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A Gold Star in lieu of the second Air Medal to Major Edward L. Barker, 616470, United States Marine Corps.

"For meritorious acts while participating in aerial flights, as a pilot attached to the 1st Marine Air Wing, FMF, from 25 October 1951 to 12 November 1951, Major Barker successfully completed his twenty-first through forty-third combat missions against the enemy over Korea, where enemy fire was either expected or received. These missions were flown in a slow, unarmored, observation aircraft and an extremely vulnerable helicopter, and were instrumental in locating enemy strong points, spotting for our artillery, and evacuating wounded personnel. His actions throughout were in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service."

C. F. Schilt,
Major General,
U. S. Marine Corps.

BIG CROWD SEES DEER RELEASED IN HOUSTON COUNTY

A tremendous crowd, variously estimated as high as 3000, saw fifteen deer—nine bucks and six does—released Thursday afternoon in the new game management area of Houston county. These animals were turned loose near the fire tower, 2 1/2 miles south of highway 287, in the Shady Grove community. Fourteen were brought here by truck from a game reservation near Corpus Christi and another was brought by Capt. Sprout of Lufkin, representative of the game and fish commission. Trapping is still under way, and promise has been made to deliver a total as high as 200 in this county, if available. Future releases will be at other pre-selected spots.

The game management area is a cooperative project, entered into by more than 200 landowners with approximately 100,000 acres. Many of the landowners are substantial, home-owning citizens. Roughly, the management area is bounded as follows: From Crockett east along highway 21 and the Hickory Creek road, around to highway 7; east to the Red road and south to Pennington; thence through Fodder and Holly to Lowland; thence northwest to Shiloh and across to highway 21; thence back to Crockett. Inside the area are approximately 20,000 acres of national forest land.

The fire tower is on a 100-acre tract of company land, surrounded by 6000 acres of national forest land. Sponsors of the game management program are elated at the interest and cooperation shown by Houston county people.



C. D. ALLEN IS CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

To the Voters of Precinct 3:

In asking you to select me your commissioner for the second term, I feel that I can face all of you in good faith and say that I have made you a good County Commissioner, and have done all in my power to conduct the affairs of the county in a business like manner.

We have not had all the road improvements that I would like to see in our precinct, but we have had our fair share of this important part of the commissioner's duties.

Our county has not gone beyond the budget adopted by the people, and we have managed to render service to the residents of the area in an efficient and adequate manner.

In seeking this office for the second time, I have only my record as commissioner to offer you as proof of my qualification to serve you again.

Sincerely,
(Pol. Adv.) CHARLIE ALLEN.

ANDREW SPENCE IN SHERIFF'S RACE

In asking you for the office of Sheriff of Houston county, I do so on my own merits and not the merits of my opponents.

I am a farmer and will be engaged in my farming this year, therefore, I may not be able to contact each voter personally, but will do my very best to meet as many of you as possible.

I have only this promise: Should I be elected to this office I will do my very best to be fair and honest and give every man the chance that I would appreciate having under the same circumstances.

(Pol. Adv.) Andrew Spence.

FLORENCE SHROYER ANNOUNCES FOR CO. TREASURER

To the Citizens of Houston County: I am announcing for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Houston County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries. I wish to take advantage of this opportunity to thank you for your support in the past and for the cooperation given me since I have been serving as county treasurer and will appreciate being returned to this office.

Sincerely,
(Pol. Adv.) Florence Shroyer.

Bulldogs Loose Away.

The Crockett High Bulldogs continued their losing ways on the road Tuesday night of last week, when they dropped a 24 to 38 decision to the San Augustine High Wolves at San Augustine. The Wolves were easy victims in the first district game, played here. However, some new players became eligible at midterm and San Augustine was a much-improved quintet, which handily defeated Crockett, despite a good brand of ball on the part of Coach Summers' quintet.

