FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

VS PETITION

The contestant Fanny Collins states, she and contestee John H. Hatcher, were each candidates, opposing each other for the office of County Court Clerk of Floyd County, at the regular election held November 8,1921, for the purpose of electing County and district offices for the ensuing four years term beginning first Monday in January 1922, the contestant being the regularly and duly nominated candidate for said office by the Republican party and the contestee being the regularly and duly nominated candidte for said office by the democratic party; and each of their names w as duly printed upon the offiak election ballots used at said election, the contentant's name being printed on the Republican ticket under the device of that party-the "Log Cabin" and the Contestee's name being printed on the democratic picket under the device of that party the "Rooster" or "Game Cock" in the act of crowing", they were each voted for as such candidates.

Contestant furtherstates that she received a majority of the legal votes cast at said election for said office and was therefore duly and regularly elected to said office; but notwithstanding which, on account of the fraud, irregularities, illegal voting and divers other illegal and unlawful acts and conduct of Contestee and his friends and workers hereinafter set out, the returns of the of-ficers of the election and the canvass thereof by the County Canvassing board showing a majority of 113 votes for Contestee.