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Women at Suffrage Meeting All Balk at Chairmanship

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Thirty Present, Name Mrs. S Boykin, Who Didn't Attend, to Direct Temporary Organization.

In a crowd of thirty women meeting in the Ninth Street club rooms in the Continental bank building Tuesday afternoon there was not one willing to serve as temporary chairman of an equal suffrage organization.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin, who was absent, was chosen by those who themselves had declined to serve and she was not elected Wednesday morning of her election. She also is being urged to take the presidency of the permanent organization.

Mrs. Boykin said Wednesday she would call a meeting soon to perfect a permanent organization that will be ready to receive Miss Helen Todd, California suffragette, when she visits Fort Worth late in January on a suffrage campaign tour of Texas.

Mrs. Mary Wright, president of the City Federation of Women's clubs, said it was difficult to find a woman to act as temporary chairman of the suffrage organization because Fort Worth women are so busy in other affairs. Fort Worth, she said, is the only large city in the state where woman suffrage has not taken a strong hold on the women.

"Miss Annette Finnigan of Houston, president of the Texas Suffrage asso-

ciation, who was with us yesterday to direct the organization," Mrs. Wright said, "is very anxious to get North Texas organized for suffrage immediately so as to have the support of this section when the approaching legislature is asked to submit a constitu-

tional amendment providing for woman suffrage.
"South Texas already is lined up for suffrage."
"In the thirty women at the meeting yesterday there were some not affiliated with any woman's club who attended simply because they read in the newspapers that all women would be welcome. We take this as a good sign. It shows there are women interested in suffrage outside of the clubs."

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SUFFRAGISTS FORM CLUB

Twenty-Two Women and One Man Enrolled as Charter Members.

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN

Agitation Here Will Be Delayed, Meeting Decides—Time Not Yet Ripe.

The Fort Worth Equal Suffragists' Club became a reality Friday when twenty-two women and one man subscribed themselves as members at a meeting held in the Chamber of Commerce. Fort Worth is the last of the large Texas cities to organize.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected, the second Friday in each month was designated as the regular day of meeting, and through Mrs. J. J. Jarvis the hall at 706 1/2 Main street was secured as the meeting place. The constitution and by-laws of the new club will be offered for adoption at the next meeting.

Mrs. Boykin President.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin, by reason of her leadership in launching the club movement, was chosen unanimously as first president of the club. Other officers elected were as follows: First vice president, Mrs. Mary E. Wright; second vice president, Mrs. E. J. Hosey; recording secretary, Mrs. Dora Garrett; corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. J. Bisco; treasurer, Mrs. J. J. Jarvis.

The charter membership of the club is as follows:

- Mrs. John Rounsaville, Mrs. Henry C. Lazenby, Mrs. W. F. Stubbs, Mrs. Robert A. Caruthers, Mrs. W. W. Mars, Mrs. E. J. Hosey, Mrs. D. F. Carlson, Mrs. M. J. Bisco, Mrs. J. J. Jarvis, Miss Edith Hosey, Miss Inez Bowman, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. John D. Jarratt, Mrs. Mary L. Wright, Mrs. C. E. Nannye, Mrs. Dora R. Garrett, Mrs. Jennie Stewart, Mrs. J. B. Roberts, Mrs. Mattie Newsom, Mrs. Charles Scheuber, Mrs. Ida L. Turner, Mrs. Howard M. Peirce and W. G. Byrne.

"The purpose of this club is educational," said Mrs. Boykin, in accepting the presidency. "We have no militant ideas to exploit nor any great reforms to make just at the present. We are banded together to work for the advancement of the people in general and we believe this can best be accomplished by giving the woman the ballot."

The club decided that this would not be an opportune time for inviting Miss Helen Todd of California to come here to give public talks on woman's suffrage. Miss Todd will be in Texas the latter part of January and early in February under auspices of the state association of suffragist clubs. Fort Worth was offered two days of her time, but a majority of members were of the opinion that at the present time there is no call for violent agitation for the suffragist movement.

To Postpone Agitation.

Speakers agreed that later on when the club has become more firmly established and its membership increased, the time will be ripe for spreading the doctrine more thoroughly and attempting to secure men members.

"You are fortunate in having as many women present at the organization meeting," said Mrs. Howard M. Peirce of Chicago, who joined the club. Mrs. Peirce has for many years been a member of the Chicago Women's Political Equal Suffrage League and is chairman of the ways and means committee one of its most powerful committees.

"Many of the biggest and best clubs in the country began with less than a dozen members," she told the Fort Worth suffragists. Mrs. Peirce outlined briefly the methods pursued by the 2,000 suffrage club women in Chicago, which have been successful in getting votes for women in city elections.

EQUAL SUFFRAGE CLUB FORMED.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin, President, Says Its Purpose Educational. 1915

Special to The News.
Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 8.—A Fort Worth Equal Suffrage Club was organized today, with twenty-two women and one man as charter members. The meeting was held at the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin was elected president; Mrs. Mary E. Wright, first vice president; Mrs. E. J. Hosey, second vice president; Mrs. Dora Garrett, recording secretary; Mrs. M. J. Bisco, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. J. J. Langever, treasurer.

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Agitation Planned.

March 1913

Dr. Anna Shaw Predicts Men of South Will Disapprove of Anti-Suff Congressmen

Famous Woman Campaigner, Here Tonight, Began Career as Preacher in Mass.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, the first suffrage lecturer of note to visit Fort Worth, ambled amiably across the lobby of the Westbrook hotel Wednesday at noon. She signed her name on the register in a firm round hand—"Anna H. Shaw, N. Y."—and reaching room 100 in company with Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president of the local suffrage club, and Mrs. C. A. Garrett, secretary, removed her little hat, smiled and gave vent to a thoroughly feminine.

"Whew! What a relief!"

Removal of the hat revealed instead of short hairs, a head of silky gray hairs gathered into a tidy Psyche knot—just the kind of hair adornment a man likes to see his mother wear.

Only Fight—Votes for Women.

"We've only got one fight—that's to get votes for women," said Dr. Shaw, settling back comfortably in a rocker. Her sixty-eight years faded into the background as she began on the subject which has been her main object for thirty-five years.

"I expect to see national suffrage within ten years," she continued brightly. "We have a good comeback cudgel to the position taken by Southern congressmen who refused to submit the question to national vote, on the ground that it is a state question. All we have to say is—let the question be submitted by states. Then we'll show that there is sympathy for equal suffrage among the Southern men. I've found it everywhere I've been—the Carolinas and here. I expect to see it written in the platforms of the big local parties before long. I expect to live to see suffrage a fact."

Dr. Shaw unblushingly admitted her 68 years.

"I started out as a preacher in Massachusetts," she said. "I was born in England and came to this country at the age of 4. My parents thought it was awful that I should become a Methodist Protestant preacher. I was refused a charge by the Methodist Episcopal church. My parents were Unitarians and they were dreadfully shocked because I left their faith. I was born with a fair intellect and I don't believe any one with intelligence will deny that women have the right to have a voice in the management of their own affairs."

Not Ashamed of Age.

"Of course, I don't mind telling you that I'm 68 years old. But I don't believe that it's necessary for a man or woman to tell their ages. It has gotten to a point nowadays where a man over 45 and a woman over 35 isn't wanted, no matter how capable they may be. I think the only question necessary to establish one's right to citizenship on the question of age, is the answer that one is 21 years of age or over. That should be the only concern as to age."

Dr. Shaw's optimism on the suffrage question extends even to Texas, where she is delving in virgin soil. But her clear-sighted view of the general situation doesn't overlook New Jersey, New York, Delaware and Pennsylvania, where the question is to be voted upon next fall.

"It's unfortunate that New Jersey should be the first state of the quartet where the question is to be decided upon, for New Jersey is the least of all states in state pride," Dr. Shaw declared. "I take it the reason is that New Jersey is made up mostly of



DR. ANNA HOWARD SHAW.

Men No Longer Hoot.

"I don't find men ready to hoot at suffrage, as they were a few years ago," she commented. "They are listeners and questioners. They're the kind of men I've given my whole life to attract their attention. I don't care two hurrahs for the pamphlets that are sent out against me by some of the antis, particularly the women. Why, there's a woman in Brownsville, whose husband is notorious as a politician. She sent out literature making me out as a militant, and—oh, well, so many different kinds of things that if they were true, I couldn't have any standing. The only true thing she said, was that we haven't taken any stand on the liquor question, which is absolutely true. The suffrage question merely involves the right of women to vote and to decide for themselves. Prohibition is a local question. I, however, was charged in the same pamphlet with having led a suffrage meeting in which a W. C. T. U. woman was excluded, as a matter of fact I was one of the first members of the W. C. T. U., and before the W. C. T. U. I fought against liquor. That, however, is merely an incident. My fight is for suffrage and I expect to see an accomplishment of the fact before I die."

Dr. Shaw is president of the National Association of Equal Suffragists.

She looks so motherly that Mrs. Boykin, first president of the newly formed Suffrage Club of Fort Worth, smiled through her blue eyes like a timid child as she looked at the venerable, yet vivacious suffragette Wednesday.

"We need more like you, Mrs. Boykin," said Dr. Shaw. "We don't want militancy. That isn't right or proper. We simply want the men to know that we are human beings and that with their love for women, children and homes, they must include respect for woman's intelligence."

Dr. Shaw will talk at the Chamber of Commerce at 8:30 tonight.

"We made it a bit late so that the church-goers could get around," said Mrs. Boykin.

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THE LATE DR. ANNA HOWARD SHAW

Member Executive Committee League to Enforce Peace, Honorary President National American Woman Suffrage Association, Chairman Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense.



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Suffrage Club Will Spend Year Planning Big Fight

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MRS. STANLEY BOYKIN.



Chairman Will Be Named in Each Ward of City to Conduct Membership Campaign.

Members of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage Club will devote the ensuing year to an educational campaign preparatory to a real fight for the vote to be staged in 1917 when the Thirty-fifth legislature will meet. This was the declaration of Mrs. Stanley Boykin, 1709 South Adams street, president of the club, Monday. She outlined plans for the year as follows:

Plans for Year.

Educational campaign to be continued in preparation for the big campaign of 1917, when, it is hoped, suffrage will sweep the country.

Membership campaign to be launched, the president to appoint a chairman for each ward in the city.

Members to take up course of study on "Laws governing women and children," as prepared by law department of State University.

Regular meetings to be held.

The first year of organized suffrage in Fort Worth has been a distinctive triumph, according to the report Mrs. Boykin will submit at the annual meeting to be held Jan. 21.

New officers will be elected then.

Accomplishments of Year.

The success of the club is

vouched for by the following accomplishments of the past year, she declared:

They are no longer called "suffs" or "suffragettes" in Fort Worth.

Trend of public opinion changed so that Fort Worth knows all suffragists are not militants.

Visit of Dr. Anna Shaw a great success.

Membership of club increased from 22 members to 115 members.

Review of Year.

In reviewing the work of the year, Mrs. Boykin said there was no question but the prejudice which existed in Fort Worth against suffrage had been overcome by the work of the Fort Worth Suffrage Club. Lack of regular meeting place has been a handicap, she says, but the club hopes to remedy this condition in the near future.

Present officers of the club are: President, Mrs. Boykin; first vice president, Mrs. Mary L. Wright; second vice president, Mrs. E. J. Hosey; treasurer, Mrs. J. J. Jarvis; recording secretary, Mrs. C. C. Garrett; corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. J. Bischo.

PLEA FOR AID TO PLAYGROUND SYSTEM MADE TO PARK BOARD

Members of a number of civic organizations and women's clubs pleaded with the Park Board Friday to continue its donation of \$500 a month to the Public Playgrounds until some permanent policy for their support could be worked out.

Following speeches by a number from the delegation, which was appointed at a meeting at the First Christian Church several days ago, members of the board declared themselves in sympathy with the movement and expressed their willingness to confer further with a specially appointed committee. Lack of funds was the only reason for a discontinuation of the monthly allowance the delegation was told.

Present at the meeting were City Commissioner Wiggins, B. W. Couch, Hubb Diggs and Superintendent of Parks Conway. Mrs. Charles W. Scheuber acted as chairman of the playgrounds delegation. Others present were Harry J. Adams, Glenn Walker, Dr. E. H. Eckel, Marvin D. Evans, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. Chalmers Hutchinson, Mrs. D. C. Webb Jr. and representatives from a number of women's clubs.

Want Permanent System.

A plea, not only for a temporary continuation of the \$500 contribution, but for a permanent recreational program by the Park Board was advocated by Mrs. Scheuber.

"What we need is a system of playgrounds under the supervision of a trained worker that will furnish means of recreation not only for the children but for every citizen of Fort Worth," she told the board.

Similar sentiments were expressed by Mrs. Boykin, Mrs. Webb, Glenn Walker and others. Dr. Eckel urged the playgrounds as a solution of the Sunday recreation question.

"The proper use of the parks on Sunday might be one means of solving a vexatious question," he declared.

Commissioner Wiggins as chairman of the Park Board told the delegation that the department was now heavily overdrawn and that it probably would be \$80,000 in arrears before the new taxes come in.

"We're in sympathy with the playgrounds movement but it's a question of finances," he asserted. Other members of the board echoed his statement.

Defends Cadet Corps.

Hubb Diggs disagreed with Mrs. Scheuber during the course of the argument over the cadets.

"I consider the Cadet Corps a most important adjunct of the city's institutions," he told her when she intimated that money spent on the corps could be used with more benefit for the playgrounds.

Conway told the gathering one reason the Park Department had felt itself aggrieved over the School Board's failure to contribute anything to the playgrounds was that at no time had the board made any statement or report of its expenditure of the funds turned over by the department.

The committee to confer further with the Park Board is composed of Mrs. Scheuber, Glenn Walker, Harry Adams and Ferd Moore.

Woman Opening Equal Suffrage Fight in Fort Worth Wants Equal Reforms Also

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Boykin Admits, However, Some Problems Should Be Left to Men.

WHAT LOCAL SUFFRAGETTES HOPE TO ACCOMPLISH.

- To secure through passage of a bill in the state legislature for equal suffrage.
- Passage of a compulsory education bill for the state.
- A law fixing minimum working hours per day for women in keeping with the minimum working hours for men.
- Arouse interest of not only club women, but "home bodies," in suffrage.
- General legislation along lines tending to the moral uplift and betterment of living conditions for women and children.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin, who heads the equal suffrage movement in Fort Worth, believes two real issues are at stake. They are:

Compulsory education and a minimum working hour for women.

Mrs. Boykin is a statuesque blonde young woman that down Easterners typify in their mind's eye as expressive of Texas. She has the physical equipment that most of her Eastern sisters, mentally her equal, crave. But Mrs. Boykin is more modest in her wants than are advocates of woman suffrage in other sections of the globe. Whereas they want to dabble in affairs political of every imaginable phase, Mrs. Boykin is content that the first work of the newly organized Fort Worth Equal Suffrage Club shall be for the uplift of women and children.

Husband a Suff, Too.

The general impression existing in communities where woman's suffrage is yet a new idea, that suffragettes are single women and militant has long been exploded where suffrage is an issue. Mrs. Boykin is an ideal exponent of the modern theory that the suffragette is built of something more tangible than a fad or fancy of women who have nothing else to occupy their minds.

For instance: Mrs. Boykin has two children to care for besides a neat little home at 1709 Adams avenue. And she is a club woman who does things first and talks about them only when she is questioned. But the best asset Mrs. Boykin counts is a two-fisted, up-standing husband-attorney who is in thorough sympathy with the plan to give women the right to vote.

Unfairness in Hours.

"If women could vote we would have long ago had a compulsory education law," said Mrs. Boykin, Saturday. "Legislators don't pay any attention to the women because they can't vote. If they did, the men who now hold office would long ago have given us a law that would guarantee education for our children. Just think of the stigma that Texas has on it—one of the five ignorant states. That's what they call us. Then, too, we have prided ourselves on a law that gives men an eight-hour day, while certain classes of women are allowed a nine-hour day, or fifty-four hours a week. Others, particularly laundry girls, are allowed to work eleven hours a day. Do you call that fair?"

As for prohibition, Mrs. Boykin doesn't favor any plan that would have bearing on the liquor question—at least not for the present.

"I think it's more or less a question for the men to settle," she said. "They've been fighting booze and fighting over it for a long time. I don't think the liquor question concerns us for the time being."

Mrs. Boykin has jumped into a fight that most women in Texas, particularly in Fort Worth, have shied at. She realizes that the local work will be along missionary lines and is prepared to take the hard licks pioneers in any movement must take.



MRS. STANLEY BOYKIN.

"I don't expect that many women will respond to the first call," she said, "but I do believe there is a strong feeling among the women of the city for suffrage. I've had encouragement from least expected quarters—particularly from women who are not identified with any of the clubs. Understand, please, that this club stands independent of all other clubs. The movement wants the assistance of all women, whether they are club women or not. It wants the backing of fair, thinking men, and sooner or later we'll get it."

Expect Defeat in Beginning.

"We are going to ask the coming legislature to pass a bill giving women equal suffrage. Frankly, I don't believe we'll get it this coming session. But it won't be a joke as it has been in the past. Suffrage has become an issue in Texas and we are prepared now to put our shoulders to the wheel and fight for progress as the women in other cities are doing."

"There is a stronger sentiment for suffrage among Fort Worth women than is generally credited. Suffrage has been backward in Fort Worth because of the timidity of the women who really believe in it. They have been slow to express themselves because most of the leading club women in the past have been elderly women who were born and reared under conditions that precluded any such idea as votes for women. But you'll see that this order will be changed in Texas. Miss Annette Finnigan, president of the state association, who was here during the past week firmly believes that Texas will be the next state to grant equal suffrage."

Movement Week Old.

The club was born of a recent visit here by Miss Finnigan, the first missionary to preach the doctrine of equal suffrage. She talked to members of the Ninety-Three Club and visitors. The Fort Worth association was immediately formed and Mrs. Boykin was brave enough to accept the job of guiding it. She expects ample assistance, however, from Mrs. Mary Wright, president of the Women's Federation of Clubs.

There are approximately 500 club women in the city. Of that number, Mrs. Boykin believes that possibly 100

may be interested at the beginning and that others will join later. Many women who have not been identified with any club work are expected to find time to help the suffragette movement.



Mrs. Stanley Boykin, President Fort Worth Council of Mothers.

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WORTH STAR-TELEGRAPH

SUFFRAGISTS PLANNING TO STUDY LAW

Course Will Be a Feature of
Campaign to Add Mem-
bers to Club Here.

LECTURES PROPOSED

Noted Attorneys Will Be Asked
to Discuss Need of "Votes
for Women."

Plans for a membership campaign and law course during the fall and winter are being formulated by Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage Club and other officers, it was announced Thursday.

The membership campaign will not only be directed toward recruiting women who believe in "votes for women," but will also be an effort to secure men members who believe in the movement. The club, with about twenty charter members, organized less than a year ago and has grown to sixty, of which ten are men.

Will Invite Men.

A personal letter will be sent to practically every prominent business man in Fort Worth, inviting him to join the club and a rousing noon-day meeting and luncheon will be held in one of the local hotels early in October, Mrs. Boykin said.

Mrs. B. J. Cunningham, of Galveston, president of the state organization, is expected to attend the opening fall meeting. Mrs. Tex Armstrong, president of the Dallas club; Mrs. John Davis, state secretary and secretary of the Dallas club, and Miss Kate Hunter of Palestine have signified their intention of being present. Miss Hunter was recently a visitor here while touring the state in an effort to organize clubs in the smaller towns.

To Take Extension Course.

A law course will be taken by the local club, under the extension bureau of the State University. It provides a course by mail, dealing especially with state laws affecting women and children. The bureau will send Judge B. D. Tarleton here to deliver one or more lectures.

Mrs. Boykin favors having some of the foremost lawyers of the city address the club at certain periods. It is probable the club will hold weekly or bi-weekly meetings at noon for the purpose of stimulating interest in the suffrage cause.

"We are preparing to join with other clubs of the state in wakening Texas up to the needs of equal suffrage and our campaign will be as vigorous as determined women can make it," declared Mrs. Boykin.

The club is without headquarters or a meeting place at present, the old meeting place donated by Mrs. J. J. Jarvis, treasurer, having been leased for permanent quarters for a mercantile business. The club will probably take the matter up at its first meeting.

RS. PENNYBACKER GIVEN BANQUET AT FORT WORTH

CLUB WOMAN DEPLORES IDEA OF
SEXES OPPOSING EACH OTHER.

Says It Is Pitiful Way One Faction
Tears Down Work of Another
in State.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 25.—The duty of parents to train their girls how to spend money to the best advantage and the value of co-operation between men and women in building homes and cities were discussed by Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker of Austin, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, at a banquet at the Westbrook Cafe, given in her honor by the Fort Worth Federation tonight. The banquet was attended by 200 women and 150 men.

Mrs. Pennybacker was greeted with a round of applause as she mounted the speaker's stand. She prefaced her talk with an earnest expression of "thanks for the many kindnesses Fort Worth citizens have extended her for many years."

"Do you know just where Fort Worth stands?" she asked. "What Fort Worth is its citizens have made it. There is need for the development of individual responsibility. Men and women should work together. There is something pathetic about the way women attack large civic problems. Don't you men think our ice cream suppers and our appeals for subscriptions are pathetic? A woman appreciates the help and advice of her husband in regard to some of her weighty club problems, especially when they deal with civic improvements. Men and women are brought closer together by a community interest."

Dinner Table Plans.

Mrs. Pennybacker talked about the advisability of discussing problems and starting improvements over dinner tables. She said that people who break bread together feel differently toward each other. She explained the advantage of having the citizens, men and women, of a community working together to some tangible, clearly-defined goal.

"It is pitiful in Texas and in the United States, the vast amount of things builded by one faction and torn down by another," she said. She made an earnest plea for all men and women to join hands and co-operate in the building of a city that is beautiful, clean, well-governed and with splendid educational and spiritual facilities.

Mrs. Pennybacker asked two men to define the Federation of Women's Clubs, the purpose of the club and gave them one minute in which to answer.

Dr. H. A. Boaz, president of the Texas Woman's College, answered: "The Texas Federation of Women's Clubs stands for everything best in our social, civic and educational life. It stands for an improved condition for our people and is endeavoring to lift them up to a very high ideal."

Sam Davidson said: "What the ladies of Fort Worth have done since the establishment of our public library down to the present date entitles them to all the credit that can be given. I agree with Dr. Boaz."

Divides Girls Into Classes.

"What are you fathers and mothers doing today to train your girls to spend 85 per cent of the wealth of this country?" Mrs. Pennybacker asked. She divided girls into three classes in regard to the way they receive money. The first girl receives all the money she wants whenever she wants it, and gives the world nothing in return for it. She called this girl a "parasite." The second set of girls receive no stipulated amount of money. Some of these girls beg it and persuade their parents to give it them, and some of them dread to ask for it.

Good Dinner Gets \$10.

Mrs. Pennybacker told a story about a girl whose father refused to give her \$5 one morning. The girl served a good dinner, after which she seated herself on the arm of his chair, kissed him on the top of his head and used a few endearing expressions. Then she asked for \$10 and got it.

She said that she pities the girl who is timid about asking for money. She told about a girl who went through college doing without many of the things she needed, because her father continually preached economy to her. Soon after she graduated, her father died leaving to her an estate worth \$1,000,000.

"Then there is the girl who is given a small amount of money and urged to see how much she can buy with it," said Mrs. Pennybacker. "This girl learns how to spend money and she learns the value of money. We do not want our sons' wives to squander their husbands' incomes. Then what right have we to rear girls who are incapable of spending money judiciously and economically?"

Mrs. Pennybacker's address was short. She told a number of humorous stories, most of them aptly illustrating some point she wished to impress upon her audience. She was accorded the undivided and continuous attention of the assemblage.

Mrs. Mary Wright, president of the Fort Worth Federation of Women's Clubs, acted as toastmaster. Short addresses were made by United States District Attorney James C. Wilson, Mrs. George Clayton, Dr. Bacon Saunders, Mrs. M. P. Bewley and Mrs. Stanley Boykin.

90,000 MEMBERS RED CROSS GOAL IN FORT WORTH AND TARRANT CO.

Preliminary organization of the workers who are to handle the Victory Campaign for the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call was effected at a meeting of the executive committee Friday at headquarters in the Bankers Club, 830 1/2 Houston Street. The meeting was called by C. A. Wheeler, chairman of the committee. The campaign will open on Dec. 16, and close Dec. 23. Tarrant County has been assigned a quota of 90,000 members to be obtained during the week.

The Victory Campaign differs from all other campaigns that have been staged in that it is not a monetary one. Every man, woman and child in the county is desired as a member. Every membership will carry with it ten of the Red Cross Christmas seals that have been sold at a cent each in former years at Christmas time. They will not be offered for sale this year and will be given only to members of the American Red Cross. The annual dues are \$1.

Will Ask Sermons.

Pastors of churches throughout the United States will be asked to devote Sunday, Dec. 15, the day before the campaign opens, to the drive. It is expected that the ministers will preach special sermons on the Victory Campaign.

Those who will be out of town during the week of the campaign are urged to send in their subscriptions to the headquarters in the Bankers Club, where they will be received by A. T. Lowry, secretary of the executive committee.

The booths downtown will be in charge of Mrs. Ben O. Smith Jr., Mrs. Dan Lydick will have charge of getting memberships in the schools and colleges.

Field Marshals Named.

The following were appointed field marshals at the meeting of the committee: Mrs. D. C. Webb Jr., Mrs. Ben O. Smith Jr., Miss Ella Bideker, Mrs. I. Brown, Dan Lydick, H. I. Ferree, Stanley Boykin, S. D. Hill, Paul Palmer and Morgan Bryan.

W. A. Grimes and W. T. Fry will be the marshals for the business section.

The members of the executive committee are: C. A. Wheeler, chairman; Morris E. Berney, vice chairman; Alex Cobden, vice chairman; A. T. Lowry, secretary; Jesse M. Brown, county; John N. Sparks, North Side; Max K. Mayer, finance; A. L. Shuman, publicity; R. P. Milan, speakers; W. B. Padlock, four-minute speakers; William Monig Sr., Mrs. W. T. Fry, Mrs. Marshall Spoons, Mrs. E. L. Stephens, Mrs. J. D. Young, George Clifford, street cars; Frank H. Bardon, press agent.

BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

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EQUAL SUFFRAGE LEAGUE RE-ELECTS OLD OFFICERS



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Reading from left to right: Mrs. M. J. Bisco, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president; Mrs. C. C. Garrett, recording secretary; Mrs. J. J. Jarvis, treasurer. The picture only shows the officers at the meeting.

Plans Are Being Made for Visit of Mrs. B. J. Cunningham, State President.

At the annual meeting of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage league held at the Westbrook Friday all the officers of the league were re-elected.

They are: Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president; Mrs. Margaret L. Wright, first vice president; Mrs. E. J. Hosey, second vice president; Mrs. C. C. Garrett, recording secretary; Mrs. J. J. Jarvis,

treasurer; Mrs. M. J. Bisco, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. Boykin announced that Mrs. M. J. Cunningham, state president, would arrive in Fort Worth on Feb. 5 and would be accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Freeman, formerly of New York state, now engaged as state organizer for Texas.

It was planned to have Mrs. Cunningham deliver a talk at some public building on the afternoon of Feb. 5 and a committee composed of Mrs. J. J. Jarvis and Mrs. J. D. Jarrott was appointed to arrange for a suitable meeting place.

The secretary was requested to write H. B. Christian a letter of thanks for his kindness in extending to the league the courtesy of the Westbrook as a meeting place.

The members discussed the proposed

law course which the league intends to take up for study during the coming year and it was announced that in conjunction with the course several leading attorneys of Fort Worth had agreed to deliver talks on the subjects treated in the course of study.

These and several other matters of importance which were talked over were passed until the next meeting after Mrs. Cunningham had been here and outlined whatever plans she might have regarding the campaign for next year.

Mrs. Boykin spoke of the activity on the part of Fort Worth women in associating themselves in the affairs of the league and said that one year ago the league when organized had but twenty-two members and now boasted a membership of 125.

New members joining at Saturday's meeting were Mrs. P. A. Cox Jr., Mrs. Laura W. Maginnis, Miss Frances M. Jones, Mrs. Emily Turner and Fred Ennist.

MEETING OF WOMEN'S PARLIAMENTARY CLASS

The weekly meeting of the Women's Parliamentary Class held Friday morning in Recreation hall was the usual successful and interesting event of the week, attended by thirty-eight members, two new ones having been added to the list. Mrs. E. T. Duff read an interesting paper on the minimum wage law and Mrs. Harry Leeper read one on the fifty-four hour law.

Roberts' Rules of Order are followed in the class study, which was devoted Friday morning to "amendment to the amendment." As this is a somewhat difficult phase of the subject and not quickly grasped, Mrs. Boykin, the capable and efficient director of the class, suggested that it be taken up again at the next les-

son. Mr. Boykin's ability as a leader in parliamentary study is well known and the members of the class feel they are making splendid progress under her able direction.

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WOMEN PLANNING FOR SUFFRAGE CAMPAIGN

EQUAL SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION BOARD CALLED TO MEET IN AUSTIN ON FEB. 12.

Special to The News.

Austin, Texas, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, president of the Texas Equal Suffrage Association, arrived last evening from Washington, D. C., to begin active preparation for the State campaign for the suffrage constitutional amendment.

On Thursday next Mrs. Cunningham will go to San Antonio to be the guest of the City Federation of Women's Clubs and Miss Eleanor Brackenridge, at a suffrage luncheon planned in celebration of the progress suffrage is making.

On Wednesday, Feb. 12, Mrs. Cunningham and the wives of members of the Legislature will be honor guests at a luncheon given at the Driskill Hotel by Austin women. Women from all over the State are invited and expected for this occasion.

The following call for a board meeting has just been issued:

"The celerity and determination with which Texas men in legislative body assembled thrust aside every obstacle and unanimately opened wide the door of opportunity pleading to full enfranchisement for women of their native State is without a parallel in suffrage history.

"Whether on May 24 we enter fully into the life of political freedom and helpfulness that they have thus joined forces with us in making possible depends in a large measure upon our active participation in the approaching State-wide campaign. Because so much is dependent upon this campaign and upon formulating the most expeditious plans of bringing it to a victorious climax, you are urged to attend the regular winter meeting of the executive board of the Texas Equal Suffrage Association, which is hereby called for Wednesday morning, Feb. 12, in Austin, at the Driskill Hotel, at 10 o'clock. At this meeting the date and place of the annual convention will be decided.

"There will also be a meeting of the ratification committee of the association on the same morning, followed in the afternoon by a joint session of the executive board and the ratification committee, to which all county and city chairmen are cordially invited.

"Earnestly hoping to see you on the date appointed, cordially yours,

"MINNIE FISHER CUNNINGHAM,
"President."

Texas Equal Suffrage Association board members are: Officers, Miss M. Eleanor Brackenridge, honorary president, San Antonio; Miss Helen Moore, first vice president, Texas City; Mrs. Ed Reppert, second vice president, Dallas; Mrs. Ella Pomeroy, third vice president, Donna; Mrs. John Davis, recording secretary, Dallas; Mrs. Anna B. Cade, corresponding secretary, Chester; Mrs. Jessie Daniel Ames, treasurer, Georgetown; Mrs. Elizabeth Stribling Maury, first auditor, San Antonio; Mrs. A. N. McCallum, second auditor, Austin; Mrs. Elizabeth Herndon Potter, national executive committeeman, Tyler.

Senatorial district chairmen are: Mrs. R. P. Dorough, Texarkana; Mrs. J. N. Polk, Sulphur Springs; Mrs. L. V. DeWitt, Paris; Mrs. E. H. Hellen, Sherman; Mrs. B. F. Boydston, Greenville; Miss Frances Bothwell, Tyler; Miss Margie E. Neal, Carthage; Mrs. John Callicut, Corsicana; Mrs. J. C. Butts, Hillsboro; Mrs. W. E. Spell, Waco; Miss Fannie Reese Pugh, Hearne; Miss Kate Hunter, Palestine; Mrs. Hiram Knox, Hemphill; Mrs. C. G. Barrett, Huntsville; Mrs. E. F. Harris, Galveston; Mrs. S. L. Staples, Smithville; Mrs. S. J. Smith, Lampasas; Mrs. G. A. Rogers, San Marcos; Mrs. Jessie T. Cope, Karnes City; Miss Cora Posey, Indian Creek; Mrs. S. J. Fennell, El Paso; Mrs. William Hobby, Hamilton; Mrs. Dallas Scarborough, Abilene; Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Fort Worth.

