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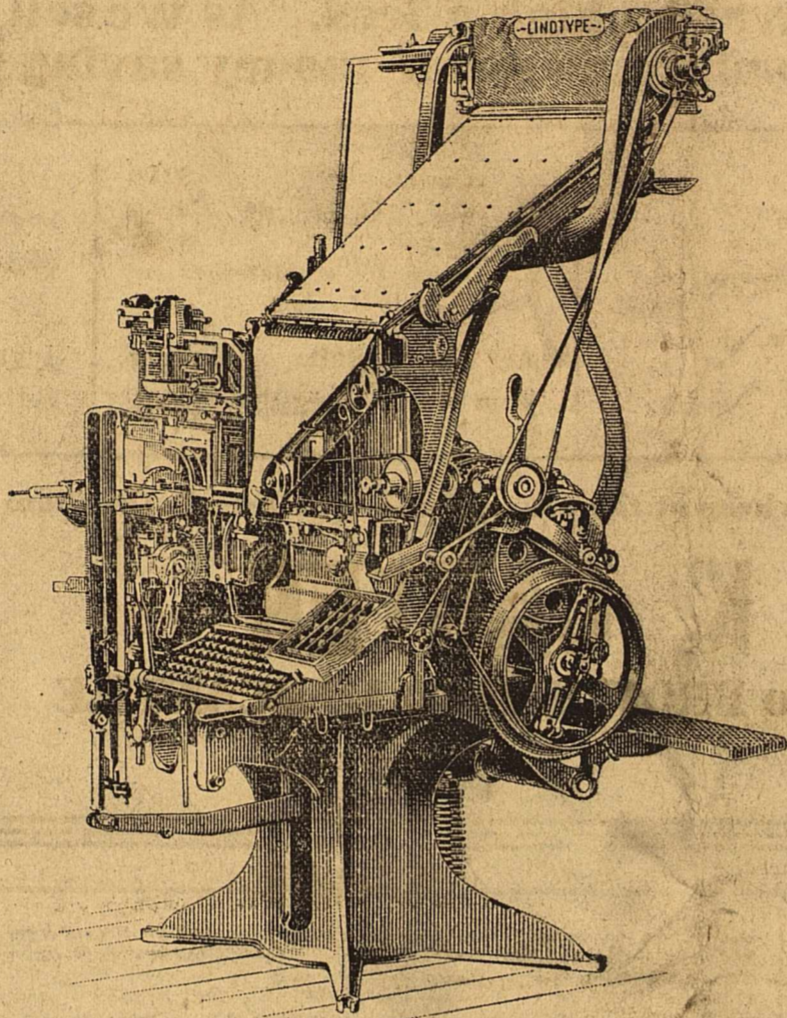
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## FLU WAS KIND TO JACK

If every editor could be as lucky as Jack Stricklin of the Brownfield Herald this influenza would not be dreaded so. It attacked Stricklin and his entire office force, giving them a much needed rest for two or three weeks from the arduous duties of a printing office. Then just to make up for it, the epidemic directed Dr. Stork to leave a baby girl at his place. The neighbors remained away from the home because of the flu and Jack had nobody to parade the baby before. But the intrepid Linotype salesman appeared while Jack was hors de combat account of the flu and went to his home and sold him a machine. Now Jack finds out that the flu gave him three weeks vacation, a new baby at his home and a linotype at his office. Talk about luck. Jack's luckier man than the fellow who bought stock in an oil well that brought in a gusher.—Slatonite.

Mrs. Hood of Plainview, was down between trains Wednesday selling oil stock. That is, she was trying to sell stock, but we believe the people of Brownfield and vicinity are about stocked up on oil, being that no dividends are arriving from any investments we have heard of.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Surginer, of Floydada, were here last week visiting her father and brothers, the Snodgrass families.



The Model L. Linotype Purchased by The Herald. This big machine which weighs 3000 pounds was shipped from New Orleans, La., February 27, by freight, but we have no way of knowing just when it will arrive. Many of our readers are paying in advance to help us pay this big freight, instalation and insurance bills. Won't you help us out. We are not asking for charity, but we want all readers to have a direct interest in this machine.

## EDITOR DOW'S FATHER DEAD

The newspaper fraternity of the south plains will sympathize with Editor Jas. L. Dow, of the Lubbock Avalanche, in the loss of his old father, which occurred at Seminole Texas, last week. The elder Dow was born in Scotland, but immigrated to America when he was a young man, and while not coming to Texas direct, has been a citizen of this state a long time, and has raised his family in the western part of this State, seeming always to want to be foremost among the pioneers.

He is well known all over the western part of this state, and is especially prominent in the work of the Methodist church, of which he has long been a member.

Since the death of his wife several years ago, he has been making his home with his youngest son at Seminole.

NOTICE, Farmers and Stockmen: We are giving away to friends and customers, a farm book. It is full of valuable information, call and get yours. R. H. Kemp Lumber Co.

G. B. Groves, of the U. S. Navy is here this week, visiting his friend, A. M. McBurnett. He was working for Mr. Mack when he enlisted a little over two years ago.

## 1918 RAIN AND SNOW FALL

There was nothing doing in the way of moisture in January, 1918, but in February there was .55 inch; March .00; April .33; May 2.27; June 5.77; July .67; August 2.42; September 1.10; October 1.49; November .28 December 1.80. Making a total rainfall for the year of 17.68 in., and there was enough snowfall to bring the total amount of water that fell in the Government gauge in Brownfield to near the 19 inch mark.

The reason that at least nine-tenths of the county was favored with good crops, was that there was nearly six inches of rain in June, at the very time that crops are usually planted in Terry county, and while there was but little over half an inch in July, it was enough to keep them growing, with our cool nights, till August hit us with nearly two and one half inches, right at the beginning of maturing time.

Lucky old Terry.

FOR LEASE: 1280 acres, one mile by two miles, nine miles north of the town of Lubbock. Good house, well and windmill and 160 acres in cultivation. There is a bargain here for the right party. For particulars write E. M. Powell, 1707 Main Street, Dallas, Texas.

