

# STATERS UNION

## CAUCUSES CONCLUDE

Thomson and  
Shoemaker  
Voted Best Cities

Seitz County  
Gets Sturdy?

After a string of earthquakes in Oklahoma, Seitz county resident, Jack Corrigan, proposes seismic bracing for the Cities of Werring and Whorley



Above: Federalist Governor Caucus

Dole County  
Wins Best  
Overall  
County for  
Monday

Capitol  
Conspiracy:  
Source: Boys  
State Capitol  
could move to  
Room 610 in  
Dole County

## Nationalist and Federalist Caucuses Conclude; Candidates Chosen

Chetan Thomas and Josiah Gregory

Last night, the Nationalists and the Federalists met in the Carl R. Ice College of Engineering, and the candidates for the different state positions gave their speeches to their respective parties. After a night full of presentations and speeches, Monday night caucusing has come to a close. Starting out the evening for the Federalists was Commissioner of Insurance, followed by State Treasurer, Attorney General, Secretary of State, and Governor, respectively. A total of 22 speeches were given for that party. Some candidates gave outstanding speeches containing their agendas within the caucus, while others focused on a more humorous approach to their campaign. All campaigners gave a ninety second speech, followed up with a question which they had 30 seconds to answer. The Federalist Party had a recess during their caucus while the IT Team tried to fix their polling system. In the Nationalist caucus, some of the governor candidates gave outstanding speeches, and the vote seemed nearly impossible. The Attorney General caucus was brief with only three candidates running. The State Treasurer was a close race between 4 capable people, and the decision was also tough. The Secretary of State was automatically awarded to the one and only person that ran, Colton Prettyman. The Commissioner of Insurance only had two candidates, one didn't really try, so the other won by a landslide of votes. Overall, the Federalists and Nationalists are happy with the caucuses. The Gubernatorial Debate will take place at 1pm at McCain Auditorium.

## Candidates

### Commissioner of Insurance:

Jasper Kimball (F)

Tej Patel (N)

### Treasurer:

Matthew Newbold (F)

Parker Massey (N)

### Attorney General:

Jarren Rains (F)

Adiel Garcia (N)

### Secretary of State:

Cody Peng (F)

Colton Prettyman (N)

### Governor:

Samuel Houston (F)

Hayden Slough (N)

# Political Parties Meet

*Josiah Gregory*

The two parties, Nationalists and the Federalists, had their obligatory meeting before the big party caucuses. Each side discussed among themselves what they wanted to see out of the state, and what some of their main ideas were. The Federalists talked about less power to the government, and

ways that they could try to fix the big problems. They talked about both real world ideas like a mandatory hygiene law as well as simulation ideas such as building a state-wide highway, and promoting unionization and initiating state-wide minimum wage. The Nationalists wanted to give more power to the government. They wanted to initiate medicare, enforce more public sector jobs and make a more pro fiscal responsibility government.

# Oil Pipeline Break

Due to a pipeline break in the central portion of Kansas Boys State, each city has been required to provide a water sample. Speculation is this will cost each city a total of \$50. There has not been an official press release.

# Debate Today

Today at one o'clock, Staters will march to McCain Auditorium to hear their Governor and Lieutenant Governor candidates face off in the gubernatorial debate. Voting will immediately follow and will take place through the Stater Kiosk.



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## First Rec. Period RAINED OUT

*Grayson Coffield*



Yesterday was the first KSBS recreation time but, unfortunately, Mother Nature had other plans. Due to a brief thunderstorm, all Staters were moved inside of the recreational building and those of whom were not required to do weight training found entertainment in many activities such as Billiards (Pool), Darts, Badminton, Basketball and a Volleyball passing circle. One small group even decided to take their blood pressure for fun to see who had the wackiest of all. Basketball had a couple games of shirts vs skins. Eventually, after a couple hours of fun, some staters ran and others walked back to their counties to clean up after a drenching soak in the rain.