AUSTIN SUFFRAGE LUNCHEON HELD YESTERDAY WAS BIG SUCCESS

Brilliant in the extreme was the luncheon given Wednesday at the Driskill by the Austin Suffrage Association, to launch the Statewide campaign for the ultimate success of woman suffrage in Texas. Honoring Mrs. W. P. Hobby, wife of the Governor of Texas, Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, president Texas Equal Franchise Association; Miss M. Eleanor Brackenridge, honorary president, and the wives of the Texas Legislators as honor guests of the occasion, the luncheon was one of the most elaborate affairs ever attempted by the women of Austin.

Two hundred guests were seated at the luncheon tables, decorated effectively in suffrage yellow. A delectable menu was served, while between the courses, music, song and bright toasts made up a noteworthy and memorable program.

Mrs. J. A. Jackson made a brilliant toastmistress, introducing each toast in a clever and original manner that added zest to the occasion. Grace was said by the Rev. Dr. Vinson, president of the University of Texas.

Mrs. Clarence Test sang two exquisite numbers, the second being an encore. The violin number that delighted the guests was given by Mrs. McKinnon, recently from Hillsboro. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Rice, on the piano.

To specify any toast as the toast which most appealed would almost be impossible, but perhaps the toast to Miss Brackenridge given by Miss Blanton touched most deeply. A rising tribute of respect was paid Miss Brackenridge, pioneer suffragist of Texas. To Miss Blanton's toast was added a word of appreciation from Mrs. Joseph B. Dibrell of San Antonio.

Among the out-of-town guests who were here for the luncheon were Mrs. Margaret H. Foster of Houston, Mrs. William Haddy of Hamilton, Miss Kate Hunter of Palestine, Miss Brown of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Knox of Hemphill, Mrs. Stanley Boykin of Fort Worth, Mrs. L. J. Smith of Lampasas, Mrs. Ray Whitley and Mrs. Charles Fisk of Amarillo, Mrs. Wentland and Mrs. Berry of Manor, Mrs. Spell of Waco, Mrs. W. R. Mockinson, Mrs. J. W. Ames, Miss Mary Saunders and Miss Jessie Daniels of Georgetown, Mrs. Walters of Houston, Miss Jessie Coke of Karnes City, Mrs. George A. Rogers, Mrs. Yeb Harle, Mrs. L. J. Barrett, Miss Anna Kiley and Miss Annie Polk of San Marcos, Miss Otilio Moss of Llano, Mrs. J. B. Dibrell of San Antonio.

The honor guests were Mrs. W. P. Hobby, Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Galveston, president of the State Suffrage Association; Miss Eleanor Brackenridge of San Antonio, and the wives of the members of the Legislature now in Austin, and included Mesdames C. W. Boner, W. H. Barnes, Ben L. Cox, R. L. Carlock, J. T. Canales, W. D. Cope, R. M. Dudley, John Davis, H. P. Davis, H. T. Yarborough, J. J. Strickland, Walter Caldwell, T. S. Johnson, R. E. Thomson, J. B. Peyton, George W. Dayton, Will D. Suiter, S. F. Estes, W. R. Cousins, James H. Woods, Mack Taylor, E. R. Pedigo, W. P. Alexander, S. M. Scott, W. A. Johnson, I. E. Reeves, Eugene Nordhaus, S. J. Osborne, E. Winfree, John E. Rosser, J. M. Alledice, Charles R. Floyd, R. P. Dorough, Satterwhite, A. H. King, Don A. Smith, C. R. Stephens, E. R. Bryant, H. Hill, I. D. Fairchild, John C. Roger, and Miss Annie Webb Blanton.

The following was the toast program:

Invocation, "For Thy Name's Sake Guide Me, Dr. R. E. Vinson.

Vocal solo, "Music Is Love in Search of a Word," Mrs. Clarence Test.

"The Power Behind the Throne," Mrs. A. N. McCallum.

"I Never Saw So Young a Body With So Old a Head," Mrs. Frederick E. D.

president Austin Suffrage Association.

"Laborin' men and laborin' woman, Hev one glory an' one shame; Ev'rythin' that's done inhuman Injures all on 'em the same"

—Mrs. William R. Wyse.

SUFFRAGISTS MAKE PLANS FOR VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 6.—Plans for a vigorous campaign in Fort Worth and throughout the Thirtieth State Senatorial District were made at conferences here today attended by Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Galveston, president of the Texas Equal Suffrage Association, and Mrs. August C. Hughston of New York, field counselor of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association; Mrs. Stanley Boykin of Fort Worth, chairman of the campaign committee of the Thirtieth Senatorial District, and Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the Fort Worth Suffrage Club.

The women were in conference during the morning and at 3 o'clock this afternoon plans for the campaign in Fort Worth were discussed at an open meeting of the Fort Worth club at the First Christian Church. Mrs. Cunningham made a short address, in which she told of the progress of organization work in Texas. Organization for the campaign here was deferred until next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when another meeting will be held at the First Christian Church. Mrs. Hughston will return here for that meeting and remain in Fort Worth all of next week. Precinct chairman and committees to work in all sections of the city will be named at the Saturday meeting.

Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Hughston went to Dallas this afternoon, following the meeting, and will meet with suffrage workers and officials of Dallas tomorrow.

WILL SOUND CANDIDATES AS TO SUFFRAGE STAND

MRS. B. J. CUNNINGHAM ANNOUNCES CAMPAIGN PLAN.

She and Mrs. Elizabeth Freeman of New York Touring State in Behalf of Cause.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 5.—Members of the Texas Legislature and men who hope to go to the Legislature are going to have to answer some questions from headquarters of the Texas Woman Suffrage Association before election day arrives. Chief among the questions will be, "How do you stand on the question of woman suffrage?"

This is part of a plan to cover the State as outlined today by Mrs. B. J. Cunningham of Galveston, president of the State organization, and Miss Elizabeth Freeman of New York, who has come here to aid in organization work.

In detail, the plan is to organize the State according to senatorial districts, with district, county and city chairmen and committees. It will be the duty of the committees of the districts and counties to call upon candidates and learn of the attitude toward woman suffrage. The plan was outlined at a luncheon today given by the Fort Worth Suffrage Association in honor of the two women, who are now touring the State. Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president of the local organization, was toastmaster.

This afternoon Mrs. Cunningham and Miss Freeman spoke to a large audience of suffrage enthusiasts in the First Christian Church. Miss Freeman gave a history of the suffrage movement from its beginning to the present time. Mrs. Cunningham dwelt upon the needs for suffrage of women in this State.

The two women expect to visit Gainesville, Denison, Sherman, Denton, Hico and Austin before reaching Galveston, the State headquarters.

"Where No Counsel Is the People Fall, but in Multitude of Counsellors There Is Safety," Judge Ben Greenwood.

Violin solo.

"O Music, sphere-rescended maid, Friend of Pleasure, Wisdom's aid,"—Mrs. E. McKinnon.

"She Increased More and More in Honor," Miss Annie Webb Blanton.

"Bricks of Straw," Mrs. Ames.

"Women Are the Strongest, but Above All Things Truth Beareth Away Victory," Miss Elizabeth West.

"I Am a Man and Therefore Interested in All Things Human," Chester T. Crowell.

"He Laughs Best Who Laughs Last," Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham.

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MRS. STANLEY BOYKIN, who was elected parliamentarian of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' association at a meeting of the executive board in Austin Friday.



—Photos by Bryant

Mrs. Stanley C. Boykin and her two daughters, Camilla and Clota. Mrs. Boykin last week was elected president of the Fort Worth Council of Mothers. She is an ardent suffrage worker and is taking a leading part in the suffrage campaign now being waged in Texas, being senatorial chairman of this district.

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rify the ballot and elevate politics.
"Yes, we've had a housecleaning in Texas, Mr. Chairman," interrupted Senator Lattimore.
W. B. Paddock was called on to "reveal the mystery of the now famous \$156,000."
"I don't know where the \$156,000 came from," Paddock began in answer to the invitation, "but judging from the character of the man who received it, without evidence, I would say it came from an illicit source."
He declared that on July 27 a great jury of Texas went out and came in with a ballot that found "him" guilty without a suspended sentence attached.
"And the majority was so large that they'll never get through counting it," he continued, "but if Texas has been sinned against, Texas has been hurt. Therefore, let it be forgotten except as a warning to all men and a guide to all women that he who aspires to hold that high executive place must stand for honest and fair principles. Let it go as a warning against those who have sinned against the flag."
Resolutions adopted thanked Congressman Wilson for support given President Wilson's war measures; disapproved of "disloyal utterances directed against the good name of our State University," and backed the government in its present struggle for freedom, and disapproved of a peace without victory. Members of the resolution committee were Ocie Speer, Mrs. Charles Scheuber, R. Bonna Ridgeway, S. O. Poole, W. C. Meacham and Peter Molyneaux.
Papers Thanked.
A motion was adopted extending a vote of thanks to The Star-Telegram and Dallas News for "their noble participation in the fight for Governor Hobby."

Those who nominated the state delegates were T. A. Altman, W. D. Smith, Mrs. M. S. Perkins, M. D. Evans and Mrs. Stanley Boykin.
The state delegates are: Leroy A. Smith, Mrs. E. A. Watters, O. S. Lattimore, Marvin H. Brown, R. L. Carlock, Frank N. Graves, C. K. Lee, Mrs. Mary L. Wright, Mrs. Lena Gardner, O. L. Sweet, I. W. Stephens, H. F. Saunders, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Louis J. Wortham, Dr. M. J. Bisco, Mrs. W. P. Lane, Dr. H. O. Brannon, Fritz Lanham, George W. Armstrong, Dr. Forrest Smith, M. L. Davis, I. H. Burney, D. W. Odell, J. W. Bowen, Mrs. James Swayne, Dr. J. D. Mitchell, B. K. Goree, Dr. W. H. Matthews, C. E. Farmer, Ocie Speer, Jordan Cummings, Wallace Malone, T. A. Altman, M. S. Bogert, Mrs. J. R. Walker, W. D. Smith, W. B. Paddock, R. B. Ridgeway, Mrs. Charles Scheuber, Dr. W. B. McKnight, Ben F. Dwiggin, R. F. Milam, Lloyd H. Burns, Levi Pressley, L. F. Perkins, Mrs. Della Davis, Mrs. J. V. Brewer, Dr. L. R. Scarborough, O. W. Gillespie, E. H. McKinley, Zeb Jenkins, A. L. Weatherly, Peter Molyneaux, D. M. Alexander, Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, A. H. Kirby, J. B. Merrell, Dr. H. C. Gilbert, G. T. Bludworth, Mrs. J. C. Terrell, H. D. Payne, Jim Ditto, A. B. Curtis, E. E. Bewley, Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth, J. D. Farmer, E. B. Randle, Mrs. J. W. Draughon, George C. Clarke, J. A. Hammock, Miss Bess Sargent, Mrs. J. D. Cooper, Marvin D. Evans, L. E. Utter, R. C. Fuller, M. L. Williams, A. G. Powell, T. A. Hilburn, N. A. Cunningham, Albert Hunter, E. D. Shropshire, Mrs. O. F. Carlson, H. B. Dorsey and Thomas B. Taylor.
A nominating committee consisting of Rev. Forrest Smith, Mrs. Mary Wright and W. B. Paddock selected the following for floral delegates who were accepted by the convention: Ocie Speer, Marvin Brown, O. L. Sweet, Mrs. J. Traver, R. F. Milam, W. A. Bowen, Joel East, J. W. Stitt, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, G. W. Steere, W. E. Williams, E. M. Daggett, Rev. S. W. Hickey, Mrs. C. K. Bell, Felix M. Bransford, Rev. Forrest Smith and Mrs. W. P. Lane.
Senatorial delegates were picked by A. B. Curtis, John Woods of Grapevine and W. A. Bowen. They are B. K. Goree, H. S. Saunders of Grapevine, I. H. Spradling of Arlington, James Ditto of Arlington, Dr. McKnight of Mansfield, J. R. Walker of Azle, W. R. Edgington, H. D. Payne, R. F. Milam, Mrs. O. L. Carlson, Mrs. John Booth of Arlington, Mrs. C. C. Estill of Grapevine, J. C. Smith, O. W. Gillespie, Mrs. H. F. Cooper of Polytechnic and D. M. Alexander.
Members of the congressional nominating committee were W. D. Smith, W. E. Rogers and B. K. Goree. They chose the following: Marion Sanson, C. C. Gumm, W. O. Reeves, Morgan Bryan, C. A. Wheeler, W. E. Connell, George Colvin, William Monnie, Fritz G. Lanham, J. J. Hiner, Bud Daggett, H. D. Payne, B. K. Goree, Lloyd H. Burns, M. D. Evans, L. H. Tandy, A. Hunter, Judge Bruce Young, E. H. Ratcliff, A. J. Baskin, M. W. Hovenkamp, W. C. Blalock, William A. Bowen, T. B. Gilliland, O. L. Sweet, George V. Steere, H. Saunders, Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, Mrs. J. Rounsaville, Mrs. C. S. Bell, Mrs. W. P. Lane, Mrs. Charles Scheuber, Mrs. E. S. Kuykendall, Mrs. J. V. Brewer, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. J. S. Horn, Mrs. O. F. Carlson, and Ann Shelton, Mrs. William E. ... Mrs. Lena Gardner.

SUFFRAGISTS CHANGE
NAME OF ASSOCIATION

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION TO BE
THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN
VOTERS NEXT YEAR.

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St. Louis, Mo., March 27.—The National American Woman's Suffrage Association became the League of Women Voters following the national convention here in St. Louis in February, 1920, the name having been selected today in a convention in session here. It was assumed by the association that the federal amendment will have been passed by that time.
The association, although retaining its old name for another year, is reorganized into two distinct sections, one being composed of delegates from enfranchised States and the other section being delegates from nonfranchise States. Suffrage organizations in States where women now vote are expected to assume the new name at once as "the League of Women Voters of New York," although these state organizations remain under the old name of the suffrage association.
Telegram From Wilson Read.
The feature of today's session was the reading of a telegram from President Wilson which the President sent to the convention and expressed his earnest hope that the federal amendment would be passed soon.
Raymond Robins, one of today's speakers, discussed the protection of industry. In the afternoon Mrs. Waugh McCullough of Chicago discussed the unification of State laws.

Laws pertaining to marriage and divorce, property rights, industry, morality, child welfare and elections were pointed out as laws for women to work for, the most insistent demand being for laws to protect women in industry.
The evening session was devoted to "unpublished records concerning some recent victories," in which workers in Indiana, Vermont, Nebraska, South Dakota, Michigan, Oklahoma and Texas told of the difficulties surmounted in passing franchise laws.
Directors of the national association elected today and announced this evening were:
Mrs. George Gellhorn, St. Louis; Mrs. Richard E. Edwards, Peru, Ind.; Mrs. C. H. Brooks, Wichita, Kan.; Mrs. Benjamin Hooper, Wisconsin; Mrs. Arthur L. Livermore, New York City; Mrs. J. C. Cantrell, Kentucky; Miss Esther G. Ogden, New York City; Mrs. George A. Pierson, Pennsylvania.
The message from President Wilson at Paris was as follows:
"Best wishes for convention. I earnestly hope suffrage amendment will soon be adopted."
WOODROW WILSON.
Gratified by Action at Paris.
News that woman suffrage had been recognized in the covenant of the League of Nations, as told in an Associated Press dispatch, reached the convention here just after the close of the afternoon session, but it quickly passed from delegate to delegate and there was general rejoicing.
Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the national association, was the first to see the dispatch and declared: "It is wonderful. Suffrage is recognized the world over. It could not be otherwise."
Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, honorary president of the national association and a venerable worker for suffrage, declared:
"It is splendid. People of the United States will understand what democracy means by the time the peace conference gets through and recognizes the services of women, not only recognize the services, but their intellectual counsel and experience. The world moves. The United States must hurry."

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- List of Delegates.
Delegates chosen to the state convention are:
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| W. L. Coley | Rev. Forrest Smith |
| Eibert Billington | E. B. Randle |
| Mrs. Sam J. Callaway | Walter D. Caldwell |
| Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall | Sam J. Callaway |
| Mrs. Clota Boykin | R. T. Ellis |
| Mrs. H. C. Sanders | J. J. Callaway |
| Will Sargent | L. W. Stephens |
| Mrs. Hugh Sloan | R. H. Buck |
| R. E. Neely | Dayton Moses |
| S. M. Smith | E. H. Ratcliff |
| E. E. Lowe | Mrs. Joe S. Hubbard |
| Cal Estill | B. J. Fitzgerald |
| Mrs. Lon Evans | Mrs. O. F. Carlson |
| E. T. Jenkins | P. W. Seward |
| Mrs. J. B. Ammerman | W. N. Waddell |
| Mrs. B. R. Bennett | J. J. Farrell |
| L. A. Wilke | Peter Molyneaux |
| Mack Taylor | Jesse M. Brown |
| E. J. Johns | E. B. Spiller |
| W. P. Craig | Dr. Webb Walker |
| W. A. Meacham | G. R. M. Montgomery |
| S. A. Wall | J. W. Stitt |
| W. L. George | C. F. Goodridge |
| E. T. Carr | L. F. Perkins |
| A. D. Roach | J. H. Wright |
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was definitely decided to purchase lands for a Tarrant County War Memorial in memory of the service rendered by the home boys during the war at a meeting held at the First Christian Church Friday afternoon. It was reported that options on nine sites have been secured. It is probable that one of several possible sites for the memorial will be secured on the Trinity bluff in the vicinity of the Courthouse and Criminal Courts building.
The meeting was well attended. W. A. Hanger, chairman of the Tarrant County War Memorial Association, presided. Talks were made by Judge Hugh L. Small, Louis J. Wortham, Dr. George Fox, Mrs. Charles Scheuber and Mrs. Stanley Boykin. All of the speakers declared that steps should be taken immediately to erect some memorial in memory of the service the Tarrant soldiers gave during the world war.
It was not determined at the gathering just what kind of memorial will be built. That feature will be worked out after the site is secured and property parked.

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MRS. BOYKIN IS VOTE CHAIRMAN IN THIS DISTRICT

Mrs. Stanley Boykin has accepted the appointment as chairman of the Thirtieth Senatorial District for the Texas Equal Suffrage Association. This district includes Tarrant, Parker, Hood and Somervell Counties. The district chairman is also a member of the State Executive Board and the Ratification Committee.

Mrs. Boykin will appoint county chairmen at an early date.

In her letter asking Mrs. Boykin to accept this appointment, Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, State president, wrote: "We believe we are approaching the close of our work in Texas. We have almost full suffrage and the ratification of the Federal Amendment is our next big task. We are hopeful that we may face this last stint of work with a fully organized State, that is, a full quota of elected State officers, thirty-one senatorial district chairmen, 253 county chairmen and a ratification committee which shall include all of these and the heads of all women's organizations of Statewide importance. We feel that ratification under these circumstances will be almost automatic."

Suffrage Leaders Coming.

Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, state president of the Equal Suffrage association of Texas, and Mrs. Houston, a national worker being sent to Texas by the National association, will be at the Westbrook on Thursday.

They will hold a conference with Mrs. Stanley Boykin, senatorial chairman of the Thirtieth district, and Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage association, Thursday morning, and plans will be discussed for the constitutional amendment which will be submitted on May 24, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the First Christian church. There will be an open meeting of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage association, with Mrs. Cunningham as the principal speaker, to which the public is cordially invited.

MRS. STANLEY BOYKIN BECOMES DISTRICT SUFFRAGE CHAIRMAN.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 13.—Mrs. Stanley Boykin has accepted the appointment as chairman of the Thirtieth Senatorial District for the Texas Equal Suffrage Association and will appoint county chairmen at an early date.

Mrs. Boykin was appointed by Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, State president. Four counties are included in the district.

FOUR CADETS OF BARRON

MRS. BOYKIN NAMED SUFFRAGE CHAIRMAN

Mrs. Stanley Boykin was appointed senatorial chairman of the Thirtieth District, embracing Tarrant County, and three neighboring counties at a meeting of the Texas Equal Suffrage Association Wednesday. At the meeting plans were made for the campaign May 24, when the constitutional amendment would be submitted.

Mrs. Boykin will have charge of the plans for her district and will be assisted by county chairmen and under chairmen.

MONDAY, MARCH 17,

COUNTY CHAIRMEN FOR SUFFRAGE VOTE NAMED BY LEADER

Mrs. Stanley Boykin and Mrs. A. C. Hughston will go to Weatherford Tuesday to organize Parker County woman's suffrage. Mrs. Boykin is the district chairman and Mrs. Hughston is a worker from New York.

Mrs. C. F. Drake is the chairman for Parker County. All of the organizing is being done in preparation for the vote on the constitutional amendment May 24.

Mrs. Boykin has appointed Mrs. E. L. Milam chairman for Somervell County and Mrs. L. G. Waltrip of Granbury for Hood County.

Mrs. H. A. Harris is the chairman for Tarrant County and Mrs. R. Bonna Ridgway, secretary. Mrs. Harris is trying to obtain chairmen in each of the Tarrant voting precincts. Mrs. Boykin, Mrs. Hughston and Mrs. Harris will make a tour of the county soon to organize each precinct.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin,
Publicity Chairman



DE ZAVALA SCHOOL FORMS HOBBY CLUB

An enthusiastic Hobby club was organized at the De Zavala school Friday night. There was a big attendance and every man and woman present placed their names on the roll.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin presided and introduced the speakers, W. B. Paddock and A. H. Kirby.

Hal F. Perkins was elected chairman; Mrs. Boykin, vice-chairman, and I. S. Griggs, secretary.

Another meeting of the club is scheduled for Tuesday night at which there will be speaking.

MEETING OF GENERAL COMMITTEE CALLED

Senatorial Chairman:
MRS. STANLEY BOYKIN
1709 South Adams Street

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Charming personality, sincerity in their belief in the cause of suffrage and a thorough knowledge of the subject featured the addresses of Mrs. C. J. Cunningham of Galveston, state president, and Miss Elizabeth Freeman of New York, the newly appointed state organizer of the Texas Women's Suffrage association at the First Christian church Saturday afternoon. As a result new energy was injected in the affairs of the Fort Worth association and many new members added.

Mrs. Cunningham, who has been at Dallas for the past three days, was accompanied to Fort Worth Saturday noon by Mrs. Tex E. Armstrong, president of the Dallas association; Mrs. J. B. Adou, Mrs. M. B. Steele and Miss Mazie Erskine of Dallas. They were met by Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president of the Fort Worth association and several of the local members at the Westbrook, where a reception was held following which a luncheon in their honor was given in the grill room and attended by Mrs. J. B. Dooley, Dr. Blanche Duncan, Miss Montgomery, Mrs. C. O. Ruff, Mrs. M. J. Biscoe, Mrs. R. H. Harle, Mrs. Charles Schuber, Mrs. J. J. Jarvis, Mrs. O. T. Carlson, Mrs. L. W. Magianis, Miss Francis Jones, Mrs. H. C. Lazenby, Mrs. Virgil Garrett, Miss Mazie Erskine, Mrs. M. B. Steele, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. Tex E. Armstrong, Mrs. J. B. Adou, Mrs. V. Brown, Mrs. E. A. Walters.

Plans for Year. During the luncheon Mrs. Cunningham and Miss Freeman explained the plans and aims of the association for the year 1916-17 for the carrying out of an aggressive campaign which were the organization of the state into senatorial districts, they in turn to be divided into the counties composing them and the organization will be perfected down to precincts and then to blocks with no section of the state so small that its importance will not be recognized.

Miss Freeman especially urged the members to get to work and do things that would bring publicity to the cause and assured them that by so doing the newspapers would keep the suffrage cause before the public and bring success to their efforts.

The afternoon meeting was presided over by Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president of the Fort Worth association, who welcomed the guests of the day and assured them that their coming to Fort Worth was appreciated by not alone the members but those who were in attendance at the meeting.

Women in Politics. Mrs. Cunningham began her address by saying that from the time of birth when the birth certificate is issued until the death certificate was obtained woman was in politics and that men claimed that politics were dirty and unfit for woman to handle. She said that it may be true that politics are dirty and asked the question as



Front row (left to right), Mrs. Tex E. Armstrong, president, Dallas association; Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president Fort Worth association. Back row (left to right), Elizabeth Freeman, state organizer; Mrs. C. J. Cunningham, president, Galveston.

to whether any of her audience ever saw a home that was too dirty for a wife to return to and explained with another query if any of her audience

had ever seen a man come to the station to meet his wife and as he lifted her from the train say "Mary I do not know how it is, but the house is

all upset, the dishes are unwashed, the kettles unscoured, it is no place for you to go so I am going to take you to the hotel to live?" Mrs. Cunning-

ham said, "no you never did see or hear of a man making such a remark but takes her home and she begins at the bottom cleaning and scouring and if she is good enough to clean the pots and dishes at home she is sufficiently adapted to scour the political pans that need scouring."

Child Labor Laws. She said the government by a compulsory education law regulated when and how children should go to school, at what age they should go to work and she advised every mother to take to her heart the subject of the child labor laws.

Mrs. Cunningham said that the government took the time to pass laws to protect each little fish and scrimp in the gulf, but had no time to protect the children employed in the cotton mills, and accounted for the action of the government because the mothers who work for home and children are not represented in the legislature.

Miss Freeman traced the beginning of the cause of votes for women from its inception in Maryland by Margaret Brent in 1647, when the legislature of the state, while admitting that she paid the larger portion of the taxes, decided that she was not possessed of sufficient mentality to have a voice or be represented, and being a woman was "slipped up" in some way.

Miss Freeman then took occasion to refer to the next attempt for suffrage, made by Abigail Adams to John Adams at the close of the Revolutionary war when the independence was being formed when he was asked to see that women were given a place in its drawing.

"Again man took the burden on his shoulders and women were pushed aside," said Miss Freeman.

Up to Civil War. She then traced the struggle of suffrage up to the beginning of the civil war, at which time there were but eight occupations open to women, until its close, when women were found working in 258 different trades and occupations when they again made an effort for a vote and were told to stand back, that the country was going through a period of reconstruction and by giving the negro a vote it would do a lot of good.

She took occasion to discuss the widowed mothers' pension bill, which had been passed in fifteen states but was inoperative because of the fact that mothers had not had a voice in its framing and assured her hearers that with votes for women a widowed mothers' pension law would be passed that would work.

Great Flirtation. In reference to the next presidential election Miss Freeman predicted a great flirtation to take place between the 4,000,000 women voters in the states which now have equal suffrage and the leaders of the various parties who would like to control those votes, and she said that in this case the women held the whip hand and would refuse to be smiled at.

In closing Miss Freeman said that when she first came to Texas she was asked why suffrage failed in New York, her home state, and she replied by saying that it was due to the neglect of the small towns and hamlets in the state and assured her hearers that this would not be the case in Texas and added, "When we go to Austin in 1917 we are all going to be there."

Miss Freeman urged each and every one to go to work to remember that the state of Texas stood for state rights and not to have suffrage forced upon the state by federal amendment.

A recent acquisition by the University of Washington at Seattle is a remarkable stump of petrified cedar, found at an altitude of 1,300 feet. The stump, which is fifteen feet high and five feet thick, is almost pure yellow in color, with an extremely glossy surface.

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ANNA HOWARD SHAW WILL TOUR TEXAS 2 WEEKS FOR VOTES

Plans for the speech of Dr. Anna Howard Shaw at the Chamber of Commerce next Wednesday night were worked out at a meeting of the Senatorial Equal Suffrage Society at the First Baptist Church Thursday. Dr. Shaw will speak on the need of equal suffrage for women, urging the adoption of the proposed woman suffrage amendments to the Texas Constitution at the election May 24.

Dr. Shaw will remain in Texas for about two weeks.

It was made clear at the meeting Thursday that the women of Fort Worth and of the counties around are going to do some heavy campaign work between now and election day for the passage of the amendment. Mrs. Stanley

Boykin, chairman of the meeting, said that precinct chairmen throughout the county have been named and that meetings are to be held under their direction in the near future.

Mrs. F. O. McKinsey of Weatherford reported that the campaign for equal rights is progressing very satisfactorily in her section. Mrs. L. G. Waltrip stated that Hood County is to be thoroughly organized during the next ten days. Somervell County has been fairly well organized with Mrs. E. L. Milam as chairman of activities. Mrs. A. K. Harris stated that Tarrant County will

soon have the liveliest bunch of workers ever put into the field in a suffrage campaign.

Reports from ward chairmen in Fort Worth showed that the workers have been on the job. Among those making satisfactory organization reports were: Mrs. Lena Gardner, chairman of city work; Mrs. George Ellison, treasurer of city affairs; Mrs. C. McGlasson, eighth ward; Mrs. Marion Stickland, seventh ward; Mrs. C. K. Coons, seventh ward; Miss Macon Ellis, sixth ward.

The society will meet again Thursday afternoon. Reports will be received at that time from all the precinct chairmen.

DECEPTIVE SOUNDS

NEWS

DR. ANNA SHAW AND J. W. BAILEY WILL SPEAK ON SUFFRAGE.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 4.—Fort Worth is to be the fighting ground in the State suffrage campaign which will culminate at the voting boxes of Texas May 24, according to announcements coming from the rival camps here. Former United States Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey will be here between April 21 and 22 and deliver an address, probably at the Coliseum. Mrs. James B. Wells of Brownsville, chairman of the Texas Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, announced from her State headquarters here. Dr. Anna Howard Shaw will speak in the interest of equal suffrage next Wednesday night at the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce.

Plans for the address of Dr. Shaw were discussed at a meeting of those in charge of the campaign in the Thirtieth Senatorial District for the Texas Equal Suffrage Association.

Dr. Shaw will make a two weeks' speaking tour of Texas in the interest of the amendment to the State Constitution to be voted upon May 24. Mrs. Stanley Boykin, chairman for the senatorial district, has made thorough plans for an intensive campaign throughout the district.

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DR. SHAW TO SPEAK HERE EARLY IN APRIL

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw will speak in Fort Worth during the first week of April, Mrs. Augusta Hughston, field secretary of the Suffrage Association, announced at a meeting of the local organization at the First Christian Church Saturday afternoon.

At this meeting plans for an intensive campaign to obtain the passage of the suffrage amendment were discussed. A meeting of ward chairmen to be held Monday at 10 a. m. in the council room of the Senior High School was called. The entire personnel of the ward chairmen has not been completed. Mrs. Stanley Boykin is chairman of the Thirtieth Senatorial District, and her secretary is Mrs. James F. Farmer. Mrs. H. K. Harris is chairman of Tarrant County, Mrs. Lena Gardner is city chairman and her secretary is Mrs. Virgil Garrett.

An intensive campaign will be begun immediately and speakers will be trained that they may address organizations during April until May 24, when the amendment will be presented.

PLAN WELCOME FOR ANNA HOWARD SHAW

The executive board of the Senatorial Equal Suffrage society met Thursday morning at the First Baptist church to complete plans for the coming of Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, who is to lecture at the Chamber of Commerce the night of April 9. Mrs. Stanley Boykin, senatorial chairman, presided. The city chairman, Mrs. Lena Gardner, and the city treasurer, Mrs. George Ellison, were present; also the ward chairmen, Mrs. McGlasson of the Eighth ward, Mrs. Strickland of the First, Mrs. Coons of the Seventh and Miss Ellis of the Sixth. The ushers for the Shaw lecture will be from the Social Service club.

This district (the Thirtieth) includes Tarrant, Parker, Hood and Somervell counties. Mrs. A. K. Harris is chairman for Tarrant county, Mrs. C. F. Drake of Weatherford for Parker county, Mrs. L. G. Waltrip of Granbury for Hood county and Mrs. E. L. Milam of Glen Rose for Somervell county.

Parker county reported splendid success with the work. Somervell and Hood counties have not yet reported. Tarrant is organized at Keller, where Mrs. Sam Bass is chairman; at Grapevine, with Miss Ellen Saunders chairman; at Azle, with Mrs. Will McDonald chairman; at

we voted on May 24.

DR. ANNA HOWARD SHAW WILL SPEAK WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 6.—Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, famous advocate of enlarged political rights for women, will open the campaign for the adoption of the amendment to the Texas Constitution to enfranchise women with an address Wednesday night at the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium. Dr. Shaw will make a two weeks' campaign in Texas and the Texas Equal Suffrage Association is planning to conduct a strenuous campaign throughout the State. Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Galveston, president of the State association, and Mrs. A. D. Hughston of New York, field counselor of the national association, have been busy ever since the Legislature adjourned effecting complete organization of each Senatorial District. Mrs. Stanley Boykin, chairman of the Thirtieth Senatorial District, has named chairmen for each county and town in this district and is receiving reports of campaign activities from all of them.

