugar for the breakfast coffee? Not only that, but who wants to be heartless enough to break the hearts of the poor sugar barons who are only robbing the American people at the rate of a few millions a month?

No sir, we don't propose to take any stock in this new sugar discovery. We've had too many disappointments in life already to be led into another one like a lamb to the slaughter. We refuse to believe the time has come when a man can take a rip saw and work out his wife's canning problems by sawing up an old rail fence. We don't propose to believe the Pittsburg man's story. And we don't propose to start in asking someone to pass the sawdust until we know the sugar barons are dead and in a place where ice water is said to be at a premium. —Newsville, Enterprise.

Mrs. W. T. McWilliams of Seymour, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Hinson this week.

R. J. Johnson, of Newcastle, was attending to business in Graham Tuesday.

Bruce Street and Clem Vaughan made a business trip to Stephens county Tuesday.

Mrs. Maude Miller and children, of Atlanta, Georgia, are the guests of Mrs. Hattie Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Hathcock and son, Payne, visited friends in Olney last Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill Johsson, Jr., underwent an operation last week for the removal of her tonsils.

Mrs. Claude Wallare and her sister, Nell Martin, of Olney, are in "the city" visiting relatives.

John Black has resigned his position with Short & Co. and accepted a place with the Sloan Drug Co.

BAPTIST LADIES MISSIONARY SOCIETY

On Thursday afternoon from four to six, the Baptist Missionary Society entertained, informally, at the pretty new home of Mrs. J. T. Rickman, honoring Mrs. Edmonson, of Austin, Mrs. C. R. Taylor's mother, and Miss Pohlmann of California.

After exchanging greetings and introductions with those in the receiving line, guests were seated for the impromptu program consisting of readings and music. Mrs. Clarke gave in a concise but her delightful way, De-

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A Conversation Party was then the diversion for a while. One guest ninety-three years of age told how she made her first cake; another gave her thrilling experience as nurse when beginning training; another told of the Gulf storm in 1900; another of

her graduation.

The guests are grateful to Mesdames Short and Rickman for their hospitality and to the social committee for so happy an afternoon.

At six o'clock some sixty guests were served an ice course in the dining room where pot plants and cut flowers made it beautiful.

VISITS BROTHER'S GRAVE IN FRANCE

A Texas woman, after visiting the grave of her brother in a cemetery, wrote a letter to her. The beautiful sentiment letter is worth passing on to us.