# EXTRA SPECIAL!

One lot of Ladies' and Misses' Shoes, size 2 to 5 at one half regular price.

One lot of Men and Boys Shoes at one-half price.

Don't take the chance of being sick by having cold feet, when you can get good shoes for \$1.00 and up.

Phone us your order for bran, shorts, feed and flour.

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# AFTER THE SALE PRICES AT --CARTER'S--

The Sale is over but not our war on high prices. As we sell for cash, we sell for less. We submit some of our money saving prices:

35c Elberta and Poppy ging hams	29c	ing	65c	value at	\$2 00	less 20 percent.
36 inch Fancy Percales	25c	9-4 Pepperell, Brown	62c	36 inch Crepe de Chine, Special	\$1 75	Ladies Coats, Dresses and Suits reduced 33 1-3 per cent
24 inch Percales	18c	12c grade canvas now	10c	All Woolen Dress Materials reduced 10 per cent.		
30c Bleach Muslin	25c	36 inch Silk Messaline, all colors special	\$1.75	All Men's Suits including blue Serges, regular price		A Shipment of Ladies Georgette Waists; the price \$6.50
35c Bleach Muslin	30c	36 inch Silk Taffeta, all colors, Special	\$1.75			
35c Cambric Muslin	30c	36 inch Georgette crepe,	\$2 25			

Many Shoes on the Bargain Counters that are cheap at the price asked. New French Gingham, the 755 quality now 69c

## K. CARTER

Successor to BROWNEFIELD MERCANTILE

Brownfield

Texas

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS.

#### House Joint Resolution No. 1

A resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Article 16, Section 20 thereof by striking out and repealing said section and substituting in lieu thereof a new Section 20, prohibiting the manufacture, sale, barter or exchange in the State of Texas of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, and providing that the Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section; providing that until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject of the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to certain regulations with reference to the same; providing that this amendment shall be self-operative, and until the Legislature shall provide other or different penalties, the violation of any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed a felony punishable by confinement in the penitentiary for a term of years specified, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence; conferring authority upon the District Courts and judges thereof, under their equity powers, to issue upon suit of the Attorney General injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision; providing that, without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of this State; declaring that the Legislature shall have power to pass any additional prohibitory laws in aid thereof which it may deem advisable; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed constitutional amendment and prescribing certain rules and regulations with reference to the same; declaring that the provisions of the General Election Law shall govern in all respects as to qualification of electors and method of holding the election and in all other respects where applicable; directing proclamation for the election and ballots thereof and method of voting; prescribing certain duties for the Governor of the State; and making an appropriation to carry out this resolution.

#### Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out and repealing Section 20 thereof and substituting in lieu of said Section 20 the following:

SEC. 20. (a) The manufacture, sale, barter or exchange in the State of Texas, of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, are each and all hereby prohibited. The Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section.

(b) Until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject, the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon the prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to the regulations applicable to sales under prescriptions in prohibited territory by virtue of Article 598, Chapter 7, Title 11, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas.

(c) This amendment is self-operative, and until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different penalties, any person, acting for himself or in behalf of another, or in behalf of any partnership, corporation or association of persons, who shall, after the adoption of this amendment, violate any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and shall, upon conviction in a prosecution commenced, carried out and concluded in the manner prescribed by law in cases of felonies, be punished by confinement in the penitentiary for a period of time not less than one year nor more than five years, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence. And the district courts and the judges thereof, under their equity powers, shall have the authority to issue, upon suit of the Attorney General, injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision.

(d) Without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of the State; and the Legislature shall have the power to pass any additional prohibitory laws, or laws in aid thereof, which it may deem advisable.

(e) Liability for violating any liquor laws in force at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall not be affected by this amendment, and all remedies, civil and criminal, for such violations shall be preserved.

SEC. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, being the twenty-fourth day thereof, A. D. 1919. At said election, the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words, "Official Ballot." Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words, "For Prohibition," and the words, "Against Prohibition."

All voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition" by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For Prohibition," by making a mark through the same.

If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Prohibition," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes shall be "Against Prohibition," said amendment shall be lost, and so declared.

All the provisions of the General Election Laws as amended and in force at the time of said election is held shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such election, and all other respects, so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

SEC. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

SEC. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation and election.

GEORGE F. HOWARD,  
Secretary of State.

(A True Copy.)

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION, GIVING THE LEGISLATURE POWER TO GIVE OR LEND, OR AUTHORIZE THE GIVING OR LENDING, OF THE CREDIT OF THE STATE FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASSISTING CITIZENS, HEADS OF FAMILIES, TO ACQUIRE OR IMPROVE THEIR HOMES

House Joint Resolution No. 19.  
To amend Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, to provide that the Legislature shall have power to

give or lend, or authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes; authorizing the State to acquire, improve, sell or lease real estate or assist such citizens to acquire or improve their homes upon terms and conditions prescribed by the Legislature; authorizing the Legislature to create such agencies as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this section; providing that obligations created under this section shall never be taxed; and providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a method of securing any deferred payments for lands purchased hereunder, and that such obligations shall be secured in addition to the usual liens by an annual assessment collected as a tax against the land; and providing that the Legislature shall have no power to relieve any person from any obligation entered into under this provision or any statute enacted thereunder; and providing for the classification of lands acquired under this Act, and limiting acreage sold to any one person where lands are classed as agricultural.

#### Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 50, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will read and hereafter be as follows:

SEC. 50. The Legislature shall have no power to give or to lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State in aid of or to any person, association, or corporation, whether municipal or other, or to pledge the credit of the State in any manner whatsoever, for the payment of the liabilities, present or prospective, of any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation, whatsoever, except that the Legislature shall have the power to give or to lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting native born or naturalized citizens who are heads of families and who will become in good faith actual occupants, to acquire or improve their homes; and for this purpose the State is authorized to acquire, improve, sell or lease real estate or assist such citizens to acquire or improve their homes upon such terms and conditions and in such manner and subject to such limitations as the Legislature may from time to time prescribe. Provided that no land shall be acquired by the State under the terms of this amendment to the Constitution until the said lands are examined, and the value of said lands is appraised and ascertained as to its actual value for agricultural purposes, by a commission hereby authorized, composed of the Governor, Attorney General, Land Commissioner, Comptroller of Public Accounts and the State Treasurer; and their report shall be available to all prospective land purchasers. The Legislature shall have authority to create by law such agencies as may be deemed necessary to effect the purposes of the Act. Obligations created under this section shall never be taxed, and the Legislature shall have authority to provide a method of securing deferred payments for lands purchased hereunder, and in addition to the usual liens may secure the same by an annual assessment collected as a tax against the land; provided, however, the Legislature shall have no power to relieve any person from any obligation entered into with the State under this provision or any statute enacted hereunder. The terms of this Act shall not apply, or be extended to any person who is not a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas and who has not been such citizen at least two years prior to the extension of such aid, nor shall the terms of this Act ever be applied to any lands outside of the State of Texas. Provided further that all land acquired by the State under the provisions of this section for which the State may lend its credit shall be classed as agricultural lands or otherwise, and if class-

sified as agricultural lands, then no more than 200 acres shall be sold to any one person under the provisions herein.

SEC. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at an election to be held throughout the State on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1919, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend or authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend or authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes."

SEC. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

SEC. 4. That the sum of \$5000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

GEORGE F. HOWARD,  
Secretary of State.

(Attest: A true copy.)

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING FOR AND RELATING TO EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

#### Senate Joint Resolution No. 7.

Proposing to amend Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas so that it shall hereafter, in substance, provide that every person, male or female, subject to no constitutional disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States and who shall reside in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; provided electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; declaring that the electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; providing that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she shall offer to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that poll tax has been paid before the first day of February next preceding such election; declaring that if said voter shall have lost or misplaced such tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote, upon making affidavit that such tax receipt has been lost, which affidavit must be in writing and left with the judge of the election. And declaring that all laws now on the statutes relating to qualified voters and governing and regulating elections shall apply to male and female voters alike; and all laws relating to elections shall remain in full force and effect until changed or modified by the Legislature, and declaring that this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting.

#### Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so that hereafter said section shall read as follows, to-wit:

SECTION 2. Every person, male or female,

subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election, and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; provided, that electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she offers to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing such poll tax paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. All laws now on the statutes of this State relating and relating to qualified voters in both primary and general elections shall apply to and govern and regulate both male and female voters, and shall be in effect until such statutes are changed or amended by the Legislature. And this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting without the necessity of further legislation.

SEC. 3. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held for such purpose on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, the same being the twenty-fourth day of said month; at said election, the votes shall be placed on an official ballot which shall have printed, or written, thereon the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters." All voters favoring this proposed constitutional amendment shall erase the words "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters," which said erasures shall be made by making a mark with a pencil, or pen through said words. All ballots cast, as above provided, shall be counted as cast for or against a proposed amendment, and if a majority shall be for the amendment it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes cast shall be against the amendment, said amendment shall be lost. All provisions of the general election laws, as amended and enforced at the time said elections is held, shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such elections, and in all other respects so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

SEC. 4. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such elections and have same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

SEC. 5. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

GEORGE F. HOWARD,  
Secretary of State.

(A True Copy.)

G. W. Chisholm of this place, and W. I. Lovelace of Tokio, are new readers.



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Makes many a House  
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You don't need any permit now to paint, repair or remodel. All the "Fixins" are here, from a can of floor varnish to a shelf for the groceries. We are just as glad to sell a stick or so as we ever were to sell all the lumber for a building. Let us help you "Fix up."

### R. H. Kemp Lumber Co.

Brownfield

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**SEED POTATOES.** Have just received a consignment of the famous Nancy Hall variety of sweet potatoes. Also a select line of seed Irish potatoes. See H. O. Goree for prices.

Will Pierce and family, left for Eastland, Saturday. Will has been employed by the West Texas Gin Co., during the ginning season.

**LOST:** A small poland china gilt. Notify Frank Burnett, City.

Tom Majors, who has been manager of the West Texas Gin plant this season, left this week for Quanah, where he will be checked out.

**FOR SALE:** Nice little office, 12x18 with partition, papered and painted. For particulars see W. W. Ditto.

Sheriff J. C. Keller and Deputy Sheriff Henry Dumas, were over from Plains Saturday.

Messrs. S. P. Odams and J. S. Garrison were in from southwest Terry, Saturday. They received a batch of nice pigs by express.

**MRS. Mathis** will have a nice lot of new spring hats at K. Carter's store Saturday.

Mesdames W. C. Mathis and Boyce Cardwell were Lubbock visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Lindsey, of Meadow, were down last Saturday, shopping. This was the first time the editor has seen these good people in a coon's age.

**FOR TRADE:** Some beans, cheap, for some fat country bacon or lard. Or might buy some bacon if cheap enough. See Tom May at Magnolia Oil Station.

Miss Lissie Winston was in from her school, visiting home folks over Sunday.

John Scudday, Jr., of Lou, was in Saturday, trading, and paid the Herald a short call.

**GEO. ALLEN**  
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O. T. Halley, one of our hustling trustees, showed us the plans of the new Brownfield school building that has been accepted by the board. There are eight rooms up stairs, together with the superintendants room, and the basement is almost entirely taken up with the heating system and a huge auditorium, that will seat in the neighborhood of 900 people. He informed us that building operations would start in a few weeks in order to have it ready for the next term.

**BROWNFIELD LODGE NO. 903**  
A. F. & A. M.  
Meets Saturday night before the full moon in each month in the Masonic Hall  
A. M. Brownfield, W. M.  
J. F. Winston, Secretary

**BROWNFIELD LODGE NO. 590 I. O. O. F.**  
J. R. Lindley, N. G.  
J. C. Green, Secretary  
Meets every Friday night in Odd Fellows Hall

**BROWNFIELD REBEKAH LODGE NO. 329.**  
Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 7.30 p.m.  
Mrs. A. J. Stricklin, N. G.  
Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.