While the suffragists are busy Mrs. James B. Wells of Brownsville, president of the Texas Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, and Mrs. Ida M. Darden, director of publicity for the association, are quite as active. Mrs. Wells has established State headquarters here and probably will conduct the fight against the amendment from this city. Mrs. Ben T. Allen has been named president of the Fort Worth Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage. All of the opponents of the measure have offices in the Petroleum Building. A feature of the fight against the amendment will be the appearance of former United States Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey, who will deliver an address here between April 21 and 25. Mrs. Wells has announced that Mr. Bailey probably will speak at the Coliseum and that people are expected to attend the meeting from all over North Texas. Efforts are being made to arrange with Mr. Bailey to make a series of campaign speeches during his visit to Texas.

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DR. ANNA SHAW WILL SPEAK AT FORT WORTH.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 8.—Dr. Anna Howard Shaw will open the local campaign for the adoption of the amendment to the Texas Constitution which provides for the enfranchisement of women with an address at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium tomorrow night. Dr. Howard is in Greenville tonight and will arrive here some time tomorrow afternoon. A delegation of the women who advocate equal suffrage will meet Dr. Shaw at the station and entertain her while she is here.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin, chairman of the Thirtieth Senatorial District, said tonight that a large crowd is expected to hear Dr. Shaw. Representatives from all over Northwest Texas have received invitations to be here for the meeting.

GOVERNOR HOBBY TO SPEAK AT SUFFRAGE RALLY HERE FRIDAY

Governor Hobby will speak at an equal suffrage rally to be held on the Courthouse lawn Friday night at 8:30 o'clock. The program, which is not yet complete, is being arranged by E. B. Jennings, dean of Texas Woman's College, and the campaign committee. The rally will be the final meeting of the campaign that has been waged here to secure the passage of the equal suffrage amendment which is to go before the voters May 24.

SHIPPERS EXPECT CLAS

Anna Howard Shaw Drives Equal Suffrage Arguments Home With Forceful Words

NOTED LECTURER ADDRESSES LARGE AUDIENCE. PRAISES PRESIDENT WILSON FOR HIS FAIRNESS AND STATESMANSHIP. REPLIES TO OPPOSITION WITH TELLING EFFECT. INTRODUCED BY MAYOR DAVIS WITH GLOWING WORDS OF APPRECIATION.

After an hour's delay, due to storm conditions and belated trains, during which time Sam Losh kept the crowd at the Chamber of Commerce contented by leading them in singing familiar songs, and Mrs. N. B. Mahoney of Dallas gave a short but well-worth-while suffrage talk, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, the distinguished advocate for equal suffrage arrived, and opened a memorable speech with the remark that she was grateful for the great patience of the people of Fort Worth in waiting so long for her. "As usual," she said, "the trouble is with man. I came on a mail (male) train."

Tired as she must have been, for she spent the night at Greenville, where she spoke last evening and passed through a terrible storm, then spent the greater part of today waiting for trains which seemed only to pass by, she spoke for an hour and a half in a wonderful and forceful way, with a remarkable voice of ringing sweetness, of the cause that is nearest to her heart, that of woman's suffrage.

MAYOR INTRODUCES SPEAKER.
Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage society, presided and introduced Mayor Davis as a friend of the cause, who would present the speaker of the evening.

Mayor Davis spoke of suffrage as being the great cause which had received an impetus through the war, and said it was only fitting that a great leader should be brought forward to present it in a state where it had found less favor than other causes, and that there were few in the history of all the world who even with great opportunity arose to such heights as people, whether they agreed with them or not, came to listen, to admire and to respect, and that such a one was presented in Dr. Shaw.

STANDS BY PRESIDENT.
"It is a great pleasure," said Dr. Shaw, "for me to be here to discuss a subject which it ought never to be necessary to discuss. President Wilson more than any other man has stood by democracy and for this thing, and Democrats need not hesitate to follow on the heels of a man like Woodrow Wilson. He is not a man of hasty impulses, he does not reach conclusions because some other has, and he said to me:

"You do not find me with any doubt in my mind as to the need of this measure. I was slow to come to this decision before the war, but since then I have become convinced that no democracy can exist without the enfranchisement of its women. After the war was thrust upon us and the cry went up for women to take the place of men who had gone, and they responded so readily and cheerfully and loyally, and when those who could not leave their homes learned to knit, and knitted all day and far into the night, taking care of our army as no army was ever taken care of before, because of the devotion of their womanhood, being not drafted, giving their service only because of their love for those who had gone, certainly they earned their freedom if women ever did."

PRINCIPLE OF GOVERNMENT.
"If we could see democracy only from the basis of experience, certainly the women of America have paid a bitter price. If men had the hearts to feel, the consciences to remember or the brains to understand they would not hesitate over this question. If one has the right understanding of 'republican or democratic form of government,' no man can be a good Republican or Democrat who is not a woman suffragist.

"If democracy is a government of the people by the people, then there is just one argument for those who are against woman suffrage, and that is that women are not people. If the men can prove it, then they have it, if not, then we have it.

"If our national existence is based upon a principle then that principle is this, 'That governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed.' Woodrow Wilson, in his memorable speech of April 2, 1917, said, 'We fight for the things which are dear to us, for democracy, that those who are governed shall have a voice in our government.'

ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT.
"How could anybody expect the league of nations to be perfect," said Dr. Shaw, "when it was made by men, for nothing was ever perfect that was made by men. The men who made our constitution knew in their wisdom that while it was right for thirteen little states it must be made right for the larger country that would come after, so they inserted one little clause which should make it possible to fit a larger country. But they had to make a beginning; you never get anywhere unless you do that. So Woodrow Wilson is trying to make a league of nations that will forever do away with war or the necessity for war, and the shame of it is that there is even one man in this country who would block such a movement. Those same men are the ones who are protesting against woman's suffrage. Why? Because they are of such a mental make-up that they can never see ahead of them, but are always looking behind them to the times of their ancestors. If we haven't gotten beyond the times of our ancestors then it would have been better if the country had come to an end when they died.

"We will never have the kind of government we ought to have until we have the kind we want. Take all the arguments against woman's suffrage and what have they to do with the fundamental principles of democratic government? Every man who votes does so because he is a human being, and as such he has a right to say something about the conditions which surround his life and under which he gives his life's service. The same is true of women. They are interested in the care of the city street, of the schools and in other community interests just as the men are."

WRONG KIND OF POLITICS.
Taking a glass of water Dr. Shaw said, "There is a gentleman going about the country taking a glass of pure water which he exhibits as being like woman before she votes, then carefully dropping ink into the water from his fountain pen he says the water is now as woman is after she votes.

"That may be true as that gentleman understand politics. Perhaps the kind of politics he took part in had more ink than water in them, but that is not the kind for which Woodrow Wilson stands nor for which your mother, daughter, wife or sweetheart will have a share in. If it were we women would have had it long ago. The kind of people who oppose women suffrage are not the kind who are afraid of having politics spoiled by women, but the kind who are afraid of having politics purified by women.

"I have heard that a certain lady has come up from Corpus Christi to work against woman's suffrage. If you can spend months away from home to work against politics for women who stay at home, then your very argument against politics as taking women away from their homes falls down of itself. There are now 9,000,000 in industrial life, women with dependents, who are helping to make their homes fit places in which to rear their children, for everyone who knows anything about it at all knows that

with present prices the women have got to get out and help earn the money to pay for the sort of home into which children can be born and reared rightly.

WOMEN KNOW THE NEEDS.
"The conditions of the poor can be prevented if there is any possible way to prevent them, and conditions of disease and epidemic can be wiped out if right living conditions prevail. We cannot build up a fence high enough to keep disease out of our homes if it is in the community. What we need most is not reconstruction but construction. We must have better education and better health. The women know that the child is the asset of the nation, and they will see that conditions are right for the child.

"Those who oppose suffrage say that it would blacken the character of a woman to go to the polls and vote for men. If there is any woman who would be hurt by casting a vote, she is not far from being hurt before she voted.

"What about taking so much time to vote? Well, since we pay a man twice as much as we pay women I don't know why we should take up a man's dear time to vote when a woman with her cheap time can do it just as well. We had better let the women do all the voting and let the men go on with their business.

"I was told by one man that women should not vote because they ought to stay at home and rock their babies. I told him he was behind the times, that women did not rock their babies any more because they had found out that babies were much the same as puppies and that puppies knew enough to go to sleep when they wanted to and stay asleep as long as they wanted to. One reason we have any anti-suffragists is because the mothers of these men rocked them and they got so wobbled that they have never been able to get straight since.

CANDIDATES WILLING NURSES.
"I went out to Denver to see the women vote and to see if they neglected their homes as I had been told they did. I found that wherever the Denver women went they took their babies, and that when they voted, if they had no one at home to care for the babies they took them along, and that there were plenty of candidates to look after the babies while they voted.

"The opponents of suffrage always argue on both sides of the question. You cannot do anything to suit them. As to the women not voting every time, women are like men, they vote when there is an issue which concerns them. We are not asking whether they vote Democratic or Republican and I for one do not care, but I do care that they all vote.

"I, for one, am not anxious that women should hold office, but I have noticed that the women who have opposed suffrage are generally the ones who hustle to get an office when suffrage is granted. Personally I would not vote for a woman any quicker than for a man unless she was the one best fitted for the place, and not then unless she were a first class woman, for a poor woman in a place harms all women. If she falls down everyone says, 'Just see what that woman did,' but a poor man will be excused and overlooked and the men will say, 'we made a mistake but we will elect some one else next time.'

WOMEN HAVE EARNED FREEDOM.
Dr. Shaw said she had never known of a single body of women organized for a mean measure. As chairman of the national woman's committee for war service for the past two years she has seen much of its effect on women and seen the splendid work they have done, and knows as no other can know what war means to a woman.

In their glorious response to every call of the government, Dr. Shaw said she feels that they have nobly earned their reward of freedom, and that the men of Texas will as nobly give it to them on May 24 by voting for the suffrage amendment.

SINEWS OF CAMPAIGN.
At the close of the lecture Judge Leroy Smith announced that all campaigns needed funds and appealed to the public to give their support to this cause. Calls for \$100 brought instant response from W. H. Bagley and Mrs. Ben J. Tillar. Mrs. Charles Scheuber pledged \$25, Mrs. John Tarlton \$25, Mr. Gernsbacher \$25, women of the Fort Worth Junior High school \$25, Leroy Smith \$10, and baskets passed through the crowd netted quite a sum, so that it was announced early that Fort Worth had outdone Dallas in money for spreading the gospel of equal suffrage.

On the platform with the speaker were:

Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage society; Mrs. A. K. Harris, Tarrant county chairman; Mrs. J. V. Brewer, president of the W. C. T. U.; Mrs. E. A. Watters, president of the Texas Congress of Mothers; Mrs. J. F. Farmer, headquarters secretary; Mrs. Stanley Boykin, senatorial chairman; Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, president of the Fort Worth Council of Mothers; Mrs. Carrie Scheuber, librarian of Carnegie library; Mrs. N. B. Mahoney, president of the Dallas Equal Suffrage society; Mrs. C. W. Connery, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. O. F. Carlson, first vice president of the

SUFFRAGE RALLY AT LOCAL HEADQUARTERS

Interesting Speakers Proclaim
True Democracy in
the Home.

A meeting held at suffrage headquarters in the First Baptist church Thursday afternoon was attended by a good-sized audience, and several speakers from Dallas and other cities addressed the meeting.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president of the local suffrage society, presided.

Mrs. Claude De Van Watt, state child welfare inspector, said:

"Suffrage means true democracy in the home. Our soldiers have fought for democracy, now let us keep it true and sacred for our children and homes.

"It is the sacred duty of each woman to work, and even to fight, if necessary, for this measure. It is truly a mother's duty and a responsibility to future Texas citizens."

Mrs. N. B. Ford of Dallas, editor of the Mother's Magazine, said:

"I believe that mothers should work for suffrage, not only for themselves, but for the protection of the children. Mother love should have a ballot share in the making of the laws for their protection."

Mrs. E. A. Watters of Fort Worth, president of the State Congress of Mothers, claimed that "there is no better way to safeguard the home and the life of the child than the ballot for women."

Other speakers were: Mrs. B. A. Sadler of Dallas and Miss M. Anne Moore of the State Normal of Denton. Of the latter Mrs. Ford said: "The broad-minded principles of the boys and girls who have passed through the hands of Miss Moore for the past eighteen years give evidence of the scope of true citizenship which she holds."

Reports were given from chairmen of the First, Sixth, and Eighth wards. Mrs. J. K. Coons was appointed chairman of the Seventh ward and will hold a meeting at her home, 909 Richmond avenue, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SUFFRAGE WORKERS BUSY IN TARRANT

All suffrage workers are as busy as can be and it will not be their fault if Tarrant county does not vote overwhelmingly for the suffrage amendment on May 24. Mrs. Augusta C. Hughston of the National Suffrage association of New York has been in Fort Worth this week, and accompanied Mrs. Stanley Boykin to Granbury Tuesday, where they were the guests that night of Mrs. L. G. Waltrip, chairman for Hood county. A meeting was held in Granbury Tuesday afternoon and a mass meeting Tuesday night. Hood county is splendidly organized and promises to "go over the top" on the 24th of May.

Mrs. A. K. Harris, county chairman of Tarrant county, and Mrs. O. F. Carlson have made daily trips during the week to towns near Fort Worth in Tarrant county and report the work well in hand and the outlook for victory getting finer every day.

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NEW CONGRESSMAN URGES ADOPTION OF SUFFRAGE PROVISION

BY HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD.

"It is my regret that President Wilson's call to the congress to assemble in the city of Washington on May 19 prevents me from making a speaking tour of Johnson and other counties of my district in advocacy of the adoption by the people of the equal suffrage and other amendments which are pending. Invitations came from the good women of Johnson and Parker counties urging me to do my bit to awaken the voters to the importance of the coming election and the adoption of these amendments by the people of our great commonwealth.

"As it is, I shall leave for Washington tomorrow (May 13) but my heart is with the progressive people of this state and all the influence that I have or may possess shall be exerted to secure the approval of these two important amendments—suffrage and prohibition. A progressive, a virile democracy, should stand for living issues. There is a new world. There is a new civilization in the making. An old world died when the soldiers of this great republic destroyed the menace of the Hohenzollern sword, forced the military autocrats of the central empires and Turkey to their knees and blotted out the imperial houses of those who claimed to rule by divine right alone. WOMAN EARNS RECOGNITION.

"Woman is entitled to the ballot. America should enfranchise its daughters. Texas should enfranchise her daughters. Every Texan should be willing to grant to the woman of Texas the privileges he demands as his own. It would have been a pleasure as well as an honor for me to have been privileged to have made speeches in the campaign now on, but the voice of the President has called and the representatives of the people must harken and present themselves at their posts in the capital of our country for one of the most important sessions of congress that has ever been called by the chief ruler, or rather chief executive of the nation."

FATHER'S FINE RECORD.

Fritz Lanham was the speaker. He is the chosen representative of the Democrats of the Twelfth congressional district of Texas. He is a native Texan, young in years, but admirably equipped and ambitious to make his people a faithful, efficient and eloquent representative and win for himself a proud distinction in the lower house of the American congress. He is a very young man, perhaps the "kid" of the new congress. He is to the manor born, a product of Texas schools and the University of Texas and his friends have predicted for him a notable career as a servant of the people of his district and state. He walks in the footsteps of his father.

For many years the late S. W. T. Lanham was one of the leaders of the Democracy of Texas. A soldier of the Confederacy, he came to the Lone Star commonwealth after the flag had been furled at Appomattox courthouse. A lawyer by profession, he became a leading member of the bar of Parker county (Weatherford was his home). He served with ability and credit as a district judge; later, he was honored with a congressional nomination by the Democrats of his district and served many terms as a representative.

He aspired to be governor of his adopted state and was a claimant for that honor when Charles A. Culberson and the lamented John H. Reagan fought for the coveted prize. Followers of Culberson abrogated the two-thirds rule and Culberson was made the standard bearer. Time rolled on and Congressman Lanham offered as a gubernatorial candidate again. He won the prize. He served the people as their chief executive two terms. He retired from politics and he died in the city of his adoption, mourned by the people of the Southwest. Now his son is a member of congress, representing many of the counties of the old district whose people were so long and faithfully served by the father.

ONE MORE SUFFRAGE VOTE.

There were eighteen Texas Democrats in the lower house of the war congress. Twelve of these voted against the Susan B. Anthony amendment. Six voted for the nation-wide enfranchisement of women, for the coming of a nobler civilization in the world that was born when military autocracy died. Federal Judge James C. Wilson, then the member from the Twelfth congressional district voted against the Anthony amendment. His successor, the Hon. Fritz Lanham, is for the adoption of the amendment submitted to the people by the Thirty-sixth legislator and will vote for the Susan B. Anthony amendment, which is certain to be introduced in the national house and senate immediately after the organization of the new congress.

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT SUBMITTED TO PEOPLE

WOULD PERMIT WOMEN TO VOTE
UNDER SAME RESTRICTIONS
AS APPLY TO MEN.

HOLD ELECTION MAY 24 1919

Engrossed House Resolution Submitting Prohibition Amendment Reported From Senate.

Staff Special to The News.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 24.—By a vote of 195 to 0 the House today adopted the Senate joint resolution submitting to a vote of the people an amendment to the State Constitution so as to permit women to vote under the same restrictions as apply to men. The resolution had previously passed the Senate by a vote of 28 to 9. The question is to come before the people on May 24.

Final action on the prohibition amendment can not be had until next week. Neither House took action on the prohibition amendment today and both branches adjourned until Monday. It stands as it did yesterday, each house having passed its own resolution proposing State-wide prohibition to be submitted May 24, but neither has acted on the resolution of the other.

The regularly engrossed copy of the House resolution went to the Senate today and was referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments and was reported favorably, the same as it was in the first instance.

Text of Resolution.

"Be it resolved by the Legislature of Texas:

"Section 1. That Section 2 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so that hereafter said section shall read as follows, to wit:

"Sec. 2. Every person, male or female, subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of 21 years and who shall be a citizen of the United States and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six months within the district or county in which he or she offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; provided, that electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she offers to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing such poll tax paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt he or she shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oath that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. All laws now on the statutes of this State regulating and relating to qualified voters in both primary and general elections shall apply to male and female voters, both male and female voters, and shall be in effect until such statutes are changed or amended by the Legislature. And this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting without the necessity of further legislation.

Election on May 24.

"Sec. 2 (a). The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the vote of the qualified electors, or members of the Legislature, at an election to be held for such purpose on the fourth Saturday of May, A. D. 1919, the same being the 24th day of May, A. D. 1919; at said election the votes shall be placed on an official ballot, which shall have printed or written thereon the words for the amendment of Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters. And also the words 'against the amendment of Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters.' All voters favoring this proposed constitutional amendment shall erase the words 'against the amendment to Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas' and those opposing it shall erase the words 'for the amendment to Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters,' which said erasures shall be made by making a mark with a pencil or pen through said words. All ballots cast as above provided shall be counted as cast for or against a proposed amendment, and if a majority shall be for the amendment it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes cast shall be against the amendment, said amendment shall be lost. All provisions of the general election laws shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such election, and in all other respects so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

"Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and have same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

"Sec. 4. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election."

SEVERAL BILLS REPORTED BY SENATE COMMITTEES.

Special to The News.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 24.—The Senate Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence decided to report favorably on the three bills introduced by Mr. McNealus, intended for the protection of hotel men and boarding-house keepers.

The bills provide for a lien on baggage where a guest fails to settle; for punishment of those who give the hotel keepers bogus checks and drafts, and provide for bringing witnesses to testify in such cases where the amount involved is less than \$50.

The Committee on Educational Affairs reported favorably on the Dayton bill, providing for the free distribution of school books to pupils of the public schools.

The Finance Committee reported favorably on the following:

Mr. Bell's bill providing for an increase of the fees of Tax Collectors for collecting motor licenses.

Mr. Dean's bill providing for an appropriation of \$1,000,000 to the available school fund.

Mr. Caldwell's bill providing for a supplemental appropriation of \$3,500 to the Dairy and Food Departments.

Mr. Wood's bill recommending the appointment of a joint committee to investigate taxation and recommend a system.

The Committee on Labor this afternoon decided to report favorably on the McNealus bill to incorporate contracting companies to engage in building. The committee decided to ask that the McNealus bill, providing for the incorporation of companies to engage in the real estate, loan and rental business, under supervision of the Banking and Insurance Commission, be referred to the Committee on Banking.

Hearing of the Cousins woman's welfare and minimum wage bill was set for next Tuesday.

The Civil Jurisprudence Committee decided to report adversely on the Smith bill, providing that iron ladders be used as fire escapes for two-story buildings.

The Committee on Constitutional Amendments met this afternoon and decided to report favorably on the following:

Mr. Hertzberg's joint resolution increasing the Governor's salary to \$10,000 a year. This resolution was amended

SUFFRAGE RESOLUTION SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

TWO GOLD PENS USED ARE PRESENTED TO LEADERS IN FIGHT FOR VOTES FOR WOMEN.

Staff Special to The News.

Austin, Texas, Feb. 5.—The signing of the joint resolution submitting an amendment to the State Constitution to provide full and equal suffrage for women was made the occasion of an impressive ceremony. The resolution was signed by the Governor in the Senate Chamber. The Governor signed the resolution at the desk of the presiding officer, using two gold pens, which, by amended resolution of Senator Smith, were presented to Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham and Mrs. Nora Boren Mahoney.

Placed on the platform were the president of the Senate, Senators Smith, McNealus, Dean, Dudley, Buchanan of Bell, Mrs. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Coleman of San Antonio, Mrs. D. H. Doom of Austin and Mrs. E. H. League of Galveston. The Governor made no speech, merely stating that he was delighted to affix his signature to the document.

A photographer came into the chamber and made a picture of the group, after which the Senate resumed its routine work. The equal suffrage amendment is submitted on May 24.

GOVERNOR'S HOME OWNERSHIP

Neighborhood Suffrage Meeting.

Mrs. O. F. Carlson will open her home at 611 East Weatherford street this morning at 10 o'clock to the women of her neighborhood for a suffrage meeting, and Mrs. Augusta C. Hughston of the National Suffrage association at New York, will organize a ward suffrage club. Several prominent women will give their views of the necessity for suffrage along definite lines under the following subjects:

"If a Woman's Sphere Is the Home, Why Not Allow Her to Defend It," Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall.

"Why Does a Woman Deserve Citizenship?" Mrs. Mary L. Wright.

"Is a Woman's Political Mentality Equal to a Man's?" Mrs. Stanley Boykin.

"The Influence of a Woman's Vote Upon the Purity of the Home," Mrs. E. A. Watters.

"Why I Am a Suffragist," Mrs. J. J. Jarvis.

Following the meeting there will be a general discussion of the subject, with organization of the ward club. Refreshments will be served.

Eighth Ward Suffrage Rally.

Eighth ward suffrage workers will hold a rally at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning in the home of the ward chairman, Mrs. H. C. McGlasson, 1507 Fairmount avenue, and all women of the ward interested in equal suffrage for women are not only invited but earnestly urged to attend. Speakers will include Mrs. James F. Farmer, local headquarters secretary of the equal suffrage movement; Mrs. E. A. Watters, president of the Texas Congress of Mothers; Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. W. P. Lane, Mrs. J. V. Brewer, Mrs. J. T. Bloodworth and possibly Mrs. Augusta C. Hughston of New York, field counselor.

EQUAL SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT WILL HAVE BIG BOOM

Expected to Make Great
Headway in Texas in Next
Ten Weeks.

LEADERS SPEAK HERE

Mrs. Hughston of New York
and Mrs. Cunningham Out-
line Campaign.

The equal suffrage movement is to have a tremendous boom in Texas during the next ten weeks, according to Mrs. Augusta C. Hughston of New York, national field counselor, and Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, president of the State Suffrage association, who addressed a body of Fort Worth women at the First Christian church Thursday afternoon.

The two prominent speakers are making a campaign throughout the state of Texas to arouse interest in the constitutional amendment which is to be voted on May 24. Mrs. Cunningham called special attention to the citizenship clause attached to the suffrage amendment, and to the fact that under the present laws of Texas an alien may vote after taking out his first registration papers which is simply a declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States.

Texans in Army Barred.

"This proved a dangerous thing during the war," declared Mrs. Cunningham, "because Texas had a large German population which claimed exemption from military service, yet could vote, while our own American boys were drafted into the army, and were denied the franchise as soon as they were in uniform. The vote of these aliens who are not yet full citizens has too much effect upon the fundamentals of our government, and the clause attached to the suffrage amendment will correct it for all time.

All who are proud of being American citizens will be proud of the opportunity of voting not only for the enfranchisement of women but for a means of straightening out this fault in our constitution for all time.

Plans for Campaign.

Mrs. Hughston, with much enthusiasm expressed in every sentence and a delightful way of "putting" things, outlined the plans for the campaign, which will be more definitely gone into in a few days. In speaking of present conditions she said:

"The war is not won, and will not be won until every woman in the world is enfranchised.

"You women of Texas have received a partial privilege of voting, and you are on trial, which should put you on your metal to give up everything, except home and children, to win this cause. A man or woman who does not believe in women's suffrage does not believe in the constitution, in the Declaration of Independence, or in the principles for which this war was fought.

"The campaign is on now in your own state, and there is no time to be lost." Mrs. Hughston and Mrs. Cunningham went to Dallas after the meeting, and Mrs. Cunningham will continue her campaign over the state, but Mrs. Hughston will return to Fort Worth on Saturday, when there is to be another meeting at the First Christian church at 3 o'clock.

All women's organizations and fraternal organizations are asked to send a delegate to this meeting, in order that the campaign work may be started at once. Those who are taking part in the tag day work for the baby hospital and who can be relieved at that hour are asked to attend.

Mrs. Hughston makes a powerful appeal to her audiences, and those who plan to attend the Saturday meeting will be assured of a fresh supply of enthusiasm after hearing Mrs. Hughston talk.

MRS. HUGHSTON TALKS ON EQUAL SUFFRAGE

Field Counselor for National
Society Encourages Cam-
paign Just Starting.

Mrs. Augusta C. Hughston, field councillor for the National Equal Suffrage association, addressed an audience of women Saturday afternoon in the First Christian church. She had appreciative listeners and gave a splendid talk, showing why women should not be timid about taking their stand for suffrage.

In answer to a remark made by some women present that they did not care to belong to such a militant organization, Mrs. Hughston said that the militant suffragists had been expelled from the national order and should not be allowed to hamper the cause.

Mrs. Hughston called attention to the fact that Carrie Nation did not hamper the cause of prohibition and said the militant suffragist should be regarded in the same light and should be overlooked for the good of the cause itself.

Mrs. Hughston's talk convinced many doubting women, it was said.

Partial plans were made for the organization of this district for the present campaign. Mrs. Stanley Boykin, senatorial chairman, will have charge of Parker, Hood, Somervell and Tarrant counties. Mrs. James F. Farmer will act as senatorial secretary and publicity chairman. Mrs. Oscar Barthold will be the county chairman for Parker county, Mrs. L. G. Waltrip the county chairman for Hood county, Mrs. E. A. Milam the chairman for Somervell county and Mrs. A. K. Harris the chairman for Tarrant county. Mrs. Lena Gardner will be city chairman for Fort Worth and Mrs. Virgil Garrett will be city secretary.

Ward and precinct chairmen will be appointed at a meeting to be held Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the Mothers' Council chamber in the Senior High school. Local headquarters will be opened Monday in a downtown location to be selected and will be in charge of Mrs. James F. Farmer.

COMMITTEE PLANS TO PUT SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT OVER

"Over the top for the suffrage amendment" is the permeating idea gripping the now completely organized woman suffrage campaign committee. Headquarters have been established at the First Baptist Church. The city campaign officers are: Mrs. Lena Gardner, chairman; Mrs. O. F. Carlson, vice chairman; Mrs. John Terrell, finance committee chairman; Mrs. R. B. Ridgway, literature; Mrs. G. B. Buckley, posters; Mrs. Carl G. Staats, Catholic literature; Mrs. Margaret McLean, election day; Mrs. H. E. Ellis, labor; and Mrs. John Tarlton, speakers. Other officers will be named as the campaign progresses.

Advisory board members on the still incomplete list are: Ocie Speer, H. B. Ridgway, E. R. Cockrell, F. H. Perkins, Bruce Young, Rabbi George Fox, B. K. Goree, M. H. Moore, W. D. Smith, Leroy Smith, C. K. Lee, Robert F. Milam, Rev. Father Park, Mrs. Lena Gardner, Stanley Boykin, Charles Scheuber, C. W. Connery, Mary L. Wright, J. W. Kuykendall, J. V. Brewer, J. T. Bloodworth, Hubb Diggs, Della Davis and James F. Farmer.

SUFFRAGISTS OPEN HEADQUARTERS HERE

The suffrage movement and campaign for the new constitutional amendment is on in full blast in Fort Worth.

Headquarters have been established at the First Baptist church with Mrs. James F. Farmer in charge. All interested in this movement and willing to lend their assistance to the cause are asked to phone Mrs. Farmer at Lamar 1150. Miss Macon Ellis has been made chairman of the Sixth ward and announces a meeting with speakers from 3 to 5 at the Sixth Ward school on Saturday afternoon. All women of that ward who are interested are asked to attend.

Mrs. I. Witherspoon has accepted the chairmanship of the Fifth ward, and Mrs. George of the North Side. Mrs. Augusta C. Hughston returned to Dallas Thursday morning, but will come to Fort Worth again on April 7. Mrs. Hughston said:

"If this constitutional amendment passes, the qualification for voting for both men and women will be full American citizenship, whether native or naturalized. All who believe in America and American citizenship are urged to vote for the adoption of the suffrage amendment on May 24."

WOMEN SUFFRAGISTS HELPING SELL BONDS

"Woman Suffrage" is the big idea in the minds of the ardent suffragists of Fort Worth, but they are going to forego their work and devote their time and energy to "something bigger" during the coming week. "Suffrage First" buttons were carefully laid away Monday afternoon and the Victory Loan buttons were donned. Suffrage headquarters will be closed all this week and the workers will devote their time to the Victory Loan.

"It is not a new thing with us. We suffragist league members and campaign committee members have been deep in every loan drive and will be in this one. Our soldiers and their welfare are among our chief interests," Mrs. James Farmer, secretary, said Monday, as she closed her desk at the First Baptist church, and volunteered to work in the Victory Loan drive this week.

PARENT-TEACHERS TO MEET AT GEORGE CLARKE SCHOOL.

The Parent-Teachers' club of the George Clarke school will meet this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the schoolhouse. Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage association, and Mrs. Augusta C. Hughston of the National Suffrage association of New York will discuss equal suffrage.

All members are asked to make an effort to be present.

SOCIAL NOTES AND PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Farmer are spending a few days in Mineral Wells, where they are attending the good roads convention.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin and Mrs. A. C. Hughston of New York spent Tuesday at Granbury, the guests of Mrs. L. G. Waltrip.

Mrs. A. K. Harris and Mrs. O. F. Carlson are making daily trips into near-by towns of Tarrant county in the interest of equal suffrage.

EIGHTH WARD PLANS SUFFRAGE CANVASS

Plans to interest women in the suffrage amendment to the Constitution were made at a meeting of the women of the Eighth Ward Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. H. C. McGlasson, on Fairmount Avenue.

Mrs. A. C. Hughston of the national headquarters at New York was to have been present and make an address but she was unable to attend. Several women made short talks, including Mrs. James F. Farmer and Mrs. Stanley Boykin.

It was decided to make a personal canvass of the ward.

OF TEXAS MOTHERS' CONGRESS MEETS AT LUNCHEON

Fort Worth Club Women Are
Guestesses; Child Welfare
Discussed by Speakers.

Women of breadth of vision and of state-wide influence gathered at the Senior High school at noon on Monday to honor the ladies who were in Fort Worth to attend the executive meeting of the board of managers of the Texas Congress of Mothers. More than fifty were present, including the guests of honor, and noted speakers were introduced by Mrs. J. D. Covert, who presided most delightfully as toastmistress.

Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, president of the Fort Worth Council of Mothers, made the address of welcome. Other speakers following were Mrs. Mary L. Wright, president of the Fort Worth Federation; Mrs. H. Worth Jones of Houston, who paid a splendid tribute to Mrs. E. A. Watters as woman and executive.

In answering the tribute, as the next speaker, Mrs. Watters recalled the first meeting of the Congress of Mothers, and spoke of the many flags flying in Fort Worth today in honor of better livestock, saying that she hoped in a few more years when a state meeting of the Congress of Mothers was held here the flags would be flying all over the city in honor of child welfare, and that future legislatures would be willing to grant as large a sum for child welfare as they would for livestock inspection.

Word for Equal Suffrage.