Friends of Mrs. Elwood Albright will regret to learn of her illness and confinement in a local hospital.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Crockett Courier is authorized to make the following announcements for office, subject to the action of the democratic primaries:

For Sheriff
J. O. (ORVILLE) LIVERY
LOYD LOVELL
ANDREW SPENCE
For County Judge
W. A. (DINK) MANNING
For County Treasurer
FLORENCE SHROYER
For Commissioner Prec. No. 1
RAYMOND CRAIG
For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2
F. M. (FRED) THOMAS
For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3
CHARLIE ALLEN
For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4
HARVEY D. STEED
O. H. McCLAIN

ORDERED TO REPORT FOR INDUCTION FEBRUARY 15

Crockett, Texas,
1 February 1952.

The Crockett Courier,
Crockett, Texas.
Dear Sir:

The following registrants from Houston and Madison counties have been ordered to report for induction 15 February 1952:

George Washington Hicks, 410 Randolph Ave., Crockett, Texas.

James Morris Deary, Madisonville, Texas.

William Frank LaFort, Gen. Del., Crockett, Texas.

Bertie Pittman, Rt. 2, Box 4, Newmarque, Texas.

J. D. Close, Rt. 2, Box 10, Crockett, Texas.

Edward Lee Mallory, Box 94, Grapeland, Texas.

Gordon Maxwell Henderson, Augusta, Texas.

James Robert Goodrich, 708 W. G. Road, Crockett, Texas.

Billie Lewis Turner, Grapeland, Texas.

Frank Albert Toliver, Rt. 1, Grapeland, Texas.

Elmo Harold Beasley Jr., Rt. 1, Box 4, Crockett, Texas.

Lyman Edward Reynolds, Box 185, Lovelady, Texas.

Norman H. Harvey, Rt. 1, Grapeland, Texas.

John Lewis Gilmore, Rt. 1, Grapeland, Texas.

Edward Earl Gates, Rt. 3, Crockett, Texas.

Albert Lee Campbell, Rt. 1, North Zulch, Texas.

Perry Wilson Tate, Rt. 1, Kennard, Texas.

Charles Lemagne Anderson, Grapeland, Texas.

James Ervin Marsh, Rt. 3, Crockett, Texas.

Henry Alan Wilson Jr., Box 72, Newmarque, Texas.

George Delbert Henderson, Augusta, Texas.

Charles Willis Moore, Augusta, Texas.

R. C. Rich, Box 309, Crockett, Texas.

Harry Scott, Rt. 2, Box 3A, Kennard, Texas.

Dilmon Calvin Stephens, Box 174, Madisonville, Texas.

Ted Barclay Bumpas, Box 172, Madisonville, Texas.

John Floyd Cole, North Zulch, Texas.

T. J. Carr, Grapeland, Texas.

Winford Otis Bridges, Box 172, Grapeland, Texas.

Burvin Woolen, Rt. 4, Box 160, Crockett, Texas.

John L. Jolly, Rt. 3, Box 254, Crockett, Texas.

By direction of the local board.
Opal B. Crawford, Clerk.

AUGUSTA TO HAVE ANOTHER FARM TO MARKET ROAD

Augusta, in northeast Houston county, now has a farm-to-market road connecting with the highway between Crockett and Wesboro, and a market is to be let for a farm-to-market road connecting Augusta with the highway between Crockett and Palestine at Grapeland. This will give Augusta a hard-surfaced road to the eastern connection and a hard-surfaced road to the western connection at Grapeland. The eastern connection is now used as the connecting highway to and from Crockett. Those who wish to use the new route to Crockett will come by Grapeland. A farm-to-market highway along the old Augusta dirt road from Crockett to Palestine would give farmers and others a still shorter and better route to the county seat. It would penetrate one of the oldest sections in Houston county and, at one time, one of the best farming and educational sections. The early settlement at Augusta was known as Boston. A stage coach line plied between Crockett, Augusta and Rock before the days of the railroad. When Boston became large enough for a postoffice and application was made for such, the application was denied because there already was one Boston, Texas, the county seat of Bowie county. The name was then changed to Augusta under that postal designation. Augusta now has two mail routes, one to Grapeland on the west and the other to Wesboro on the east.

POLL TAXES PAID APPROXIMATE 4900 HOUSTON COUNTY

The last number used in issuance of poll tax receipts in Houston county was 4926. A few numbers were voided for various reasons from time to time, so the exact number of poll taxes paid will be approximately 4900, the number not being exactly available, pending completion of the January tax report.