**BROWNFIELD CAMP NO. 1989**  
Boyce Cardwell, C. C.  
J. C. Green, Clerk  
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A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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Brownfield

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## MAIDS AND MATRONS

The Maids and Matrons Club met last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Joe J. McGowan hostess. The attractive living and dining rooms were fragrant with carnations.

After a short business meeting the study of France was taken up with Mrs. Earl Alexander leader. The lesson was greatly enjoyed, each member taking a part. Mrs. Dallas favored the club with a piano solo, giving a beautiful interpretation of the "Raindrops" from a famous French composer.

A delightful salad course was enjoyed.

In spite of inclement weather the following members were present; Mesdames Randal, Stricklin, Bell, Banowsky, Halley, Alexander, Prideaux, Dallas and Zorns and Misses Nancy and Lizzie Dumas, Stephenson and Hickerson.

Miss Dolores Daugherty will be hostess March 17th.

## ABOUT LAND INTEREST PAYMENTS

Mr. J. C. Green,  
County and District Clerk,  
Brownfield, Texas.

Dear Sir:

In reply your query of 12th inst., the legislature has provided that no forfeiture for non-payment of interest due and unpaid for the years 1916, 1917 and 1918 shall be taken before Aug. 1st 1919.

Yours Truly,  
J. T. Robison,  
Commissioner.

MOORE Brothers, Auto top work, auto and sign painting, Lubbock.

Miss Ima Sawyer went to Lubbock this week for a few days visit.

Mrs. Dr. Summit of Plains sent in the cash this week to keep the Herald headed her way.

## PAY AND FILE INCOME TAX BEFORE MAR. 15

U. S. Internal Revenue Bureau Gives Warning That Severe Penalties Will Be Enforced.

## WOMEN WITHIN LAW'S SCOPE; HOW THEY REPORT INCOME

The Income Tax drive comes to a close on Saturday night, March 15.

All payments and returns due on that date under the provisions of the new Revenue Law must be in the hands of local Internal Revenue Collectors before their offices close that night.

The Income Tax is being collected to meet the war expenses. Every person who shouted and tooted his horn on Armistice Day is now called upon to contribute his share of the cost of winning the war.

The laggards and the dodgers will face severe fines and jail sentences. The Internal Revenue Bureau announces that its officers will check us all up to see that every person who comes within the scope of the Income Tax law did his share.

### Where to Pay and File.

Residents of Texas are required to make their returns and pay their taxes to Alexander S. Walker, Collector of Internal Revenue, Austin, Tex., or to deputy collectors who are now doing free advisory work on Income Tax.

Payments sent by mail should be attached to the returns and should be in the form of check, money order or draft. Cash payments by mail are sent at the taxpayer's risk of loss.

If you are unable to make your return personally because of illness, absence or incapacity, an agent or legal representative may make your return.

If there are any doubtful points as to your items of income or allowable deductions, you should get in touch at once with a Revenue officer or a banker for advice.

### Women Pay Tax.

Women are subject to all the requirements of the Income Tax. Whether single or married, a woman's income from all sources must be considered.

If unmarried, or if living apart from her husband, she must make her re-

turn for 1918 if her net income was \$1,000 or over.

If married and living with her husband, her income must be considered with the husband's in determining the liability for a return. Their joint income, less the credits allowed by law, is subject to normal tax. The wife's net income is considered separately in computing any surtax that may be due. Husband and wife file jointly, as a rule. If the husband does not include his wife's income in his return, the wife must file a separate return.

### Severe Penalties.

The new Revenue Law places severe penalties on a person who fails to make return on time, refuses to make return or renders a fraudulent return. For failure to make return and pay tax on time a fine of not more than \$1,000 is named, and 25 per cent of the tax due is added to the assessment. For refusing wilfully to make return, or for making a false or fraudulent return there is a fine of not exceeding \$10,000 and imprisonment of not exceeding one year, or both.

### Farmers' Income Taxable.

Every farmer and ranchman who had a fair or a good year in 1918 must heed the Income Tax this year. He must consider all his income as taxable. He is entitled to deduct from his gross income all amounts expended in carrying on his farm. The cost of farm machinery, farm buildings and improvements cannot be deducted. The cost of live stock, either for resale or for breeding purposes, is also regarded as investment.

### Overtime and Bonuses Taxed.

Salary and wage earners must consider as taxable every item received from employers and from other sources. Bonuses and overtime pay are to be reported, as well as the regular payments.

### Allowances for Losses.

Losses sustained in 1918 and not covered by insurance are deductible items if incurred in the taxpayer's business or trade, in any transaction undertaken for profit, or arising from fire, storm, shipwreck or other casualty, or from theft.

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\* SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERY \*  
\* INCOME TAX PAYER \*  
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\* Washington, D. C. — "The \*  
\* rights of all persons now filing \*  
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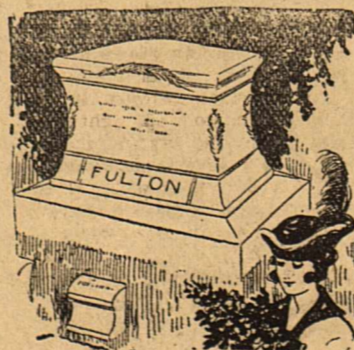
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\* and nature of his net income for \*  
\* 1918, as defined in the law. \*  
\* "Abatement petitions are dealt \*  
\* with open-mindedly. Refunds \*  
\* will be made in every case where \*  
\* too much tax is erroneously col- \*  
\* lected. \*  
\* "The Income Tax is 'on the \*  
\* level' all the way through." \*  
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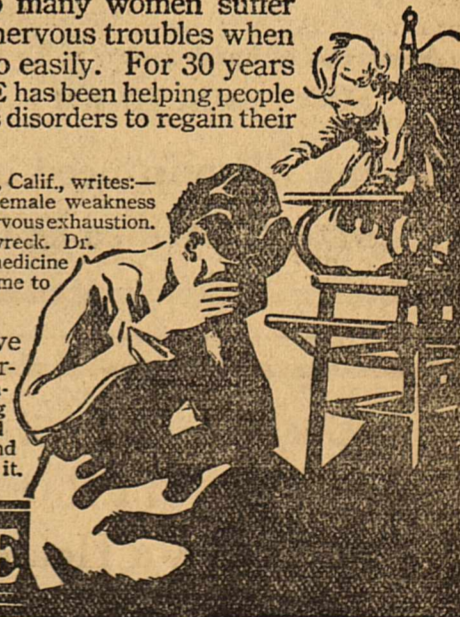
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Miss Mattie Randolph, of Gomez, was over this week, shop-