One of the most forceful speakers of the occasion was Mrs. Augusta C. Hughston of New York, who has come to Texas to assist in the suffrage campaign now being waged here. Mrs. Hughston said that she believed her being in this state at this time was very apropos, and that the previous speaker's remark in regard to the wide difference between appropriations for livestock inspection and child welfare had made her think that suffrage was the connecting link between the desires of the women of the state and the realization of their ideals.

"When women are voters," she added, "there will be no doubt as to the size of the appropriations for the welfare of children, and surely a woman of Texas will stand by and see democracy established in foreign countries, even in the country of our arch enemy, Germany, and not see it established here, and there will be no democracy until every woman has a vote. This campaign is here, and it is yours, women of Texas, and I have been sent here to help you because the women of Texas did so much for the women of New York when we had our campaign. I feel and know that you will see the right in this matter, and that you will help us win on the 24th of May."

Approval of Work.

Other speakers were Mrs. C. W. Connery, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Ella Carruthers Porter of Dallas; J. W. Cantwell, former superintendent of schools; Miss Almira Winchester of the national board of education, and M. H. Moore, superintendent of public schools, who gave to the Congress of Mothers and the Parent-Teachers' associations credit for promoting through the attributes of their organizations much of the advancement and improvement in public schools which is seen in Fort Worth today. At the close of the luncheon, the entire gathering arose and sang "America."

Those present were Mmes. J. W. Kuykendall, H. Worth Jones of Houston; Mary L. Wright, W. C. Barrickman of Dallas; Augusta C. Hughston of New

York; Miss Minerva Lawrence of the state university; Mmes. Charles L. Rankin, Dallas; S. W. Ray, J. B. Dooley, J. L. Rawley, O. F. Carlson, George Shaw, W. H. Lovejoy, R. H. Emerson, F. P. Culver, A. R. Eldredge, Stanley Boykin, B. A. Sadler of Dallas; S. B. Feemster of Polytechnic, A. D. Hodgson, Laura W. Maginnis, F. G. Garrison, Polytechnic; W. S. Essex, Polytechnic; L. W. Newton, Polytechnic; Ben S. Baldwin, Polytechnic; Mabel M. Osgood of C. I. A., Denton; H. E. Ferree, H. S. Martin of El Paso; John Berger, W. L. Lea, Alma W. Lile, A. V. Staude, Edward Kneeland of Dallas, O. M. Longnecker of Houston, N. B. Ford of Dallas, B. B. Dickson of Denison, C. W. Connery, E. A. Watters, J. D. Covert, F. A. Snakard, I. S. Brin, J. C. Clayton, W. L. Corn, L. C. Penry, Charles G. Norton, representing The Record; J. F. Farmer, R. H. Brown, W. A. Jones, E. T. Moore, Miss Almira Winchester, Miss Mary G. Waites, Superintendent M. H. Moore and former Superintendent J. W. Cantwell.

The Constitutional Amendments. 1919

We take it for granted that the four constitutional amendments which are to be voted on in the election to be held May 24 will be adopted by a decisive vote. This is particularly true of the prohibition and suffrage amendments. National prohibition already has been adopted, Texas being one of the States to ratify the amendment to the Federal Constitution, so that even were peace to be declared before July 1, when the wartime prohibition act goes into effect, and even if that act were to be declared invalid, there is no longer any principle to be fought over, for prohibition in a few months will become the organic law of the land through the orderly process provided by the Constitution. A new delegation of power has been made to the Federal Government by a vote of three-fourths of the States. In this situation the only purpose that could prompt the people of Texas to vote down the amendment to the State Constitution would be the chance to reopen the saloons for a few months. There is no other principle involved, for the policy of prohibition has become that of the Federal Constitution.

While the situation with respect to woman suffrage is a little different, as a practical proposition it is the same as in the case of prohibition in Texas. The women already vote in the primary elections, and so far as the election of officials in this State is concerned those are the only important elections. To withhold full constitutional suffrage from Texas women while permitting them to vote in the primaries would be purely academic, it seems to us, for the practical fact is that they would continue to have an equal voice in the choice of the members of the Legislature, of all State, county and municipal officials and of the members of Congress as well.

With this situation existing with respect to the practical aspects of these two questions, we wonder why some of the leaders on both sides are becoming all heated up about the possible outcome of the coming election. The anti-prohibitionists ought to know that there is no longer a prohibition issue in Texas. To attempt to resurrect it is the sheerest sort of folly on their part and only tend to promote needless, temporary strife. It will serve no good purpose, even though it were possible, to reopen the saloons in Texas. Certainly, it would not serve the cause either of "local self-government" or of "personal liberty." Texas has joined the other States in delegating to the Federal Government the power to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in the State. It would be to nobody's interest but the men who might enter the saloon business, to permit the business to be resumed for a short period in Texas. The average anti-prohibitionist not connected with the liquor business itself has never had any interest in the saloon. His opposition to prohibition has been based upon a principle of government, and that principle is no longer involved in the contest.

The same may be said about woman suffrage. There is no argument that can be put forward against constitutional suffrage that does not apply with even greater force in Texas to primary suffrage, because the primary elections are the important elections. No matter how much may be said to the contrary, the State already is committed to primary suffrage overwhelmingly. The present Legislature, for example, is almost unanimously in favor of constitutional suffrage, and it is unthinkable that a Legislature ever could be elected, now that women vote in the primaries, a majority of which would vote to repeal the primary suffrage law, to say nothing of the possibility of electing a Governor who would sign a bill repealing that law.

We do not doubt that there are many voters who oppose these propositions on principle who will vote against them on May 24. But why a bitter controversy should be stirred up anew over these questions, particularly the question of prohibition, is beyond our comprehension. We cannot see what is expected to be gained, beyond keeping alive for a few weeks longer "issues" which have long divided our people, but which to all practical purposes have been settled. We had thought that the election of May 24 would be a mere ratification of what the people already have decided in their own minds. And in spite of the "campaign" which is being conducted by both sides that is what it will be in practical effect.

NEXT CONVENTION OF SUFFRAGISTS TO BE VICTORY CELEBRATION

It is proposed by the Texas Equal Franchise Association, which held a board meeting here Wednesday, to make the next annual meeting of the State association a victory celebration and the date for the convention was set for June 11, 12 and 13. The place of meeting will be San Antonio.

A very important meeting of the board of directors of the Texas Equal Franchise Association was held all day Wednesday at the Driskill. Business was interrupted at 1 o'clock for the luncheon served by the hostess association of Austin. The sessions were presided over by Mrs. Cunningham.

Plans were made at this executive board meeting for the campaign to be waged for woman suffrage before May 24, when the question will be submitted to the voters of the State.

The State will be fully organized and workers will put their heart and soul into the task as they have done previously. In mapping out the campaign Mrs. Cunningham called attention to many advantages this campaign has over previous ones waged, but also pointed out several handicaps.

"It is an unwise general who would go into a battle without coconsidering advantages and disadvantages," said Mrs. Cunningham, "and we must be ready to overcome all handicaps in this fight."

Mrs. Cunningham appointed committees for the Statewide campaign, to be ratified by the board. These will be announced later.

BARRY MILLER WILL SPEAK THURSDAY FOR SUFFRAGE.

Special to The News. Fort Worth, Texas, May 11.—Barry Miller of Dallas will be the principal speaker at an equal suffrage and prohibition rally to be held here next Thursday. If former Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey arrives from Kentucky during the week it is probable the anti-suffragists also will make Fort Worth the center

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The Constitutional Amendments. 1919

We take it for granted that the four constitutional amendments which are to be voted on in the election to be held May 24 will be adopted by a decisive vote. This is particularly true of the prohibition and suffrage amendments. National prohibition already has been adopted, Texas being one of the States to ratify the amendment to the Federal Constitution, so that even were peace to be declared before July 1, when the wartime prohibition act goes into effect, and even if that act were to be declared invalid, there is no longer any principle to be fought over, for prohibition in a few months will become the organic law of the land through the orderly process provided by the Constitution. A new delegation of power has been made to the Federal Government by a vote of three-fourths of the States. In this situation the only purpose that could prompt the people of Texas to vote down the amendment to the State Constitution would be the chance to reopen the saloons for a few months. There is no other principle involved, for the policy of prohibition has become that of the Federal Constitution.

While the situation with respect to woman suffrage is a little different, as a practical proposition it is the same as in the case of prohibition in Texas. The women already vote in the primary elections, and so far as the election of officials in this State is concerned those are the only important elections. To withhold full constitutional suffrage from Texas women while permitting them to vote in the primaries would be purely academic, it seems to us, for the practical fact is that they would continue to have an equal voice in the choice of the members of the Legislature, of all State, county and municipal officials and of the members of Congress as well.

With this situation existing with respect to the practical aspects of these two questions, we wonder why some of the leaders on both sides are becoming all heated up about the possible outcome of the coming election. The anti-prohibitionists ought to know that there is no longer a prohibition issue in Texas. To attempt to resurrect it is the sheerest sort of folly on their part and only tends to promote needless, temporary strife. It will serve no good purpose, even though it were possible, to reopen the saloons in Texas. Certainly, it would not serve the cause either of "local self-government" or of "personal liberty." Texas has joined the other States in delegating to the Federal Government the power to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in the State. It would be to nobody's interest but the men who might enter the saloon business, to permit the business to be resumed for a short period in Texas. The average anti-prohibitionist not connected with the liquor business itself has never had any interest in the saloon. His opposition to prohibition has been based upon a principle of government, and that principle is no longer involved in the contest.

The same may be said about woman suffrage. There is no argument that can be put forward against constitutional suffrage that does not apply with even greater force in Texas to primary suffrage, because the primary elections are the important elections. No matter how much may be said to the contrary, the State already is committed to primary suffrage overwhelmingly. The present Legislature, for example, is almost unanimously in favor of constitutional suffrage, and it is unthinkable that a Legislature ever could be elected, now that women vote in the primaries, a majority of which would vote to repeal the primary suffrage law, to say nothing of the possibility of electing a Governor who would sign a bill repealing that law.

We do not doubt that there are many voters who oppose these propositions on principle who will vote against them on May 24. But why a bitter controversy should be stirred up anew over these questions, particularly the question of prohibition, is beyond our comprehension. We cannot see what is expected to be gained, beyond keeping alive for a few weeks longer "issues" which have long divided our people, but which to all practical purposes have been settled. We had thought that the election of May 24 would be a mere ratification of what the people already have decided in their own minds. And in spite of the "campaign" which is being conducted by both sides that is what it will be in practical effect.

NEXT CONVENTION OF SUFFRAGISTS TO BE VICTORY CELEBRATION

It is proposed by the Texas Equal Franchise Association, which held a board meeting here Wednesday, to make the next annual meeting of the State association a victory celebration and the date for the convention was set for June 11, 12 and 13. The place of meeting will be San Antonio.

A very important meeting of the board of directors of the Texas Equal Franchise Association was held all day Wednesday at the Driskill. Business was interrupted at 1 o'clock for the luncheon served by the hostess association of Austin. The sessions were presided over by Mrs. Cunningham.

Plans were made at this executive board meeting for the campaign to be waged for woman suffrage before May 24, when the question will be submitted to the voters of the State.

The State will be fully organized and workers will put their heart and soul into the task as they have done previously. In mapping out the campaign Mrs. Cunningham called attention to many advantages this campaign has over previous ones waged, but also pointed out several handicaps.

"It is an unwise general who would go into a battle without considering advantages and disadvantages," said Mrs. Cunningham, "and we must be ready to overcome all handicaps in this fight."

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The speech that Joseph Weldon Bailey delivered at the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday night will be replied to by Thomas Watt Gregory, former Attorney General of the United States, in a speech at the First Baptist Church Auditorium at 8 o'clock tonight. Gregory, as Attorney General, directed the legal forces of the United States during the war.

Gregory was met at the Santa Fe station Friday morning by a reception committee of Fort Worth men and women and he was given an informal reception at the Westbrook Hotel at 11 o'clock. The reception committee was headed by Judge I. W. Stephens, the personal friend of Gregory. Judge Stephens will introduce Gregory tonight.

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Will "Carry On" Separately.

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Now there is practically no chance for this. The Woman's party will meet in late September and is expected to continue as a militant organization of women voters.

The day of rejoicing over the actual arrival of suffrage was notable also for the outlining of programs for the women voters. A jubilation meeting held Thursday night had among its speakers Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton of Ohio, vice chairman of the National Republican Committee, and Miss Charles Williams, vice chairman of the Democratic committee. Both women and other speakers on the program arranged by the National League of Women Voters urged that women should affiliate with one of the great political parties and work through the parties of their choice for legislation of interest to women.

There was no statement from President Wilson concerning the suffrage proclamation. He informed Mrs. Catt and Mrs. Gardner that Secretary Colby would speak for him.

Colby's statement included a congratulation to "the women of the country upon the successful culmination of their efforts, which have been sustained in the face of many discouragements.

Opens New Era.

"The day marks the opening of a great and new era in the political life of the Nation," he said.

The scene of the actual signing of the proclamation was described by Colby. The only two other persons present when he affixed his signature with a plain steel pen to the enfranchising document were F. K. Nielson, the Solicitor of the State Department, and Charles Cooke, officer in charge of ceremonials.

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VICTORY SUFFRAGE PAGEANT



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Women! We now must change the world we know
To one great garden where the child may grow.

New freedom means new duty, broad and grand.
To make a better world and hold it so
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Musical Program

VICTOR ALESSANDRO'S BAND

1. Daughters of America.....Lampe
2. Waltz, CongratulationsEurope
3. Sextette from Lucia di Lammermoor.....Douzetti
4. Selection of Southern Airs.....Arranged by Conterno
5. Overture, Poet and Peasant.....Suppe

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Miss Jessie Belle Millsapps.....Director of Pageant
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PART I.

Trumpeter.....Miss Florence M. Sterling
Invocation. *Rev. Hendricks*
Introductory Remarks.....Mrs. H. F. Ring
Governor's Proclamation.....Mayor Amerman
Address.....Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham

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Victory.....Mrs. Robert Carr
Responsibility.....Miss Georgia Sederholm
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Dance, "The Garden of Children."

Star Spangled BannerBand

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*Foreword On the First Annual
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Texas League of Women Voters

OCTOBER 18-20, 1920
EL PASO, TEXAS

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Social features and side trips into Mexico will be a distinct addition to the Convention.

Headquarters: Hotel Paso del Norte.

Chairman Local Arrangements Committee for State,

Mrs. S. J. Fennell,
710 N. Santa Fe Street,
El Paso, Texas.

PROGRAM.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 18.

- 10:00 a. m. Executive Board Meeting.
2:30 p. m. Opening of Convention.
Call to Order by the President,
Mrs. Jessie Daniel Ames.
Invocation.
Address of Welcome.
Response to Address.
Preliminary Report, Credentials
Committee.
Appointment of Convention
Committee.
Report of Local Arrangements
Committee.
Year's Work—Corresponding
Secretary, Mrs. Jesse T. Cope,
Karnes City, Texas.
Year's Finances—Treasurer,
Mrs. Mary H. Ellis, Austin,
Texas.
Women and the National Parties
—Mrs. Cone Johnson, Nation-
al Democratic Committee-
woman for Texas, Tyler,
Texas.
Nominating a President—Miss
Florence Sterling, Houston,
Texas, Chairman Houston
League of Women Voters.
4:30 p. m. Adjournment.

MONDAY EVENING.

- 8:30 p. m. The National League of Women
Voters, Its Background and Its
Future—Mrs. Minnie Fisher
Cunningham.

TUESDAY MORNING.

- 9:00 a. m. Convention called to order.
Invocation.
Recommendations from the Ex-
ecutive Board.
The Need of a Joint Legislative
Committee.
Organization of Leagues of
Women Voters, County and
District.
12:00 m. Adjournment.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

- 1:30 p. m. Legislative Program—National
League of Women Voters.
The Eight Standing Committees.
4:30 p. m. Adjournment.

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- 8:30 p. m. The Nineteenth Amendment. A
Pageant.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

- 9:00 a. m. Convention called to order.
Invocation.
Second Report — Credentials
Committee.
Business Session.
Election Methods.
1. Qualifications for Voting.
2. Primaries.
3. Convention.
4. General Elections.
12:00 m. Adjournment.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

- 1:30 p. m. National Government.
(a) Electing a President.
(b) President's Powers and Du-
ties.
(c) Congress—Its Powers and
Duties.
State Government.
(a) The Governor—His Powers
and His Duties.
(b) The Legislature—Organiza-
tion, Its Powers, Laws
and How They Are Made.
4:40 p. m. Adjournment.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

- Program to be furnished by local
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October 5, 1920.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin,
Ft. Worth, Texas.

My dear Mrs. Boykin:-

I certainly hope that you will be in El Paso. We are going to have not only a very interesting program but I suspect a critical situation in many respects and we are going to need there the women who believe in the necessity of an organization.

In addition to acting as an official parliamentarian will you please prepare to respond to the Address of welcome to be delivered by the El Paso mayor. I have cut down the address of welcome to as few as I can there being only one. This has been necessary because of the amount of work we have to accomplish.

I shall remember your bid for the next convention of the League of Women Voters and I want you to be there to deliver it in person.

Sincerely yours,

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July 17, 1919.

Dear Fellow Citizen:

Letters of appreciation, condolence, and encouragement--all were certainly in order to the splendid leaders who remained steadfastly at the suffrage helm throughout the hurricane of May 24th; but there was not even time for your representatives in Austin to catch their breath and overhaul their rigging before we were plunged headlong into the ratification maelstrom.

The result of this last equal suffrage fight in Texas is now, of course, a matter of history, but I wish from the depths of my heart that each woman in the State who has given of her time, strength, and talents might have been a witness to this battle royal waged in her behalf by our splendid men. Innately, I believe that Texas women idealize the men of our State--we place them on a pedestal whose altitude is equal to the one we are supposed to occupy ourselves; we refer to them with unalloyed pride in speaking to women of other states, and when they apparently failed to live up to our ideal on May 24th, I believe that deep down-in-the-heart of each of us there was a feeling as if something there had died. But the "something" came to active life again as we realized the "ins" and "outs," the "whys" and "wherefore" of that election, and to virile life as we watched our State Senators and Representatives "fight, bleed, and all but die" for us on the floors of our law making halls last month.

There were trying, tragic, nerve wracking, and ludicrous moments and incidents throughout the week that I wish could be told you in detail; for instance, the first morning the antis sat in solemn conclave down at the Driskill Hotel planning ways and means of getting protests before the House committee to which the Suffrage amendment would be referred; they adjourned to learn that the committee had already met, considered the amendment and unanimously reported it in our favor!

Our pleasure over "drawing first blood" was short lived, however, when we received the sad news of the death of a staunch supporter, Senator Bell of Ford County.

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Our poll of the House taken previous to the convening of the Legislature had disclosed the fact that we would have no trouble there, and, as anticipated, the fight was centered in the Senate.

The hearing before the Senate committee, with the Antis as star performers, was replete with humorous situations that would have excited the envy of any vaudeville manager. It was not so funny, however, when later we learned of the desperate efforts being made by the opposition--as a last resort--to woo away, by fair means or foul, eleven Senators and thus break the quorum. Probably passengers on outward bound Pullman cars are mystified to this day as to their rudely broken midnight slumbers on a certain Friday night.

But a volume would be required to give the story of that week of uncertainties, weariness and thrills, and I started out to write this: As an eye witness I wish to emphasize the fact that unless you were here you cannot possibly have any conception of how splendidly and against what terrific assaults our law-makers labored in behalf of Suffrage for Texas women. Their fight, so earnestly and fearlessly waged, aroused the antis to the white heat of determination that never again shall they return to the Texas Legislature. Threats to this effect were frequently heard, and plans of the sort that will be hard to detect are even now being laid.

Surely "ingratitude" is one word unknown in the vocabulary of Texas womanhood, while to fight for justice is inherent. Our sons proved this on the battle fields of France. Can we do less than prove worthy mothers and wives of these splendid fellows? Can we prove our worthiness in a more far-reaching, effective manner than by putting forth our very best efforts to assure the return to office of the men whose high ideals of justice and democracy were as adamant against the assaults of graft, greed and corruption?

I think not; and I believe there will be such an unprecedented payment of poll taxes by women beginning October first, that opponents of our candidates will not ever announce for office. Texas men in the Legislature have done all in their power, and now comes our opportunity to prove what manner of women our state produces.

With the confident belief that we shall not fail them,
I am

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs. A. N.) *Jane Y. McCallum*

Ch'man Ratification Comm.

DR. R. E. VINSON OUTLINES NEED TEXAS SCHOOLS

Formal Business of State Teachers Will Begin This Afternoon at 2 o'Clock.

ELECTION IS TODAY

Outlining a program of requirements to raise the standing of the state of Texas, in so far as its educational opportunities are concerned, Robert E. Vinson, president of the State Teachers' association and also president of the University of Texas, at Austin, Thursday night opened the first formal session of the forty-second annual convention of the Texas State Teachers' association, which convened for a three days' session in the auditorium of the First Baptist church.

Four thousand instructors from all sections of the state, who had arrived Wednesday and Thursday crowded into the auditorium and the aisles were crowded when the Rev. Dr. J. Frank Norris, pastor of the First Baptist church, said the invocation.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the Fort Worth mothers' council, expressing appreciation of the work being done by the Parent-Teachers' association throughout the state. She announced that these associations now number 23,000 members throughout the United States, and cheers greeted her announcement that with the first ballot to be cast by the women in the state of Texas they helped passed the better school amendment. The passage of this amendment, she insisted, will play a major part in removing illiteracy from the state.

WELCOMES 7,200.

Mayor W. D. Davis, on behalf of the city of Fort Worth, extended a welcome to the 7,200 teachers who either are already here or will be here when the first business session of the convention is opened this morning.

Preceding the formal opening of the convention a musical program was carried out by the Euterpean chorus, as follows:

Four American Indian songs (Cushman): "From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water;" "The White Dawn Is Stealing;" "Far Off I Hear a Lover's Lute;" "The Moon Drops Low."

Solo, selected, Bernard U. Taylor Jr., baritone.

"The Swan" (Saint Saens); "Rant-in', Rovin', Robbin'" (Old Scotch air), "To Anthea" (James L. Hatten).

Director, Bernard U. Taylor Jr.

Accompanist, Jean Hayes Taylor.

Extending a response to the address of welcome delivered by Mayor Davis, President Vinson, before entering into his annual address, announced that this convention would differ from preceding ones, in that the program had been considerably condensed, offering the best program possible. Stating that while his address had been placed on the program as an inaugural address, it should more correctly have been entitled his "swan song," in that it would consist of not what had been accomplished by the

FIRST ANNUAL CONVENTION, TEXAS LEAGUE
El Paso, Texas, Oct. 18 to 22, 1921

he said.
Mrs. Stanley Boykin told of the plans being made for the first annual convention of the Texas League of Women Voters which will be held in El Paso Oct. 18 to 20. Among the speakers will be Mayor Frank Wozencraft of Dallas, R. E. Thomason, Mrs. Cone Johnson, Mrs. Florence C. Floore, Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham and others prominent in the organization. Mrs. Stanley Boykin is scheduled to make the response to the address of welcome.
The league Friday also adopted a resolution pledging itself to use every effort to have the necessary legislation enacted to effect the changes in the suffrage system.

It was voted to invite the State League of Women Voters to hold the 1921 State convention in Fort Worth. The Texas League will meet in El Paso Oct. 18-20. It is probable that several local delegates will attend. Mrs. Stanley Boykin has been invited to speak on the State convention program.
The league went on record Friday as favoring the holding of the city primary election Nov. 2.
Aid School Amendment.
Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the league, appointed Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall chairman of a committee to offer the co-operation of the League of Women Voters to the executive committee of the school amendment, of which Mrs. R. Bonna Ridgway is chairman.
Agitation of high schools for the rural districts was begun, and a lengthy discussion of the present school situation and its economic result was engaged in. It was brought out that Texas and Virginia are the only two States in the United States having a limit of 50 cents for school tax. The proposed school amendment lifts this restriction and leaves each school district free to decide upon the amount of tax it shall levy for school purposes not exceeding \$2.50 on the \$100 valuation.

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matters during the coming session of the league.
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CELEBRATION OF THE GRANTING OF
EQUAL SUFFRAGE
TO THE
WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

MONDAY, SEPT. 6, 1920

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

PROGRAMME



Chairman.....Mrs. Stanley Boykin

Star Spangled Banner.....Chorus
Mr. C. F. Croxton, Director

First Step Towards Equal Suffrage in Texas.....
.....Gov. W. P. Hobby

How Suffrage Was Won.....Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham

Thirty-Sixth Legislature and Equal Suffrage.....
.....Hon. Robert Ewing Thomason

Actual Politics.....Mrs. Cone Johnson

Our New Citizens.....Judge Ocie Speer

The Ballot—Woman's Opportunity for Service.....
.....Mrs. Charles Scheuber

AmericaChorus
Mr. C. F. Croxton, Director

WOMEN VOTERS TO CELEBRATE VICTORY HERE SEPTEMBER 6

A celebration of the complete ratification of the suffrage amendment will be held Sept. 6 in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church, fostered by the Fort Worth League of Women Voters. Plans were made before Governor Hobby declared Sept. 4 a State holiday set aside for the celebration of the suffrage victory.

On the eve of the Democratic convention the Fort Worth rally will in reality be a State celebration as many of the leading politicians of the State will be here for the convention, which opens Sept. 7. The plan of the League is to invite speakers who have been instrumental in securing the passage of the suffrage amendment, speakers who have championed women's rights when the movement was unpopular. Governor Hobby will be among the speakers and it is possible that Senator Morris Sheppard will be here for the rally.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1920

NEFF TO SPEAK AT SUFF RALLY MONDAY NIGHT

Pat M. Neff, Democratic nominee for Governor, will speak at the rally to be held Monday at 8 p. m. at the First Baptist Church auditorium in celebration of the ratification of suffrage.

Members of the Equal Suffrage Association communicated with Neff Saturday and he granted their request that he speak Monday night.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin is chairman of the celebration committee. Following the rally at the church a reception will be held at the Westbrook Hotel for all delegates and visitors to the State Democratic convention which opens Tuesday morning. Elaborate plans are being made for the reception. Mrs. C. W. B. Collyns, Mrs. Anna H. Price and Mrs. B. F. Armstrong are reception committee workers.

The program to be given Monday night in addition to the address by Neff follows:

- "Star Spangled Banner," Chorus, C. F. Croxton, director.
- "First Step Toward Equal Suffrage in Texas," Governor Hobby.
- "How Suffrage Was Won," Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham.
- "Thirty-Sixth Legislature and Equal Suffrage," Robert Ewing Thomason.
- "Actual Politics," Mrs. Cone Johnson.
- "Our New Citizens," Judge Ocie Speer.
- "The Ballot—Woman's Opportunity for Service," Mrs. Charles Scheuber.
- "America," Chorus, C. F. Croxton, director.

5,000 EXPECTED AT JUBILEE AND RECEPTION TONIGHT IN HONOR OF NEW WOMEN VOTERS

1920

BY MAE BIDDISON BENSON.

Preparations are being made for 5,000 persons at the suffrage rally to-night at the First Baptist Church Auditorium.

"Not only delegates to the Democratic convention but the public in general is expected to attend the rally," Mrs. Stanley Boykin, chairman of the celebration committee, announced Monday morning. "The rally is being given by the Equal Suffrage Association of Fort Worth for the people of Fort Worth in celebration of the granting of equal suffrage to the women of the United States, and we want the Fort Worth people there." The rally is being given while the delegates to the State Democratic convention are in the city in order that it may take on State-wide significance and importance.

Reception After Jubilee.

The speakers include Pat M. Neff, Democratic nominee for Governor; Governor Hobby, Robert Ewing Thomason, Judge Ocie Speer; Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, Mrs. Charles Scheuber and Mrs. Cone Johnson. C. F. Croxton will direct the music.

After the jubilee at the church, an informal reception will be held at the Westbrook Hotel, at which Fort Worth

people will be given an opportunity to meet Neff. Punch will be served and the guests will be received on the mezzanine floor. Meses. C. W. B. Collyns, Anna H. Price and B. F. Armstrong are in charge of the reception.

Cars are being promised for the ride around Lake Worth Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Joe S. Hubbard, chairman of this entertainment, announces that more than 100 cars have been promised to her personally.

250 Autos Needed.

"We will need 250 cars Tuesday afternoon between 4:30 and 5 o'clock at the First Baptist Church," Mrs. Hubbard said. "There will be 1,500 persons here for the convention—1,000 voting delegates, and 500 visitors from all parts of the State. It is probable that an equal number of Fort Worth people will be in attendance.

"We are providing only for the out of town delegates to take the ride around the lake. To accommodate them we need 250 cars."

Those who will donate the use of their cars are asked to call Mrs. Hubbard, Rosedale 966. Or if you forget to phone, drive your car to the First Baptist Church Tuesday at 4:30 p. m. and it will be used.

I. H. Burney and H. F. Stute will superintend the filling of the cars.

MANY PLEASURES ARRANGED FOR SUFF JUBILEE

1920

Complete arrangements for the Suffrage Victory Jubilee were made at a meeting of the women's entertainment committee, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Stanley Boykin, committee chairman, will preside at the celebration which will be held Monday at 8 p. m. in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church. Following the rally in the church auditorium an informal reception will be held on the mezzanine floor of the Westbrook Hotel. Mrs. C. W. B. Collyns is in charge of reception arrangements.

A tour around Lake Worth is being planned for Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Joe S. Hubbard is in charge and those who will use their cars to take State convention delegates on this tour are asked to phone Mrs. Hubbard, Rosedale 966. The delegates will leave the First Baptist Church Tuesday, between 4:30 and 5 p. m.

Governor Hobby will speak Monday night on "First Steps Toward Equal Suffrage in Texas"; Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham will speak on "How Suffrage Was Won." Other subjects and speakers will be, "Actual Politics," Robert Ewing Thomason; "Our New Citizens," Judge Ocie Speer; "The Ballot, Woman's Opportunity for Service," Mrs. Charles Scheuber.

A ride around Lake Worth and a cruise on the "Panther City" are being arranged for the women delegates to the State Democratic convention Tuesday afternoon. A special program will be given for the delegates to the San Francisco convention. A barbecue will be given Tuesday night at Lake Worth. Mrs. B. F. Armstrong and Mrs. W. Kuykendall are in charge. Mrs. John M. Scott is chairman of decoration committee for Monday night.

SUFFRAGE JUBILEE IS LAST EVENT ON LABOR DAY LIST

The suffrage jubilee in celebration of the ratification of the nineteenth amendment will be one of the culminating events of the Labor day celebration in Fort Worth Monday.

The jubilee will be held at 8 o'clock in the First Baptist church and will be attended by many of the delegates to the state Democratic convention, which begins its sessions Tuesday morning. Mrs. Stanley Boykin will preside over the jubilee.

Governor William P. Hobby will be introduced by Dr. E. R. Cockrell, dean of the law school of Texas Christian university. Governor Hobby's topic will be "First Steps Toward Equal Suffrage in Texas."

"How Suffrage Was Won," will be related by Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Galveston, former state president of the suffrage association of Texas.

Robert Ewing Thomason of El Paso, speaker of the Texas house of representatives will speak on the subject of "The Thirty-sixth Legislature and Equal Suffrage."

"Actual Politics" will be the topic discussed by Mrs. Cone Johnson of Tyler, national Democratic committee-woman from Texas.

Judge Ocie Speer will talk about "Our New Citizens."

"The Ballot Woman's Opportunity for Service" is the subject to be discussed by Mrs. Charles Scheuber.

C. F. Croxton's chorus of twenty-five singers will sing the "Star Spangled Banner" at the beginning and "America" at the close of the pro-

gram. Fort Worth society girls will act as ushers.

The auditorium will be decorated with yellow and white sunflowers, the official emblem of the suffrage association of the United States.

After the jubilee an informal reception at the Westbrook hotel will be tendered the visiting delegates to the state convention.

SUFFRAGE JUBILEE PROGRAM PREPARED

GOVERNOR HOBBY AND OTHERS WILL SPEAK AT CELEBRATION MONDAY.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 2.—Plans for the jubilee rally and celebration of the granting of equal suffrage to the women of the United States, which is to be held at the First Baptist Church auditorium Monday, Sept. 6, at 8 p. m., were completed at a meeting of the women's entertainment committee this afternoon with Mrs. Stanley Boykin chairman. Also final arrangements were made for the reception of visitors to the State convention to be held Tuesday, Sept. 27.

Speakers who will take part in the suffrage rally and the subjects of their addresses follow:

"First Steps Toward Equal Suffrage in Texas," Governor W. P. Hobby; "How Suffrage Was Won," Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham; "Thirty-Sixth Legislature and Equal Suffrage," Robert Ewing Thomason; "Actual Politics," Mrs. Cone Johnson; "Our New Citizens," Judge Ocie Speer; "The Ballot Woman's Opportunity for Service," Mrs. Charles Scheuber.