We reached Ploissy the American straight out over the slope was wonderfully and the crosses shone in the sun. Using an American trench found by the roadside, we dug the graves with flowers. We touched the sod I plucked violets and a dandelion that was growing there, and after they had been planted, a white flower, I gave them to you. We left the cemetery with mingled feelings of joy and regret. It was hard to leave here so far away from home, but we were not among strangers, but our own countrymen, many of whom I had probably known, played and fought with. All of them bear the same date—they died in 1918, and it is a wonderful thing to find them there on the ground they fought for and won. I am sure if you could see Ploissy you would be content to leave John there. It is so marvellously simple and impressive and to me the plain white crosses mark each grave expresses far more significant meaning than a most elaborate monument could. I am sure John himself would have preferred to rest there. These A. E. F. memorials are shrines for all Americans, and the French have the greatest respect and veneration for them. They remain in the country he fought and died for. It is sacred ground, and his place is with his comrades. Removal would be desecration. The above clipping was written for the purpose of consoling mothers who find their boys sleeping in France. The sentiment is fine but there is not much consolation to the mother who prematurely gray because the son never returned. The mother would prefer to have the grave on this side of the ocean so it would be more convenient to visit and to plant the flowers with her own hand.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Benjamin Hill and the unknown heirs of Benjamin Hill, Benjamin J. Hill and the unknown heirs of Benjamin J. Hill, Polly Bouldin and the unknown heirs of Polly Bouldin; Absolom W. Hill and the unknown heirs of Absolom W. Hill; Riley B. Roberts and the unknown heirs of Riley B. Roberts; William J. Hill and the unknown heirs of William J. Hill; Eugenia J. Hill and the unknown heirs of Eugenia J. Hill; W. G. Etter and the unknown heirs of W. G. Etter; Charlotte Etter and the unknown heirs of Charlotte Etter; Mary Hill and the unknown heirs of Mary Hill; Lee A. Hill and the unknown heirs of Lee A. Hill; J. W. Hill and the unknown heirs of J. W. Hill; Isaac L. Rhea and the unknown heirs of Isaac L. Rhea; Henry L. Rhea and the unknown heirs of Henry L. Rhea; Archibald Rhea and the unknown heirs of Archibald Rhea; Lorissa Hill and the unknown heirs of Lorissa Hill; J. M. Hill and the unknown heirs of J. M. Hill; M. P. Hill and the unknown heirs of M. P. Hill; Bersheba Hill and the unknown heirs of Bersheba Hill; Isham Perry and the unknown heirs of Isham Perry; Matilda Perry and the unknown heirs of Matilda Perry; James G. Hill and the unknown heirs of James G. Hill; Albert Sidney Hill and the unknown heirs of Albert Sidney Hill; Mary V. Hill and the unknown heirs of Mary V. Hill; Robert Holman and the unknown heirs of Robert Holman; Benjamin Harvy Price and Charles Q. Smartt, all of whose residences are unknown to Plaintiff by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 30th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Young County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1920, the same being the 6th day of September, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of July, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6207, wherein C. B. Hockaday is Plaintiff, and Benjamin Hill and the unknown heirs of Benjamin Hill; Benjamin J. Hill and the unknown heirs of Benjamin J. Hill; Polly Bouldin and the unknown heirs of Polly Bouldin; Absolom W. Hill and the unknown heirs of Absolom W. Hill; Riley B. Roberts and the unknown heirs of Riley B. Roberts; William J. Hill and the unknown heirs of William J. Hill; Eugenia J. Hill and the unknown heirs of Eugenia J. Hill; W. G. Etter and the unknown heirs of W. G. Etter; Charlotte Etter and the unknown heirs of Charlotte Etter; Mary Hill and the unknown heirs of Mary Hill; Lee A. Hill and the unknown heirs of Lee A. Hill; J. W. Hill and the unknown heirs of J. W. Hill; Isaac L. Rhea and the unknown heirs of Isaac L. Rhea; Henry L. Rhea and the unknown heirs of Henry L. Rhea; Archibald Rhea and the unknown heirs of Archibald Rhea; Lorissa Hill and the unknown heirs of Lorissa Hill; J. M. Hill and the unknown heirs of J. M. Hill; M. P. Hill and the unknown heirs of M. P. Hill; Bersheba Hill and the unknown heirs of Bersheba Hill; Isham Perry and the unknown heirs of Isham Perry; Matilda Perry and the unknown heirs of Matilda Perry; James G. Hill and the unknown heirs of James G. Hill; Albert Sidney Hill and the unknown heirs of Albert Sidney Hill; Mary V. Hill and the unknown heirs of Mary V. Hill; Robert Holman and the unknown heirs of Robert Holman; Benjamin Harvy Price and Charles Q. Smartt, all of whose residences are unknown to Plaintiff are Defendants, and said Plaintiff alleging that on or about the 26th day of July, A. D. 1920, Plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract of land in fee simple, to-wit: The South one-half of the Ben Hill Survey Abstract No. 144 in Young County, Texas, being 320 acres more or less, and being the same land conveyed by Benjamin Harvy Price to one S. R. Crawford by warranty deed of date July 23rd, A. D. 1915, according to the record of said deed in Vol. 60, page 93, of the deed records of Young County, Texas, to which record reference is here made for more particular description. That on said date the Defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected Plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds the possession thereof, to the Plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$10,000.00. That the Defendants be cited to answer this petition and that Plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said premises, for his damages, costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, in law or in equity, as he may be entitled to, as he will ever pray.

Herein Fall Not, but have you before said Court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Willie Riggs, Clerk of the District Court of Young County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in (L. S.) Graham this 27th day of July, A. D. 1920.

