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WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1910.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Palestine and vicinity:
Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy weather.

JULY 20 IN HISTORY.

- 1765—William Tryon became governor of North Carolina.
- 1796—John Houstoun, former governor of Georgia, died near Savannah.
- 1838—Augustin Daly, famous theatrical manager, born. Died June 7, 1899.
- 1850—John J. Crittenden of Kentucky became attorney general of the United States.
- 1864—Federalists successful in battle of Peach Tree Creek, Georgia.
- 1871—Earthquake felt in New England.
- 1886—Gladstone's cabinet resigned.
- 1903—Pope Leo XIII died. Born March 2, 1810.
- 1905—Yellow fever appeared in New Orleans and subsequently extended to other cities.
- 1909—The Clemenceau Ministry in France resigned after defeat in the Chamber of Deputies.

FOR PALESTINE CHILDREN AND PALESTINE SCHOOLS.

It was resolved by the school board of the Palestine Public Schools, in session last evening, to petition the city commissioners for an early election, at which the citizen tax-payers will be asked to vote a fifteen cent increase in the tax levied for the maintenance of the schools.

For some years the work of the schools has been hampered for lack of funds, and the session has been shortened, or a pay term has had to be provided. There is not another town in Texas the size of Palestine, perhaps, that is trying to maintain its schools on a 25 cent tax levy, as is the case here, and the amount of money received is not enough to carry on successfully the work of the schools. Most towns levy 50 cents for school purposes.

In addition to this very scant amount of money paid by the citizens for school purposes, making it impossible to do the effective work that should be done, the city commissioners have not extended the aid that should be extended the schools, and which is their duty to extend. Their attitude has been apathetic. From the school fund the school board has been compelled to pay for insurance on the buildings, pay for all repairs, improvements, etc., and this has taken from the school fund that should have been used for the employment of teachers, etc., several hundred dollars every year.

The schools are of vast importance to the city, and every one should feel the deepest interest in them, for in their success and work depend the future of our girls and boys.

The pay terms the past two ses-

THE

AIRDOME

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TONIGHT

TEX AND MABEL SHEA

IN A REFINED COMEDY, SINGING, DANCING AND TALKING ACT.

2,500 FEET HIGH ART MOTION PHOTOGRAPHS.

Subjects:

DREYFUS AFFAIR

(Pathe Feature Film)

RAILROAD ACROSS THE SEA

(Scenic)

DECORATED BY EMPEROR

TWO SHOWS 8 and 9:15 P. M.

PRICES:

Reserved Seats: Adults, 15c; Children 4 to 12 Years, 10c.

Side Seats: Adults, 10c; Children 4 to 12 Years, 5c.

SPECIAL MATINEES

At Lyric Theatre on Main St., Wednesday and Saturday Afternoons, 5 to 6 O'Clock.

sions have cost the patrons dearly. A month's tuition in the High School costs the parents or guardians \$4 for each pupil. For the lower grades \$2 was assessed for each pupil. These tuitions paid are far more burdensome than the small tax increase asked. In fact, the tuition of one child one month costs more than the tax would cost the average patron for a year, for he would pay in tax money only \$1.50 on every \$1000 of assessed values. The average patron does not pay taxes on that amount of property.

At any rate it is absolutely necessary to have the additional money for the proper conduct of the schools, and for that reason the school board will go to the people and ask for it, believing that they will vote it.

CHOOSE YOUR MAN.

At no time since the present gubernatorial campaign opened has it been so certain that the race for governor is between Cone Johnson and Oscar Colquitt, and the man who expects to help in the selection of the next governor must out of necessity vote for one of these two men. Reliable reports come from North and North Central and Northwest Texas that the Davidson forces are going over to Johnson with a determination to defeat Colquitt. Men, who are not blinded to the situation, are acknowledging this every day, and a great movement to the Johnson standard is under way. The Herald appeals to the democrats of Palestine and Anderson county to think seriously and make up their minds that they are doing the right thing under the circumstances. The Herald is convinced that a vote for Poindexter and Davidson is a vote thrown away, and in the final count will be but adding to the strength of Colquitt. One thing may be put down as a final fact, and that is that if Cone Johnson is not the next governor of Texas, Oscar Colquitt will be, and there you are.

AS TO AUTO DRIVING.

The Herald gives space today to a communication from a citizen who was nearly run down in his buggy by an auto several days ago. The writer of the letter protests against reckless driving, and his position is correct. The people owning autos should organize and make the first plank of their platform a discouragement against reckless driving. The only prejudice existing against the automobile today is that created by the man or men who disregard the rights of others on the road. Accidents are possible even when the greatest care is exercised, but every precaution possible should be used to minimize the number of accidents. And remember everybody has some rights on the public highways, and these rights should be observed. A man with a wagon or a buggy should not out of pure cussedness block the road against others, nor should the man in an auto appropriate the claim to all of the road and expect other people to climb trees to give him the right of way. Just a little common sense and common decency are of great importance.