Mrs. John M. Scott will have charge of the decorating committee. The color scheme of yellow and white, the suffrage colors, will be carried out in the decoration of the auditorium and the Texas sunflower, which was adopted as the emblem of suffrage at a prominent suffrage meeting several years ago, will be the principal flower used in decorating. A number of girls dressed in white and yellow will act as ushers.

The women's convention will adjourn at 10:30 p. m., after which a reception will be held on the mezzanine floor at the Westbrook Hotel until midnight.

To Entertain Delegates. The State convention will convene Tuesday morning and a special program is being arranged for the Texas delegates to the San Francisco convention. About 750 visitors are expected. An effort is being made to secure enough cars to take the visitors for a tour of the city and the lake. This feature of the work is under the direction of Mrs. Joe S. Hubbard.

Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall has secured permission for the use of the "Panther City" boat, and the visitors will be given a boat ride. A lunch and barbecue, under the direction of Mrs. B. F. Armstrong, will be served, probably at the Ruth Lubin camp, which will accommodate more than 500 people.

Those of the entertainment committee present at the meeting this afternoon were Mrs. Charles Scheuber, Mrs. O. F. Carlson, Mrs. John M. Scott, Mrs. B. F. Armstrong, Mrs. W. C. Collins, Mrs. I. M. Stephens, Mrs. W. A. Mahaffey, Mrs. Joe S. Hubbard, Mrs. John Terrell, Mrs. Anna Price, Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, Mrs. Lullie Hogg, Mrs. A. A. Harris, Mrs. O. L. Sweet, Mrs. George, Mrs. E. A. Sweets and Mrs. Mary Wright.

SUFFRAGE RALLY HERE REVIEWS EARLY FIGHTS; NEFF SPEAKER

Pioneer suffragists who bear the scars of the long fight in Texas for woman suffrage and those who are more recent advocates, joined in the rousing jubilee Monday night at the First Baptist Church to celebrate the granting of equal suffrage to the women of the United States. The majority of the 2,500 persons present were men and when the outlined program had ended they were still clamoring for speakers. Men and women speakers reviewed the difficulties and trials of the pioneer advocates of equal suffrage rights for women and foretold vast changes that women will make in Texas and National politics. Frequent cheers and frequent applause came from the enthusiastic crowd of listeners.

Pat M. Neff, Democratic gubernatorial nominee, was cheered as he entered the auditorium and as he ascended the platform. When he arose to speak the applause lasted a full minute. R. E. Thomason, seated beside Neff on the platform, was greeted with shouts and cheers. M. M. Crane was called to the platform by the clamoring crowd, as was Clyde A. Sweeton and Jess Baker of Granbury, "the father of the suffrage amendment to the Texas Constitution."

Mrs. Boykin Presides.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin presided, opening the jubilee with a review of the chief events of the suffrage fight since the Susan B. Anthony amendment of 1878, and an expression of gratitude to the pioneer fighters for equal rights for women.

While the choir, directed by C. F. Croxton, sang "The Star-Spangled Banner," and joined by the audience sang "America," Miss Katherine Terrell, as the Goddess of Liberty, unfurled a huge American flag in the center of the back of the choir-loft. The choir sang "La Marseillaise."

Mrs. Stanley Boykin introduced Dr. E. R. Cockrell, dean of the Law Department of Texas Christian University, who read a telegram from Governor Hobby expressing his regrets at not being able to attend. Governor Hobby was one of the program speakers, but was detained by pressing business.

Rowdyism Disappears.

"We respect woman for her intellect and her character. They have demanded a larger measure of respect than we as men have given. There is a difference between the old order of things when women lived in ignorant innocence and the new order of sane morality," Cockrell said.

"Another thing that women have done is to push rowdyism away from the polls at elections. In the last local election rowdyism entirely disappeared. And I want to congratulate the women on the fact that they have already brought about this result." Dr. Cockrell prophesied that women will become bigger and finer because of suffrage. He cited that woman is the protector of life and that she will use this instinct in her politics in that she will take an interest in laws for children, the deaf, dumb, blind and insane.

Styled Greatest Event.

Neff was introduced by Dr. Cockrell. When the applause ceased he began, "We are here to celebrate the greatest event in human history—the enfranchisement of woman. And while I am Governor of Texas no backward step shall be taken in regard to suffrage. Woman has the right to be the co-worker with man; she has the right to share his duties and his opportunities. Now that she is allowed to stand by his side, she will make this world a better place in which to live. Wherever the woman goes her influence for good is always felt."

I. H. Burney pointed to R. E. Thomason, seated on the platform and said, "I have the honor of introducing a future Governor of Texas, a man who proved himself all gold in his hour of defeat, a man who is true and great in every way."

"This is the greatest aggregation of Sissies and Sisters I've seen in a long time," Thomason greeted his audience amid loud laughter. He spoke briefly on the "Thirty-Sixth Legislature and Equal Suffrage," stating that members of this Legislature have no apologies to offer. Thomason made a plea for an amendment to the Constitution providing that only full-fledged American citizens may vote.

Speaks for League.

Mrs. Charles Scheuber and Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, past president of the Texas Equal Suffrage Association, now known as the Texas League of Women Voters, spoke briefly and interestingly on what women have done and what they will do. Mrs. Scheuber stressed the privilege of woman to save the League of Nations.

She characterized that document as "the foundation on which can be built a free world for a free people." She further stated: "If the United States does not take her place in the league, she is doomed."

Mrs. Cunningham praised the trail blazers for suffrage; she named the dreamers whose dreams have come true, Mary Holyoke, Florence Nightingale, pioneer suffragists, who have been called 'unwomanly' and have borne the epithets without flinching,

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw and Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt. She then urged the women of the present to be dreamers and to follow their ideals to the end "as our forefathers did."

John M. Adams came to the platform at the invitation of the crowd, whose shouts for "Adams, Adams," brought him to the stand.

Clyde A. Sweeton elicited much applause when he said: "The person to whom the greatest credit for the emancipation of women is due is that wounded soldier at the White House—Woodrow Wilson."

Mrs. Ames Speaks.

Mrs. Jessie Daniel Ames of Georgetown, president of the Texas League of Women Voters, was introduced by Mrs. Stanley Boykin. Mrs. Ames outlined the long fight women have made for equal suffrage. "Never once has our spirit been in despair. There have been times of discouragement, but never the discouragement of despair. We have been wounded, but each time we have gotten up, healed our wounds and started anew with a spirit of the impossibility of defeat."

Following the jubilee an informal reception was held at the Westbrook Hotel. Neff stood at the head of the stairs leading to the mezzanine floor and shook hands with perhaps 300 persons who crowded there to meet him. Mrs. C. W. B. Collyns was chairman of the reception committee.

WOMEN CELEBRATE ENFRANCHISEMENT AT SUFF JUBILEE

Should Use Power to Save
League of Nations, Says
Speaker; 3,000 Attend.

WILL VOTE AS MASS

One of the greatest tasks of the women since receiving equal suffrage is that of saving the league of nations and the covenant, upon which the freedom of the nations of the world depend, was the keynote stressed by Mrs. Charles Scheuber, at the giant suffrage rally last night.

Their duty cannot be fulfilled unless they pledge whole-hearted allegiance to the league and all its provisions, she averred when addressing the audience, which was bound with sympathetic ties in the great cause of suffrage.

Decorated with flags hanging from the balconies and tastily draped along the walls, with bunches of sunflowers, the suffrage flower, lining the front of the stage, the apex being mounted with a picture of Woodrow Wilson, 3,000 people, more men than women, bore with the speakers in their celebration of the event which gave citizenship and suffrage to 17,000,000 women in the United States.

MRS. BOYKIN PRESIDED.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin of Fort Worth, who has been one of the leaders in the suffrage movement in Fort Worth, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Boykin graphically reviewed the fight the women of the country made for suffrage from the time that the Susan B. Anthony amendment was first introduced, in 1878, until final victory was accomplished.

30,000 WOMEN VOTERS.

Mrs. Boykin then introduced Dr. E. R. Cockrell of Texas Christian university, who read a telegram from Governor W. P. Hobby, in which he expressed his regrets in being unable to be present at the meeting.

Dr. Cockrell, in opening his address, declared that women are legally fellow citizens.

"I want to rejoice," he said, "that there are 30,000,000 enfranchised citizens in the United States today. We respect their intelligence and their character and leadership, and I may say that it was only due to the fact that men finally came to the realization that women occupy the big place in any community that they conceded their franchise."

INTRODUCES NEFF.

Dr. Cockrell introduced Pat M. Neff, Democratic gubernatorial candidate of Texas. Mr. Neff was given a big ovation as he arose to speak.

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DELEGATE

Democratic State
Convention

Fort Worth
Sept. 7-8,
1920

WELCOME PLANNED FOR DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Mrs. Jo S. Hubbard requested Saturday that all automobile owners who will loan their cars to the entertainment of delegates to the Democratic state convention Tuesday call her at Rosedale 966. Mrs. Hubbard said 250 cars will be needed for the delegates. Those who will loan cars are requested to telephone Mrs. Hubbard and to be at the First Baptist auditorium with them not later than 4:30 Tuesday afternoon.

The delegates will be taken for a short drive about the city and then to Ruth Lubin camp on Lake Worth.

H. F. Stute will have charge of arranging the cars at the convention hall.

Delegates to the state Democratic convention to be held in Fort Worth Tuesday and Wednesday will be royally entertained during the hours in which the convention is not in session.

Tuesday afternoon the visitors will assemble at the First Baptist church, where they will be met by 250 automobiles driven by Fort Worth citizens and taken for a drive through the residence section of the city and around Lake Worth. The cars will make the trip in line, in the form of a monster parade. Other entertainment features are being worked out and will be announced later.

The visitors will be given a ride across the lake on the steamer "Panther City."

The reception committee to welcome the visiting delegates and make them feel at home during their stay in Fort Worth consists of:

RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allison, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ammerman, Mrs. B. F. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Axtell, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bagley, Mrs. C. K. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Berryman, Mrs. M. F. Bewley, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Bloodworth, Mr. and Mrs. Clem A. Boaz, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Buchanan, Judge and Mrs. R. H. Buck, I. H. Burney, Mr. and Mrs. William Capps, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carlock, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Carter, Dr. and Mrs. I. C. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. George Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Collett, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. B. Collyns, Mr. and Mrs. George Cope, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Covert, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Curtis, Miss Della Davis, Mayor W. D. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Hubb Diggs, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Draugon, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Evans, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Galbraith, Mrs. Lena Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. George, O. W. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Goree, Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Gumm, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hanger, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Harris, Miss Lulu Hogg, Mr. and Mrs. John Homan, Judge and Mrs. George Hosey, Mr. and Mrs. Jo S. Hubbard, Mrs. J. J. Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. Van Zandt Jarvis, Dr. and Mrs. Clay Johnson, Ben E. Keith, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Lee, Miss Margaret McLean, Mr. and Mrs. W.

P. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mahaffey, Wallace Malone, Mrs. Anna T. Millett, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Molyneux, Mr. and Mrs. William Monning, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Moses, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norton, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Paddock, Miss Olive Peak, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pemberton, Mrs. Anna Price, Mr. and Mrs. William Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Rom Rhome, Mr. and Mrs. Bonna Ridgway, Mr. and Mrs. John Rounsaville, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney L. Samuels, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sanson, Dr. and Mrs. Bacon Saunders, Mrs. Charles Schueber, Mrs. Winfield Scott, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Seward, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shannon, Miss Anna Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shuman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Slay, Judge and Mrs. Hugh Small, Mr. and Mrs. Jules Smith, Judge and Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Sparks, Judge and Mrs. Ocie Speer, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Spoons, Mr. and Mrs. John Stafford, Mrs. I. W. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stripland, Judge and Mrs. James Swayne, Miss Eva Sweet, Mrs. O. L. Sweet, Mrs. Georgia Scott Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. John Tarlton, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Terrell, Mrs. John L. Terrell, Mrs. J. D. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Turner, Mrs. May Utter, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Van Zandt, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Waggoner, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Watters, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Wortham, Mrs. Mary L. Wright, Judge and Mrs. Bruce Young.

ACTIVE WORK FOR CONVENTION BEGINS

Publicity Committee Will Call on Industrial Plants to Extend Personal Invitations to All Women Workers.

With the completion of the programme for the Northwest Texas Home Economics convention completed, members of the various local committees will begin actual work Saturday on the publicity and personal invitation campaign. The city publicity committee, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, chairman, will visit the Hub Furniture factory and store at luncheon time and an invitation will be extended to the employees and their wives to participate.

A subcommittee, led by Mrs. W. A. Harris, who represents the women's auxiliary of the Trades Assembly, and Miss Ballard, secretary of the Young Women's Christian association, will make personal visits to the various factories and industrial establishments where women are employed to urge them to attend the lectures and take an active part in the discussions.

"These lectures and discussions are designed to materially assist the working woman," Mrs. Boykin says, "and we must get in direct touch with them in order that their interest may be aroused."

"We are endeavoring to impress upon the minds of working people that snobishness and class will be laid aside during this convention, and no matter what station in life one enjoys, all will be equal during the week. Those women who have been fortunate and who have thus been able to study home economics and dietaries will attempt to give the less fortunate women this valuable information."

All meetings of women will be attended in the future by members of the publicity committee in order that personal invitations may be extended to the individual members and the organizations collectively. It is the desire of those in charge of the convention, both locally and those from the University of Texas home economics department, that as many women as possible attend the many sessions of the annual convention.

Mrs. Bacon Saunders, executive chairman, Friday announced the personnel of the city publicity committee. Its members are:

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CURB MARKETS TO BE OPENED HERE AT ONCE

Six curb markets are to be established in Fort Worth immediately, according to an announcement made Tuesday by Mrs. Stanley Boykin, chairman of the women's central committee of the Tarrant County Food Conservation Corps. The curbs, placed in various parts of the city, will be open from 6 a. m. until 11 a. m. for the benefit of the public in order that householders may get products at reduced prices and to enable the producers to sell their stock. Complaints have been made by farmers that they are unable to sell much produce after bringing it to town and that they are forced to waste large quantities.

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Mrs. Boykin will appoint committees of five women each to call neighborhood meetings this week at which the market system will be explained. Other committees will visit farming communities and urge planters to bring their produce to the markets. This will eliminate the middlemen.

WELCOME PLANNED FOR DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Mrs. Jo S. Hubbard requested Saturday that all automobile owners who will loan their cars to the entertainment of delegates to the Democratic state convention Tuesday call her at Rosedale 966. Mrs. Hubbard said 250 cars will be needed for the delegates. Those who will loan cars are requested to telephone Mrs. Hubbard and to be at the First Baptist auditorium with them not later than 4:30 Tuesday afternoon.

The delegates will be taken for a short drive about the city and then to Ruth Lubin camp on Lake Worth.

H. F. Stute will have charge of arranging the cars at the convention hall.

Delegates to the state Democratic convention to be held in Fort Worth Tuesday and Wednesday will be royally entertained during the hours in which the convention is not in session.

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The visitors will be given a ride across the lake on the steamer "Panther City."

The reception committee to welcome the visiting delegates and make them feel at home during their stay in Fort Worth consists of:

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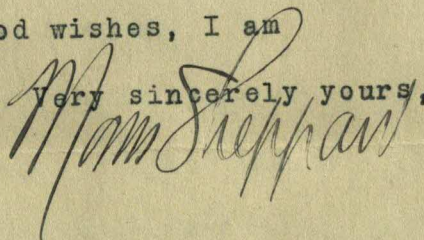
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I find that pressing official duties will prevent my reaching FtWorth before Tuesday morning and regret exceedingly that I will be unable to accept your cordial invitation and join in your celebration Monday evening I extend my very best wishes for the fullest measure of success in your celebration of

CHILD COMMISSION HOLDS FIRST MEET

Is Designed as Clearing House for Child Welfare Prob- lems in Texas.

The child welfare commission recently appointed by Governor Hobby held its first meeting in Fort Worth Thursday at the First Christian church. Mrs. E. A. Watters, chairman of the commission, outlined the history of the movement in her introductory remarks.

"We have been endeavoring to obtain this commission since 1909," she said. "It is a commission recommended by the Congress of Mothers, and it is designed as a clearing house for all child welfare problems in Texas in the future."

Speeches were made by the following: Dr. C. W. Goddard of Austin, who outlined the child hygiene work in the health department; Dr. D. E. Breed of Austin, who represented the Texas health commission; E. E. Bramlette of Austin, who told of the child welfare work done by the Blind asylum of Austin, and Dr. E. R. Cockrell of Texas Christian university, who suggested a tentative plan of procedure for the commission, and presented child welfare conditions.

At noon, members of the commission and speakers were guests at a luncheon at the Westbrook hotel, at which time a number of informal talks were given along the general line of work. The luncheon was arranged by Mrs. William Capps.

Following the luncheon the commission was formally organized with Mrs. E. A. Watters as chairman, and Mrs. Stanley Boykin as secretary. Other officers will be elected later. Committees will be appointed by the chairman as follows: Executive, publicity, legislative, survey and finance. It will be the duty of the survey committee to get in touch with all organizations doing child welfare work, and to correlate all these endeavors.

The commission went on record as favoring the resolution presented by Mrs. L. C. Porter, making Feb. 17 a day to be set aside as child welfare day.

The following members were in attendance: Mrs. E. A. Watters, Fort Worth; Mrs. Ed. Kneeland, Dallas; Elmer Scott, Dallas; E. E. Bramlette, Austin; Mrs. William Capps, Fort Worth; Dr. Caswell Ellis, Austin; J. F. Marrow, San Antonio; J. B. Rawlings, Fort Worth; Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Fort Worth; Dr. D. E. Breed, Austin; Mrs. W. C. Gibson, Hillsboro; Mrs. Yeb Harle, San Marcos; Mrs. Chalmers Hutchison, Fort Worth; Dr. C. W. Goddard, Austin; Mrs. Maggie Barry, Agricultural and Mechanical college, and Mrs. N. B. Ford, Dallas.

The next meeting will be held the latter part of the month at the call of the chairman.

MOTHERS' CONGRESS OUTLINES PROGRAM

DEPARTMENT HEADS NAMED AT MEETING OF EXECUTIVE BOARD.

Special to The News.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 21.—The executive board of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' Associations in session here today at the call of the newly-elected State president, Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs of Austin, elected chairmen of the various departments and outlined plans for the year's work. The members of the board present were Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs of Austin, president; Mrs. Noyes D. Smith of Austin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ella C. Porter of Dallas, Mrs. Edward Kneeland of Dallas, Mrs. Chalmers Hutchison of Fort Worth, Mrs. Eugene Bagley of Dallas, Mrs. Charles Woodson of San Antonio, Mrs. Yeb Harle of San Marcos, Mrs. H. P. Hunnicutt of Austin and Mrs. J. M. Loving of Austin.

Department Heads Named.

The following department heads were elected: Dr. Frederick Eby, University of Texas, department of education; Mrs. J. M. Loving of Austin, maternity; Mrs. W. Myers of Henrietta, child hygiene; Mrs. J. S. Coppinger of Belton, literature; Mrs. George Peyton of San Antonio, printing; Mrs. J. M. Woodson of Temple, playgrounds; Mrs. Noyes D. Smith of Austin, publicity; Mrs. Boedeker of Houston, motion pictures; Mrs. F. L. Jaccard of Fort Worth, special committee on children's music; Mrs. Stanley Boykin of Fort Worth, parliamentary.

Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, addressed the meeting on a legislative program for the schools, consisting of the support of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations for measures looking toward the betterment of the public school system of the State. Pupils of the Baker School in the presence of State and National officials of the Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations this afternoon opened their school Government thrift bank, which is to serve as a means for offering pupils opportunity to invest their savings in thrift and savings stamps. Mrs. Ella Carruthers Porter of Dallas, National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations; Mrs. Eugene Bagley, State Thrift chairman of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations, accompanied by E. L. Dohoney, first assistant State superintendent, attended the opening of the bank, giving their approval to its purposes and methods.

CHILD WELFARE SURVEY IN TEXAS PLANNED.

The board of managers of the Texas Congress of Mothers, which met in Dallas recently, has made arrangements, under auspices of the child welfare commission of the state to invite Owen Lovejoy to make a child welfare survey in Texas in the autumn. A similar survey has just been completed in Alabama with such excellent results that the Texas Congress of Mothers is ready to finance the work here.

The state Federation of Women's Clubs and the Texas League of Women Voters held an executive board meeting in Dallas on the same day as the Congress of Mothers and agreed to do all in their power to help along this work. The three organizations will co-operate through the legislative chairman of each body in a legislative committee which will try to secure favorable legislation for child welfare.

Mrs. J. W. Lee of Wichita Falls, state chairman of the membership committee, has announced Wednesday, Oct. 6, as membership and magazine day. Plans have been made to carry on a big membership drive during the summer before the next state meeting.

Texas now stands second among the states which belong to the national congress in point of membership, and Texas members are anxious to win the banner for another year. This seems easy to do, as California is now only 3,000 in the lead.

The Dallas members of the board of managers entertained visiting members at the meeting with a delightful luncheon in the Palm Garden at the Adolphus hotel. The Dallas Council of Mothers is making extensive preparations to entertain the annual state convention in that city Nov. 10 to 12.

PLAN IS ADOPTED FOR CHILD WELFARE WORK

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Under the plan adopted today the chairman of the commission is to appoint a special committee on a children's code for Texas. The duties of this committee will be to make a study of all State, county and municipal laws relating to children; also of the State, local and private institutions and agencies dealing with children, and of the general conditions surrounding childhood in Texas. The committee is to prepare a report of its findings together with recommendations of legislation and other measures looking to the betterment of the condition of childhood in Texas.

The reports of the committee shall be made directly to the State Child Welfare Commission for discussion, amendment, approval or rejection, and until so reported the findings of the committee shall not be made public without the written approval of the executive committee.

To Report to Commission.

The committee shall from time to time make such partial and special reports to the commission as may be deemed advisable by the executive committee. The heads of the various State departments shall not be made members of this special committee, but such heads or their representatives shall be invited to present both in writing and in person reports and recommendations, and such reports and recommendations shall be given due consideration.

The special committee is to consist of one expert on health, expert on education, expert on dependent classes, expert on defective and delinquent children, expert on children in industry, one lawyer who is an expert in laws relating to childhood, and three other members. The executive committee will hold a meeting Friday when Mrs. Watters will announce the members of the special committee.

Besides the members of the executive committee, the following members of the commission attended today's meeting:

Mrs. Edward Kneeland, Dallas; Dr. E. E. Bramlette, Austin; Elmer L. Scott, Dallas; Dr. J. L. Kessler, Waco; Mrs. Harriet Leary and Mrs. F. W. McAllister, San Antonio; Dr. John Preston, Austin; J. E. Surratt, Sherman; Mrs. J. W. Lee, Wichita Falls; Mrs. W. C. Barrickman, Dallas; Mrs. M. Longacker, Houston; Mrs. Yeb Harle, San Marcos; Mrs. C. W. Hutchison, Fort Worth, and Mrs. H. P. Hunnicutt, Austin.

The sessions of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' Association will be held in the hall of the House of Representatives, the opening session tomorrow morning to be devoted to greetings and welcoming addresses.

Districts to Report Today.

Tomorrow afternoon reports from district officers will be received and there will be addresses by Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, "Relation of the Mothers to the State Department of Education," T. H. Shelby, president of the State Teachers' Association, "The Parent and the Teacher," to be followed by a conference of women members of school boards.

Governor Hobby is on tomorrow evening's program for an address. Mrs. E. A. Watters, Mrs. H. E. Chamberlain and Mrs. W. Chamberlain will also deliver addresses tomorrow night.

An informal reception was given tonight at the Driskill Hotel to the members of the Texas Child Welfare Commission and delegates to the Mothers' Congress. Nearly all of the officers of the congress have arrived and indications are that the meeting will be largely attended.

Mrs. E. A. Watters of Fort Worth, who is president of the congress, said that the motive behind the meeting of the congress is to disseminate the idea that the mothers' duty is in the home, and that her greatest contribution to civilization was "to keep the home fires burning and the hearthstone pure."

Anna Howard Shaw was one of the most versatile feminine leaders in American history. A reformer, physician, minister and brilliant speaker, she had a strong influence in the formation of national policy.

Like many another leading lady, Anna rose to prominence from a humble home. She was born in Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, England, in 1847, one of the six children of a Thomas and Nicola Shaw.

Girlhood in Michigan.

In 1851 the family crossed the Atlantic and established a new home at Lawrence, Mass., where the father plied his trade of wall paper designing. Soon they moved west to Michigan, and Thomas put his small savings into 360 acres of unbroken wilderness.

Although Anna was only 12 at this time, she faced the trials of wilderness life with a courage and character that marked her entire



ANNA HOWARD SHAW
Her Reforms Succeeded

career. Denied formal education, she bought and borrowed books until she had enough knowledge to become a teacher at 15.

From 1873 to 1876 Anna was a student at Albion College, where she fought to increase the rights and privileges allowed to women students. Despite a complete lack of funds, she "stepped off a solid plank into space" and went to Boston University to study theology.

Living in a little attic room with no light but a skylight, no heat and no water, she almost starved at first. Then a society of women granted her \$3 per week allowance so she could finish out the year.

During the Summer Anna served as a substitute preacher at Cape Cod, and after finishing studies at the university she became a "licensed" minister of the Wesleyan Methodist church. In addition to preaching, she studied medicine, receiving an M. D. in 1886 from Boston University Medical School.

The personality of Anna Howard Shaw was so magnetic that she soon became the center of a large circle of friends, including Julia Ward Howe, Lucy Stone, Bronson and Louisa Alcott, Ralph Waldo Emerson and Mrs. Emerson, John Greenleaf Whittier and Wendell Phillips.

Honored for War Work.

In 1904 Anna Howard Shaw became president of the National American Women's Suffrage Association. Assisted by Jane Addams and Katherine Dexter McCormack, she attended state convention to advance progress of the woman's suffrage amendment. In 1917 she was appointed to the Council for National Defense. Her energies were devoted exclusively to war work until the Armistice. She received the highest tributes in this connection and was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal.

After the war Miss Shaw joined Ex-President William Howard Taft and A. Lawrence Lowell, president of Harvard University, in a nationwide tour advocating the entrance of America into the League of Nations. She contracted pneumonia in Springfield, Ill., as a result of over-exertion, and on July 2, 1919, she died in her home at Moylan, Pa.



MRS. J. W. LEE.

MRS. C. W. HUTCHISON.



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Texas Child Welfare Commission

The Children's Bureau Conference on Child Welfare Standards was called by the Secretary of Labor at the request of the President of the United States. The purpose of the undertaking was to formulate and to publish standards for the better protection of the children of America and of the world.

The preliminary conference was held in Washington, May 5-8, and submitted minimum standards for child welfare.

This conference recommends that in states where children's laws have not had careful revision as a whole within recent years, the governor be requested to take the necessary steps for the creation of a Child Welfare Commission. Complying with the request of the Children's Bureau Conference the following letter was addressed to our governor.

May 28, 1919.

Hon. W. P. Hobby,
Governor of Texas,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Governor:

Following the work that has

been done by the Federal Children's Bureau during war times, and believing this an opportune time to safe-guard the children from the effects of war conditions by using every possible means for the protection of Texas children and the creation of a high-grade citizenship, we ask your excellency to appoint a State Child Welfare Commission * * * *

Very sincerely yours,

MRS. E. A. WATTERS.

Our most worthy governor granted the request and the following commission appointed with Mrs. E. A. Watters, chairman.

The chairman called a meeting of the Commission which was held in Fort Worth July 17, for the purpose of completing the organization. Dr. A. Caswell Ellis and Mrs. Maggie W. Barry were elected vice-chairmen and Mrs. Stanley Boykin, secretary. These officers with the following members, appointed by the chairman, will constitute the executive committee: Dr. C. W. Goddard, Miss Blanton, Mr. T. H. Jennings, D. E. Breed, Mrs. N. B. Ford.

Other committees appointed were:

Legislative: Mrs. H. P. Hunnicutt, Dr. A. Caswell Ellis, Mrs. Wm. Hawkins, S. M. N. Marrs, Mrs. Edward Rotan, Mrs. H. Worth Jones, J. B. Rawlings, Dr. Oscar Davis.

Survey of Child Welfare Organizations: Mrs. N. B. Ford, Mrs. Maggie Barry, Dr. C. W. Goddard, T. H. Jennings, Rev. J. E. Ross, J. E. Surratt, Edward Titche, Mrs. W. B. Wynne.

Finance: Rev. Martin Zielonka, R. J. Newton, Mrs. Edward Kneeland, A. M. Longnecker, Mrs. W. R. Jones, E. E. Bramlette, Mrs. C. W. Hutchinson, Mrs. M. A. Turner, Mrs. B. A. Sadler.

Publicity: Mrs. E. C. Porter, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, C. S. Potts, D. E. Breed, Mrs. J. W. Lee.

Child Hygiene: Dr. Goddard, Mrs. J. S. Turner, Dr. A. C. Ellis, Rev. Henry Cohen, Mrs. Wm. Capps, Dr. John Preston, Mrs. W. C. Gibson.

Working Child: T. H. Jennings, Mrs. Claude de Van Watts, Mrs. W. C. Barrickman, Mrs. Harriett Leary

Public Education: Miss Annie Webb Blanton, Mr. J. T. Marrow.

Rural Child: Mrs. Yeb Harle, Mrs. F. W. McAllister, Mrs. C. L. Palmore, Mrs. Maggie Barry.

Erring Child: Dr. Carrie Weaver Smith, Rev. Henry Cohen, Mrs. Sadie Haley, Mrs. C. L. Palmore.

Child Welfare in the Church: E. E. Bramlette, Mrs. Geo. Carpenter, Mrs. C. J. Farrell.

It was decided to hold a meeting in Dallas on CHILD WELFARE DAY, Oct. 18, at which time chairman of committees will report, giving their plan of work.

An open session will be held in Austin, Nov. 4, at which time Gov. Hobby will be one of the speakers. There will probably be a representative from the Federal Children's Bureau.

We beg of you to give us your assistance in making the Texas Child Welfare Commission a Clearing House for all Child Welfare Problems.

MRS. E. A. WATTERS,
Chairman.

MRS. STANLEY BOYKEN,
Secretary.

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February 3, 4 and 5 1921

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PROGRAM

Thursday evening, February 3, 8 o'clock.

- Mrs. James F. Farmer, chairman of twelfth congressional district presiding.
Musical program from 7:30 to 8 o'clock—high school orchestra and Glee club.
Invocation—Rev. J. K. Thompson.
The League of Women Voters, Its Platform and Aims—Miss Gertrude Watkins, field director, National League of Women Voters.
Duties of Citizenship—Mr. W. A. Hanger.
The Relation of the State to the National Government and the Citizenship to Each—Julian Mastin.
A Complete Citizenship—Mrs. O. H. Berryman.

Friday, February 4, 10 o'clock a. m.

- Parliamentary law—Mrs. Stanley Boykin.
The Value of Publicity—Mr. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald.
The League of Women Voters, How Financed—Miss Liba Peshakova, field director, National League of Women Voters.
General discussion led by Miss Gertrude Watkins. Subjects: Publicity, Finance, Speaker's Bureau.

2 o'clock p. m.

- Food Supply and Demand—Miss Gertrude Watkins.
Americanization—Mrs. Florence Floore, state chairman, Americanization committee, Texas League of Women Voters.
Child Welfare—Mrs. E. A. Watters, chairman Child Welfare committee, twelfth congressional district.
Women in Industry—Mr. U. M. Lee, state deputy commissioner of labor.
Municipal Government, as it affects the individual—Dr. E. R. Cockrell, dean of law, T. C. U.

8 o'clock p. m.

- Musical program from 7:30 to 8 o'clock, high school orchestra and Glee club.
Citizenship School, as Conducted by the League of Women Voters—Miss Liba Peshakova.
Women as Factors in the Making and Enforcement of Laws—Mrs. Charles Scheuber.
Jury Service, Past, Present and Future—Mr. Stanley Boykin.
Conventions and Primaries, Strength and Weakness of Each—Mr. W. D. Smith.
The State Constitution—Mr. Arthur Collins.

Saturday, February 5

- Luncheon, 12 m., First Presbyterian church.
Music, Euterpean quartet:—Mrs. Dan Brown, Mrs. Brooks Morris, Mrs. W. C. Harris and Mrs. J. M. Strupper.
National Legislation—Miss Gertrude Watkins.
Talk—Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner.
How to Revive a Dead Community—Dr. H. K. Taylor, head of social science department, T. W. C.

2 o'clock p. m.