48-51c WILLIE RIGGS, Clerk District Court, Young County Texas.

Notice of Hearing to Appropriate Public Waters of the State of Texas No. 492

Notice is hereby give, to whom concerned, that W. A. Andrews, the post-office address of whom is Elliasville, Texas, did on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1920, file his application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which he applies for a permit to appropriate from the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas sufficient water for fire protection and domestic use, the same to be diverted from the Clear Fork, a tributary of the Brazos River, not to exceed 16.7 ac. ft. per annum. The proposed pumping plant to be located at a point which bears N. 56 1-2 degrees W. 1980 ft from the S. E. corner of the J. L. Dobbs Survey, on the south bank of the Clear Fork in Young County, Texas, and is distant in southwesterly direction from Graham about eighteen miles.

A hearing on the application of the said W. A. Andrews will be heard by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the Board, in Austin, Texas, on Monday, August 16th, A. D. 1920, beginning at ten o'clock a. m. at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearings will be continued from time to time, and from place, to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas (L. S.) Texas at the office of said Board, in Austin, Texas, this 12th day of July, 1920.

W. T. POTTER, C. S. CLARK, JNO. A. NORRIS, Board of Water Engineers.

Attest—A. W. McDONALD, Secretary

NOTICE

In the near future there will be an important meeting at the W. O. W. hall. The committee is planning for a great occasion. There will be a prominent Woodman on hand to explain further the new rates. Refreshments will be served.

Watch the paper next week for further announcements.

PAT WOOD, Ch. Com.

\$14.50 PER CAPITA FOR TEXAS SCHOOLS

Board of Education Fixes Highest Apportionment in State's History

Austin, Texas, July 20.—The State Board of Education today fixed the apportionment for the next term of the free schools of Texas at \$14.50 per capita, the highest school apportionment in the history of the State, it being an increase of \$6 over last year's apportionment, which was \$8.50 per capita, which up to that time was the highest amount ever apportioned for the public schools.

With an apportionment of \$14.50 per capita, the public schools of the State will receive during the next scholastic term \$18,170,096, based on 1,253,110 scholastics. The heavy increase in the apportionment is due to the \$4,000,000 appropriation made by the recent special session of the Legislature, funds received by the schools from oil and gas taxes and also because of increased valuation of property in the State, which will bring in more taxes. Commenting on the apportionment fixed by the State Board of Education today, Governor Hobby said:

"The apportionment for each child in Texas for education was \$7.50 for the year I went into the Governor's office. To increase that apportionment to \$14.50 for the next scholastic year is the proudest act of my administration."

POULTRY PROFITS DEPEND ON HEALTHY CHICKS

Mr. Williams, a very successful Oklahoma Poultry Raiser, recently said to Dr. LeGear: "Since I have been using your Poultry Prescription, not only have I cut down Chick loss, but I find my pullets lay a month or two earlier." A few pennies wisely spent in feeding Dr. LeGear's Poultry Prescription to Baby Chicks insures rapid development and early fall and winter laying. Get a package from your dealer. Satisfaction or money back.—Dr. L. D. LeGear Med. Co., St. Louis, Mo.

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PARTING GUESTS

I like to have my friends come in, when evening's growing gray, and talk of autos made of tin, of hens and dogs and hay. Their coming does not make me sore; 'tis this that makes me grieve: When they would go, their visit o'er, they take so long to leave! They quit the dazzling sitting room at half past ten o'clock; then in the hall's religious gloom they talk and talk and talk. At last they leave my humble door, but on the porch they pause, and for another hour of more they ply their useful jaws. The night is waxing old and late when down the walk they go, and then they loiter at the gate to talk an hour or so. How grand is that infrequent guest who says, at nine o'clock, "Time flies apace, you want to rest, so I will take a walk." He takes his walking stick and hat, and when he comes some more, he finds a welcome on the mat that lies before the door. My friends are welcomed to my gate, and harmless suds shall flow; but when it's time to pull their freight, I wish they'd up and go!—Walt Mason.