ping with our merchants. Miss Mattie has recently finished a business course in shorthand and bookkeeping at an Abilene business college.

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### FROM DUDE PYEATT.

Camp Coetquiden, France.  
Dec. 7, 1918.

Miss Jane L. Pyeatt,  
Brownfield, Texas.

Dear Folks:-

Have been intending to write you of my trip for several days but have hardly had time as we have been working pretty hard so will try and tell you of my trip.

We left Camp Bowie on July 15th, and up the M. K. & T. to St. Louis where we were all given a nice entertainment and also a bath by the Y. M. C. A. After staying in St. Louis about four hours we left for Detroit, Michigan, having a very fine time on our way up. From Detroit we went over into Canada to Niagara Falls where we were allowed time to visit the great Falls which were a very interesting sight to me. From there we went to New York where we stayed in camp about ten days, and while there we were given passes in order that we might see the city. I had a very nice time, went out and visited Shorty's folks, and they were certainly nice to me. Also went around in the city which is very interesting to one who has never been there.

We left Camp Mills (N. Y.) on 30th and boarded the ship where we stayed in port until the night of July 31st, when we set sail. Everything was nice until our second day out when I became seasick and believe me it is some sickness. However it only lasted about 2 days. After we were out about two days another convoy met us which made a total of 12 ships in our convoy all loaded with soldiers.

Everything went on smoothly for about five days when we hit a storm and it was certainly some rough, could hardly stand on the boat, but after one night and day we hit smooth water which everyone was glad to see. On our 10th day we were met by 8 submarine destroyers which were to accompany us to France through the war zone. The next day after they met us about 8 o'clock in the morning we sighted a submarine and a battle started which lasted about one hour and those little destroyers were sure on that submarine or the place where it was sighted so we came out o. k. and about four in the afternoon the same day we started another battle which lasted about an hour in which everything came out o. k. and it is reported we destroyed 3 subs. After that we came on through all o. k., and landed at Brest, France, on Aug. 12th, where we stayed about ten days. From there we went to a small place by the name of Avessac where we stayed about 10 days. From there we came to this

camp where we have been since. We have had very much artillery training and believe me the 155 Millimeter (6 in.) guns are sure some guns, and after the armistice we have been here and don't have any idea where we will go but suppose we will come home some day. I am feeling good and having plenty of good eats. Write me real often. As ever your brother, Sgt. Hugh Pyeatt, Bat B 133rd F. A., A. P. O. 711., A. E. F. France.

### MAIDS AND MATRONS

A call meeting of the Maids and Matrons was held at the lovely home of Mrs. Banowsky on Tuesday, Feb. 25th at three o'clock.

This being the first meeting in some time on account of the influenza, several features of business was attended, such as reading the by-laws and constitution, discussion and adoption of same.

It was decided to devote one meeting each to all subjects assigned and that each member be on the program for some special talk, giving a few minutes each, instead of long papers by a few. After a general discussion open to all the business was concluded. Then delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, olives, angel food and chocolate was served by Mrs. Banowsky in her always pleasing way, that makes her such a delightful hostess. The meeting adjourned to meet next with Mrs. McGowan.

Those present were; Mesdames Randal, Green, Powell, Dallas, Alexander, Shelton, Banowsky, Prideaux, McGowan, Bell, Misses Nancy and Lizzie Duma, Stephenson, Treadaway and Merriwether.

### PRESBYTERIAN LADIES AID

On Monday afternoon from three to six, Mrs. Dallas was hostess to the Ladies Aid members and an invited guest of each. It was an informal affair, but very enjoyable, as the mingling of friends and neighbors at this hospitable home was looked upon as a privilege and pleasure as the hostess is gifted with those rare qualities, that makes her a dear friend to all who know her.

Music was furnished throughout the afternoon and the hum of conversation made the time all too short.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Dallas assisted by Miss Gertrude. A delicious salad course, cheese, wafers, saratoga chips and tea, was enjoyed by those present. After which the meeting adjourned, all expressing themselves, as the most delightful occasion they had enjoyed recently.

## EVERYBODY IS NOW FIGURING INCOME TAX

In Order to Be Helpful to Public,  
Internal Revenue Bureau  
Has Every Available  
Officer in Field.

SEVERE PENALTIES IF YOU  
DELAY BEYOND MARCH 15

With the due date for Income Taxes only a few weeks away, the collection of this far-reaching tax on 1918 incomes has started off with a bang. Everybody is figuring income tax.

Payments and sworn statements of income must reach Internal Revenue offices on or before March 15, and there are severe penalties for delinquency.

Residents of Texas are required to make their returns and pay their taxes to Alexander S. Walker, Collector of Internal Revenue, Austin, Tex., or to deputy collectors who are now doing free advisory work on Income Tax.

"Pay your Income Tax by March 15," is the slogan of the Internal Revenue Bureau, which has sent every available officer into the field to help the public to understand the requirements and to prepare the returns.

Who Must Make Return.  
It is estimated that many thousands of single and married persons in this section of the United States who have never before made annual returns are required to do so this year.

Income tax returns must be made between now and March 15 by persons who come under the following classifications:  
Any unmarried person whose 1918 net income was \$1,000 or over. Widows and widowers, divorcees and married persons who are living apart from their husbands or wives, are for the purposes of the Income Tax classed as unmarried.

