

**The Giddings News**

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**TO THE CITIZENS  
OF THE 65th FLCTORIAL  
DISTRICT OF TEXAS**

When I consented to announce as a candidate for the Democratic nomination as Flctorial Representative of the 65th District of Texas, I did not announce the principles for which I would stand for, if elected. First, I am a native Texan, forty-six years old, born and reared on a farm in Fayette Co. and largely worked myself through Veterinary College at London, Ontario, Canada. I promised to do so at the earliest opportunity and I did so during my 60 days campaign over Lee, Milam and Burleson counties.

Second— If elected, I pledge you my sincere efforts in every movement for the reduction of State, County, and City Governmental expenses. By reduction of salary of all state and county officials from highest to lowest.

Third—Tax Laws must be revised whereby the burden of Taxation will be shifted from our farms and homes of Texas and placed upon property that is now escaping taxation. Approximately 75 per cent of our wealth is not taxed at all. Reducing expenses has been the platform of all candidates for a number of years, but each Legislature for a period of time has been appropriating greater sums than the former one.

The coming session of the Legislature will have an opportunity for Constructive Service. Whether the people get any relief from their Tax burden is going to be determined by the various officers and especially so in your selection of a Representative to the coming session of Legislature. I will consider that the people of my 65th District have sent me to Austin as their Representative. By that I mean that it will be my duty to study the questions which will be presented and to determine the course to be pursued in the light of my own conviction. I shall not consider whether such course as I will follow will be popular or unpopular but whether it will be wise or otherwise. I shall vote according to the conviction thus formed, and be ready, willing and able to explain them or defend them at any time or place.

I want to thank the many friends who have so generously offered me their support and their efforts in my behalf, and I will make it a point to try and see as many of them as possible and thank them in person for their kindness.

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Candidate for Representative,  
65th District of Texas,  
Lee, Milam and Burleson  
Counties