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T. J. O'Donnell.

Our next Representative, T. J. O'Donnell, returned Monday from a speaking tour, in which he made Big Spring, Snyder, Sweetwater and other places. At Snyder Mr. O'Donnell had the pleasure of dividing his time with one of his opponents, a Mr. Judkins of Odessa, and judging from the pleased expression on his face when telling us of same, we are sure that Mr. O'Donnell was well pleased with the outcome of the speaking.

Mr. O'Donnell, to begin with was the strongest man in the race and today he is forging ahead of his opponents as a passenger train does a hand-car, and on the 23rd of July, when the votes have been cast and counted, the 101st District will have polled one of the nicest majority votes for the best qualified man in the race for Representative, and that man will be T. J. O'Donnell, of Tahoka Texas.—Tahoka Informer.

ant Governor of Texas. The sentinel has not joined in on this for several reason the main one being that we have considered it entirely unnecessary. We see no reason in the world why Gaines county, and all west Texas as for that matter, should not vote almost solidly for Mr. Hawkins. Of course it would be natural for him to have a few enemies in his home country, but any man who does his whole duty will have enemies. The probabilities are Mr. Hawkins has as few enemies in his home country as either of the other candidates, and then some.

In the first place Mr. Hawkins has a clean record before him, and there is no question of a doubt but what he has ample ability to fill the office to which he aspires. These two reasons together with the fact that he is a western man should be enough to cause the voters of this country to rally to his support as a man.

As to the other candidates for the office we know but very little

strikes a community it means the rapid rise in land values and a fat reaping for the real estate man. Farmers who have been prosperous and conservative in their former homes join the rush to help sell lands to newcomers, and the inevitable result of attempting to conduct a real-estate office in the city and a farm from three to ten miles from town, is the neglect of one or both. The faith of some of the newcomers to the West in the productive showers of the semi-arid lands is marvelous. By merely scratching the soil before planting crops and by employing farming methods that would put to shame the most slovenly farmer on the rich lands of the corn belt, remunerative returns are expected from land which the pioneers of the West have maintained for years is fit for nothing but grazing.

In dry farming, as in all other lines of business the ultimate outcome will involve the selective process by which only those fitted

greeting to Arkansas and Louisiana, her left to Old Mexico and to New her feet laved by the waters of the gulf, whence comes our summer breezes, laden with perfume of jasmine flower and of magnolia, stands the Lone Star State, within herself an empire.

"What is our State's best asset?" This question was asked the Executive Board of our State Federation. The answers were varied, indeed. "It is the child the acknowledged foundation of society, the chief motive power in economic effort." Again, "It is our womanhood, or more specifically, the mothers. Who can measure the influence of woman, or fathom the depths of a mother's love?" And yet again, "It is our citizenship, upon which depends the quality of our homes, our State, our Nation."

And then, diversely, "It is our soil and its products," or, "Our vast natural resources."

But our best asset is not any of these; rather, it is that impelling power found within or behind

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North Side of Square

While Mr. O'Donnell has not made a personal canvas of Terry county, it is safe to say that he is far in the lead of his opponents, and unless something unforeseen happens to mar his splendid reputation, on July 23d, Terry county will make him her nominee by a large majority.

He is running on one of those safe and sane platforms that means something to our common country, and that insures a square deal to every citizen. The very fact that he has been instrumental in railroad developments to West Texas, alone, recommends him to the public as a man of deeds as well as words. It is a well known fact that the end of his labor for the up-building of his beloved country is not near in sight, and his natural talent and far reaching influence will bring to pass great things for our part of the country. Every line and sentence of his faultless platform pulsates with "Let Texas Grow."

A. S. Hawkins.

A good many of the West Texas newspapers are putting up a strong fight for Honorable A. S. Hawkins, candidate for Lieuten-

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Dry-Farming in the West.

Whenever the dry-farm boom

occupants and tillers of the soil. In some of the older dry-farming regions, as those east of Denver, Colorado, and in the valleys of Washington and Oregon, the stage of exploitation is already past and the farming operation, are now upon a permanent basis.—E. J. Ildings, in July Pacific Monthly.

What is our States Best Asset.

"What is your State's best asset?" The President of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Philip N. Moore, asked each State President to reply to this question in a two minutes' speech on "State President's Evening" at the recent biennial, this answer to be epigrammatic or witty, if possible the speaker to bring with her the flag of her State, or some worthy emblem placed upon a flag.

Mrs. S. J. Wright, President of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, gave the following reply:

With fair hair blowing over the plains of the Panhandle, Texas calls across the boundary line to Oklahoma: "You are indeed brave and sturdy, little sister!" With right hand extended in

each and all of them—brain-force.

When God created man in His image, He made him a casket fit to hold the greater force within. Bereft of this, the child, the mother, the would-be holder of citizenship, becomes a burden to the State, an incubus upon society, a blight upon the home.