- Public Health in the Country—Dr. Smith, county health physician.
What Women Should Know Concerning County Government—Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner.
The Needs of Our Public Schools—Mr. M. H. Moore, chairman county board of education and superintendent of Fort Worth schools.
State Legislation—Mrs. Stanley Boykin, state vice president League of Women Voters.

DELEGATES FOR DISTRICT WILL BE SELECTED THIS AFTERNOON

1920

BY FRANK EVANS,
Staff Correspondent.

DALLAS, May 25.—At a meeting this morning of the delegates from the six counties composing the Twelfth Congressional District decision was made to back R. B. Ridgway and I. W. Stephens, both of Fort Worth, as delegates at large.

The district meeting convened again at 2:30 this afternoon and it is probable Judge F. O. McKinsey of Parker County and O. L. Sweet of Fort Worth will be elected as the delegates of this district to the National convention.

Tarrant County delegates to the convention are: O. L. Sweet, named chairman by instruction of the County convention; R. B. Ridgway, L. F. Perkins, D. E. Lyday, I. W. Stephens, Hal S. Lattimore, Frank P. Culver Jr., W. D. Smith, W. H. Bagley, John W. Davis, R. T. Ellis, E. B. Randle, Hugh Nugent, Fitzgerald, Dr. H. O. Brannon, J. W. Heffington, Mrs. A. K. Harris, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Miss Lula Hogg, Mrs. O. F. Carlson, C. F. Goodridge, J. B. Daniel, E. D. Jennings, F. W. Axtell, Dr. W. H. Davis, George W. Steere, L. A. Freeman, Douglas Tomlinson, J. T. Pemberton, C. M. King, J. W. Boone, Prof. R. L. Dewees, Ocie Speer, Mrs. E. A. Watters, Mrs. Scheuber, Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, Mrs. Lena Gardner, Mrs. C. W. B. Collins, W. Floyd Sweet, O. W. Gillespie, B. F. Bouldin, B. K. Goree, Jule G. Smith, J. H. Edmondson, F. N. Graves, T. G. Davis, Cal Estill, Mrs. T. J. Munford, W. E. Rogers, Mrs. Ollie Peak, Mrs. John L. Terrell, Mrs. Will S. Horn, Sam S. Losh, George M. Pope, F. M. Bransford, Howard Wright, J. B. Merrill, C. R. Bouldin, Mrs. W. A. Mahaffey, R. L. Carlock, Mrs. R. E. Cockrell, L. H. Tandy, Dr. J. A. Cosby, Ed Williams, Mrs. W. P. Lane, J. S. McKinley, Dr. J. A. Hammock, A. J. Powers, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. J. Y. Gummings, John Coplin, G. F. Hubbard, E. W. Provine, Dr. O. R. Grogan, G. H. Bludworth, D. M. White, Aaron Smith, A. W. Lotspeich, C. B. Law, Mrs. John Berger, J. A. Stephenson, J. W. Stitt, M. A. Buchanan, T. L. Bird, N. A. Cunningham, T. P. Mulkey, D. A. Reeves, C. S. Knott, Marvin H. Brown, Dr. H. B. Graham, L. J. Hawkins, George E. Cowden, M. S. Bogert, John H. Eaton, Joe S. Meyers, N. A. Gordon, John M. Adams, Elmer C. Johns, James W. Swayne.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin of Fort Worth was chosen this morning as the representative of the Twelfth Congressional District on the committee for permanent organization of the State convention. She was chosen at a caucus of the delegates from the six counties composing the district.

L. F. Perkins of Fort Worth was chosen as the district's representative on the resolutions committee and J. B. Wilson of Hood County was placed on the credentials committee.

DEMOCRATS INDORSE THE ADMINISTRATION

USE OF PHRASE, "FORT WORTH PRINCIPLES," BY BAILEY OBJECTED TO. 1920

Special to The News.
Fort Worth, Texas, May 4.—The Democratic county convention, held here this afternoon, proved to be not quite so harmonious as expected and, although the men and women delegates were jubilant over their recent victory, the session grew stormy toward the close. A number of impassioned speeches were made and there was great tumult. Half a hundred women delegates, participating in their first political convention, conducted themselves like veterans and put through one important resolution, saving the day for Governor William P. Hobby, by having him indorsed as delegate at large to the national convention, after the resolutions committee had purposely omitted the recommendation of a resolution indorsing him.

Fight Over Hobby.

The fight in the convention during the afternoon came up over the proposed indorsement of Governor Hobby as delegate at large and on a motion to make Louis J. Wortham a delegate to the State convention. Peter Molyreaux was named as delegate in recognition of the Star-Telegram's work, it was said. Mr. Molyreaux proposed to withdraw and substitute Mr. Wortham's name for his. After a long drawn-out fight, Mr. Wortham was rejected as a delegate. It was charged by various speakers that he was a Bailey man and opposed to woman's suffrage and that he attended the first big Bailey meeting at Hillsboro.

Wilson Is Indorsed.

The convention's work consisted in indorsing Governor Hobby for delegate at large; indorsing the national administration; indorsing the State administration; favoring prohibition enforcement; favoring the extension of the right of women to vote in all elections; favoring the League of Nations; indorsing the principles of union labor, recognizing the right of labor to collective bargaining; commending organized labor for its patriotism during the war and declaring that it had earned the right to a voice in the councils of the State and Nation. Reds and radicals were condemned. Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham was indorsed as a delegate at large to the national convention.

County Chairman George W. Steere presided at the convention and Mrs. Stanley Boykin was elected secretary.

The committee on platform and resolutions consisted of Judge I. W. Stephens, H. S. Lattimore, Frank P. Culver Jr., L. F. Perkins, F. G. Graves, Mrs. E. R. Cockrell and Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald.

The committee on delegates to the State convention consisted of Mrs. A. K. Harris, F. M. Bransford, J. S. McKinley, Douglas Thompson, O. L. Sweet, G. T. Bludworth and M. A. Buchanan.

No Proxies Allowed.

It was decided not to allow any proxies from Tarrant County in the State convention.

A motion was adopted objecting to J. W. Bailey and others referring to his platform as the "Fort Worth principles," on the grounds that it was a "reflection on the fair name of our city."

After the committee on resolutions had reported, Mrs. Charles Scheuber, a woman delegate, presented special resolutions calling for the indorsement of Governor Hobby and Mrs. Cunningham as delegates at large. It had previously been ordered that all resolutions be submitted to the committee. A motion to reconsider brought on the fight. Judge Marvin H. Brown led the supporters of the Hobby resolution. The principal opposition came from W. P. McLean Jr. and Judge Stephens. All spoke. Judge Stephens opposed indorsing Hobby in the interest of harmony, he said. The resolution on roll call was adopted, 87 to 72.

ADMINISTRATION DEMOCRATS MEET HERE; ORGANIZE

1920

Plans for a vigorous campaign to send a pro-administration delegation to the State convention were laid at a meeting of Tarrant County pro-administration Democrats in the Coulson building at 4 on Friday. O. L. Sweet presided.

A general steering committee was named to conduct the campaign in the county. Precinct chairmen are being selected.

The campaign committee follows:

Judge I. W. Stephens, H. N. Fitzgerald, George C. Clarke, E. B. Randle, B. F. Bouldin, F. N. Graves, Dr. H. O. Brannon, John M. Adams, Douglas Tomlinson, Peter Molyneaux, W. L. George, C. F. Goodridge, John M. Scott, M. S. Bogert, J. T. Pemberton, B. K. Goree, Leroy Smith, F. W. Axtell, W. H. Bagley, E. R. Jennings, Felix Bransford, M. D. Evans, P. F. Williams, A. B. Nichols, Frank P. Graves, R. W. Walker, T. E. Knight, L. J. Hawkins, Harry Keeton, Hal Lattimore, John Davis, W. T. Conner, C. E. Snelling, D. A. Reaves, H. L. Thompson, White Stetlement; Dr. J. B. McKnight, Mansfield; Frank McKnight, Arlington; Dr. H. B. Graham, Brooklyn Heights, Lee Dorris, Grapevine; Sam Bass, Keller; J. W. Heffington, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. A. E. Watters, Mrs. J. M. Kuykendall, Mrs. A. K. Harris, Mrs. C. W. B. Collins, Mrs. R. M. Kelso, Mrs. Clark Googer, Grapevine; Frank P. Culver Jr., James W. Swayne, Mrs. L. Gardner, J. R. Hill, John G. East, Jess Taylor, Miss Ellen Saunders, W. Gillespie, J. W. Stitt, J. H. monson, Bascom Dunn.

About forty men and women attended the mass meeting. Resolutions were passed that it was the sense of the meeting that the candidates for any office seekers should not be in connection with the pro-administration campaign.

TARRANT COUNTY

DELEGATE

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION
May 25, 1920

TARRANT COUNTY WILL SUPPORT RIDGEWAY AND JUDGE M'KINSEY

When Tarrant County delegates meet at the Democratic state convention at Dallas Tuesday they probably will favor the election of Judge F. O. McKinsey of Parker County and O. L. Sweet of Fort Worth as this district's two delegates to the national convention at San Francisco.

Tarrant controls three-fifths of the votes in this congressional district which is made up of Tarrant, Parker, Johnson, Hood, Erath and Somervell Counties. However, local Democrats say Tarrant County will ask for only one delegate and will support another delegate from one of the other five counties.

It is believed that the majority of the other counties will favor McKinsey and that Tarrant will then throw its votes for him. McKinsey has a strong following in Johnson County, where he was born, and also in Parker County, where he is now a district judge. Parker County delegates have sent out letters to the other counties asking that they support McKinsey.

Sweet Heads Delegation.

Sweet will head the Tarrant County delegation. He was voted the leader when the county convention was held. Several of the delegates who have been active in county politics said Monday that he will be the Tarrant County delegate to be indorsed for the district. Sweet was chairman of the pro-Wilson campaign that was waged in this County.

This County will also give the other counties in the district full consideration as to who will be placed on committees that will be appointed. In return, this County will ask the support of the other counties in the election of I. W. Stephens and R. Bonna Ridgeway as two of the delegates at large.

Stephens and Ridgeway Favored.

It appeared certain Monday that Stephens and Ridgeway will be the two men Tarrant County will endeavor to have selected as two of the State delegates. It is believed that the State convention will elect sixteen delegates at large, each of whom would have one-fourth of a vote. Each of the eighteen congressional districts in Texas will be permitted to elect two district delegates, each with one full vote at the national convention.

Tarrant County will vote as a unit on all matters coming before the State convention. It will vote for Governor Hobby and Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham as two of the delegates at large, having received this instruction from the County convention.

Caucus Tuesday morning.

Providing a sufficient number of district delegates are present, this district will hold a caucus at the State Fair Coliseum at Dallas Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. In case an insufficient number is present, another meeting will be called for later in the day.

The State convention will be called to order Tuesday at 11 a. m. and will be in session two days.

Women Delegates Leave.

Several Tarrant County women delegates to the convention left Monday in order to be "in on the ground floor." There are nineteen local women delegates and practically all of them signified their intention of attending, the majority going Monday morning and others leaving in the afternoon.

Mrs. E. A. Watters, State president of the Council Congress of Mothers, is in Dallas today and will remain through the convention Tuesday. Mrs. O. F. Carlson and Mrs. Stanley Boykin, active members of the League of Women Voters, are among the delegates to get in on the ground floor. Mrs. Charles Scheuber will leave this afternoon.

Other women delegates are Meses. J. W. Kuykendall, A. K. Harris, C. F. Goodrich, Lena Gardner, C. W. B. Collins, T. J. Munford, Ollie Peak, John L. Terrell, Will S. Horn, W. A. Mahaffey, E. R. Cockrell, W. P. Lane, J. C. Smith, J. Y. Cummings, John Berger, Miss Lullie Hogg.

HOBBY FORCES WIN FIGHT IN TARRANT; WOMAN ALSO INDORSED

WHAT CONVENTION DID.

Instructed delegates to vote for Governor Hobby and Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham as delegates to national convention.

Indorsed President Wilson and all he had accomplished and tried to accomplish.

Indorsed suffrage and prohibition.

Condemned activities of "Reds."

Commended principles of organized labor.

Opposed Bailey campaigners referring to his principles as "Fort Worth principles."

Condemned "petty politics" of Republicans in Congress.

Barred smoking from future county conventions because of attendance of women.

Forces favorable to Governor Hobby and his candidacy for delegate-at-large to the National Democratic Convention won a fight Tuesday afternoon when the county convention was held in the Seventeenth District Court room.

The convention voted practically as a unit on indorsing the national administration, President Wilson, woman's suffrage and prohibition. But when efforts were made to have the delegates from this county instructed to vote for Hobby the first fight of the convention was opened.

"You have never had a Governor who has stood behind what you and I stand for like Governor Hobby," declared Marvin H. Brown as he pleaded for the convention to instruct the delegates to vote for Hobby. "I don't care what Joe Bailey may say, but if you vote against Hobby now you will be untrue to the hand that has fed you. If you vote against him, you won't be playing the part of a Democrat, for you would be slapping in the face the only Governor who has ever done anything for you."

Stephens Answers Brown.

I. W. Stephens, chairman of the resolutions committee, replied to Brown. "We are all Democrats," Stephens said. "I was an ardent supporter of Governor Hobby in his campaign two years ago. But I think the true, honest, Democratic doctrine is that when a man is put into office and paid by the people he should be content with that honor and let the men from the ranks do the fighting as to who will go to the national convention. I think that such a man should have the modesty to let the State say who it wanted to go to San Francisco."

Ninety-seven delegates voted to instruct for Hobby and seventy-two voted against. After the Hobby resolution carried, a resolution calling for the delegates also to vote for Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham as delegate-at-large was also passed. Both resolutions were presented by Mrs. Charles Scheuber and had been previously adopted in her precinct convention.

The convention sang "America." W. P. McLean Jr. jumped to the platform and made a motion that the singing of that song go as an indorsement of President Wilson, all that he has done and tried to do, and that the President be wired of the convention's action. The motion unanimously carried. On the platform was a large United States flag on which was pinned a photograph of President Wilson.

Oppose Using City's Name.

The convention resolutions adopted indorsed the League of Nations "to the end that Bothwell Kane and his comrades shall not have fought in vain," opposed any reservation to the league that would weaken its purpose; denounced "petty tactics" of the Republican Congress; commended the fundamental principles of organized labor; condemned the "Reds" and their activities, and opposed the use by Bailey leaders of the expression "Fort Worth principles" as applied to the principles adopted by Bailey in his Fort Worth convention.

"Saturday was a memorable day in the history of Texas," declared George W. Steere, county chairman, after he had been chosen permanent chairman of the convention. "It was a day that showed that we are not only true Democrats but true Americans."

He spoke of prohibition and woman's suffrage as "settled questions."

Veteran Recalls Early Days.

"You ought to have bought Liberty Bonds even if you knew they would not be worth a cent," he said after he had

praised the national administration's actions during the war. "And if you were willing to buy the Liberty Bonds you should have been willing to ask others to buy them."

W. P. McLean Sr., a veteran Democrat, was called on to address the convention.

"We are all Democrats, all Americans and we glory in the history of the party and country," McLean said. "I began voting the Democratic ticket in 1860. In that year I voted for John C. Breckenridge and he was defeated by Abraham Lincoln."

He bitterly condemned men who are threatening to withdraw from the Democratic ranks.

"Such a man is unworthy of his ancestry," he said, "who would leave the Democratic party for the Republican, a party that had its birth upon the hatred against the Southern people."

"There has been some threatening to go to the Republican party, and I hope they have gone and will stay, who had called President Wilson pro-German because he waited to hear the opinion of the American public before he went to war with Germany. When the President found that Americans believed it was necessary to enter the war to defend the democracy and liberty of the world, he mobilized the greatest army in the shortest time ever known upon this earth, crossed the ocean and turned back the tide of war and ended the struggle, then some of those people who are criticizing now were making unlawful profits upon the blood of our boys in France. Those same men who criticized for not entering the war earlier are kicking Woodrow Wilson now. It is their infernal pockets that are being hurt."

Democratic Success.

McLean predicted that dissension in Republican ranks, together with the showing of the Democratic administration in the past four years will elect another Democratic President.

Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the Fort Worth Suffrage Association, was asked to speak.

"It has been said that Governor Hobby changed very suddenly," she said, "but thank God that he changed in time to save Texas."

The Republicans would not accept the League of Nations because it came from a man who "slaughtered the party of the wealthy," charged W. P. McLean Jr., in an address. He referred to Grover Cleveland and Woodrow Wilson as the only "two Presidents since the war between the North and South," and added, "when democracy wins, she wins with a man." He declared that no true Democrat today can differ on the principles of Woodrow Wilson.

After the list of State delegates had been read, Peter Molyneaux, included in the list, made a motion that his name be withdrawn and the name of Louis J. Wortham substituted. E. W. Provine made a substitute motion that Molyneaux's name remain on the list and that Wortham's name be substituted for his (Provine's). This led to a lively debate over Wortham's name as a delegate. W. P. McLean moved that Joe Bailey's name be substituted for Wortham's, declaring "There is no difference, Wortham attended the first meeting Joe Bailey held in Hill County."

James W. Swayne and Mrs. Charles Scheuber spoke, declaring Wortham supported President Wilson "365 days in the year," was a friend to Hobby, an advocate of suffrage and prohibition. The motion to substitute Wortham's name lost.

Members of Committee.

Members of the committee who reported the list of delegates were: Mrs. A. K. Harris, Felix M. Bransford, O. L. Sweet, J. S. McKinley, G. T. Bludworth, Douglas Tomlinson and M. A. Bransford.

The resolutions committee was composed of I. W. Stephens, Hal Lattimore, Frank P. Culver Jr., Mrs. E. R. Cockrell, F. N. Graves, L. F. Perkins and Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald.

R. Bonna Ridgeway nominated Steere as permanent chairman and he was elected without opposition. E. B. Randle and Mrs. Stanley Boykin were nominated secretary and Randle withdrew in favor of Mrs. Boykin.

Committee on delegates to the State convention recommended in its report that the Tarrant County delegation be instructed to vote as a unit on all questions coming before the State convention and particularly recommended that the delegates be instructed that they support no one for delegate to the

national convention who is not now and has not at all times during the recent contest been a supporter of the present Democratic national administration.

List of Delegates.

The delegates are O. L. Sweet, R. B. Ridgway, L. F. Perkins, D. E. Lyday, I. W. Stephens, Hal Lattimore, Frank Culver Jr., W. D. Smith, W. H. Bagley, Prof. John W. Davis, R. T. Ellis, E. B. Randle, Hugh N. Fitzgerald, Dr. H. O. Vernon, J. W. Heffington, Mrs. A. K. Harris, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Miss Lullie Hogg, Mrs. O. F. Carlson, C. F. Goodrich, Peter Molyneaux, J. B. Daniel, E. D. Jennings, F. W. Axtell, Dr. W. H. Davis, George W. Steere, L. A. Freeman, Douglas Tomlinson, J. T. Pemberton, C. M. King, J. W. Bone, Prof. R. L. Dewees, Ocie Speer, Mrs. E. A. Watters, Mrs. Charles Scheuber, Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, Mrs. C. W. B. Collins, O. W. Gillespie, B. F. Bouldin, B. K. Goree, Jule G. Smith, J. H. Edmondson, F. N. Graves, P. G. Davis, Cal Estill, Mrs. T. J. Mumford, W. E. Rogers, Mrs. Ollie Peak, Mrs. John L. Terrell, Mrs. Will S. Horn, Sam Losh, George M. Pope, F. M. Bransford, Howard Wright, J. B. Merrill, C. R. Bouldin, Mrs. W. A. Mahaffey, R. L. Carlock, Mrs. E. R. Cockrell, L. H. Tandy, Dr. J. A. Cosby, Ed Williams, Mrs. W. P. Lane, J. S. McKinley, Dr. J. Hammack, A. J. Powers, J. C. Smith, Mrs. J. Y. Cummings, John Coplin, G. T. Hubbard, E. W. Provine, Dr. O. R. Grogan, G. T. Bludworth, D. M. White, Aaron Smith, A. W. Lotspeich, C. B. Law, Mrs. John Berger, J. S. Stephenson, J. W. Stitt, M. A. Buchanan, T. L. Bird, N. A. Cunningham, T. P. Mulkey, D. A. Reeves, C. S. Knott, Marvin H. Brown, Dr. H. B. Graham, L. J. Hawkins, George E. Cowden, M. S. Bogert, John H. Eaton, Joe S. Meyers, N. A. Gordon, John M. Adams, Elmer C. Johns, James W. Swayne.

INAUGURATE SCHOOL FOR CITIZENSHIP

Seeking to familiarize the women of the Twelfth congressional district with their duties at the polls and in good government, a citizenship school will be established soon in Fort Worth under the direction of the League of Women Voters, of which Mrs. Lena Gardner is president.

The school will be free to all women and all are urged to attend, as political matters will be taken up that will be of vital interest to them, according to Mrs. Gertrude Watkins, Little Rock, Ark., who is in Fort Worth assisting in the organization of the school with Mrs. Lila Peshakova. Both are field directors of the National League of Women Voters.

Sessions of the school will be held in the morning, afternoon and evening. Sessions will be held in the evening at least twice a week in order that the men may attend.

SUBJECTS DISCUSSED.

Following are a few of the subjects which will be discussed by men and women familiar with political conditions: "Stand Back of Improved Legislation," "Foster Education in Better American Citizenship," "American Citizenship" and "Child Welfare." These four will be discussed by the chairmen of four of the various committees of the league. "Women in Industry," "Food Supply and Demand," "Talk on Municipal Government, Judiciary, Jury Service," "Past Present and Future Conventions and Primaries, the Strength and Weakness of Each," "Women as Factors in the Making or Enforcement of Laws," "National Legislation Pending in Congress," "State Legislation," "The Country as a Unit," "What Women Should Know Concerning County Government," "The Needs of Our Schools," "Politics in Home and County" and "How to Procure Proper Legislation."

The citizenship school is sponsored by the following prominent women of Fort Worth: Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the League of Women Voters; Mrs. James E. Farmer, chairman of the Twelfth congressional district; Mrs. Stanley Boykin, first vice president of the state organization of the League of Women Voters; Miss Anna H. Price, district congressional chairman; Mrs. C. W. B. Collins, county chairman; Mrs. Lee Unbenhour, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. R. G. Flowers, finance chairman.

Women in the counties comprising the Twelfth congressional district will be urged to attend the school, as will the men.

FIRST SESSION OF SCHOOL IS WELL ATTENDED

1921
Purpose of League of Women Voters Outlined by Speaker.

EXPLAINS ITS BENEFITS

TODAY'S PROGRAM.

10 o'clock.

Parliamentary Law—Mrs. Stanley Boykin.

The Value of Publicity—Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald.

The League of Women Voters, How Financed—Miss Liba Peshakova.

General discussion led by Miss Gertrude Watkins; Publicity, Finance.

2 o'clock P. M.

Food Supply and Demand—Miss Gertrude Watkins.

Americanization—Mrs. Florence Floore.

Child Welfare—Mrs. E. A. Watters.

Women in Industry—U. M. Lee, state deputy commissioner of labor.

Municipal Government, as It Affects the Individual—Dr. E. R. Cockrell.

8 o'clock P. M.

Music, 7:30 to 8—High school orchestra and Glee club.

Citizenship School, as Conducted by the League—Miss Peshakova.

Women as Factors in the Making and Enforcement of Laws—Mrs. Charles Scheuber.

Jury Service—Stanley Boykin.

Conventions and Primaries—W. D. Smith.

The State Constitution—Arthur Collins.

A vivid and complete explanation of the purpose and organization of the League of Women Voters was made by Miss Gertrude Watkins, field director for the national organization, at the opening session of the Citizenship school at the First Presbyterian church Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Not a stone did she leave unturned in her talk on the benefits to be derived by women of the country through the organization. "The National League of Women Voters is a nation organization of women who wish not merely to vote, but to use their votes to the best advantage," she said.

"The national league is composed of state leagues, of which they may be only one from each state, and has as associate members other national organizations working along similar lines. Any woman interested in having her vote count for the public good may be a member," she stated.

HAS TWO PURPOSES.

Continuing, she said: "The organization has two purposes—to foster education in citizenship and to support improved legislation.

"The program is educational and legislative to get behind needed reforms, to urge their support and adoption in the platforms of the political parties and their enactment into laws. The slogan of the league is 'enroll in the political parties.'

"It is not a woman's party or a separate political party. The League of Women Voters hopes to accomplish its purpose in two ways: First, by education, as to national and state human needs; second, by the direct influence of its own members who are enrolled voters."

The league was organized, she said, "because women see certain definite things which are needed in the social structure and by organization of women these things can be carried out. The league functions by education, legislation and co-operation," Miss Watkins continued.

Under the direction of Charles X. O'Brien, director of music in the high schools, the North Side Boys' quartet gave several selections prior to the opening of the school. Harry and Dan Lowing, Ennis Helm and Charles Awalt compose the quartet. Miss Cecil Caplinger sang "Love's Old Sweet Song," which received much applause.

Mrs. O. H. Berryman spoke on "A Complete Citizenship." Other speakers were: W. A. Hanger, "The Duties of Citizenship," and Julian Mastin, "The Relation of the State to the National Government and the Citizenship to Each."

Between seventy-five and a hundred persons attended, the audience being composed, in the main, of women.

The school will be conducted through Friday and Saturday at the First Presbyterian church. Three sessions will be held today and two Saturday.

FINAL SESSION OF CITIZENSHIP SCHOOL TODAY

1921
Address of Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner to Feature Today's Program.

ATTENDANCES GOOD

Saturday, Feb. 5.

Luncheon, 12 m., First Presbyterian church.

Music, Euterpean quartet, Mrs. Dan Brown, Mrs. Brooks Morris, Mrs. W. C. Harris and Mrs. J. M. Strupper.

National Legislation—Miss Gertrude Watkins.

Talk—Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner. How to Revive a Dead Community—Dr. H. K. Taylor.

2 o'clock P. M.

Public Health in the Country—Dr. Smith, county health physician.

What Women Should Know Concerning County Government—Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner.

The Needs of Our Public Schools—M. H. Moore, superintendent of Fort Worth schools.

State Legislation—Mrs. Stanley Boykin, state vice president League of Women Voters.

More thorough understanding by the women of their responsibilities and proper use of the ballot is the end sought by the National League of Women Voters in its conduction and fostering of citizenship schools, Miss Liba Peshakova, field director of the organization, told an audience of men and women attending the Friday night session of the school in the First Presbyterian church, which started Thursday and will close today, under the auspices of the Texas League of Women Voters.

A feature of Saturday's program will be an address by Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner of Claude, Texas. Mrs. Warner, a writer of national repute, long identified with social work and especially active in the matter of women's affairs in the home, church, school and civic and national affairs, will speak on "The Seven Lives of a Boy." She will speak both before luncheon to be served at the church and again in the afternoon.

Quite interesting Friday night was the discussion by Stanley Boykin, Fort Worth attorney, on "Jury Service, Past, Present and Future." He dealt at length on the obvious fallacies of a system which allows persons of unscrupulous character to monopolize jury service because of inexcusable tolerance by some judges of the situation, where the best representative citizenship dodges service rightfully theirs.

IMPROVEMENT SEEN.

There has been a noticeable improvement since the crime wave has been engulfing the city, Mr. Boykin said. Excuses are less common now than in the past, and there seems to be a tendency on the part of good citizens to accept such service as might be instrumental in the administration of justice, he added.

Women as factors in the making and enforcement of laws was discussed by Mrs. Charles Scheuber. She reviewed the history of the United States since before the Civil war and attributed the achievements of the seventeenth, eighteenth and nineteenth amendments to the persistency of women's influence.

She stated that the greatest disappointment, next to the world conflict in her mind, was the failure of the women of America to show by concerted action their approval of a measure designed to establish permanent peace. Reaction and a lack of understanding of the proper use of the ballot by them caused the women of America to fail in the last election, Mrs. Scheuber said.

W. D. Smith spoke on the convention and primary systems, and drew

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for the conclusion of his listeners pictures of fallacies in the systems and improvements that are possible.

DISCUSS CONSTITUTION.

A discussion of the state constitution was led by Arthur Collins.

The evening session was preceded by a musical program, rendered by the high school orchestra and glee club.

Saturday has been designated as county day, and special instruction will be given women of rural districts regarding what they should know about political affairs and their relation.

Mrs. Warner will be on the program at the 12 o'clock luncheon and will speak again at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Saturday has been designated as county day and special instruction will be given women of rural districts regarding what they should know about political affairs and their relation.

"Municipal Government, as It Affects the Individual," discussed by Dr. E. R. Cockrell, dean of law, Texas Christian university, featured the afternoon session of the school Friday.

"We are prone to remark that a free government makes a free people," Dr. Cockrell said. "Let us reverse the saying—a free people makes free government. A government is no better than its people; it represents the ideals of citizenry."

"The city government is a machine created by the people. As citizens, too many of us are in the habit of starting the machine and promptly forgetting about its regulation. We should be as vitally interested in the city's affairs as they are in ours. Think of the different departments of our municipal government that we are in contact with daily. The police department—it is ours, created for our protection and the paid agency of decency and respectability."

IN TOUCH WITH AFFAIRS.

"Both in the matter of person and property we are never out of touch with municipal governmental affairs. Our lights, water, heat, comfort, health, and general welfare are dependent on the proper regulation of municipal government. Take an interest in the matter, realize that we are all one individual in so far as is possible, but one in the matter of government."

"Both by reasoning of law and sentiment we are governed by our city officers."

Dr. Cockrell placed especial emphasis on the importance of public health made reference to Fort Worth.

field director of the national organization, spoke on food supply and demand.

Mrs. Kuykendall spoke on child welfare in the absence of Mrs. E. A. Watters, chairman child welfare committee, Twelfth congressional district.

The opening session Friday morning in the First Presbyterian church was attended by about 100 women. A few men were present for a portion of the program. Miss Liba Peshakova told how the League of Women Voters was financed; Mrs. Stanley Boykin spoke on "Parliamentary Law," and Mrs. C. G. Norton gave a brief address on "The Value of Publicity." The larger part of the meeting was taken up with a discussion of finance and publicity, Miss Gertrude Watkins leading and many of the women participating.

CITIZENSHIP SCHOOLS WILL BE ESTABLISHED.

Special to The News
Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 24.—Plans for the establishment of citizenship schools in the Twelfth Congressional District, under the auspices of the Texas League of Women Voters, have been announced by Miss Gertrude Watkins and Miss Liba Peshakova, national field secretaries, with headquarters in Little Rock, Ark. These women are in Fort in the interest of the movement.

The schools are to be of three days' duration and will be held at various points in the district. Speakers of national prominence have been engaged by the league to give instructions and information on both State and national questions.

The first of these schools will be held in Fort Worth at the First Baptist Church Feb. 2, 3, 4 and 5.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB WILL

WOMEN TO ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

NINETEEN TARRANT COUNTY
DELEGATES EXPECT TO BE
PRESENT.

1920

Special to The News.
Fort Worth, Texas, May 24.—
Nineteen local women delegates to
the Democratic State convention,
which meets in Dallas tomorrow,
elected by Tarrant County, in addi-
tion to its men delegates, will reg-
ister 100 per cent in attendance, un-
less present plans fail. A large
number left for Dallas a day in ad-
vance of the convention, in order to
get in "on the ground floor," and
most of those remaining signify
their intention of leaving early in
the morning. Among the vanguard
were Mrs. E. A. Watters, State pres-
ident of the Council Congress of
Mothers; Mrs. O. F. Carlson and
Mrs. Stanley Boykin, active mem-
bers of the League of Women Voters,
and Mrs. Charles Scheuber.
Other women delegates are Mes-
srs. J. W. Kuykendall, A. K. Harris, C.
F. Goodrich, Lena Gardner, C. W. E.
Collins, T. J. Munford, Ollie Peak,
John L. Terrell, Will S. Horn, W. A.
Mahaffey, E. R. Cockrell, W. P.
Lane, J. C. Smith, J. Y. Cummings,
John Berger and Miss Lullie Hogg.

Controls Three-Fifths of Votes.
The election of Judge F. O. Mc-
Kenzie of Parker County and O. L.
Sweet of Fort Worth as delegates
from this district to the San Fran-
cisco convention will doubtless be
favored by the Tarrant County dele-
gation. It is also believed that the
delegates will endeavor to have I.
W. Stephens and R. Bonna Ridge-
way elected as delegates at large.

Tarrant County controls three-
fifths of the votes in this Congres-
sional District, which comprises the
counties of Tarrant, Parker, John-
son, Hood, Erath and Somervell.

In line with instructions received
from the county convention, Tar-
rant County will vote as a unit on
all matters coming before the State
convention and will vote for Gov-
ernor Hobby and Mrs. Minnie Fisher
Cunningham as two of the delegates
at large.