Howard's Confectionery is the only place in town where you can get a dish of Home-Made Ice Cream. 42

JACK JOHNSON MAY STAY IN JAIL A MONTH

Chicago, July 26.—Jack Johnson's hope of early freedom under bond was considerably dimmed tonight after every effort of his friends and attorneys to obtain his release had failed.

Indications are that the former world's heavyweight champion, who fled to Europe six years ago after being fined \$1,000 and sentenced to Leavenworth penitentiary for a year and a day, for violation of the Mann act, may remain in jail at Joliet for a month.

Judge Samuel Alschuler of the United States District Court, today refused to hear an application for bail because Judge Carpenter, who sentenced Johnson, is in the city and the case should come before him. Johnson's attorneys went to Judge Carpenter's home, where the Judge is recovering from an operation, but were unable to get a hearing. The Judge told them he might not be back to his office for a month or more.

At the Joliet jail Johnson held court today. A crowd gathered outside and the negro was permitted to come to the door. Johnson has a private cell and is permitted to send out for his meals. He was visited during the day by his white wife, his sisters and Frank Johnson, his brother, of Chicago.

NEW FORD Touring Car for sale—immediate delivery—Robt. Schlittler.

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OF THE

Guaranty State Bank

Graham, Texas

At Close of Business, June 30, 1920

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$173,130.02	Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Bills of Exchange	587.05	Undivided Profits	1,187.02
Furniture and Fixtures	5,995.83	DEPOSITS	185,547.60
Guaranty Fund	750.00		
Other Resources	114.57	TOTAL	\$211,735.22
Cash and Exchange	31,157.75		
TOTAL	\$211,735.22		

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT, ARTHUR MAULDIN, CASHIER

Deposits February 28th	\$143,797.53
Deposits May 4th	181,508.71
Deposits June 30th	185,547.60

FIVE MONTHS AND THREE DAYS OLD

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J. T. COLEMAN, President; Also President Guaranty State Bank, Caddo, Texas	C. M. GALEY, Assistant Cashier
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After September 15, 1920, the subscription price will be advanced to Two Dollars per year.

Read the Announcement on the First Page of This Issue

BAILEY AND NEFF IN SECOND PRIMARY

The present outlook is that the total vote cast in the Democratic primary election last Saturday will not be much in excess of 440,000. This is based upon estimates made today by the Texas Election Bureau. Nearly 400,000 votes are so far accounted for. Mr. Bailey is still in the lead and has increased over Neff until it is now approximately 5,000. There seems to be no chance for Neff to gain in the remainder of the count enough votes to give him first place in the class. Bailey and Neff will go into the run-off primary August 28 in the order named.

Each of the two candidates who failed to get into the second primary election of the Democrats for Governor yesterday declared their intention to support Neff, the second man in the race, who will compete with Bailey in the second primary, to be held August 28.

In addition to the statements of

Thomason and Looney, the third and fourth men in the race, there were few outstanding developments in the party situation yesterday. Bailey will open in Dallas Friday with a well advertised meeting. Following these opening meetings in Dallas, the second campaign will begin in earnest and the voters of the Democratic party in Texas will be privileged to hear a good many speeches and many arguments as to the respective merits of Ex-Senator Bailey and Pat M. Neff. Both Mr. Thomason and Mr. Looney have signified their intention to support Mr. Neff. We give below the statements of both defeated candidates.

Mr. Thomason says: "I am deeply grateful to my friends for their generous support. I have no excuses or apologies to make for my defeat. The Democrats have spoken and their verdict is cheerfully accepted. I am pleased to have the generous support that was accorded me in all sections of Texas. In the run-off election my

friends, of course, are privileged to support the man of their choice.

"As for myself I do not wish anybody to misunderstand my position.

"In view of the fight I made in Cooke county as well as in behalf of the National Democratic administration, I can not support Mr. Bailey.

"Regardless of developments in the recent campaign, I place the interest of my State and the success of the Democratic party above everything else.

"I shall therefore support Mr. Neff for Governor.

"I will take no active part in the next primary. I am going back to El Paso, where I will resume my connection with my law firm. I am going to give Mr. Neff my vote and urge my friends to give him the same consideration.