CONE JOHNSON THE MAN.

With a full knowledge of the political situation in Rusk county, and its acute tenseness, the News, in giving expression to the editorial published in last week's issue, advising the prohibitionists, if they desired, to elect a governor in sympathy with their views to concentrate their votes, following the example set by the anti-prohibitionists, naming Cone Johnson as the only possible hope for success, and assigning reasons why Cone Johnson's candidacy had taken the lead over that of Judge Poindexter, did not expect the response which it seems has followed the suggestion. This much the real friends of prohibition in Rusk county may rest assured, the suggestions were fairly and truthfully presented. The success of prohibition comes first with this paper; it has no personal interest in the success or defeat of either of the candidates, and it would not stoop to mislead or deceive the friends of prohibition. With the prohibitionists divided between two candidates, certain defeat is an easy and simple proposition. As before stated, notwith-

standing the extravagant claims from Poindexter sources, the facts are so clearly evident, and come with such increasing force day after day that the race has narrowed down between Colquitt and Johnson, and that prohibitionists everywhere are concentrating on Johnson. That Judge Poindexter himself now realizes this is true is evidenced by his expressions of anger when discussing his opponents, and the fact that his voice fills with emotion, forcing an occasional tear to his eye. With the assurance that the prospects for Johnson's election over Colquitt are more encouraging than they were a week ago, and the chances of his election are increasing with each day, the News once more urges the prohibitionists of Rusk county to lay aside their personal preferences and concentrate their votes on Cone Johnson. In thus advising the friends of prohibition we know there are selfish and prejudicial interests that will criticize and impugn the motive that prompts these suggestions, but we know the real temper of the real friends of prohibition in Rusk county too well to have any fears from such imputations. As an advocate of prohibition the News has earned its right to advise with its friends and were it not really and truly interested in the success of the cause from a deep sense of conviction, policy would now dictate a grave yard silence.—Rusk County News.

The Palestine peach shippers are still getting out car load shipments, several a day. The prices seem to be holding up very well, considering the great crop.

T. N. Jones, the Tyler opposition to Cone Johnson, was in Palestine Monday night, but he never said a word. He didn't feel like talking after the judge had spoken.

From reports received no section of the state will make a finer corn crop than East Texas. And the cotton is as fine as could be at this time. In fact, there has been no kind of a failure in East Texas this year.

There are politicians in Texas who would almost give their right hands to know what Governor Campbell is going to recommend to the special session. But the governor is not making any speeches along this line.

Judge Poindexter challenged Johnson by wire, after losing two or three months' time when the opportunity was standing open. And his challenge did not come until after it had been announced that Johnson had his appointments all made.

The candidates for representative will address the people of the city Thursday night. A good hearing should be given them, as this is a most important office, and should be studied with care. The army of county candidates will be with us Friday night.

The business houses of Tyler will close Thursday, the newspapers of the town will suspend publication for the day, the farmers will lay aside their work, the laboring people will get a lay-off, and a great host will go to Dallas in a special train to hear Cone Johnson speak at the State Fair auditorium. No other candidate in the race for governor has such loyal support from his home people. Only Tom Jones will be left behind.

When Judge Poindexter declared that he would veto a statutory prohibition law without even giving it a chance to go to the higher courts for a decision he served notice on the whiskey organization that all they had to do was to prevent submission carrying in the legislature. It was a hope held out to them to get busy and elect the necessary number of legislators to defeat the will of the people. And Davidson is a life-long anti and promises the pros nothing. And this leaves the people who really want prohibition only one man—Cone Johnson. What are you going to do about it? Otherwise Johnson has as good a platform as any man in the race.

Boy Lost a Thumb.

Claude Lee Ware, the three-year-old son of Mr. E. M. Ware, living on Conrad street, had the misfortune yesterday of having his thumb so injured as to make amputation necessary. He got it caught in a lawn mower in some way. The little fellow suffered greatly, but will get all right.

Pasture Close In.

Will take a few cows in at 75c a month. Fine pasture and plenty of water. Phone 577 for further information. 28-1f

Bowdon & Scruggs' restaurant for Club Sandwiches and Delgado Chili. Phone 22. 6-1-f

Car load of buggies and surries, 1910 styles, just set up at H. Schmidt & Co.'s. 13-1f

POLITICAL MEETINGS

CALLS MADE TODAY FOR MEETINGS OF JOHNSON AND DAVIDSON MEN FOR TONIGHT—SUPPORTERS ARE BUSY.

The following calls were issued today:

The supporters of the Hon. Cone Johnson for governor are called to meet at 8:30 o'clock this evening in the offices of Campbell, Sewell & Strickland on business of the utmost importance, the most important meeting yet called of this force in Palestine. If you are supporting Mr. Johnson in this race come to the meeting tonight.

H. V. Hamilton, Chairman.
E. V. Swift, Secretary.
Anderson County Johnson Club.

Davidson Men, Attention.