In addition, the office of Assessor-Collector J. A. Bynum issued 94 exemption certificates to "unders," that is, persons old enough to vote in 1952 elections, but not old enough to pay a 1951 poll tax. No exemption certificate is required in Houston county for persons over the poll tax age. For the reason that these exemptions are not required, it is difficult to estimate the voting strength of Houston county.

Your nose is important—wherever you go, it leads you, and points the way.

CROCKETT DOWNS JASPER TEAM HERE

The Crockett High Bulldogs won their second district 18-AA basketball victory in six starts Friday night by downing the Jasper High Bulldogs, 54 to 44, in the local gym. Crockett broke to a 6-0 lead, but Jasper rallied and the quarter ended 8-8. Crockett was on top at the half, 20 to 17. Bully Morrow had accounted for 14 of the 20 Crockett points.

Jasper scrapped hard in the third period, which ended with the home team leading, 38 to 34. Joe Arledge pumped in 10 points in that period. In the final quarter, Crockett pulled away and played control ball. Morrow ended with 24 points and Arledge with 14, all in the second half. Moore lagged 18 points and Quick 10 for Jasper.

Jasper—Jones, 7, and Prewitt, 9, forwards; Moore, 18, center; Quick, 10, and Everage, guards; Lowe, McDonald, Simpson, Smith, 2, McFaddin and Manzell, substitutes.

Crockett—Morrow, 24, and Little, 3, forwards; Ferguson, 8, center; Corbitt, 1, and Arledge, 14, guards; Worley and Robinson, 4, substitutes.

Officials: Jack Graves and Clifford Dutton.

A good crowd turned out. The victory averaged a defeat at the hands of Coach John M. O'Banion's quintet at Jasper in the first round of the schedule.

HEAD SHOULD BE USED FOR OTHER THAN HAT RACK

Mrs. Mildew, here Saturday, asked the editor if he did not have any other use for his head than to hang his hat on, noting that the editor had his hat on, which reminded him to remove his hat in the presence of ladies. The editor takes his hat off to the ladies at any time. He knows what to do with his hat, but not always what to do with his head. He can't put it in his pocket, although he has never had the big head. Is he to have no other use for it except to hang his hat on? Yes. Should it become a community football? No. Or the community doorman? Still no. But, thinking again, his hat on his head is not a hatrack, but as a cover—a cover up for a bald head, as a pretty-sleazy operator asked him to leave it on—the hat on the head and not the head in the hat. Here Friend Mildew allowed that the pretty-sleazy operator may have had little use for either.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Camp of Huntsville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Batterwhite.

EDITOR SAUNTERS AROUND SUNDAY AFTERNOON

This editor took some short rides Sunday afternoon. His first saunter was over the Haddock Crossing pavement, and it was an enjoyable ride to the end of the pavement and back.

It is a good road and through a good farming section—much open farm land, many well kept farm places, and very few deserted, tumble-down houses. This road is through an attractive community. Returning to Crockett, we drove over the Cook's Mountain or Wesley Chapel road, on which the Linggold Lumber Industries are located. Further out is the attractive residence and lake of Dr. R. S. Traylor. This road is hard-surfaced. A fine view of the surrounding country is had from Cook's mountain. Our next and last saunter for the afternoon was the Crockett Country Club. Up to the club house, we viewed the beautiful golf course, some new lake houses and the long, hanging moss around the lake. All in all, it was a very pretty scene. Then over to the highway and back to town.

WHOLE FAMILY LOOKS ON COURIER WITH FAVOR

Kansas City, Mo.,
January 28, 1952.

Mr. W. W. Aiken:

Dear Editor—It is once again time to renew our subscription to your good paper. We would also like to take this opportunity to answer the fellow newspaperman that asked if the Courier would be missed if it was suspended. We would miss it very much. When the Crockett Courier arrives here, our daily newspaper is completely forgotten until the Courier is read very thoroughly. The articles we find that may be helpful are clipped out and filed away for future reference. In closing let me say here is a Courier family—Henry Cecil; Norvin, Emma and Chilton are the children.

Thank you, Henry,

Henry Ennis.

Editor.

