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## Minco City Council Contest Ends in Tie

day at Rush Springs, Alex. Verden. Minco and Tuttle to elect councilmen, city clerk, treasurer and other city officials.

According to Mrs. Thelma Sansbury, county election board secretary, residents in each of the towns took a big interest in local races with voting fairly heavy.

Interest was greater in Rush Springs and Minco as there was a full slate of candidates for all the positions. Also the Council-

City elections were held Tues- man race in Ward 4 in Minco ended in a tie with Joe Davis and C. H. Hunter polling 55 votes each.

Results of elections in each of the towns were:

Verden - City Clerk, Ruth Talkington, 112 and Ada Davis 63; treasurer, Paul M. DeBoard, 175; Councilman Ward 1, Robert D. Lusk, 96 and John C. Hawkins, 65; councilman Ward 2, Fred L. Talkington, no opposition; councilman Ward 3, E. E. Hinkle, no opposition; councilman Ward 4, Kenneth Williams, no opposition. According to W. A. Finley, election secretary, residents cast a total of 175 votes.

Minco - Mayor, Harold E. Smith, 301; City clerk, Dimple Carrell, 215 votes and Aliene Hines, 134; city marshall, Raymond Chandler 236 and Clyde Ingram, 118; city treasurer, William T. Reynolds, 286; street commissioner, Omer Shaw, 261 votes and John Morrisey, 90; councilman Ward 1, J. B. Hines, 79; councilman Ward 2, Shelby E. Holding, 60; councilman Ward 3. Samuel W. Brence, 70; councilman Ward 4, Joe Davis, 55 and C. H. Hunter, 55 for a tie.

Tuttle - Town clerk, H. L. McCracken, 160 votes and Norma Jean Gambill, 74 votes; councilman Ward 1, Roy F. Marlow, 180 and John Overley, 41; councilman Ward 2, H. D. McCrendon, 117; S. H. Gourley, 81 and Joe A. Sparks, 28; councilman Ward 3, J. H. Rich, 117; councilman Ward 4, D. L. Cobble, 147 votes and James R. Welchel Jr., 75.

Rush Springs - Town clerk -H. R. Murray, 308 and Charlie C. Phipps, 240; treasurer, George W. Reid, 574; councilman Ward 1. R. E. Teel, 286 and R. E. Dunn, 272: Councilman Ward 2, Dave Roberts, 286 and Arthur Harris, 262; councilman Ward 3, George Levings 288 and G. S. Spears, 263; councilman Ward 4, Ray Skaggs, 283 and John B. Brown, 264.

Alex - Only one office, councilman of Ward 3 was contested and Arthur Selzer received 76 votes while Joe White received 46. Other offices that were filled without oppositon were: Town clerk, D. E. Baker; treasurer, Homer A. Thompson; councilman Ward 1. Pearl Beardsley; councilman Ward 2, Grady Harris.

## Bradley not mentioned