What of our State? These would possess no utilitarian value without intellect, which tells of demand and supply.

The State's best asset, the n is that power which makes most blades of grass grow where but one has grown before. These results depend upon individual and united efforts directed by brain-force. Down in grand old Texas we feel that in times of peace we must prove ourselves in every way worthy of those old heroes who immortalized the Alamo and Goliad, giving us the victory of Lan Jacinto, which is symbolized in this—the flag of the Republic of Texas.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR THE
DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY
July 1910

FOR GOVERNOR
R. V. Davidson
O. B. Colquitt

FOR LIEU, GOVERNOR
A. S. Hawkins

FOR REPRESENTATIVE 101st DIST.
T. J. O'Donnell

FOR DIST. ATTY. 64th JUD. DIST.
Ruben M. Ellerd
L. C. Penry

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
Geo. W. Neill
J. T. Gainer
J. J. Adams

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
Percy Spencer.

FOR COUNTY CLERK
T. J. Price
A. K. Huckleberry
D. J. Broughton

FOR SHERIFF and TAX-COLLECTOR
Geo. E. Tiernan
S. A. Shepherd

FOR TAX-ASSESSOR
M. S. Dumas
J. R. Burnett
H. L. Ware
Thomas DeShazo

FOR TREASURER
A. B. Bynum
H. T. Brooks

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 1
E. L. Duke

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 2
R. E. Burnett.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 4
W. H. Black

Brownfield Picnic.

About 9 o'clock, July 2nd, the good people of Brownfield and adjoining country, began to gather in the Court House yard to have a good old time, old fashion picnic, and when dinner was announced, it was clearly demonstrated like every other similar occasion the writer has attended on the Plains country, when the good ladies decide for a good time and a good dinner of good

grub, they never do things by halves. It is putting it mild indeed to say that everyone seemed to have a good time as far as edibles of the best quality is concerned. There was enough to feed twice the number.

After dinner there was speaking by the candidates and the remainder of the day was spent socially eating ice cream, drinking lemonade, soda pop, etc, which the ladies had arranged for the occasion.

About 4 p. m. amusements for the young people began, and first on docket was the egg races then the sack races for the boys, and last but not least the "Baro" races.

If the writer is capable of judging, it was an enjoyable day, despite the warm weather. Neighbors let us come together more often and learn to know each other.

Best wishes, long life and prosperity for the Herald.
Contributed.

Ball Game.

We notice that Contributor failed to mention the ball game, so we will just add that after the "Baro" races the crowd repaired to the ball ground and an interesting but one sided game of ball was played between the Brownfield School Kids and Gomez. The Gomez team was outclassed at every point by the young sprouts and after the fifth ending a picked team from the Brownfield 1st team and Gomez, consolidated to wipe the kids from the faces of the diamonds, but found very soon that they were no match for the youngsters.

If the boys composing the school team is kept together two more years, and have moderate training, at the end of that time they will be able to make it very interesting for any team on the Plains.

The Editor Gets Married

This is the first time we have ever had the rare pleasure of chronicling our own marriage, in fact we have no faint recollection of ever having worked in double harness before, at any rate we have tried hard to make the bride believe that way. The marriage was a month premature as it was noded to be pulled off in August, but as the parents of the bride were fixing to put about 50 miles of mother earth between us and our to-be-better-half, hasty arrangements were made and the binding knot tied with dispatch.

Before some nervous reader fires in to bemoaning us for our absentminded, we will tell who "she" was before slaughter.

Her name was Miss Tixie Holden, and was and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Holden, and was dressed to kill, and the groom—that's us—had on some right respectable clothes. Of course the bride is beautiful and accomplished and a peach and all that sort of things, while the groom—us still—is one of the grub-staked business men of this town which he get for issuing the Herald.

The knot was tied by Rev. V. H. Trammell, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, in a short but impressive ceremony.

The Herald joins the shiverer boys in hearty congratulations, and by way of a reminder will say that now is the time to subscribe.

Many Nice Presents

The Editor and Mrs. Stricklin wish to thank their friends for the many useful presents presented them. The following is a list of donors and what they gave:

Mrs. Geo. E. Tiernan, two pair lace window curtains.

May & Wood, a nice linen table cover.

Brownfield Hardware Co., a fruit stand and set of tumblers.

Clard Davis and Hossie Smith, a nice dinner set.