High School

Prom Set for

April 4th

The Junior-Senior Prom has been set for Friday, April 4. This date on the social calendar of school events for the year is an important one and a much-looked-forward-to affair for the Juniors and Seniors.

Students make their own plans for the prom. Arrangements and decorations are carried out with detailed activity of all concerned during the day of the prom. Creating the mood for the prom in decorations requires a great deal of preliminary work by the students. By late afternoon the effect is always gratifying and enchanting.

The program planned for the evening never lags for a moment in interest for the Juniors and seniors. Many spectators sit silently and unobtrusively in the balcony to watch this gala event of the spring season.

Theatrical—beautiful—amazing—colorful—scintillating are adjectives best describing these annual affairs. And for those who have the honor to attend the prom is something to remember—always.

Rev. C. F. Owen Resigns.

At a special call meeting of the deacons and elders of the First Presbyterian church last week Rev. C. F. Owen presented his resignation to the board. Rev. Owen has been called to

fill the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church at La Grange.

Rev. Owen's letter of resignation was presented to the general session Sunday morning, January 27. Action will be taken on Sunday, February 3. Upon his release from his duties here he plans to assume his pastorate at the First Presbyterian church in La Grange on or about March 1.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Owen have been in Crockett for the past four years, and while they have lived here they have won a host of friends and have endeared themselves among a wide circle of friends and acquaintances, all of who regret that they are planning to leave Crockett to make their home in another town.

Raymond Craig

FOR REELECTION

AS COMMISSIONER

To the People of Precinct No. 1:

After careful consideration I have decided to ask you good people for the office of Commissioner Precinct No. 1 for my second term. Thanking each of you for your cooperation through the past year, and saying I have enjoyed working with you and for you. So I am earnestly seeking and asking you to remember me on election day and prove once again that I can make you a good Commissioner. Won't you please keep me there for second term.

Sincerely yours,
(Pol. Adv.) Raymond Craig.

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HEAD SHOULD BE USED FOR OTHER THAN HAT RACK

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Mire. Milldew, [herw] [uncertain] Saturday, [ashod] [uncertain] the Courler editor if he did not have any other use for [hla] [uncertain] head than to hang [hte] [uncertain] hat wn, noting [thet] [uncertain] the [Si] [uncertain] editor had his hat on, which reminded [y] [uncertain] him to remove his hat in the presence [tof tadies.] [uncertain] The Courier editor takes oi [hia] [uncertain] hat off te the ladies at any time. [I] [uncertain] fe knows what to do with his hat, but not always what-to do with his head. [fle] [uncertain] cant put ii in his pocket, [eJalthough] [uncertain] he has never had the big head, [Jshe] [uncertain] to have no-Biher use for it except to hang hie.bat-on? Yeo. [Should] [uncertain] become a [communtty foattiball?] [uncertain] o. Or the community door-[2}] [uncertain] mat? Still no. But, thinking again, y this hat on his head le hot [hatreck,] [uncertain] hut ae a [cover—a] [uncertain] cover up for a bald head, as pretty-alexabir operator tasked him ta leave tl on--the hat on ei the head and not the head in the hat j- [Mero] [uncertain] Frient Milldew allowed that the [nipretty] [uncertain] elevator [operajur] [uncertain] may have had [Jittle] [uncertain] use for [elther.] [uncertain]

ri Me and Mrs. Jeff Camp of [Iluntaaivitie] [uncertain] were Sunday guests efMr and

Mri. F. C. Satterwhite,

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EDITOR SAUNTERS

AROUNDSUNDAY

[AFTERNOON:] [uncertain]

This dor took soma short rides t Sunday afternoon. His first saunter [waa] [uncertain] over the Haddox Crosaing pavement, and it was an enjoyable ride, te the [cnd] [uncertain] of the pavement and back. It le w good road and [through] [uncertain] a good farming [section—much] [uncertain] open farm land, many well kept farm places, and very few deserted, [tumbledawn] [uncertain] houses. [1 Thia] [uncertain] road is through an attractive community, [Returning] [uncertain] to [Crockett,]

