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THE PROGRESS-ITEMIZER is authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices as set out under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the August primary election.

For District Attorney 17th Judicial District.
Wm. F. HAMILTON.

For Representative 1st, District.
G. E. DENLEY.
JOHN PITT STONE.

For Representative 2nd, District.
W. A. NOLEN.
E. M. BADDLEY

For Railroad Commissioner—
T. T. O'BRYAN
(of Batesville, Miss.)

For Sheriff—
DAVE PATTERSON
A. I. SHAW
W. W. FROST
DOSS E. PARKS
W. JORDON GORE

For Chancery Clerk—
L. T. WISDOM
H. B. JOHNSON
WALTER B. HUNTER.
J. E. SIMMONS.
LESLIE E. DYE.

For Superintendent of Education—
J. P. JENKINS.
MISS MINNIE LOVEJOY
CHARLIE LAWSHE.

For Circuit Clerk—
GOODE BROWN.
THEO. W. FLY.
C. P. WILLIAMS.

For Tax Assessor—
ZEKE COLE.
W. C. KUYKENDALL.
J. G. COLEMAN.
CORANCE G. CHAPMAN

Supervisor Beat Two—
J. G. FLY.
J. C. TATE.
E. G. BROWER
R. F. SARTAIN

For Supervisor Beat Three—
EUGENE TARVER.
CHAS. T. ROBINSON.
T. J. HENDRICKS.
W. B. WILLIAMSON
R. S. MURRAY

For Justice of Peace, Beat Three.
WILL WALKER.

THE CHIROPRACTOR

Chiropractic treatment of a variety of human ills is enjoying a marked growth of popularity, and is evidently getting satisfactory results, judging from the number of folks hereabouts who loudly sing its praises.

Jackson people, therefore, will be interested to learn that Dr. B. J. Palmer, founder of one of the great chiropractic schools, is coming here to deliver a lecture tonight.

Recently ye writer learned a whole lot about chiropractic within a period of ten minutes. Being one

of these odd birds who is willing to try anything once, he invaded the office of a local chiropractor and asked to be given the whole works. He got it.

First the chiropractor flattens you out on a table, hits you with a maul, and asks you to let him know when it hurts.

This is kept up until the operator drops from exhaustion, and the treatment for that day is over.

Of course, you think you are dead, but you are not. Within a few minutes after you get your clothes on you begin to feel better, and within an hour you are confident of your ability to whip a carload of wildcats.

There are certain rules however that you must follow while the chiropractor is giving you this treatment. You must not combat the operator, but place yourself completely in his hands.

You must not enter a protest when he gets tired in the hands and begins using his feet.

When he gets you black and blue you are in the pink of condition.

You must not protest if he hangs you on a line, commences beating you across the back, and tells you that you are a rug.

When you first go in, do not shake hands with the operator. Just bow, because when you go out you won't be able to.

If you aren't broke when you go in, you will be in several places before he gets through with you.

Take your seconds with you to carry you to your corner after you have been counted out.

After he is through with you, he picks you up from the slab and hurls you into a swimming tank. If you are able to swim, he puts you back on the slab for further treatment.

Neck popping is one of the favorite pastimes of the chiropractor. It scares you, of course, when he puts one foot on your clavicle and commences to pull and stretch your vertebrae. However, this is one of the most valuable forms of treatment. Some day a judge may sentence you to be hanged, and it is well to get accustomed to having your neck popped.

If you get run over by an auto-truck, hurry to the chiropractor as quickly as possible. Like cures like. After one treatment you can hunt up the truck driver and give him the laugh.

This, of course, may sound a bit alarming, but it isn't as bad as it seems. After the first treatment your fear vanishes, which goes to prove that mankind may get used to anything.

Dr. Palmer's description of chiropractic during his lecture tonight will probably not confirm our version. For this reason, we are going to hear the case presented for the defense.—Jackson Dailey News.