The supporters of Hon. R. V. Davidson are hereby called to meet this evening at 8:30 o'clock in the office of Mr. J. W. Ozment, to attend to important matters in connection with the campaign. Let us have the benefit of your presence and counsel.

A. G. Greenwood, Chairman.
J. J. Strickland, Secretary.
Anderson County Davidson Club.

KILLED A GIANT HAWK

Bird Killed at the Bowden Home, North of the City, Measured Four Feet Across.

Mr. H. C. Bowden called on the Herald this morning on business, and while here incidentally told of a giant hawk killed on his place at Spring Mountain yesterday. He says a big hawk has been terrorizing his chickens for some time, and that yesterday it was killed and bagged. By actual measurement the bird was four feet from wing tip to wing tip. This is some hawk.

Married at Tyler.

News has reached the city that Mr. Frank Marsh, formerly of this city, but now working for the Cotton Belt at Tyler, was married Saturday to a Miss Littlejohn of Smith county. Frank is a good boy, and has a host of friends here. The Littlejohns are prominent people of our neighbor county, and no doubt his bride is a prize worth the winning. They took a bridal trip to North Texas.

At the Airdome.

The management says: Tex and Mable Shea at the Airdome continue to draw large crowds. They are a good, classy comedy team and give universal satisfaction in their work. They will conclude their engagement in Palestine tonight.

The feature film advertised for this evening's program is a high art Pathe subject, entitled "The Dreyfus Affair."

Herald Want Ads bring results

INDIGESTION

A Disorder that Breeds Disease in the Body, and an Easy Way to Cure it.

Take care of the stomach and you will have little need for the doctor.

When the stomach begins to show signs of disorder: when the food digests slowly and with discomfort; when you have heartburn; feel bloated and uneasy, you are in a condition that needs attention.

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Now is the time to buy your shoes, and this is the place—We are offering our entire line of ladies' and children's shoes at reduced prices during this week, because we are anxious to reduce our summer stock before going to market—Our shoes are all solid leather and you will save quite a good deal if you buy your shoes now.

Ladies' oxfords and pumps, that sell regularly at 4.00, 3.50, 3.00, 2.75, 2.50 and 1.85 are offered at 3.05, 2.80, 2.65, 2.05, 1.65 and **\$1.30**

Children's shoes that sell regularly at 2.25, 2.00, 1.80, 1.65, 1.45 and 1.30, offered at 1.80, 1.60, 1.45 and **\$1.10**

The Following Lines Are Now Offered at Sale Price

- Lingerie Dresses
- Wash Suits, Waists
- Linen Dresses
- Corsets, Children's Dresses
- Wash and Wool Skirts
- Muslin Underwear



AN ELECTION IS WANTED

School Board Will Again Ask For an Increase of School Tax—Meeting Held Last Night.

There was held a regular meeting of the school board last evening at the Board of Trade rooms. Present: W. M. Hamilton, president; C. A. Sterne, secretary; Geo. P. Barnes, C. F. McWhorter, J. J. Strickland, V. D. Wilson, Supt. Walker King. Mr. Wilson was elected to take the place of Mr. Word Nance, resigned, and last night qualified and took his seat. He was also appointed by President Hamilton to fill places on all committees occupied by Mr. Nance.

The resignation of Miss Frankie Eastland, who goes to occupy a place with the Houston schools, and Miss Clemma Parish, who goes to the Sherman school, were read and accepted.

Miss Louise Oehler and Miss Maude Pope were elected to fill these vacancies.

The following resolution was adopted:

First. Resolved, That a committee be appointed to prepare and present to the city commissioners a petition to order an election by the property tax-payers of the city to authorize the city council to levy a tax of 15 cents ad valorem in addition to the 25 cents now levied for the maintenance of the public schools.

Second. That said election be ordered at as early date as possible.

Third. That said committee prepare a circular letter to be published for the information of the tax-payers and patrons of the public schools, showing the absolute necessity of a larger fund for the successful management of the schools.

The following committee was named: C. A. Sterne, J. J. Strickland,

Supt. W. King; W. M. Hamilton, ex-officio member.

Bills and accounts properly o. k'd were ordered paid.

Adjourned.

IMPORTANT QUESTION.

Graham Citizen Submits Mathematical Problem Worth Consideration.

Graham, Texas.—I respectfully submit to the mathematicians of Texas the following problem: If it took Judge Poindexter three years to get one saloon out of his own house, then how long will it take him to remove 4000 saloons from Texas? Persons unfamiliar with the principles of conic sections and the properties of the open curve should not undertake to submit answers.

John C. Kay.

I am now located at the Fair Grounds, where you may have your horse "broke" and gaited. See me for particulars. Hillary H. Padon. 1f

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FOR
Comptroller



He has been in this department seven years, and has served as chief clerk two years. When a man has made good it is a rule of democracy to promote him. (Adv.)