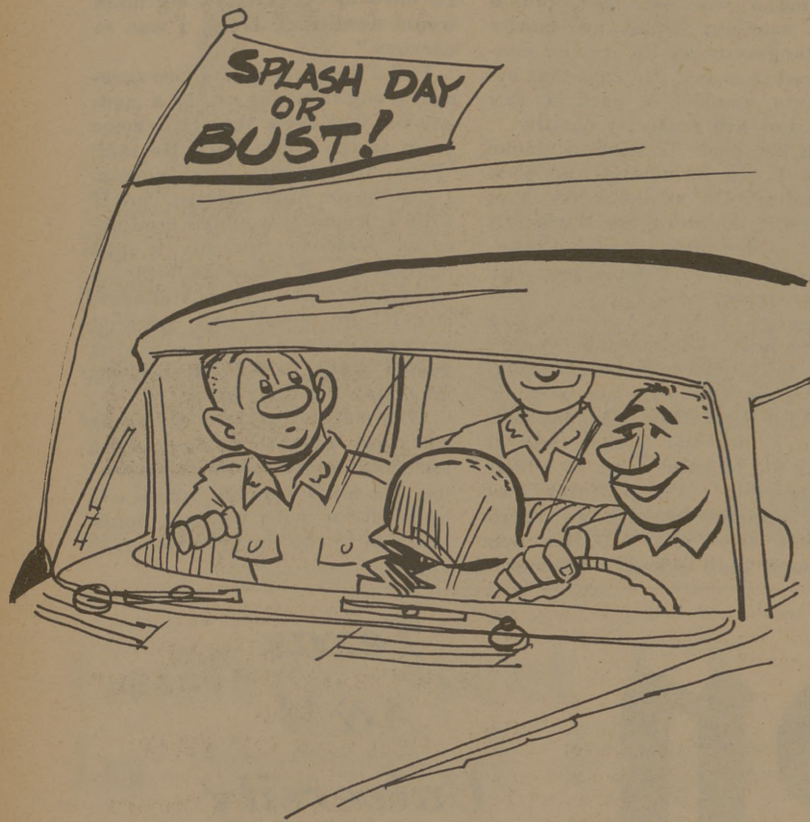


CADET SLOUCH by Jim Earle



"Don't worry about havin' to sign in—you can sign in at Galveston! We have th' sign-in book and th' sign-in officer in th' trunk!"

'Put Up Or Shut Up'

After months of ballyhoo, pleading and bullying, residents of College Station and Bryan will follow other Texans throughout the state to their respective party's primary Saturday, to promote the candidates who impressed them the most.

The state comptroller's department has reported that 84,297 citizens are eligible to vote free in Saturday's balloting because of the ratification of the federal poll tax amendment. Yet this very amendment has caused such confusion in Texas voting procedures that it is quite likely that many of these thousands will stay home rather than enlighten themselves on the new rules.

At the base of the trouble is a law that Texas retained—the poll tax as a voting requirement in state and local elections—which necessitates a dual balloting system. Persons who obtained free registration certificates in the form of receipts marked "poll tax not paid" during a special registration period Feb. 5 - March 6, can vote on candidates for:

1. U. S. representative serving the voter's district (Democrats Olin E. Teague and Jack Zubik or Republican William Van Winkle).
2. Congressmen-at-large (Democrats Joe Pool, Robert W. Baker, Dan Sullivan, Bob Looney and Bill Elkins, and Republican Bill Hayes).
3. U. S. senator (Democrats Gordon McLendon and Ralph W. Yarborough and Republicans George Bush, Jack Cox, Dr. Milton V. Davis and Robert Morris).

In addition, Republicans who have free certificates are eligible to vote in the presidential preference poll for Barry M. Goldwater, Nelson Rockefeller, Margaret Chase Smith or Harold Stassen.

The comptroller's office has also listed 2,411, 679 persons who have paid their poll tax and 480,991 persons who have obtained exemption certificates. But even among these, many will not take the time to cast their ballot.

Those who might be less inclined to vote Saturday, or in any other election might reflect on one thought. Voting is a privilege, not a right, and the disuse of this privilege invites political abuse.

STATE'S RIGHTS CASE?

Solon Sounds Sour Note On Maritime Academy Bill

By TEX EASLEY
The Associated Press
WASHINGTON — The new Texas Maritime Academy is slowly gettink underway and by the end of next year may have its own vessel.

This was brought out at a recent hearing of House appropriations subcommittee on a money bill for the Maritime Administration, through some questions by Chairman John J. Rooney, (D-N. Y.). The record of the hearing was made public Monday.

Deputy Administrator J. W. Gulick of the Maritime Administration testifying in support of funds for the five state maritime academies set up under a 1958 law, said \$250,000 would be needed next year to take an AP-3 Victory ship out of the reserve fleet and condition it for use by the Texas academy — which is under the A&M University System.

In one of several observations concerning Texas, Rooney said: "It seems to me that these Texans who are so interested in state's rights ought to be able to break out their own ship."

Whatever reply Gulick had in mind was lost, because he had only said, "I am afraid they would . . ." when Rooney interrupted to ask about other costs the government would be required to bear in the joint federal-state training enterprise.

The chief of the maritime Budget Office, P. G. Asher, noted that each of the state maritime academies gets \$75,000 annually to help finance operations, plus \$600 a year per student for subsistence, uniform and text book allowance.