[uncertain] we drove over the Cooks Mountain or! Wesley Chapel road, on which the Lin- [guld] [uncertain] Lumber industries are locator Further out is the attractive residence and lake of Dr. R. [S.] [uncertain] Traylor, This road is hard-eurfaced. A fine view of the-euresnding country fe had from Cooks mountain. Our next and last saunter for the afternoon was [(he] [uncertain] Crockett Country Club Up to the club house, we viewed the beautiful golf [courne,] [uncertain] some [naw] [uncertain] lake houses and the long, hanging moss around the lake. All In all, it was a very pretty scene. Then over to the highway and hack to town, ee ee

The Jyntor-Benior Prom has been set for Friday, April 4. This date on the social calendar of [achool] [uncertain] events for the year le an Important [une] [uncertain] and a much-looked-forward-to affair for the Juniors and [Séniora.] [uncertain]

Students make [the]r [uncertain] own plans for the prom, [Arrangéménts] [uncertain] and dreo- ratings are carried out with [detailed] [uncertain] actlvity-of all concerned during the day of the prom. Creating the [mou] [uncertain] for the prom in decorations to carry out a [certaln] [uncertain] planned thence requires a great deal of [pre]iminary ework [uncertain] by the students, By late afternoon the effect la always gratifying and en- chanting.

The program planned for she eve-[ning] [uncertain] never [lage] [uncertain] for a moment in in- [terest] [uncertain] for the juniors and seniors.

Many [apectators alt] [uncertain] silently And un- [notlepd] [uncertain] tn the balcony ta watch this gala event of the spring season.

Theatrical beautiful [amasing] [uncertain]

[eoborful selniliilating] [uncertain] are adjec- tea beat describing these annual af-[lfalsa,] [uncertain] And for those who have tho honor to attend the prom ie something to remember elway.

Rev. [(FP,] [uncertain] Quen Realgns,

[At] [uncertain] a special call meeting of the [deacona] [uncertain] and elders of the First [Iresbyterian] [uncertain] church

lest-week Hey. P. [Owen] [uncertain] presented his resignation to the board. Rev. Owen has been called to [ars] [uncertain] a Home Inatltulion.

[filt] [uncertain] the pulpit at the First [Preabdyterian] [uncertain] church [at.Da Grange.] [uncertain]

Rev. Owens Ictter of [restgnation] [uncertain] was presented to the general session Sunday morning, January 27. Action [wi}] [uncertain] be taken on Sunilay, Febryary 3 Upon his release from his duties here he [plana] [uncertain] to [acaume] [uncertain] while pastorship at the Firat Presbyterian church in La Grange on or about March 1.

The Rev and Mrs. T. P. Owen have teen in Crockett for the pat four years, and while they have Uvod here they have won host of friends and have endeared [themaclres] [uncertain] among wide circle of friends and acquaintances, all of who regret that they are planning to leave Crockett to [tnake] [uncertain] their home in another town.

WHOLE FAMILY LOOKS ON COURIER [WITHFAVOR] [uncertain]

Kanaas City, Mo. January YA, 1952.

Mr. W. W. Alken:

Dear [Editor—it] [uncertain] is once again time to renew our subscription to your cool paper. We would also like to take this opportunity to answer the fellow newspaperman that asked Lf the Courier would be missed if it [wae] [uncertain] [auapended,] [uncertain] We would miss it very much, When the Crockett [Courier] [uncertain] arrives [bere,] [uncertain] our daily newspaper bb completely forgotten until the Courier le read very thoroughly, The articles we find that may be helpful are clipped out and Tiled away fur future reference. In closing let me say here js Courier [family—tenry] [uncertain] Cocll:

Noivin, Emma and Chiltan are the children. [llenry] [uncertain] Ennis.

Thank you, [Henry, Editor,] [uncertain]

RAYMOND CRAIG FOR REELECTION AS COMMISSIONER

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To the Poople of Precinct No. 1:

After careful consideration I have [ilechled] [uncertain] to ask ypu-good people fo:

the offices of Commissioner [Precinc] [uncertain]

No. 1 for my second term. Thanking each of, you [for~] [uncertain] your [cooperatiow ihrowghethe] [uncertain] path rears and saying have enjoyed working with you an far you flo I am earnestly [scekings] [uncertain] jam asking you ta remember [ino] [uncertain] ol election day [aml] [uncertain] prove [ance] [uncertain] again that can make you a yod Commls loners Wont you please hope m there for [accom] [uncertain] form. [flincerely] [uncertain] yours, [1 (Pol.) [uncertain] Adv.) Raymond Cralg.