Any married person living with wife or husband whose 1918 net income was \$2,000 or over. The income of both husband and wife must be considered, together with the earnings of minor children, if any.

Revenue Bureau Offers Aid.  
Each person in the United States who is in either of these classifications must get busy at once if penalties are to be avoided. He should secure a blank Form 1040 A for reporting net income up to \$5,000, or Form 1040 if his net income exceeded that amount. Forms are being distributed by Collectors and their Deputies, also by banks. By following the instructions on the forms a correct return can be prepared at home. If a person needs advice or aid, the Deputy Collectors in the field will furnish this without charge.

The new Revenue law places the Income Tax duty on citizens and residents. The Internal Revenue Bureau is sending its men to work right with the public to get the tax and the returns in. With active co-operation, every tax due March 15 will be paid and every return required by law will be in the Revenue offices on time.

Exemptions Allowed.  
A single person is allowed a personal exemption of \$1,000. If he is supporting in his household relatives who are dependent upon him, he may claim the status of the head of a family who has the same exemption as if married.  
A married person, who lives with wife or husband, is allowed a personal exemption of \$2,000. The head of a family is entitled to claim a similar personal exemption.

An additional exemption of \$200 is allowed for each person under eighteen or incapable of self support, who was dependent upon and received his chief support from the taxpayer.

A husband and wife living together are entitled to but one personal exemption of \$2,000. If they make separate returns, the exemption may be

claimed by either or divided.

Accuracy Required.

Absolute accuracy is necessary in making up income figures. Any person who is working for wages should find out exactly how much he received during the whole year 1918. Fees, bank interest, bond interest, dividends, rents received, and all other items must be reported correctly. Mere guesses are not accepted, for they are unjust alike to the taxpayer and the Government, and defeat the proper administration of the law.

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★ INCOME TAX IS ★  
★ TRULY POPULAR. ★  
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### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11.

A resolution to amend Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as follows: Strike out the words "Four Thousands," found in the third line of Section 5, and insert in lieu thereof the words "Ten Thousands," and adding after the word "furniture" the words, "and this clause shall be self-enacting," and making an appropriation to pay necessary expenses hereof.

Be it Resolved, by the Legislature of the State of Texas:  
SECTION 1. That Section No. 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as hereafter to read as follows:  
SECTION 5. ARTICLE IV. GOVERNOR'S SALARY AND MANSION.—He shall at stated times receive as compensation for his services an annual salary of ten thousand dollars, and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture, and this clause shall be self-enacting.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May A. D. 1919 the same being the 24th day of May A. D. 1919 and the Governor of this State is hereby directed to make the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same duly published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the general election laws of the State and the official ballot shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the words, "OFFICIAL BALLOT," and also the words, "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas."

All voters favoring such amendment shall erase, by making a mark through the words "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and all voters opposing such amendment shall erase by making a mark through the words "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas." If a majority of votes cast shall be "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes cast shall be "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be lost and shall be so declared.

Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary to cover the necessary expenses attached to the proclamation and publication of this amendment, and the Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation and cause the same to be duly published.  
GEORGE F. HOWARD,  
Secretary of State.  
(A True Copy.) (350)

### FRIENDLY CRITICISM

Feb. 24th, 1919  
Editor Terry County Herald,  
Brownfield, Texas.  
Dear Sir:-  
As a man interested in Terry

County I am interested in everything that means for progress in the county, and such being the case I wish to say that I am pleased to note that your business is such that you feel warranted in putting in your office an up to date Linotype Machine.

It is with pleasure that I get the Herald and read it each week although I'm not acquainted with many of your citizens. May I offer one suggestion to you: and that suggestion count as coming from one who is off the ground and who is best able to appreciate the paper and also able to see the best there is in it.

I refer to news notes that take on the effect of interviews held by the editor with the farmers and ranchmen in which it may be stated that So and So from SO many acres of land made so much corn or so much maize or so much this or that. This falls into the hands of people sometimes far from home and as they see it they become interested in the country and may bring much good in way of citizenship to us. I would suggest each week some news story of some interview with some man from the country as to what progress he is making.

I feel that what my man, Mr. Hogue, out 14 miles southwest of town did last year on bran new land and a late start is well to represent what kind of a country we have and what can be done in Terry county.

I am so well pleased with what he did that I kept him, raised his wages and am having him put in for this years crop 160 acres of Terry county good soil. He writes me that he has more than enough corn and feed of other kinds to run the place and that cows, hogs and children are doing well.

I note that in many sections they are importing good Holstein cattle. I think that our citizens in Terry could make no mistake to do the same thing and if they decide to do so I hope that your committee will let me know as I would be glad to be in on the deal.

Commending your spirit of progress I will say that I hope at no distant day to be able to be out of the army and with my family and that we will spend some of our time with you.

Respt.,  
L. C. G. Buchanan, Captain M. C., Austin, Texas.

Nearly everybody can run a better paper than the editors, and of course the editor thinks he could give the doctor a few pointers on how to conduct his business, but anyway, an open, frank and friendly criticism is appreciated in this office. That shows conclusively that they are taking an interest in the home paper. Good for you Doctor!



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FOR SALE: A five passenger Ford Car, \$50.00 extra equipment, car is in first class mechanical condition, will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at the Herald office.

P. A. Smith, of Chaves, N. M. has been employed by Jim Jackson to help out with the blacksmith work, during the rush season.

J. F. Cook of Lelia Lake, Tex., was here this week looking after his land interests. He is a new reader of the Herald in order to keep posted about the doings in old Terry.

FOR TRADE: Some beans, cheap, for some fat country bacon or lard. Or might buy some bacon if cheap enough. See Tom May at Magnolia Oil Station.

Dogie Patterson, another old timer of Terry, was up this week from Seagraves, and called in to have us order the Daily and Sunday Star-Telegram for him. Dogie says they are having a good school at Seagraves.

UNTIL the supply is exhausted, will sell good brooms at 70c. A. B. Bynum.

