

# FIREMAN NOTES.

The members of the Giddings Fire Department, both old and new, met at the Court House at Giddings, Texas, Friday night, February 11th, 1921, for the purpose of electing new officers and collecting of yearly dues.

Nearly all members were present and a motion was carried that hereafter a penalty of 25c. is to be collected for absence at practice where no valid excuse is presented, and failure of either twice in succession forfeits membership.

The way the city is cooperating with the fire-boys this year makes every member feel that he has more than ever before to look forward to, for they have agreed to furnish new sections of hose and fill in the needs of the chemical engine.

The people of Giddings should all feel indebted to the Mayor and his board of commissioners for it is all due to their interest and works the biggest lift from the Giddings Fire Department.

We wish to add too, that when the fire boys are at practice, or on the scene where action is necessary, that all comers or passersby be considerate enough to avoid stepping on or running over the hose. Buying a section of good hose is just as important as buying a good automobile tire. That is to say, they are both high enough.

Since Giddings proper looks to us for protection in case of fire, we look to you for the same amount of protection in the meantime.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Officers for ensuing year:

Paul Nerger, President.

J. S. Hillsman, Vice-President

J. S. Hillsman, Jr., Secy-Treas.

A. J. Biar, Chief.

F. L. Krauss, Ass't. Chief.

Herman Gersch, 4man pump

A. B. Domaschk, Ass't. 4man.

Otto Schubert, 4man Chemical.

Ira Stockton, Ass't. 4man.

Ewald Milburn, 4man H. & L.

Ernst Moerbe, Ass't. 4man.

Men Assigned to Pumper No. 1

Herman Gersch

A. B. Domaschk

Chas. Domaschk

W. H. Ball

R. H. Fariss

R. E. Fariss

P. G. Hohle

G. H. Fritsche

R. H. Hemple

F. L. Krauss

Herman Morkisch

Herman Joekel

L. D. Wilson

A. J. Biar

Chemical No 2:

Otto Schubert

Ira Stockton

W. S. Hester

Albert Harrison

J. S. Hillsman Jr.

H. H. Symmank Jr.

Hook and Ladder No. 3:

Ewald Milburn

Ernest Moerbe

Gerhard Kappler Jr.

A. F. McDonald

Paul Nerger

E. H. Ramsey

C. C. Rutherford

L. A. Schomer

Ed. Schuhmann

Oscar Christiansen

E. R. Frosch

W. W. Drews

J. D. Fields

Max Eichler

Henry Harms

A. E. Rethke.

On the second Friday in each month all members are expected to answer the call to practice unless they have valid reason for being absent.

J. S. Hillsman, Jr. Secy.-Treas