TOO MANY LAWS

One of the strangest political tendencies of our time is the suddenly increased faith of legislators in the power of laws to enforce themselves once they are reduced to writing. No belief has been so continuously and thoroughly discredited, yet none is so alarmingly alive. Every political philosopher from Montaigne's day to this hour has recognized that the best government is that conducted with the least law and machinery.

A multitude of evils attend the naive faith of legislatures in the auto-enforcement capacity of law as represented by words on a piece of paper. One is an inevitable weakening of respect for a government born of a disregard for its more outlandish aspects. Another is the uninterrupted encroachment of government on the governed. A third and most distressing evil is the appalling expense attending the creation of multitudinous new bureaus and offices provided for.

The time may come when a candidate pledging himself to nothing but the repeal of two laws for every one created will be generally supported.

EVEN GOOD BUREAUCRATS ARE NOT NEIGHBORS

Millions of dollars, a tiny fraction of our huge tax totals, spent for betterment work are really spent in the effort to buy a substitute for neighborliness. The work itself is good. It must be done, and more of it. But we must keep in our minds the ideal of the real thing, for which officialism is only an ersatz or "just as good." In helping poor people over rough places, in getting young folks back off the wrong path

in spreading knowledge of how to work better and live better, there is plenty of room for study and for experts. People are in this world to help one another as people not as officeholders. A highly trained snoper, bristling with technique and questionnaires, is no real substitute for the friend who knows the fix you are in. Paying taxes to help others does not soften a man's heart or arm his grip on life or make his soul grow. Being cut off from money is poverty, but being cut off from people is hell on earth. The best thing the betters can do is to show us how to work our age of change even further toward that dream city of "brothers in brotherliness abiding." Then we shall all be rich in the wealth that thieves cannot steal, nor rust corrupt, nor time destroy.

WHY NOT BANK ON YOUR BANK

That hard-headed man who sits next to the railing and nods coldly at you, even though you have had an account there for years, is not a fish-blooded money changer. He's a friend, ready to do you service if you will let him. The next time you start to invest a few dollars in some gaudy proposition, stop and ask him. He'll likely shake his head and say you are making a mistake. You'll be sure he is rut-minded, and go your way, determined to get more than his measly 4 per cent. But if you'd let him, that same clammy guy would suggest some good securities which would pay you 6 per cent or better, and probably make the purchase gratis. We print the because the United States Department of Justice says that \$100,000 per day, right along, are lost by sucker investors.

AMERICAN SCHOOL OF HOME ECONOMICS.

The future history of America will be shaped in large measure by the character of its homes. If we continue to be a home loving people we shall have the strength that comes from, and only from virile family life. This means that our homes must be attractive, comfortable, and convenient, wholesome. They must keep pace with the progress made outside the homes. Better Homes in America.

We have "Better Homes" Week in America.

- 1.—Only 48 per cent are home owners. Ownership encourages responsibility.
- 2.—To strengthen home life and make it more attractive.
- 3.—To supply the needed 800,000 homes.
- 4.—To assist and encourage home-makers and home builders. 92 per cent of the women of America do their own work.
- 5.—To improve the home environment, thereby strengthening the child. To increase the efficiency of the wage earner of the home.
- 6.—To mobilize community pride for a common objective—Better Homes in America.

The Water Valley Home Demonstration Club met at the Court House Tuesday afternoon and had for their demonstration, dress form making. There was a very good attendance, and this club will meet again second Tuesday in June. We are glad of any new members, and hope to get some good work in. There will be a demonstration in basketry, and dress forms again at the next meeting.

The Home Demonstration Agent with the help of some of the members went to Mrs. Tom Gafford, Thursday afternoon and made a dress form.

The Girl's Club met at Palistine Friday afternoon and the Agent gave a demonstration in beet canning.

All first year girls must can their beets at once before they get too large. You want baby beets. Present Weeks Itinerary:

- Monday—Water Valley and Coffeeville.
- Tuesday—Elam.
- Wednesday—Vaughns Springs.
- Thursday—Tillatoba.
- Friday—Scobey.
- Saturday—Water Valley, Office.

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