DELINQUENT GIRLS' HOME IS PLANNED IN TARRANT COUNTY

The proposition of having a school for
delinquent girls in Tarrant county will
be pushed to an early completion, ac-
cording to information obtainable at the
courthouse Friday afternoon following
the conference held in Judge George
Hosey's private office with Mrs. Hor-
ense Ward of Houston, and the probatio-
board composed of District Judges Bruce
Young, R. E. L. Roy, Ben M. Terrell,
George Hosey, County Judge Hugh L.
Small and Probation Officer S. S. Ogil-
vie. Mrs. Ward was accompanied to the
courthouse by Mes. Stanley Boykin and
Farmer, of the mothers' congress.

During the conference Mrs. Ward ex-
plained how the home was established in
Harris county, and how it worked. She
told of results accomplished, and that
a number of girls who had been placed
in the home had married to fine young
fellows and were making good wives,
and some were holding good positions.
She went into the details of the cost of
maintenance and said that now the av-
erage cost was \$25 a month for a girl and
that the home had approximately eighty
girls in it. She told of the school work
that was being done and that high school
grades were taught.

She explained how the various frat-
ernal organizations furnished the home
and that the Harris county establishment
was on a thirty-acre farm.

Mr. Ogilvie announced that the need
for such a home was paramount in Tar-
rant county, and that there were twenty-
five girls now on probation, of which
number several needed to be placed in
homes, but that it was impossible to
get one in the home at Gainesville for
lack of room.

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for the man who plans to
his future home. We ev-
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cerns from one office to

"We must provide fac-
dustries that are comin-
must also advertise our
only be done by co-oper-
body with the Chamber
We must raise \$150,000
increasing expenses. We
keep ahead of the growth
see that it does keep on

I. H. Burney, who is
Red Cross in this sectio-
means to the city to
velopment. He also un-
with civic campaigns a
one that will live as an
to our soldiers, be erecte-
of the work the Red Cro-
and said that being he-
ganization here was the
that could be conferred
also pledged his workers
is to be made in the
Worth or its environs
of Commerce.

"I believe that the w-
Cross should be convert-
time program," he said,
urge that everybody work
city."

Mr. Burney predicted
decades Fort Worth will
lation of a quarter of a

WOMEN ALSO

Mrs. Stanley Boykin
ardent worker in the v-
the city, said that the
women what they can
also shown men that w-
service to men in public

"The women did not
said, "but did their sh-
real team work and c-
won. We can also help
as well as war work. I
ideas for active work in
feel that we are just as
in the welfare of the ci-

Mrs. Boykin also took
press her appreciation to
Fort Worth Record in
frage.

CITY AND CO

Mrs. R. E. Buchanan
closer co-operation betwe-
tricts and the city. Sh-
near future that some s-
building be erected wh-
in the rural districts
mingle with the citizens.
Where they can form a
ship and understand each
Rabbi George Fox sec-
the board of directors of
Commerce who did not
ing last night.

"Just as the oil fields
Worth, the city can un-
there is co-operation."
city is now in a crucial
hooves everyone to work
Fort Worth is in the
the metropolis of Texas
are leaders must have

Ben O. Keith, former
Chamber of Commerce,
it means to the city to
ber of Commerce in a
ahead and do things.
is necessary that money
to carry on the gigantic
now facing the organizati-
it on right."

Chief Bidaker spoke
ism of the city firemen
firemen led every city de-
of the loan drives and in-
drives during the war.
the citizens recognize t-
two platoon system which
a vote on extra assessm-

CLUB WOMEN GUESTS OF TELEPHONE COMPANY.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 1.—Fort
Worth club women accepted the in-
vitation of Harry G. Brickhouse,
general manager of the Southwest-
ern Telephone Company here, to
visit the Lamar exchange, and were
guests of the company at a lunch-
eon in the cafeteria on the fourth
floor of the building yesterday at
noon. Representatives of thirty-
two parent-teachers' associations,
formed the party. Following the
luncheon Mr. Brickhouse conducted
the women over the plant and ex-
plained the working of the various
mechanisms to them.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president of
the Mothers' Council, presided at the
luncheon.

In announcing the proposed in-
crease in rates for Fort Worth yes-
terday Mr. Brickhouse issued an in-
vitation to all subscribers to visit
the exchange and see the work being
done by the girls who are acting
as operators.

ROBERT E. THOMASON

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

HEADQUARTERS

SOUTHLAND HOTEL



DALLAS, TEXAS.

June 19, 1920.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin,
1709 S. Adams, St.,
Ft. Worth, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Boykin:

I have just been advised that you have consented to serve as a member of Mr. Thomason's campaign committee. Mr. Thomason is very busy concluding his duties as a member of the legislature and as Speaker of the House of Representatives. He has requested that I write you for him, personally thanking you for your kind assistance and support.

You are one of nearly a hundred leading women in Texas who are serving on his campaign committee, along with a slightly larger list of prominent and influential men. I do not think any candidate was ever complimented more highly than is Mr. Thomason by virtue of the strength, character, and influence of his splendid campaign committee. We have not thoroughly perfected the list of the men but when this committee is finally closed we will be glad to furnish you a complete list and residences of the personnel.

Again thanking you for the kind assistance which you have rendered and which we know you will render from now until the close of this campaign, I am,

Yours very sincerely,

"Thomason for Governor."

C. M. Grazer,
Campaign Manager.

THOMASON CLUB IS ORGANIZED SATURDAY

Preliminary organization of a Thomason-for-Governor club was had at a meeting at the office of J. W. Stitt on Saturday afternoon. Temporary officers elected were: Judge I. W. Stephens, president; F. M. Bransford, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. E. A. Watters, vice presidents; and George M. Conner, secretary.

Organization will be perfected at a meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in Judge W. P. Walker's court room. All friends and supporters of the candidate are requested to be present. It is hoped to bring Mr. Thomason to Fort Worth within the near future to fill several speaking engagements.

The membership committee appointed Saturday afternoon were: W. B. Paddock, Wilmot M. Odell, C. K. Lee, T. R. James, George Cope, F. P. Culver Jr., Harvey Walker, J. W. Stitt, R. L. Carlock, Glenn Smith, Frank Wren, E. T. Lomax, M. A. Smith, B. K. Goree, Louis J. Moore, A. G. Mueller, Wallace Malone, Waid Lockett, Dee Estes.

THOMASON-FOR-GOVERNOR CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS.

Special to The News.

Fort Worth, June 5.—A Thomason for Governor Club was organized here this afternoon at the office of J. W. Stitt. Temporary officers were elected as follows:

Judge I. W. Stephens, president; F. M. Bransford, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. E. A. Watters, vice presidents; George M. Conner, secretary.

A membership committee was named consisting of the following: W. B. Paddock, Wilmot M. Odell, C. K. Lee, T. R. James, George Cope, F. P. Culver Jr., Harvey Walker, J. W. Stitt, R. L. Carlock, Glenn Smith, Frank J. Wren, P. T. Lomax, M. A. Smith, B. K. Goree, Louis J. Moore, A. G. Mueller, Wallace Malone, Waid Lockett and Dee Estes.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday night, June 9, when permanent organization will be perfected. This meeting will be at the County Civil Court room in the courthouse. Friends and supporters of Mr. Thomason are invited to attend. Arrangements will be made for Mr. Thomason to speak in Fort Worth at an early date.

My dear Mrs. Boykin
For the lovely reception,
The many rides, the
exquisite luncheon, your
warm welcome, please
accept our many, many
Thanks. I do hope you
were not very tired after
taking us over the county.
For we enjoyed every
minute of it and we
hope you did, at least.

You and your friends have given
my husband in his race for govern-
ment. I am hoping that some day we can
more fully express our deep gratitude.
With all good wishes to you and
the hope that we may see more
of each other in the future.

I am cordially yours

Belle Thurman.

one half as much as
we. Please thank the
Ladies of the Thurman
Club for the many
charming courtesies
and especially to my
mother. I am also
more grateful than
I can express for the
help and encouragement

Feb 22

Woman's Rights

CAUTION!

WATCH RELEASE DATE!

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PLEASE CREDIT
(THIS PICTURE IS FOR USE IN PAPERS OF
SUNDAY, FEB. 22 (NOTE RELEASE DATE) AND
THEREAFTER, WITH ADELAIDE KERR'S
NEW YORK AP NEWSFEATURES STORY
ON U.S. WOMEN'S BATTLE FOR EQUAL RIGHTS)

A JIBE AT WOMEN'S RIGHTS

THIS CARTOON BY THOMAS NAST IN 1869
ENTITLED "WOMEN'S KINGDOM IS AT HOME,"
DEPICTS THE WOMAN'S ATTEMPTS TO GAIN
ASCENDANCY IN A MALE DOMINATED WORLD.
MANY OTHER CARTOONISTS, EDITORS AND
ORATORS OF THE TIMES LEVELED THEIR
BARBS AT THE GROWING INSISTENCE OF
WOMEN FOR EQUAL RIGHTS WITH THE MALE.
IN 1848, THE WORLD'S FIRST WOMEN'S
RIGHTS CONVENTION HAD MET IN SENECA
FALLS, N.Y., THE FIRST ORGANIZED BATTLE
TO GIVE WOMEN THE FRANCHISE RIGHT.

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declared their intention to become American citizens, were permitted under the law to vote, and thus help to mold the policies of our government, with which the autocratic countries to which they still owed allegiance were at war. This was true of Texas and some seven other states. It seems to me that every lover of his country should embrace this opportunity to constitutionally deprive aliens, who, it has been demonstrated, may become alien enemies, from voting in Texas.

The war has likewise strikingly vindicated prohibition and demonstrated that it makes for efficiency. The American army and navy, the most efficient military force ever created in the history of the world, was also the soberest military force ever created.

This wonderful military power, which, within the space of a few months, destroyed German autocracy, the foremost and most implacable enemy of both prohibition and woman suffrage among the nations of the earth, and freed civilization from its curse, was organized and trained, and fought, under the most stringent provisions ever employed by any nation for protecting its soldiers against the evils of intoxicating liquors.

It is of the highest importance that this prohibition amendment should be adopted in Texas on May 24. It will make the constitution of Texas, under which we and our children are to live, a dry constitution, so that it will conform to the constitution of the United States, as it has already been amended.

mobilized and before the nation-wide prohibition amendment becomes effective, and it will eliminate from Texas and Texas politics the danger, of a constant effort to procure legislation declaring beer, containing as large as possible a percentage of alcohol, not to be intoxicating liquor, and under this guise re-opening breweries and brewery saloons, which have constituted altogether the most harmful phase of the liquor traffic in Texas, and certainly the most harmful to good government and decent politics. This movement to rehabilitate the breweries and brewery saloons by state statute is now on in a number of states. The people of Texas, by going to the polls on May 24 and voting for the prohibition amendment, have the opportunity to kill it once for all, so far as Texas is concerned. Texas and Texas politics are now free from brewery domination. Let us keep them so.

Before the coming of the world war Germany imported \$2,890,000,000 of merchandise and exported \$2,220,000,000. Germany bought copper, petroleum, cotton and leather from the United States. Germany was one of Uncle Sam's chief customers. Germany needs raw materials. Germany needs a large quantity of raw cotton. Germany will find a way to get the staple. The South has cotton to sell.

work—by far the most important work—he was limited to the speed and the strength of horses—until the tractor came.

And all this time producers in other fields were out-distancing him.

Mining gradually came to be done almost entirely by machinery.

Manufacturers devised wonderful machines with almost human intelligence and marvelous speed to assist them. A hundred years ago they harnessed steam power as well as water power to drive these machines, thus multiplying ten to twenty fold the productive capacity of each individual.

And the result has been that the farmer has been at a disadvantage.

His production in proportion to the amount of work expended has been small compared with that of the city manufac-

ture. The tractor will solve the help problem.

The farmer will be able to make the worker an even more attractive proposition than the manufacturer. He will be able to pay him well, do away with a large part of the drudgery and heavy manual labor, give him good working conditions and more leisure.

In this way, I believe that the tractor will make life more enjoyable both for the man who owns the farm and the men who work it.

Thus it will make farming the most enjoyable, profitable business in the world.

And because there are more people in the world engaged in farming than in any other business, the tractor will prove the greatest blessing which has ever been given to mankind.

Is this an exaggeration? I think not.

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PREPARE FOR BIG RECEPTION WHEN THOMASON TALKS

Extensive preparations for the Thomason meeting to be held here on June 28 on the occasion of the gubernatorial candidate's visit and address are being made by the Thomason for Governor Club of Tarrant County.

Headquarters of the organization have been established in the office of John Tarlton at Eighth and Houston Streets. C. A. Boaz has been elected president; Mrs. E. A. Waters, John Tarlton and Judge Ocie Speer, vice presidents, and George T. Cope secretary. On the executive committee are a number of the leading citizens of the city.

Thomason's main speech here will be delivered at the Chamber of Commerce on the evening of the 28th. He will arrive here that morning and it is probable that he will address another meeting somewhere in the city during the day, although final arrangements have not been made as yet.

The candidate's record on the prohibition question, which was attacked Saturday by his opponents through circulars scattered throughout the city, will be explained by him in his speech, Secretary Cope said Saturday.

"We have nothing to hide for Thomason on the prohibition issue," Cope stated. "It is true that he voted against the submission of the constitutional amendment, but that was in compliance with instructions from his home county."

"After so voting Thomason took a strong stand in favor of the Zone law and in favor of a strict enforcement. The whole matter will be laid before the public at the meeting on the 28th."

The following is the personnel of the executive committee:

Mrs. C. K. Bell, Clem Boaz, W. B. Paddock, Mrs. C. K. Lee, M. A. Smith, Miss Della Davis, Mrs. L. H. Kassel, R. K. Hanger, Mrs. Mary L. Wright, Mrs. R. E. Buchanan, Jesse Taylor, W. M. Odell, Paul Montgomery, Mrs. H. C. Baird, C. K. Lee, Mrs. W. M. Barse, Mrs. J. B. Martin, Mrs. W. B. Paddock, Miss Margaret McLean, Mrs. J. Rounsaville, Mrs. W. M. Huddleston, Mrs. Charles Nash, Mrs. O. E. Herald, Stanley Boykin, Dee Estes, Walter Scott, Dr. H. H. Ball, Mrs. M. A. Smith, Judge Sam J. Hunter, R. L. Carlock Jr., Elmer Renfro, F. M. Bransford, Mrs. Ben O. Smith, Miss Emma Childress, W. H. Bagley, Judge Ocie Speer, Judge Marvin Brown, Mrs. E. A. Watters, Harvey Walker, B. K. Goree, John Tarlton, Mrs. John Hoeman, Mrs. William Bohning, Edwin Bewley, Mrs. C. M. Graham, Harry McCart, T. R. James, Glen Smith, A. L. Green, Mrs. Sam J. Lawrence, Mrs. John B. Hawley, Mrs. C. T. Brewer, Mrs. J. W. Draughon, Mrs. J. B. Davis, Mrs. James W. Swayne, Mrs. Hardy Shoemaker, Charles Kassel, W. E. Allen, E. L. Moore, Mrs. R. L. Carlock, E. S. McCord, W. D. Smith, George Mulkey, Ben H. Martin, P. Walter Brown, Mrs. F. L. Jaccard, W. T. Ladd, Judge I. M. Stephens, Dr. Clay Johnson, Senator R. L. Carlock, Mrs. Chas. Scheuber, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. J. B. Ammermann, F. J. Wren, J. W. Stitt, Mrs. William Ewing, George Conner, Mrs. Lucy Quarles, Mrs. George T. Cope, Judge J. W. Swayne, Mrs. James Farmer, George T. Cope, Miss Zella Garrett, Mrs. M. R. Clay, Mrs. L. A. Gibson, Mrs. G. T. Bloodworth, Mrs. John Stafford, Mrs. W. O. Tolbert, Miss Mildred Bridges, Miss Reba Baker, Jule G. Smith, Wallace Malone, P. T. Lomax, M. L. Curtis, Mrs. Frank Wren, J. B. Rhea, S. B. Smith, G. H. Colvin, Clay Walker, B. B. Brown, Mrs. M. G. Allen, L. B. Brady.

WIFE OF CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR INTERESTED IN POLITICS SINCE BIRTH; MAKING TOUR WITH HIM

BY MAE BIDDISON BENSON.

About 150 women, members of the Thomason Club and representative club women greeted Mrs. Robert Ewing Thomason of El Paso Monday morning at the Westbrook Hotel where a reception was tendered the wife of the gubernatorial candidate. Thomason spent about ten minutes shaking hands with the women, most of whom he personally knew. The club will entertain at luncheon Tuesday at 11:30 a. m., in honor of Mrs. Thomason and her mother, Mrs. W. O. Davis of Gainesville, who accompanied Mrs. Thomason on her "political tour."

Mrs. Thomason wore a charming flowered crepe dress and a corsage of pink rosebuds. As the women grouped themselves about her, she discussed everything from politics to planting flowers.

"I have been interested in politics since I was born," she laughed. "I know I must have been born interested in State affairs."

Mrs. Thomason accompanies her husband to the larger cities but does not often go to smaller places. This afternoon she will go to Mansfield, where Thomason speaks. About six cars filled with Thomason followers will go from Fort Worth. About half of the crowd will be composed of women.

Mrs. Thomason and her mother displayed a lively interest in the club work of Fort Worth and the work of the Council of Mothers. "When I was a bride they elected me secretary of the Gainesville Council of Mothers," Mrs. Thomason related in a lively vivacious way. "All the officers of the club—O, this was fifteen years ago—were young women who knew nothing about children. I certainly can see now what funny things we must have done." And she laughed heartily. Mrs. Thomason has two children, one a little over three years old and the other past six.

Following the reception Mrs. Thomason accompanied her husband to the Kiwanis Club luncheon.

"We flipped coins to see who would take you to Mansfield," Mrs. Stanley Boykin told Mrs. Thomason.

"Well, which was I, heads or tails?" she questioned laughingly.

"I win, anyway," John Tarlton said.

There were a few men present at the reception. C. A. Boaz, president of the Thomason Club, and John Tarlton were on the reception committee.

School friends of Mrs. Thomason who studied at St. Mary's College in Dallas with her in her girlhood are planning some informal entertainment for her.

WOMEN ENTERTAIN CANDIDATE'S WIFE

Complimentary to Mrs. Robert Ewing Thomason and her mother, Mrs. W. O. Davis, women members of the local Thomason Club were hostesses at luncheon Tuesday at noon at the Westbrook Hotel.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin was toastmistress. Mrs. Glen Walker, a school chum of Mrs. Thomason, gave a toast "To Our Friendship." Mrs. Charles Scheuber toasted "The Mother-in-Law." Mrs. Mary L. Wright, Miss Margaret McLean and Mrs. E. A. Watters gave toasts. Mrs. Watters spoke briefly on "Why I Am for Thomason for Governor."

Those present were Meses. Robert Ewing Thomason of El Paso, W. O. Davis of Gainesville, Charles Scheuber, Mary L. Wright, Clay Walker, E. A. Watters, Stanley Boykin, John Rounsaville, J. B. Davis, W. A. Jones, George A. Scaling, S. H. Kassel, C. M. Graham, Max M. Kassel, S. C. Padelford, J. E. Arnold, James F. Farmer, C. C. Gumm, G. E. Blewett, F. L. Thiesen-Bowl, H. C. Baird, R. L. Carlock, John Tarlton, E. B. Spiller, T. R. James, Mary E. Paul, George M. Conner, W. W. Manning, C. M. Lamason, John Scheuber of Kansas City, J. D. Moss of Hamlin, L. C. Murray, George T. Cope, E. R. Cockrell, W. H. Bryan, C. W. Harris, G. A. Dunaway, John Berger, Misses Anna Shelton, Margaret McLean and Elsie Cooner.

Many of the club members accompanied Mrs. Thomason to Grapevine this afternoon and will go to Arlington where Thomason speaks late today.

THOMASON PARTISANS PLAN STRONG CAMPAIGN

The Thomason-for-Governor Club will conduct an intensive campaign in this county up to the day of the primary, it was decided at a meeting held Tuesday night at the courthouse. It is the purpose to have one or more Thomason speakers in the field each day until the 24th. A number of those present volunteered to make addresses in behalf of the candidate, and others volunteered the use of their automobiles to take speakers to their appointments.

It was decided that the club should meet every Tuesday night during the campaign. A partial report was made on chairmen for the county voting boxes, and the list is to be completed soon.

Among the volunteer speakers are: W. D. Smith, Felix Bransford, Judge Marvin Brown, Wallace Malone, Mrs. Charles Scheuber, Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. Barse, George Conner, George P. Cope, Miss Margaret McLean, Miss Anna Shelton, Judge Ocie Speer, B. K. Goree, T. R. James, J. W. Stitt, Charles Castle, Judge William Walker.

OFFICIAL DEMOCRATIC RALLY IS PLANNED

His position on the suspended sentence law was also explained.

"I'm friendly to the general principle of the law, but I think it ought to be amended," he said. "The young man or boy or the man who goes wrong under great and unusual temptation ought to have another chance, but the law now, especially in the cities, is one of the worst abused on our statute books."

Thomason was introduced by George T. Cope. Among those who accompanied him to Mansfield were: Mrs. Stanley Boykin, Mrs. Mary L. Wright, Mrs. James F. Farmer, Mrs. John Tarlton, Mrs. C. C. Gumm, Mrs. Clay Walker, Mrs. E. B. Spiller, John Tarlton and C. A. Boaz.

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League of Women Voters Will Have Luncheon at Blackstone In Observance of Anniversary

Fete Planned Wednesday in Celebration of Tenth Birthday
Of Federal Constitution Amendment Allowing
Women Universal Suffrage

The League of Women Voters will entertain Wednesday with an anniversary luncheon at The Blackstone Hotel.

The entertainment will be in celebration of the tenth anniversary of the amendment to the Federal Constitution granting universal women's suffrage.

Leaders of suffrage campaigns of past years, who are charter members of the organization, will be in charge of the program. Reminiscences of the fight for women's rights will be a feature of the informal program.

At 1 p. m. the luncheon group will listen to the national broadcast program in celebration of the event. Speakers will be Miss Belle Sherwin, national president of the League of Women Voters, Miss Katherine Ludington, national vice president, and Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, honorary president of the organization.

Reservations must be made by Tuesday afternoon, according to an announcement made by the president, Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall. Mrs. Thomas Breen is in charge of reservations.

Ever since Saturday, when I went to the polls to vote for my first time, I have been thinking of Mrs. Clota Boykin, whom I met there. She certainly is an attractive and lovely woman.

Her happy nature and enthusiastic disposition toward things is invigorating. I admired her immensely.

After all, diary, outer natures radiate from inner selves. The moment we approach others, we sense these innate qualities. Anybody can give a mechanical smile but there must be a joyous feeling behind it for us to sense its refreshing effects. Mrs. Boykin impressed me as a woman who possessed so many of these fine innate qualities.

On this occasion Saturday, she was stylishly attired in a navy blue georgette trimmed with medallions of a lighter blue embroidered in silver. She wore this dress with a grace that added a charm to her own individuality.

Mrs. Boykin is a capable instructor in commercial courses at Arlington Heights School.

If I say too much about those who possess fine traits or impressive personalities, I shall cease to sound sincere. So I shall bid you goodbye for another day.

JENNY LOU.

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Tenth Anniversary of National Suffrage Observed by League Of Women Voters at Luncheon

French Room at Hotel Is Setting for Affair When Seventy
Gather to Take Part in Program Which Is
Broadcast Over Nationwide Hook-Up

By EDITH ALDERMAN GUEDRY,
Press Society Editor.

THE Fort Worth League of Women Voters Wednesday joined with leagues all over the nation in the celebration of the tenth anniversary of their organization.

The French Room of the Blackstone Hotel was the setting for a luncheon for some 70 members of the Fort Worth League who celebrated the event.

A program was broadcast over a nationwide hookup thru the courtesy of the National Broadcasting Company from 2 to 2:30 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time). It was from 1 to 1:30 p. m. (Central Standard Time) that the Fort Worth leaguers listened in.

Miss Katherine Ludington, the first vice president of the National League, spoke on "Unfulfilled in 1920." Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, honorary president and founder, then told of "The Hopes of the Founders." Miss Belle Sherwin, the president, talked on "Discoveries of the Members."

Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, president of the local league, introduced Mrs. Stanley Boykin, president of the Equal Suffrage League, organized in 1915, which later became known as the League of Women Voters. Mrs. Boykin presided.

She introduced Mrs. James F. Farmer, Mrs. C. W. B. Collyns, and Mrs. Cato Sells, all of whom

gave reminiscences of the local, state and national work in the league.

Mrs. Boykin also read the charter membership of the Equal Suffrage Club which was as follows: Mrs. W. P. Lane, Mrs. G. Frank Coffey, Mrs. John Rounsaville, Mrs. Henry C. Lazenby, Mrs. W. F. Stubbs, Mrs. Robert A. Caruthers, Mrs. W. W. Mars, Mrs. E. J. Hosey, Mrs. D. F. Carlson, Mrs. M. J. Blisco, Mrs. J. J. Jarvis, Miss Edith Hosey, Miss Inez Bowman, Mrs. John D. Jarratt, Mrs. Mary L. Wright, Mrs. C. E. Nanny, Mrs. Dora R. Garrett, Mrs. Jennie Stewart, Mrs. J. B. Roberts, Mrs. Nattie Newsum, Mrs. Charles Scheuber, Mrs. Ida L. Turner, Mrs. Howard M. Pierce and W. B. Byrne.

The committee in charge of luncheon arrangements was composed of Mrs. Boykin, Mrs. Sells, Mrs. Kuykendall and Mrs. Thomas Breen.

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February 4, 1921.

My dear Co-worker:-

I am writing to you hurriedly because you must act quickly on the so called Fifty-fifty Bill. This is one of the greatest importance because it is meant to interest the women in the political working of the county and state and bring about and awaken civic consciousness.

It has been held and in some cases justly that we do not pay our poll taxes because we are not interested, when the truth is we are overwhelmed by a feeling of "what is the use" because we do not know how things are done to us. It all starts with the county as the unit and the county Executive Committee as a main wheel of this unit. Until and unless we get where we can see how the wheels go around and why, we can never help our state.

So important is the County Executive Committee in the affairs of Party organization that altho no pay is attached to the office there is no record of any committee place going vacant. If there is a ring in your county which controls everything and the voters are helpless, the center of that ring is the Executive Committee. If it is a good ring the presence of women is not objectionable but where it is a bad one women will never get in unless the law provides that they must be allowed there.

This is the purpose of the Equal Representative Bill or the so called Fifty-fifty Bill. It calls for one man and

one woman from each precinct and a chairman and a vice chairman, one of whom shall be a woman. We are not seeking to displace men but we are seeking to make it possible for women to serve side by side of them until we have learned how things are done. The County Executive Committee is elected at the Primaries and it provides for clean election, select election judge, etc.

This bill has been endorsed by the League of Women Voters and by the Executive Boards of the Mother's Congress and the Joint Legislative Committee composed of the State presidents and legislative chairmen of the two organizations and the Federation of Women's Clubs. It is been given a high vote in the Senate and has not come up in the House yet.

Write your Senator immediately upon receipt of this to vote for a reconsideration of the bill and then write or wire him to vote for the bill. Besides your own Senator wire Senator R. M. Dudley. The motion to reconsider will be made Monday and we must have three more votes. Your Senator may be one of the three.

Do this at once and get as many signatures to the telegram as time permits.

Hastily yours,

Jessie Daniel Ames.
State Chairman.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 1930.

10TH BIRTHDAY OF SUFFRAGE CELEBRATED

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—With Carrie Chapman Catt, for 40 years a suffrage campaigner, as featured speaker, the National League of Women Voters Wednesday celebrated the tenth anniversary of votes for women. Silvery-haired, 70-year-old Mrs. Catt consigned the "innumerable odds and ends of claims to equal rights" to the younger generation of women voters. Speaking from New York over the National Broadcasting Company chain, she said "there are social problems enough boiling and seething around every woman of us to keep an army of keen thinkers and doers busy for a generation or so in order to clear them all away."

She told of how the pioneer suffragists, "marching upward on the last lap of their century old campaign, spied old age coming down to meet them." But they did not sorrow, she said, for glancing back they saw a younger army to whom they said, "Come, take hold, and finish."

Unfinished Problems.

As unfinished problems she cited the wages, hours, working conditions, and trade union status of the woman in industry. She asked for a continued campaign against the spirit of hatred which, she said, was likely to fly about in state legislatures, and in national and international conferences.

Mrs. Catt introduced Miss Belle Sherwin, the president of the league, who, speaking from Washington, mentioned a compulsory jury statute on the West Coast and a better budget in New York City as illustrations of what women voters are accomplishing today.

Admitting that "performance in 10 years has not matched line for line, color for color the expectations of 1920," she nevertheless insisted the wisdom of the suffrage pioneers had been definitely justified.

"Then and Now," Theme.

Miss Katherine Ludington of Lyme, Conn., another speaker, touched most strongly on the "then and now" theme.

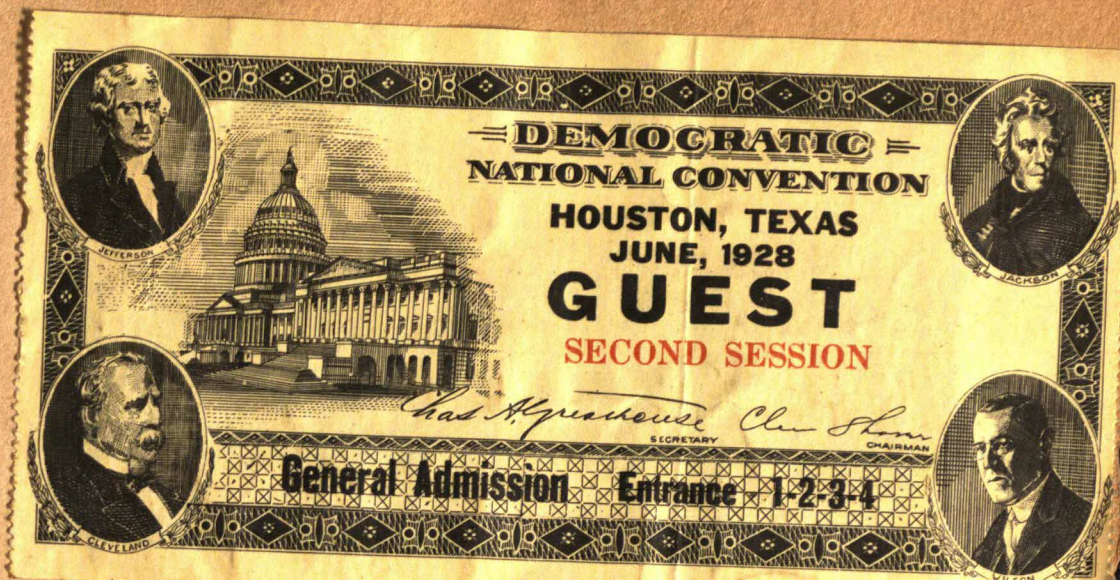
"We have, rather conspicuously, not fulfilled some of the prophecies," she said. "Our votes have not disrupted the home, destroyed the church or undermined the pillars of the State. On the other hand, our votes have not markedly purified politics yet, nor made human welfare the main concern of the Government, nor brought universal peace."

She added, however:

"If we hold to our self-imposed role of attending to the heretofore neglected aspects of government, if we supply a quiet and continuous infiltration of certain qualities into the electorate, we may claim rightfully to have justified the faith of the founders and to be fitting trustee for the honor roll of their names."

35 on Honor Roll.

The 35 names of the League of Women Voters' tenth anniversary honor roll of suffrage leaders will be announced next Monday, with Susan B. Anthony, Carrie Chapman Catt, Alice Stone Blackwell, Julia Ward Howe and Dr. Annie Howard Shaw assured of prominent places. The complete list will be announced at a convention in Louisville on May 1. A \$250,000 foundation fund will memorialize the women named on



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Jenny Lou Her Diary

Dear Diary: SOME 2300 years ago Euripides declared, "A woman should be good for everything at home, but for nothing away from it."



While the learned Euripides still has many disciples today, woman has certainly demonstrated during the past decade of her progress that she CAN do things away from home and be good at them, while still being "good for everything at home."

Wednesday of this week, women throuout the country in every city of any size, gathered around luncheon tables to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the League of Women Voters.

A large group of Fort Worth women met around tables in the French Room of The Blackstone. The ranks of the local pioneer suffrage workers had thinned considerably, but several of these pioneer workers were present and participated in the program.

They reminisced on the suffrage fight in Fort Worth. They listened to addresses by the nation's women leaders, over a national radio hook-up.