"It is impossible to thank all my friends for their kindness and appreciation shown me, but I want to convey this message to all: Vote for the man whose principles are for the betterment of Texas. Study Mr. Neff's qualifications and do the same concerning Mr. Bailey. You will see a vast difference. Then vote according to your own good judgment."

Mr. Looney can not support Bailey. He says: "I would no more think of supporting Bailey than any other enemy who has tried to destroy the Democratic party. He has forfeited all claims on Democrats. His triumph would be the triumph of forces in government that I have opposed all my life. Certainly I will not surrender now. In order to stop speculation as to my position I make this definite statement."

GOOD DRINKS

Mr. C. Adams, owner and proprietor of the Graham Bottling Works, was kind enough to leave a case of his soda pop with The Leader for this week.

A short time ago Mr. Adams left a case for the boys and it was appreciated so much that he repeated the kindness again this week. He puts out good drinks and The Leader appreciates his visits.

PROPOSED CHARTER CARRIES

The election yesterday at the city hall for the proposed charter for the city of Graham carried by a big majority.

There 170 votes cast and only 13 votes were registered against the proposed charter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atchison, July 28, a new boy.

Miss Pearl Matthews, is on a visit with relatives in McKinney.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OUTLINES PLANS

The annual membership initiation of local citizens in the Graham Chamber of Commerce started Thursday morning.

A board of "equalization" chosen by the Chamber of Commerce directors Tuesday met in session Wednesday and compiled a list of prospective members and indicated as nearly as possible the amount members ought to pay this year. This amount is based on last year's subscription.

This is to be the most successful year the Graham Chamber has ever had according to reports in general, and is due principally, it is said, to the fact that the city is more prosperous and has brighter prospects than ever before.

With the immense development that has been started in the oil field of this district have come unprecedented expenditures in this locality. The Graham Chamber of Commerce expects to be ready for all demands the city makes of her. And it is said that a greater interest and more universal co-operation in Chamber of Commerce work is being manifested this year than at any previous time in the history of the organization.

This year the Chamber of Commerce is going to raise \$1,000 per month, at least this is the goal. Good roads, advertising, railroads, parks, gas, public service corporations and other desired things are to receive the attention and wherever necessary funds of the Chamber of Commerce. All contributors to the support of this Chamber of Commerce are to be able at all times to discuss and know what the funds are being spent for.

The membership drive this year is going to be the most successful the Chamber of Commerce has ever had, because more people are interested and actually taking part. According to Secretary Gilmartin, the policy of the organization this year is an open one. Members, and for that matter, all Graham citizens, are to know at all times what is going on. He states that Chamber of Commerce work is most successful when politics, personal prejudices and cliques are set aside and everybody asked to boost. And indeed public sentiment is in hearty accord with the Chamber of Commerce this year.

Everybody in the city shares the good fortune of Graham. Property owners have the values of their property enhanced. Non-property owners enjoy the conveniences of a large city. Chamber of Commerce activities are for the rich and poor, young and old

D. E. STIMSON

Office by Dolman Hotel

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alike; no man takes precedence. Everybody in Graham ought to lend his efforts to gain a large ambitious membership for the Chamber of Commerce for the ensuing year.

WATERMELONS

Chas. Malone receives the famous Parker county watermelons regularly. He has on hand all the time ripe fresh melons. Another melon or money refunded if not ripe. He guarantees a square deal. McCain Building, N. E. corner square. 48p.

F. W. Holder, of Breckenridge, and H. L. Thornton, of Ranger, are in the city this week opening up an insurance office. Mr. Thornton will have charge of the Graham office.

Lee Johnson and family, of Winters, are in the city visiting D. R. Smith.

A. LeSage, Cuero, Texas, has been added to The Leader's growing subscription list.

Will Tiffin and wife and W. H. Reeves, of Loving, were business visitors to Graham yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moreland are the proud parents of a new girl born July 24.

For Job Work call HILLIARD and WESLEY TAYLOR, Ind Phone No. 4-1s. 48-59p

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