Asher had just observed that last year was Texas' second year in the program when the Brooklyn congressman again referred to the outfitting of a ship.

"I thought these Texans would have their own ship," he quipped.

Gulick said 41 students were enrolled in the Texas academy as of last Dec. 31. Asher added: "They are projecting 200 students at the end of the fourth year."

Their own ship will require a crew of 44 to 46 men, and until they can get it into operation, the Texans will have to use space available on ships already in operation by one of the other

state academies — in New York, Maine, Massachusetts and California.

"The present cadets at the Texas academy last year went to sea with the group from New York on the Empire State ship," Asher said.

"I think there were 15 or 20 of those cadets that made that trip last year. The new cadets this year, I presume, might or might not have that sea experience."

Complying with a request by the committee, Gulick supplied

the record of the hearing with this data on the ships of the other academies:

The training ship for Maine cost \$200,000 to activate, New York \$236,000 and Massachusetts \$318,000. California's ship was supplied by the Navy, rather than the Maritime Administration, so no cost figure was available on it.

"Why should the taxpayers spend a quarter of a million dollars for this Texas State Maritime Academy? Why does not the Texas Navy provide a ship?"

Republican Party

SAMPLE BALLOT

I am a Republican, and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by scratching or marking out all other names in that race.

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR:

- GEORGE BUSH of Harris County
- JACK COX of Harris County
- DR. MILTON V. DAVIS of Dallas County
- ROBERT MORRIS of Dallas County

FOR CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE:

- BILL HAYES of Bell County

FOR GOVERNOR

- JACK CRICHTON of Dallas County

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:

- HORACE HOUSTON of Dallas County

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL:

- JOHN TRICE of McLennan County

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF TEXAS SUPREME COURT, PLACE ONE:

- T. E. KENNERLY of Harris County

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER (Unexpired Term):

- DON FLANAGAN of Dallas County

FOR COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:

- DALLAS CALMES, JR. of Harris County

FOR STATE TREASURER:

- FRED S. NEUMANN of Jefferson County

FOR COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE:

- JOHN A. MATTHEWS of Taylor County

FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:

- JOHN B. ARMSTRONG of Kleberg County

FOR STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION:

- MRS. ROBERT G. COCHRAN of Brazos County

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 28th DISTRICT:

- BRUCE A. ROGERS of Brazos County

FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE, District 6:

- WILLIAM VAN WINKLE of Johnson County

FOR COUNTY CHAIRMAN:

- HERBERT SHAFFER of Brazos County

FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 7:

- C. M. (Bill) SYKES of Brazos County

Senate Race Ends Today

By GARTH JONES
Associated Press Writer
Texas' hottest U. S. Senate race in recent political history neared an end with both Democratic candidates fighting for last minute advantage.

Gordon McLendon scheduled a final statewide television speech from an outdoor rally Thursday night in front of the Alamo in San Antonio. He set five local live TV appearances Friday in Harlingen, Laredo, Corpus Christi, Port Arthur and Austin before returning to Dallas for Saturday's voting.

Sen. Ralph Yarborough, D-Tex., toured North and East Texas Thursday and worked on his final statewide television speech, scheduled Friday night from Ft. Worth.

Both candidates took time to level countercharges resulting from the several highly controversial addresses each has made.

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Democratic Party
SAMPLE BALLOT

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.
"Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by scratching or marking out all other names in that race."

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR:
GORDON McLENDON of Dallas County
RALPH W. YARBOROUGH of Travis County

FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE:
JOE POOL of Dallas County
ROBERT W. BAKER of Harris County
DAN SULLIVAN of Andrews County
BOB LOONEY of Harris County
BILL ELKINS of Hunt County

FOR GOVERNOR:
DON YARBOROUGH of Harris County
JOHNNIE MAE HACKWORTHE of Washington County
JOHN CONNALLY of Travis County
M. T. BANKS of Jefferson County

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:
ALBERT FUENTES, JR., of Bexar County
PRESTON SMITH of Lubbock County

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL
WAGGONER CARR of Lubbock County

FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:
JOHN C. WHITE of Wichita County
MILLARD SHIVERS of McLennan County

FOR COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE:
FRED H. WILLIAMS of Dallas County
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ROBERT S. CALVERT of Travis County

FOR STATE TREASURER:
JESSE JAMES of Travis County

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:
BEN RAMSEY of San Augustine County

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER: (Unexpired Term)
JESSE OWENS of Wilbarger County
JIM C. LANGDON of El Paso County

FOR SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS: (ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, PLACE 1)
JACK POPE of Bexar County
SEARS McGEE of Harris County

FOR SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS: (ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, PLACE 2)
RUEL C. WALKER of Johnson County

FOR SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS: (ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, PLACE 3)
ROBERT W. HAMILTON of Midland County

FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS (Presiding Judge): Tenth Supreme Judicial District:
K. K. WOODLEY of Travis County

FOR COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS (Chief Justice) Tenth Supreme Judicial District:
FRANK G. McDONALD of McLennan County

FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE: 6th Congressional District
OLIN E. TEAGUE of Brazos County
JACK ZUBIK of Brazos County

FOR STATE SENATOR, 11th Senatorial District:
JOE CANNON of Limestone County
WILLIAM T. (Bill) MOORE of Brazos County

FOR STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION: 11th Senatorial District:
MRS. WILL MILLER of Navarro County

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 28th Legislative District:
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FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT NO. 19:
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