THE League of Women Voters was founded soon after women had obtained their right by the passage of the 19th Amendment that "the right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States, or by any state on account of sex."

It was with the passage of that amendment that women became "persons."

Before that time there had been a long, hard struggle for women's rights. Such women as Julia Ward Howe, Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony, who had pioneered in fighting for women's rights, had been laughed at and ridiculed.

But these pioneer women suffragettes had won their point—some years before they had framed a set of resolutions which included practically every demand since made for women.

SINCE the women of Fort Worth formed their first Equal Suffrage Club, later to become the Fort Worth League of Women Voters, many changes in the woman's world have come about.

Even the newspaper stories on women have changed in tenor. Women now are "persons," treated in news stories the same as men.

In commenting on Mrs. Stanley Boykin, a reporter writing 15 years ago referred to her as a "statuesque blond young woman" whose best asset was "a two-fisted, upstanding husband-attorney who was in thoro sympathy with the plan to give women the right to vote." Mrs. Boykin, first president of the Equal Suffrage Club in Fort Worth, presided at the luncheon Wednesday at The Blackstone.

In this same issue this reporter wrote:

"Suffrage has been backward in Fort Worth because of the timidity of the women who really believe in it. They have been slow to express themselves because most of the leading clubwomen in the past have been elderly women who were born and reared under conditions that precluded any such idea as votes for women."

SPEAKING further of the formation of the organization, he added, "Mrs. Boykin was brave enough to accept the job of guiding it. She expects ample assistance, however, from Mrs. Mary L. Wright, president of the Women's Federation of Clubs."

The reporter at that time estimated that there were approximately 500 clubwomen in Fort Worth. Today, there are almost four times that many in the Woman's Club alone.

This is indicative of the growth of the women's movement in the United States, and of their progress outside the home. Rather than acceding to the admonition of Euripides, she has proved the soundness of the speculation of Emerson some hundred years ago that "the circumstances may be easily imagined, in which woman may speak, vote, argue causes, legislate and drive a coach, and all the most naturally in the world, if only it come by degrees." JENNY LOU.

First Members at Women's League Birthday Meeting

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Tenth anniversary of the National League of Women's Voters was observed Wednesday by the Fort Worth league with a luncheon at The Blackstone and a program in which local speakers, recounting history of the local organization, were alternated with speakers in New York and Washington through means of the radio hookup of the National Broadcasting Company.

Mrs. Stanley Boykin, first president of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage League, was chairman. Mrs. James Farmer and Mrs. C. B. Collyns, past presidents of the Fort Worth League of Women Voters, spoke briefly on the early history of the league.

Mrs. Charles Scheuber paid tribute to the late Mrs. Lena Gardner, president of the league for a number of years until her death last year. Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall, sister of Mrs. Gardner and present president, was introduced.

Mrs. Cato Sells gave personal reminiscences of the suffrage movement in Washington, D. C., in the period immediately preceding the nationwide adoption of the Nineteenth Amendment.

Speakers heard over the radio included Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, who forecast activities for the League of Women Voters for the future; Mrs. Henry Goddard Leach, president, chairman of the New York League of Women Voters and chairman of the New York anniversary program; Miss Katherine Lovington, vice president of the national league, speaking at the New York program, and Miss Belle Sherwin, president of the national league, addressing a meeting in Washington.

Four charter members of the Fort Worth Equal Suffrage League were present. These are: Mrs. Scheuber, Mrs. Boykin, Mrs. W. P. Lane and Mrs. G. Frank Coffey.

There were 70 present at the luncheon, a number of men being guests.

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FACING THE PEEP O' DAY OF A NOBLER CIVILIZATION, CHAMPIONS OF EQUAL SUFFRAGE ASK FOR JUSTICE FOR THEIR MOTHERS

If an argument were needed in defense of equal suffrage—if a brief were necessary to plead the cause of woman—James E. Ferguson has (unwittingly) furnished it. This former governor of Texas, removed from high office by legislative verdict, has declared himself against all the amendments in an advertisement given space in Texas newspapers of Sunday. His merciless yet senseless tirade against the national administration, the state administration and the foremost leaders of the party with which he affiliates out-herods the most scurrilous of all the campaign documents that ever have appeared in print in Texas.

This tirade carries with it and contains more misinformation, more personal abuse, more blatant misrepresentation of conditions as they are in governmental affairs in Texas and in the nation than any opponent of suffrage, any opponent of prohibition, has ever been able to condense into the same space.

There are thousands of men who assisted in placing James E. Ferguson in the high office of governor of Texas who will be certain to bitterly censure him for this exhibition of political blackguardism and condemn him unsparingly for the vituperative explosion of the vials of his pent-up malice, personal hatred, racial prejudice, or the acid rancor of his heart.

Listen to this question propounded by the former governor of the imperial state of Texas and the citadel of Jeffersonian Democracy: "Mr. Voter, which do you want—white democracy or nigger democracy?"

The democracy of Texas is a white democracy; the democracy of the nation is a white democracy; the democracy of all the Old South states is a white democracy.

The democracy that placed Woodrow Wilson in the White House is a white democracy.

The democracy that placed in office every governor of every southern state and every legislature is a white democracy; behind all the senators and all the representatives of the South is a white democracy.

A white democracy made James E. Ferguson.

A white democracy unmade him.

A white democracy will write constitutional prohibition into the organic law of the commonwealth.

A white democracy will write equal suffrage into the organic law of the commonwealth.

A white democracy will furnish the two votes necessary for the adoption by the senate of the United States of the Susan B. Anthony amendment. Walsh of Massachusetts, elected by the white democrats of the old Bay state, will furnish one of

one way or the other, until it became a question within the range of my own opportunity for political action. . . . There seemed to be no greater reasons against extending suffrage to women than there had been against earlier extensions among men which eliminated property and educational tests. I had long believed that 'the cure for the ills of democracy is more democracy,' and, because woman suffrage was fundamental in its justice, I became not only an adherent, but an advocate of the cause."

Hon. Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy: "I have been for many years in favor of giving the franchise to the women of our country and I believe it eventually will be universal."

Hon. D. F. Houston, secretary of agriculture: "The women of the United States are quite as much interested in their country as the men and have as much at stake in the successful operation of its governmental machinery. On every occasion they have evinced a patriotic willingness to make any sacrifice and to endure any hardships for the promotion of its highest interests. . . . The patriotism, self-control and intelligent action of women in the present emergency lend additional support to the argument and should dispel any doubts fair-minded men may have entertained as to the wisdom of enfranchising them."

Hon. Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior: "Because of the great numbers of women in industry and other need for their protection, I feel that the suffrage amendment should be passed now. Its passage is inevitable. It should not be delayed."

Hon. Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives: "Woman suffrage is as inevitable as the rising of tomorrow's sun. I have been for it ever since I got the hang of the Declaration of Independence."

Hon. Thomas Watt Gregory, former attorney general: "I have heard no argument against the right of women to vote which seems to me to be entitled to respect."

Hon. C. A. Culberson, United States senator for Texas: "I favor the adoption of the amendment to our state constitution giving women the full right to vote upon the broad ground that, as a part of the general citizenship of the state, they are so affected by taxation and good government generally as to be entitled to this right."

Hon. Morris Sheppard, United States senator for Texas: "Texas will have an opportunity May 24 to give the women of Texas a voice in the government of Texas. Without the sacrifices and services of women the great war for democracy could not have been won. Shall we prove false to the principle of democracy in this hour of triumph? Shall we deny its application to those who helped to save it? Shall we deny to half our own people of voting age the priceless privilege of self-government? Let our answer on May 24 be the enfranchisement of Texas woman and the establishment of real democracy in Texas."

Governor W. P. Hobby: "Suffrage should be given the women of Texas because it is democratic and means our state government will more truly rest upon the consent of the governed. Partial suffrage already prevails and full suffrage therefore will be but a more complete expression of the will of the Democratic party. There could be no more fitting time to take women into full partnership at the ballot box than in the period of reconstruction following the world war, which women so substantially helped to win. I prefer to have the right of suffrage conferred upon the women by the male voters of Texas rather than by the federal amendment which will be adopted by the present congress. I hope the vote in favor of the equal suffrage amendment will be a record-breaking one on May 24."

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CAPACITY OF WOMEN TO PERFORM THE DUTIES OF CITIZENSHIP.

Hon. Thomas B. Love is a life-long Democrat. He has held many positions of honor and trust at the hands of the people or by appointment. He is a southern Democrat. His forebears were slave owners and in the war between the states the men of the family bore arms for the Confederacy. Mr. Love served three terms as a member of the lower house of the Texas legislature. He served as speaker. Many of the laws on the statute books were placed there by this never-scratch-a-ticket Democrat. He served as insurance and banking commissioner of Texas for four years and the insurance and banking laws of Texas are largely of his creation. He was called to Washington by William Gibbs McAdoo and served as assistant secretary of the treasury until a short time ago when he resigned. On May 10, in the city of Nevada, Texas, addressing a large audience of Texans and Democrats, Mr. Love said:

THE WAR HAS STRIKINGLY DEMONSTRATED THE CAPACITY OF WOMAN TO PERFORM THE DUTIES OF CITIZENSHIP, even its arduous war duties, and has proven her fitness for the ballot. America's contribution to the winning of the war during the comparatively brief period she was in it is the most marvelous military achievement in the history of the world, and woman played a far larger and more effective part in it than in any other military program in the history of the world. This is true pre-eminently of America, but in a lesser degree of all the nations engaged in the war, and most of the nations have fittingly shown their appreciation of this demonstration of woman's proven fitness for full citizenship by giving her the ballot.

Woman also demonstrated her fitness for the ballot in the presidential election of 1916, when the women of the suffrage states of the West re-elected Woodrow Wilson as President of the United States and gave to the cause of liberty and civilization the indispensable service of his world leadership in the war and in the period of readjustment. Is it too much to say that it seems assured that in this way the voting women of America, by their ballots, have given the league of nations to the world?

Woman also demonstrated her fitness for the ballot in the Texas primary election of 1918, for James E. Ferguson himself says that only 20,000 of them voted for him and 300,000 of them voted against him.

But it is not only due to the women of Texas as a matter of justice that they should be given the ballot. It is also due in justice to the men of Texas, for no sober student of our public affairs can doubt that the admission of women to the ballot would vastly improve the quality of the electorate, both morally and intellectually, and contribute, as nothing else could, to the promotion of good government, for the benefit of both sexes.

None should be more deeply interested in the success of suffrage than men who earn their living by their own labor, whether in field or factory or counting house, and their wives and children, for few things in human history have been more certain or more effective than the genuine and helpful sympathy of woman for those who toil.

I have always strongly favored woman suffrage, but, if I were opposed to it on principle, as some good men are, I would vote for the suffrage amendment on May 24, for it not only gives the ballot to woman—it also takes the ballot away from those who are not citizens of the United States. Under the existing provisions of our constitution, when we were at war with Germany and Austria,

Abolitionists of the North in the days gone by, never to be forgotten, were responsible for the infamous crusade against the people of the South and their interests, their rights and their liberties. Political wavers of the bloody shirt in the North were responsible for arraying section against section and keeping warm the dying embers of the civil war and internecine strife.

All these have passed away. Justice-loving men of the North extended the helping hand to the white men of the South and reason triumphed over the raucous roar of the malcontents and political marauders who ever placed self above country and the spoils of office above the policies dearest to the hearts of those who loved the principles for which the early fathers fought and the traditions of the signers of the Declaration of American Independence and the authors of the Constitution of the United States.

It is late in the day for any man who calls himself an American—for any man who calls himself a Texan—to attempt to lead an unholy crusade, based upon either racial or political prejudice, against the policies of either the national or the state government, which are based upon the principles of righteousness, justice and the forward march of humanity.

Mr. Ferguson spewed his black vomit into the face of civilized society. On the 24th of May the answer of the people of Texas to his low-grade, demagogish and wholly uncalled for ranting should be the adoption, by majorities overwhelming, of the four pending amendments to the Constitution of Texas.

The Ferguson advertisement should not have been accepted. It should not have been given space in the pages of The Record. It is both indecent and indefensible, coarse in construction and offensive in sentiment. For its appearance The Record apologizes to its army of readers, because it is our policy to exclude from our columns offensive and indecent language.

Equal suffrage is an issue in Texas. "Justice for woman" is the cry of the hour as well as the demand of the times. The amendment will be voted on May 24. The Record is for justice for woman—the ballot for woman. The Record agrees with the declaration made by William Jennings Bryan, in three memorable campaigns the national standard-bearer of the Democratic party—

"I ASK NO POLITICAL RIGHTS MYSELF THAT I AM NOT WILLING TO GRANT MY WIFE."

This is not a partisan issue; it is not a political issue. It is one of the great American issues. Read this plank adopted at the national Democratic convention in the city of St. Louis in the month of July, 1916:

"WE RECOMMEND THE EXTENSION OF THE FRANCHISE TO THE WOMEN OF THE COUNTRY BY THE STATES UPON THE SAME TERMS AS TO MEN."

Read this plank of the platform adopted at the national Republican convention in the city of Chicago in the month of June, 1916:

"The Republican party, reaffirming its faith in government of the people, by the people, for the people, favors the extension of the suffrage to women as a measure of justice to one-half the adult people of this country, but recognizes the right of each state to settle the question for itself."

Did you follow the flag of Theodore Roosevelt? If you are a Progressive, then read this plank adopted at the national Progressive convention in the city of Chicago in the month of June, 1916:

"We believe the women of the country, who share with men the burdens of government in time of peace and make equal sacrifice in time of war, should be given the full political right of suffrage, BOTH BY FEDERAL AND STATE ACTION."

Texas is a prohibition state. A large majority of the voters of Texas are opposed to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors. If you are a Prohibitionist, read this plank taken from the national platform of the Prohibition party:

"The right of citizens of the United States to vote should not be denied or abridged by the United States, OR BY ANY STATE, ON ACCOUNT OF SEX. We declare in favor of the enfranchisement of women by amendment to state and federal constitutions."

Are you a Socialist? Then read this plank taken from the national platform adopted at the Socialist convention held in the city of Indianapolis in the month of May, 1912:

"UNRESTRICTED AND EQUAL SUFFRAGE FOR MEN AND WOMEN."

Woodrow Wilson is the war President of the United States. He led the Democratic party out of the wilderness to the house of their fathers in two campaigns as aggressive as they are memorable. He is the leader of the Democratic party as well as President of the United States. This greatest living exponent of the truths of democracy voted for equal suffrage as a citizen of New Jersey and did all in his power to bring about the adoption of the Anthony amendment by the congress of the United States. He has appealed to the voters of Texas to adopt the amendment submitted to the people by the Thirty-sixth legislature.

These are some of the expressions of distinguished leaders of the Democratic party in state and nation:

Hon. William Jennings Bryan: "When the cause is known there will be wholesale abandonment of the opposition, for the most active opponents cannot give their real reason for opposing it without driving all the virtuous elements in society to the support of woman suffrage."

Hon. Robert Lansing, secretary of state: "I may say that I am supporting the amendment and desires its passage."

Hon. William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury: "The American women have made a game fight and a fair fight for suffrage and are entitled to win. The right to vote may and, I hope, will strengthen the power of women to assist in bringing about many social and moral reforms."

Hon. W. B. Wilson, secretary of labor: "I am for woman suffrage because I believe that every mature person of sound mind should have a voice in determining the law."

Hon. Newton D. Baker, secretary of war: "I had no opinion on the subject,

It will remove all danger of re-opening saloons in Texas for the few months that may elapse after the army has been

franchise amendment will be overwhelming.
Lieutenant Governor W. A. Johnson: "I feel that the great war has done more than any other one thing the necessity and justice in extending to the good women of the state on a parity with men the right to a 'say' in the management of the affairs of the state. The women proved to be our very best soldiers, both at home and on the battlefield. Not only this, but they gave us their lifeblood in the persons of their sons to die on the fields of France and Flanders. Surely the noble men of Texas will not fail to place in them this one little confidence. There never was a more opportune time to reward faithfulness. The equal suffrage amendment must pass."

Hon. Robert Ewing Thomason, speaker of the house of representatives: "I am for woman suffrage because it is founded on right and justice. It has long been said that taxation without representation is unjust, and yet woman's property has been taxed to help finance the government; woman's energy has been taxed to run the homes, schools and churches, and woman's patriotism has been voluntarily taxed to fight and win the battles of our country. If woman is good enough to knit the socks, cook without sugar, sell Liberty bonds and war stamps, work on the farms and in the munition factories, minister to the sick and dying on the battlefields, and give birth to and rear the knightliest sons that ever fought for freedom, then she is good enough to vote. The least the men can do is to give women only their rights."

Hon. W. M. Key, chief justice of the court of civil appeals: "Equal suffrage is right and just. Woman has as much interest as man in the laws by which the lives and property of herself and her children are regulated, and therefore justice demands that she be permitted to participate in the selection of those who make and administer the laws. In a democracy the government derives its just powers from the consent of the people, and the ballot is the method by which such consent is expressed. Women are people and therefore they should have the same means as men have for expressing their will."

Hon. T. C. Jennings, commissioner of labor: "Women should be given the vote because it is essentially democratic, and no government can become a real democracy which denies to half its citizenship the right of suffrage. She has assumed a new status in our industrial life and is sharing the burdens of government with her brother, man. She has demonstrated her patriotic and intellectual equality with the male half of our citizenship. Her participation in politics and the affairs of government will have a purifying effect and tend toward higher ideals. Suffrage therefore is her right and should not be doled out as a privilege."

Fred W. Davis, commissioner of agriculture: "Every sane person subject to the laws of a commonwealth should have a voice in making the laws governing such commonwealth and in selecting those who are to administer same. Man's work and woman's work are fundamentally classified by nature and long usage. Our laws are designed, however, to cover the duties and responsibilities of both spheres, and the respective public interests of both sexes will follow their inclinations and responsibilities. The public thought of men is differentiated; some men are primarily interested in legislation covering finance, some jurisprudence, some agriculture, etc. Women will naturally take public interest in laws regulating the conditions of the home, the school, the workshop, etc. such interest not only being property, but in many cases badly needed. I would deprecate any material change in the relation of the sexes, but would, through her vote, have woman's thought and influence more fully reflected in the rules of action by which we are governed, politically and socially."

President S. P. Brooks of Baylor university: "It would be a shame for foreigners who are aliens in thought and sympathy to continue to have privileges that our Texas women are not allowed to have. For my part, I am unwilling to strike back at our women who have done so much to win the war. I vote for equal suffrage."

Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon: "I shall vote for the amendment. I believe that the vote cast by the women of Texas in the primaries last year was the cleanest, the most intelligent and the most independent vote ever cast in Texas. The women of the state by the public service they have rendered have clearly won the right to what they ask. The argument has been made; the people have made up their minds; we only await the opportunity of casting the vote which shall settle this question in Texas."

President Robert E. Vinson of the University of Texas: "Women, in my judgment, are as fully qualified, both by nature and by training, as men to exercise the right of suffrage, and there is no argument, apart from the purely sentimental one, against their having this privilege. For many years the states of the American union have been training women on an equal footing with men, spending great amounts of money on their education and fitting them for the duties of active citizenship. Why the state should not now avail itself of the results of its own policy of education and thus secure additional advantages from the expenditures which it has made is beyond my comprehension. I sincerely trust that the constitutional amendment will carry by an overwhelming vote on May 24."

Hon. Edward Cunningham, president of the Texas State Federation of Labor: "I am in favor of universal suffrage and that the law should be so changed that all citizens would be given the right to vote without any financial requirements. This is my definition of real democracy. What a blot on our patriotism that the boys who fought the battles for freedom and democracy are denied the franchise because they had not paid the tax of \$1.75."

Hon. W. A. Fraser, sovereign commander of the Woodmen of the World: "Don't let your prejudices govern your vote. Face the question squarely. Surely no higher type of intelligence, of loyalty and of devotion to our national ideals is to be found anywhere than in the South. So, in the spirit of fair play and of justice and democracy let the manhood of Texas and of the South welcome the fair women of the South as equal partners in shaping the future policies of state and nation. My work is for the protection of the home, and the state and nation need fear no danger when the queen of the home is on guard at the ballot box."

Hon. Sam P. Cochran: "I am heartily in favor of equal suffrage for the women of our state, believing that the intelligent woman is just as well qualified to participate in the government of matters political, social and economic as the average man and even better qualified than many men who have not had equal educational advantages. The influence of the educated women of our state will be a potent factor in the purification of politics in the state of Texas as well as in the nation."

Francis E. Clark, president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor: "I have seen the operation of woman suffrage in New Zealand and other parts of the world and my belief in it has been strengthened."

Abraham Lincoln: "I go for all sharing the privileges of the government who assist in bearing its burdens, by no means excluding women."

Woodrow Wilson: "The services of women during this supreme crisis of the world's history have been of the most signal usefulness and distinction. The war could not have been fought without them, or its sacrifices endured. It is high time that some part of our debt of gratitude to them should be acknowledged and paid, and the only acknowledgment they ask is their admission to the suffrage. Can we justly refuse it?"

Cardinal Gibbons: "The church has taken no official attitude on the subject, but leaves the matter to the good judgment of her children as to what they think best. The statement that the church is opposed to the enfranchisement of women is incorrect."

Rev. J. Elliot Ross, Ph.D., C.S.P., Austin, Texas: "There is no argument against equal suffrage. When you carry the war into the enemy's country and demand an argument against votes for women that does not equally to apply to votes for men, you get only inconclusive vaporings."

...ers, waco; Judge D. A. Gregg of the state marketing and warehouse department, Austin; C. M. Nevitt of the Murray Gin company, Dallas; Clarence Ousley, director of the extension service of Agricultural and Mechanical college and assistant secretary of agriculture; Dr. E. P. Humbert, expert cotton breeder of the Texas agricultural experiment station; Walton Peteet, cotton marketing expert of the extension service, and Prof. J. B. Bagley, head of the textile engineering department of Agricultural and Mechanical college.

Preceding the opening of the regular classes each morning there will be a lecture on some general topic related to the classing of cotton by one of these or other experts and the program will include discussions on such topics as "How to Handle Cotton Samples," "Recent Texas Legislation Concerning Licensed Classers," "What Determines Cotton Grades," "The Leading Varieties of Cotton of Texas and Their Characteristics," "Ginning as It Affects the Market Value of Cotton" (an open discussion of the ginning of cotton), "The Warehousing of Cotton," "Detailed Study of Warehouse Problems," "Interpretation of Future and Spot Quotations on Exchanges," "Exchanges," "Export Business," "Spinning Value of Cotton," "Marketing Problems," "Economics of Cotton Production" and "Buying and Selling of Cotton."

Bulletins giving complete information as to the course can be obtained by writing the registrar of Agricultural and Mechanical college, College Station.

SIMMONS COLLEGE PLANS BARBECUE FOR ALUMNI JUNE 2

Special to The Record.

ABILENE, May 12.—The trustees of Simmons college, together with the local alumni and ex-students, are planning to entertain the many friends of the institution with an old time barbecue and home coming on the college campus June 2. A large crowd is expected to be present for the big celebration, many coming from throughout Texas and a large number from out of the state. More than three thousand are expected to be present.

Many of the Simmons men who have been in the service during the world war are daily returning, and this celebration will be in the nature of a recognition of the noble part these "Sons of Simmons" have taken toward the downfall of Bill the kaiser. A fitting tribute will be paid the many whose stars have turned to gold.

The regular commencement day for the senior class of the present year is June 2. Governor Brough of Arkansas, will deliver the address to the outgoing class and will be the main speaker of the day. It is indeed fortunate that the many friends of the institution will have the pleasure and opportunity of hearing this gifted speaker.

Immediately following the address of Governor Brough a regular "old time" West Texas barbecue will be served the many visitors under a beautiful grove on the campus. A band will help furnish the amusement and will be assisted by a college carnival, which will be worth the trip to Abilene.

All alumni, ex-students, students, patrons, ex-patrons and friends are urged to attend. Those who expect to be present at the big celebration June 2 are asked to notify T. N. Carswell, Simmons college, at once.

STATE DEATHS

AMARILLO, May 12.—Mrs. Ruth Rush of 1005 Harrison street died Friday morning, following a long illness. She is survived by five children, all of whom were at her bedside when she died.

AMARILLO, May 12.—Ann Elizabeth, 3½-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Edwards of this city, died Friday at the family home, 1605 Harrison street.

...ingredients, which have been found to help build up the vitality, tone up the nerves and strengthen the womanly constitution. Try Cardui.—Advertisement.

PRISONER WANTED IN UNITED STATES IS KILLED IN MEXICO

BROWNSVILLE, May 12.—While final papers were being signed for his extradition to the United States on a charge of murdering another Mexican last January, Antonio Roche made a dash for liberty at Reynosa, Mexico, opposite Hidalgo yesterday and was shot and instantly killed by a Mexican soldier guard.

Pedro Paz wanted on the same charge was brought across the border at Hidalgo and is in the Brownsville jail.

Sheriff W. T. Vann of Brownsville was signing the extradition documents in the Reynosa customs house when Rocha made his fatal dash for freedom.

Rocha and Paz were said to be the first prisoners ordered extradited to the United States from Mexico on a murder charge since the beginning of the Mexican revolution in 1910.

SAN ANGELO LOWERS PUBLIC UTILITY RATES

Special to The Record.

SAN ANGELO, May 12.—The city commission Saturday passed to its first reading an ordinance that provides for the lowering of the water, light and power rates here after July 1. The light rate will be reduced 33 1-3 per cent and the others somewhat less. R. J. Irvine, manager for the San Angelo Water, Light & Power company, appeared at the meeting and opposed the ordinance, but a citizens' committee also was on hand and urged its passage.

The commissioners have appointed Henry E. Elrod of Dallas to select a site for a municipal plant and submit tentative plans and specifications. The city has decided to build a plant of its own, the Interstate Electric corporation of New York having failed to respond to a request for negotiations.

TOM GREEN COUNTY MAY LEASE ARMY MOTOR TRUCKS

Special to The Record.

SAN ANGELO, May 12.—The Tom Green county commissioners the first of this week will consider the advisability of leasing four motor trucks from the federal government for use in the county's good roads program soon to be started. Twelve thousand trucks used by the army during the war and valued at \$3,300,000 have been allotted to Texas and are to be leased to counties at \$25 per annum. Tom Green county may lease four, one for each commissioner's precinct.

STERLING RANCHMAN PAYS A HIGH PRICE FOR LAMBS

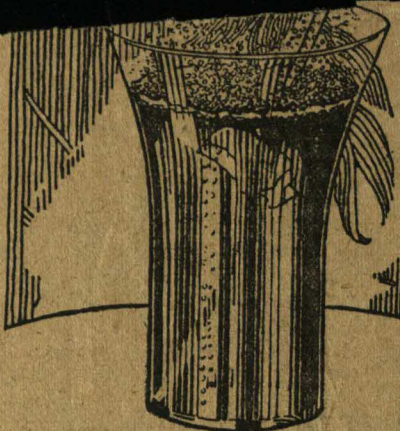
Special to The Record.

SAN ANGELO, May 12.—Charles N. Crawford of Sterling City has contracted with N. S. Rives, local banker, for the latter's entire 1919 lamb crop, consisting of between ten and eleven hundred animals. The price—\$7.50—is said to be the record for this section. Delivery will be made Sept. 1 at Orient, north of San Angelo. The sheep will be sent to Sterling county.

HEAVY HAILSTORM IS REPORTED IN SUTTON

Special to The Record.

SAN ANGELO, May 12.—Hailstones as big as hens' eggs and covering a strip of country a mile wide and twice as long to a depth of six to twelve inches fell early last week on the T-Half-Circle ranch, below Sonora, according to Jack Miles, federal cattle tick inspector, who arrived Friday in San Angelo. The hail barely missed a big flock of sheep. The animals would have been killed had they been in the storm's path. Rains during the week were heavy throughout Sutton.



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WHY I BELIEVE IN THE TRACTOR.—By Henry Ford

The reason why I believe that the tractor has a great future ahead of it is because I believe that it will increase happiness and make life more worth the living for more people throughout the world than any other device which has ever been given to mankind.

I believe it will make farming what it ought to be—the most pleasant, the most healthful and most profitable business in the world.

This may at first appear like an exaggeration, but when you think what the tractor will do for millions of people all over the world, it doesn't seem so.

Compare the Chinese coolie who works fourteen to sixteen hours a day carrying great loads and who drops down, exhausted, in his hovel for a few hours' sleep only to awake and repeat the daily grind—compare him with the American manufacturer or workman who labors eight to ten hours a day usually under comparatively pleasant conditions and then goes home with from fourteen to sixteen hours out of the twenty-four in which to sleep, improve himself and enjoy life.

The difference between the two is this. The coolie is working under the same condition that men worked under thousands of years ago, before they began to use their brains to devise machines and harness power to work for them so that they might produce more than they could with their hands alone.

The coolie earns little and must work long hours because he produces little with his physical strength unaided by power and machinery.

The American workman earns more and works fewer hours because power and machinery enable him to produce more.

As a result, he gets more of the things that he wants and more time in which to enjoy them. The coolie gets none of the things he wants with the exception of enough food and shelter to enable him to eke out a mere existence. And he gets no time in which to enjoy life.

In every age and in every section of the world the happiness and prosperity of the people, generally speaking, can be measured by their success in devising machines and harnessing power so that each individual can produce more with less effort.

Of course there have been exceptions to this rule. In every age and in every country there have been a certain class who have been able to live idly and even luxuriously at the expense of the producing class. But I am speaking of the great class of real producers.

Then, again, in modern times the producers have not always received the benefits of the increased production which machinery and power have made possible. Too often the larger percentage of these profits have gone into the pockets of the few men who happen to own the power and the machines.

But this is being rapidly corrected. Today the American workman works shorter hours, lives better, gets more of the things that make life worth living than any other class in any country in any age. And as time goes on he will get a greater and greater percentage of the profits which his work brings.

In this development from physical labor to labor of power and machines, the farmer has lagged behind.

Brute strength was the first power to be harnessed and put to work. Probably the farmer first did it. He hitched an ox or a horse to his crude plow or cart and made them work.

But he stopped there, as far as the development of the use of power was concerned. Many new and wonderful tools and implements were devised to aid him. But for centuries he continued to operate them either by hand power or by horses.

The coming of the gas engine helped him as far as the stationary work was

concerned. It has been limited by the physical efforts of slow moving, costly maintained horses.

The life of a plowman and the joys of his existence may be poetic—to a poet a long way off. But there is nothing more tiresome—more deadening to the mind and ambition than to tramp mile after mile and hour after hour in a furrow following a slow moving team of horses with only an occasional whack in the ribs from the plow handles to vary the monotony.

This is not theory with me, for I was born and raised on a farm and have followed the plow many a weary mile. I have been both a farmer and a manufacturer. So I know what an advantage power and machinery has given to the latter.

Can you imagine anything more wasteful or inefficient than for an intelligent man to be compelled to spend days and days following a slow moving team without a chance in the world of using his brains or his initiative to speed up that work beyond the leisurely rate at which the horses choose to navigate?

And then at the end of the day what has he to show for his twelve to fourteen hours of labor? An acre or two of ground plowed up.

Imagine a modern manufacturing concern producing under such conditions.

And the result has been that each individual farm worker has been able to produce so little that he has had to work long hours, even to get his thirty to fifty dollars a month and board.

Is it any wonder that farmers and farm workers have left the farms where they could get neither the things they want or the time to enjoy them, and have gone to the city where by the aid of power and machines they have been able to produce more and thus to get more of the things they want and more leisure to enjoy life?

Then again the farmer has been under a disadvantage in this. He has been compelled to produce the things which he sells in the cities by these inefficient methods.

On the other hand, he has been compelled to buy the things he wants from the cities—clothes, household furnishings and utilities, farm machinery, etc., from manufacturers who produce efficiently with the aid of power and machines.

Naturally he has got the worst of the exchange.

But the tractor will change all this. In the tractor the farmer now has a machine in which is harnessed one of the most adaptable, efficient, economical sources of power in the world—the internal combustion engine.

The tractor will multiply the productive capacity of each individual farm worker from three to four times (per.

It will put the farmer on a par with the city manufacturer. It will put his produce producing factory—for that is what a farm is—onto an efficient production basis.

It will enable each worker to earn so much more that he can be paid more and still leave a greater profit for the man who hires him. It will enable the farmer to work fewer hours in the day, giving him more time to enjoy life.

The tractor will help solve the food problem, and this is one of the most serious problems which confronts the world today.

The food production in this country has not been limited by acreage, but by man power. By multiplying the producing power of each farm worker the tractor will multiply the food production in a corresponding degree.

And the millions of acres now required to produce food for the animals which furnish power for the farm can be used to produce food for