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Official Statement

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the Brownfield State Bank at Brownfield, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June 1910 published in the TERRY COUNTY HERALD, a newspaper printed and published at Brownfield, State of Texas, on the 9th day of July 1910.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$43,648.21
Loans, real estate	18,557.99
Overdrafts	2,794.68
Real estate (banking house)	2,685.42
Furniture and fixtures	625.51
Due from approved reserve agents	34,356.19
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	1,306.07
Currency	4,779.00
Specie	1,854.23
Other resources as follows: Int. in depositors guaranty fund	431.41
TOTAL	111,038.67
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000.00
Undivided profits, net	4,515.78
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	14.86
Individual deposits, subject to check	71,329.71
Time certificates of deposit	2,000.00
Demand certificates of deposit	1,546.16
Cashier's checks	1,623.66
Other liabilities as follows: Cert. checks	9.50
TOTAL	111,038.67

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Terry—We, M. V. Brownfield as president, and Will Alf Bell, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief
M. V. Brownfield, President
Will Alf Bell, Cashier
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 8th day of July, 1910.
W. R. Spencer, Notary Public
A. M. Brownfield
W. J. A. Parker } Directors
Will Alf Bell

CORRECT—ATTEST

J. R. Hill, a bowl and pitcher.
Judge W. N. Copeland, a set of high grade table cutlery
Mrs. W. R. Spencer, a nice butter dish.
Dr. J. W. Ellis, a good pair of bed springs.

House Party.

Miss Effie Brownfield is hostess this week at her father's beautiful ranch home, 6 miles southeast of Brownfield to a number of her friends at a house party.

The personal of her guests are as follows:

Misses Orell and Mattie Harris, and Irene Copeland, of Brownfield, Miss Vernon Lively and Mrs. R. E. Sexton, of Marshall Texas, and Miss Bessie Jarrot of the Abernathy ranch; Percy Spencer, Doc Powell and Will Ed Harris of Brownfield, and Dr. J. H. Gambrell, of Dallas.

Resolutions of Respect

To our brother who was invited into the Brownfield Lodge, No. 903 A. F. & A. M. Sept. 9th 1905 and died Sept. 30th, 1909 at Stiles, Texas.

Whereas God in his wisdom has seen fit to take from our midst our friend and brother, P. H. Mason, and whereas, our hearts are sad at the loss and we do mourn his departure, and whereas the lodge has lost a loyal and faithful member; we a true and tried brother, his wife a faithful companion; and whereas we grieve with her for loss of him and would console her in this sad hour, and whereas we cherish the memory of our departed brother; Now therefore be it Resolved by Brownfield Lodge No. 903 A. F. & A. M., that we tender to his grief stricken wife our heartfelt sympathy in this trial and that we point her to Him who was a man of sorrow and acquainted with grief, and who is nigh unto them with a broken heart.

That a copy of these resolutions be sent his wife; and one be published in the Terry County Herald; and one be spread upon the minutes of our order.

Done by order of the Lodge July 8th 1910
V. H. Trammell }
Geo. E. Tiernan } Committee
Jack Bryan

Chas. Copeland Otis Copeland
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Local and Personals

About things that have occurred, will occur, or is likely to occur

Mr. Wood, the grocery man, spent the 4th in Lubbock.

C. A. Cheney spent a few days in Lubbock the first of the week.

Percy Spencer had legal business in Lubbock Saturday.

Notice May & Wood's rhyming at this week.

Arthur Alexander returned from a business trip to Plainview and other points Thursday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams last night, a bouncing boy.

Arch McPhaul was in from the northwestern part of county, this week on business.

Scott May of Lubbock, is visiting his father J. T. May, our popular merchant.

Rev C.E. Jammerson and wife, passed through Saturday on their way back from George town.

Charley Walker passed through town Saturday going to Oklahoma City.

E. E. Stephens of Big Springs, is here lecturing the Royal Arch Masons.

L. F. Tucker has returned this week from a trip to the Angelo country.

W. T. Dixon now of Marfa, was shaking hands in Brownfield this week.

Mrs. Richard Sexton of Marshall is here visiting her father, Mr. W. R. Harris.

Free delivery of good to any part of the City. May & Wood Phone 14.

Mrs. H. H. Longbreak is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Mathis, of Lubbock, this week.

Noah Bell and Dad Ellis are spending the week in Brownfield, the guest of J. R. Hill.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Belcher, of Yoakum county, a big girl last week.

Milton Robinson, of Yoakum county is in Brownfield on business this week.

Judge W. Holmes and Mr. M. L. Cash of Yoakum, spent several days in Brownfield this week.

Miss Basile Jarrott is the guest of the Misses Harris and Miss Brownfield.

Dr. and Mrs. Lively and daughter Miss Vernon of Marshall here with Mrs. Will Alf Bell their daughter and sister.

Mrs. W. A. Daniels, of Shreveport, La, came in on the line car yesterday afternoon to visit her aunt Mrs. F. J. Price,

Will Dixon delivered about 50 head of cattle to Dad Ellis this week, and received a handsome price for them.

Call up Phone 14 when you want something good to eat. We have it.

May & Wood,

The bungalow on Lovers Lane has been about completed. This is one of the swellest little cottages in town.