Mrs. J. E. Woodard, one of the early settlers of Terry County, who is now living at Blythe, was up this week shopping, and while here rejoined the Herald family as one of its readers. Mrs. Woodard and her husband, who passed away at Mineral Wells, Texas, about two years ago, came here when there were but few people, but what there were, were good ones.

LOST, on 28th inst., a good Navajo saddle blanket, between school building and my place. Finder will please return to me and receive \$1 reward. A. B. Bynum.

G. T. Wirtz of this postoffice, and Will Winn, of Gomez, remembered the Herald this week. They wanted to help out in paying for the Linotype machine.

Among our recent new readers, are, A. T. Fowler, J. B. Hill, of Brownfield, County Clerk, W. H. Hague, of Yoakum county and T. W. Smith of Ft. Worth.

C. K. Johnson has ordered his Herald sent to Tokio.

K. Carter, of Lubbock, who has been down the past week looking after his mercantile business here, left Tuesday for home.

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## JOB WORK

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Save now and later be able to buy that "something" you have always longed for.

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 BROWNFIELD TEXAS

**THIS TELLS HOW TO FIGURE INCOME TAX**  
 Squarely Up to Every Individual to Get Busy by March 15 or Suffer Penalty.

"Don't wait until the final due date, March 15th, for paying your Income Tax and making your return. Avoid the last minute rush. Any person can figure out his liability today as well as he can next week, and if there is any point on which he needs advice he can now get in touch with a Revenue man."

This word of advice is from Alexander S. Walker, Collector of Internal Revenue, Austin, who is collecting the Income Tax in Texas. Collector Walker is giving without charge every aid of his office and his enlarged field force to help the people get their payments and their returns in by March 15th.

But the Income Tax men will not pull your door-bell or your coat-tails, according to the Collector's announcement. It is squarely up to every individual to figure out his own case and to get busy if he comes within the scope of the new Revenue law.

**Did You Earn This Much?**  
 Every unmarried person who received income averaging \$70.25 a week during 1918 and every married couple who jointly received income averaging \$135.50 a week should secure at once from the nearest Deputy Collector or the nearest bank a blank Form 1040 A. That form contains the information he will need to enable him to figure his correct net income and any tax that he owes the Government.

The law requires that every unmarried person who had a net income of \$1,000 or over and every married person whose net income was \$2,000 or over (including the income of husband or wife, and the earnings of minor children, if any) must make a return on or before March 15th. And this requirement does not hinge on whether the person owes a tax.

**Taxable Income.**  
 An individual must include under gross income all gains, profits and income derived from salaries, wages, or compensation for personal service of whatever kind and in whatever form paid, or from professions, vocations, business, sales or dealings in property of all kinds, interest, rent, dividends, or profits derived from any source whatever. Very few items of income are exempt.

Deductions include ordinary and necessary business expenses, interest paid or accrued on indebtedness, taxes of all kinds except Federal income and excess profits taxes and assessments for local benefits, losses actually sustained, debts ascertained to be worthless, and depreciation on buildings, machinery, fixtures, etc., used in business. A further deduction is allowed for contributions to corporations operated for religious, charitable, scientific or educational purposes or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals to an amount not exceeding 15 per cent of the taxpayer's net income as computed without the benefit of the contribution deduction.

The taxpayer is not allowed to deduct any personal, living or family expense, any amount spent for improving property, or any expense of restoring property or making good its exhaustion for which an allowance is claimed under depreciation.

**Figuring the Tax.**  
 Before figuring the normal tax the dividends are deducted as credits from net income, together with the personal exemption. As in previous years, dividends of domestic corporations are exempt from normal tax when received by the stockholder.

The normal tax rates for citizens and residents are as follows: On the first \$4,000 of net income in excess of the credits the rate is 6 per cent; on any further taxable income the rate is 12 per cent.

The surtax rates apply to net income of each individual in excess of \$5,000. The personal exemption and the dividends are not deductible before computing surtax. In the case of returns by husband and wife, the net income of each is considered separately in computing any surtax that may be due. Form 1040 should be used for making returns of net income exceeding \$5,000, and the instructions on that form will show how to figure the surtax.

**Business House Returns.**  
 Employers and others who paid wages, salaries, rents, interest or similar determinable gains in an amount of \$1,000 or over during 1918 to any person must file an information return with the Government. Blanks may be secured from the Collector.

Every partnership must file a return showing its income and deductions and the name and address of each partner, with his share of the profits or losses during the past year. Personal service corporations will file similar information for 1918.

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 \* INCOME TAX PAYS \*  
 \* FOR PUBLIC BENEFITS. \*  
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 \* truest sense, the payment of \*  
 \* taxes is payment for benefits \*  
 \* received or expected. Only from \*  
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 \* self the evasion of tax liability \*  
 \* as a desirable course of action." \*  
 \* —Daniel C. Roper, Commission- \*  
 \* er of Internal Revenue. \*  
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**"A SPLENDID TONIC"**  
 Says Hixson Lady Who, On Doctor's Advice, Took Cardui And Is Now Well.

Hixson, Tenn.—"About 10 years ago I was..." says Mrs. J. B. Gadd, of this place. "I suffered with a pain in my left side, could not sleep at night with this pain, always in the left side..."

My doctor told me to use Cardui. I took one bottle, which helped me and after my baby came, I was stronger and better, but the pain was still there.

I at first let it go, but began to get weak and in a run-down condition, so I decided to try some more Cardui, which I did.

This last Cardui which I took made me much better, in fact, cured me. It has been a number of years, still I have no return of this trouble.

I feel it was Cardui that cured me, and I recommend it as a splendid female tonic.

Don't allow yourself to become weak and run-down from womanly troubles. Take Cardui. It should surely help you, as it has so many thousands of other women in the past 40 years. Headache, backache, sideache, nervousness, sleeplessness, tired-out feeling, are all signs of womanly trouble. Other women get relief by taking Cardui. Why not you? All druggists. NC-132

Cashier R. M. Kendrick, of the First State Bank of Plains, was over this week figuring with our lumber men, but we failed to learn what he aims to build.