Me and [Mrs."] [uncertain] G. [Wy] [uncertain] Gibson [wer visfform] [uncertain] to Daltas Sunday and Monday

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[D.AUENIS] [uncertain] CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

Tu the Voters of [Precinct] [uncertain] 3:

In asking you to reelect mo sour commissioner for the secund term, [F fee]] [uncertain] that I can face all of you in good faith and [asy] [uncertain] that I have made you a good County Commissioner, anil have done all in [nty] [uncertain] power to conduct the affairs of the county in a business Ilke manner.

We have not had all the road [inprovements] [uncertain] that J would like to see tn our [preeinet,] [uncertain] but we have had our fair share of this important part of the commissioners duties,

Ovr county has not gone beyond the [budert] [uncertain] adopted by the people, and we hare [masige!] [uncertain] to render rer- vice to the residents of the [arca] [uncertain] in an efficient and adequate manner. In seeking this office for the second time, I have only my [reeord] [uncertain] as commissioner to offer you asa prove of my [qualificatidh]

[uncertain] to serve you again, [Sinerrely,] [uncertain]

[(Pol.) [uncertain] Adv.) CHARLIE ALLEN.

ANDREW SPENCE IN SHERIFFS

RACE

In asking you for the office uf Sheriff of Houston [ounty,] [uncertain] I do so on my own merits and not the demerits of ny opponents.

[fam] [uncertain] a farmer ant will be engaged tn my farming this year, therefore,

I may not be able to contact [cach] [uncertain] voter personally, but will do my. [xcfy] [uncertain] best to meet as many of you as

I have only this promise: Should I be elected to this [cffee] [uncertain] will do my Hrery best to be fair and honest and give [cvery] [uncertain] man the chance that I would appreciate having under the tame circumstances.

[(Pol.) [uncertain] Adv.) Andrew Spence.

FLORENCE SHROYER ANNOUNCES FOR [(0.) [uncertain] TREASURER

To the Citizens of Houston County:

I am announcing for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of

[Houston] [uncertain] County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries. I wish to take advantage of this opportunity [8] [uncertain] to [thank_you] [uncertain] for your support in the past [amd] [uncertain] for the cooperation given me since I have been [erylog] [uncertain] as coun- ty treasurer and will appreciate being returned to this offices. Sincerely,

[(Pol.) [uncertain] Ady.) Florence Shroyer.

Bulldogs Lose Away.

The Crockett High Bulldogs [con~~ltinued] [uncertain] their lang ways on the Tuesday night of last week, when dropped B4 to 38 decision to the San l Augustine High Wolves at San Au- gusting, The

Wolves were [casy vicrl] [uncertain] time tn the [Clret] [uncertain] district game, [playod] [uncertain] there. [llowever,] [uncertain] some new [playerw] [uncertain] be- came eligible at midterm and San Augustine was a much-improved quin- Phtet, which handily defeated Crockett, [tidexplte] [uncertain] a good brand of ball on tho [I] [uncertain] part of Coach Summers" quintet.

[Friends] [uncertain] of Mrs. Elwood Allbright will regret to learn of [ber illncas] [uncertain] and confinement in a local hospital a

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Crockett [Courier] [uncertain] is authorized to make the following announcements

ur office, subject to the action of the democratic primaries:

For Sheriff

J. O. [(ORVILLE)] [uncertain] LIVELY

LOYD LOVELL ANDREW SPENCE For [County Judre] [uncertain] 5 W. A. [(DINK)] [uncertain] MANNING [RiFor] [uncertain] County Treasurer we FLORENCE SHROYER [La] [uncertain] i

For. Commissioner Pree. No 1 nf RAYMOND: CRAIG [Oi bor Comeicalones, Vree,] [uncertain] No, 2 F. M. [(FRED)] [uncertain] THOMAS

For [Commissioner,] [uncertain] Pree. No. 3

CHAREIE ALLEN

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