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For fear that the wrong impression may have been left with the readers of the Giddings News, I should like to clarify a few things in connection with the School Trustee election held at Paige, April 1, 1950.

I did not in any way contest for a place in the election. After permitting my name to be placed on the ballot I had no part in it after I noticed the beer drinking that was done in campaigning, ending with 5 people having to pay fines for disturbance in a beer drinking place. Considerable money seemed to have been spent by some parties on drinks not only for the men but for some of the ladies. I want it clearly understood that I had no part in such.

I wish to thank those who voted for me. I hold no malice against anyone, but do like to see our school elections and school business conducted on a higher plane.

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