Mrs. John Raymer, of the L7 ranch near Meadow, was down last week visiting her brother, Milton Goode and family. Mrs. Goode returned home with her.

**FRANGES EMMA SEITZ**  
 Wife of A. P. Seitz, born in Catawba county, N. C., March 4 1864, died Feb. 11, 1919, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Thomas, of Bowie, interment made in the Bowie cemetery last Thursday.

She lived a faithful, constant, Christian life, and was a member of the Baptist church of this place, a devoted mother, a faithful wife.

We join in condolence for her husband and nine children, who survive to mourn their loss.—Lubbock Avalanche.

These good people were old residents of Terry county, having settled before organization, two miles north of Gomez. They were highly esteemed, and all old Terryites will regret to read this sad notice.

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Mrs. W. R. Bridges has been visiting relatives at Gomez. We are glad to learn that she is again able to be out.



To expect to pay a high price for talc perfumed with an odor that cost thousands of dollars to produce would be natural. But to be able to obtain such a superb perfume at a low price is a delightful surprise. This surprise awaits you in the Talc perfumed with Jonteel—the New Odor of Twenty-six Flowers.

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BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

### TREASURERS QUARTERLY REPORT

Commissioners Court, Terry County, Texas, in regular quarterly session.

In the matter of County Finances in the hands of Dora Daugherty, Treasurer of Terry County, Texas.

We, the undersigned, as County Commissioners within and for said Terry County, and the Hon. W. W. Price, County Judge of said Terry County, Constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 13th day of February, A. D. 1919, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of Dora Daugherty, Treasurer of Terry County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 1st day of November, 1918, and ending on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1919, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Terry County, approving same.

#### JURY FUND

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurers report on the 1st day of Nov. 1918, overdrawn	967.08	
To amount received since said date	00.00	
By amount disbursed since said date		7.68
By amount to balance	974.76	
<b>Total</b>	<b>974.76</b>	<b>974.76</b>

#### ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st day of Nov. 1918, overdrawn	4,381.49	
To amount received since said date	108.00	
By amount disbursed since said date		108.53
By amount to balance	4,382.02	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,490.02</b>	<b>4,490.02</b>

#### GENERAL FUND

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 1st day of Nov. 1918.	5,019.24	
To amount received since said date	15,041.61	

By amount disbursed since said date	2,314.04	
By amount to balance	17,746.81	
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,060.85</b>	<b>20,060.85</b>

#### RECAPITULATION

Amount overdrawn, Jury Fund on this day	974.76	
Amt. overdrawn, Road and Bridge fund, this day	4,382.02	
Balance to credit of General Fund on this day	17,746.81	

Total cash belonging to Terry County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us	\$12,390.03	
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Witness our hands, officially, this 13th day of February, A. D. 1919.

W. W. Price,  
County Judge  
D. S. Cunningham  
Commissioner Precinct No. 1.  
H. H. Timmons  
Commissioner Precinct No. 2.  
W. D. Winn  
Commissioner Precinct No. 3.  
E. E. Simms  
Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of February, A. D. 1919.

J. C. Green  
County Clerk, Terry County, Texas

The continued serial now running at the Liberty Theatre, is attracting considerable interest with the theatre goers. Mr. Williams is now talking of getting another serial, and show three nights per week; Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights.

Rich Bennett, proprietor of

the Sanitary Barber Shop, had the Herald continued to his father at Roaring Springs.

Mrs. J. C. Green and daughter, Mrs. Bill Savage and baby, left yesterday for Oklahoma City, where Mrs. Savage will receive treatment from a specialist.

Mrs. W. H. Dallas and baby, were passengers to Lubbock, yesterday, where the latter is undergoing treatment.

Will Black, of Gomez, left this week for Stephens county to visit relatives and look after his oil interests.

A. W. Endersen, of the Holgate Endersen Hardware Co., left yesterday for a few days visit to his old home at Strawn, and will also visit Ft. Worth.

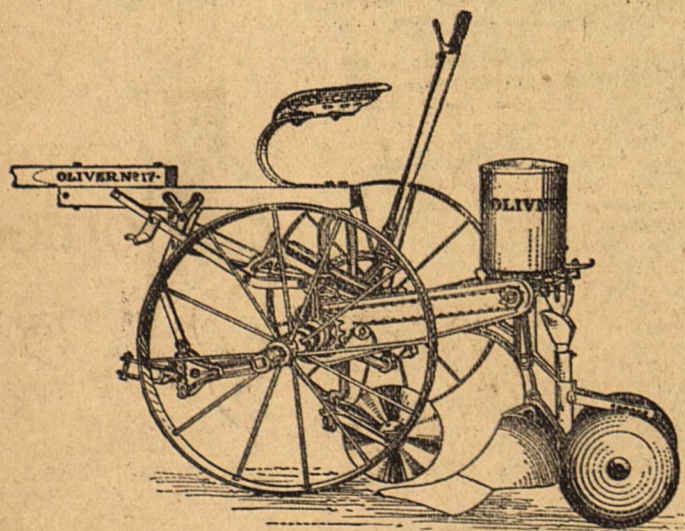
Mrs. Fred Scudday and baby, were passengers to Lubbock, yesterday, where they will visit Mrs. Percy Spencer.

DID you know that John Hall is agent for three of the best Tailoring Companies in Chicago? And did you know that he has had fifteen years experience in this line of business? He needs your business and you need his clothes. Call and see him.

Buster Allmon and wife of Floyd County, were here last week visiting his sister, Mrs. Walter Gracey. Mrs. Gracey and baby returned home with them for a visit.

FOR TRADE: Some beans, cheap, for some fat country bacon or lard. Or might buy some bacon if cheap enough. See Tom May at Magnolia Oil Station.

## IMPLEMENTS



We have received a car of Oliver Listers, Cultivators and Go-Devils. See them at our store, and let us show you the merits of the Oliver Tools.

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