J. C. Scudday, and son Walter, returned Wednesday from San Angelo, where they had been to carry Sam Walker's wool.

The fight fans of Brownfield had a bulletin on the fistie counter and received the unwelcome news soon after Jeff lost out.

Jno. S. Powell and family, have moved to their town house to spend the summer. We are glad to have them back in our society and Sunday school.

Give Martin & Holland at Lubbock your grocery trade if you trade at Lubbock, and we will personally guarantee you will be treated nice.

Dr. Hal Gamble, of Dallas, is spending a few day with Judge and Mrs. W. R. Spencer and renewing old acquaintances in Brownfield.

We learn that Albert Arnett, one of Terry County's old timers died at El Paso a short time ago. He has many friends in this country who will be pained to learn of this.

Mrs. J. T. May, and little daughter Kathrine accompanied by Mrs. W. W. Royalty to her home in Lubbock this week. They will spend all the week in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanna gave the young folks a party Wednesday night. There was a nice little crowd present and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves fine.

J. F. Holden and family left this week for Lamesa, where he will engage in the market and grocery business. We wish him well in his new location.

Dr. Scarbrough, of Snyder, has sold a splendid half section of land in the Groves Chapel neighborhood to a Mr. McBurnett, also of Snyder. Consideration \$9.50 per acre.

Elder German, of Lockney, will begin a series of meetings in Brownfield the 3rd Sunday in July, under the auspices of the Church of Christ. Everybody come out and hear him.

J. W. Cope, a prominent ranchman of Yoakum county, and little son John Jr, of Missouri, who is spending the summer with his father, were in Brownfield this week. Mr. Cope reports a good rain in his immediate vicinity.

Thomas C. Tripp, with the Amarillo National Life Insurance Co., of Amarillo Texas, and an old acquaintances of the editor, is spending the week in Brownfield rustling business for that new but booming company.

District Attorney L. C. Parry, and his wife and baby arrived in Brownfield yesterday afternoon. They were not only looking after voters, but were sight seeing and pleasure-seeking as well.

J. E. Bryant and son Billie, came in yesterday afternoon to attend the Odd Fellows Lodge; Mr. Bryant to take the 2nd and Billie the initiatory degree. They report things in a flourishing condition in their community.

G. W. Wilkins, one of our best friends, and one of the most substantial farmers in the county, got kicked in the face by a mule last week. We are pained to learn of this accident, and hope he will have a swift recovery.

While playing near a window last week, one of W. D. Winn's children fell into the window and completely severed one of its fingers. This is indeed an unfortunate occurrence and we hope the little one will speedily recover.

Christian Meeting at Gomez

Elder James German of Lockney of the Church of Christ, will begin a series of meetings at Gomez, Friday Aug. 12th. He is a good logical reasoner and everybody is invited to hear him. Remember the date.

Phone System Improvement

C. W. Alexander and a crew of workmen have spent almost two weeks recently in rebuilding the Brownfield exchange and we are glad to say the system is in much better order. There is some cross talk yet, but when the ground is thoroughly wet that will be almost eliminated.

Special 60 DAYS Bargain

During the months of July and August, in order to increase our circulation, we are going to let our friends send the Herald to their friends and relatives for only

75 CENTS

Mr. Alexander came in with a new switch board Wednesday afternoon which will be installed in a few days and will be installed in a few days and will make our local system among the best on the Plains.

We are glad to see Mr. Alexander spending time and money on his Brownfield property. It not only shows that he has confidence in our future, but also shows he wants to give us the best service possible.

are bound to succeed.

Among the improvements of a substantial nature, are three large lumber yards, and many handsome residences and other thing to numerous to mention.

We left Monday at 1 p. m. on the train for Lubbock and while we found business dull just at this time we have the promise of a long business this fall. The Tahoka and Lubbock countries have been blessed with splendid rains lately and the goose hangs high.

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The Editor Visits Tahoka

Last Sunday, in company with Jim Cummings, line man for the Staked Plains Telephone Co., we made a journey to the coming city of Tahoka in the phone wagon. While the road was long and sandy and the sun beamed down unmercifully, still we enjoyed the trip mighty well.

We did not expect to do business with the Tahoka people as they do not enjoy local freight rates yet, but on this initiatory acquaintance trip, we had great encouragement to come back later as they aimed to make an effort for our trade regardless of expenses.

Tahoka is made up of whole-souled, hospitable people, that

SHERIFF SALE

The State of Texas, } In District Court, Comanche County, Texas. Otto Ridgeway vs. L. C. Gleaton et al.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Comanche County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the twentieth day of May, A. D. 1910, in favor of the said Otto Ridgeway and against A. C. Coker and C. E. Lytle for the sum of Thirty Five Hundred and Nine and no—100 Dollars, with interest thereon from the 20th day of May, A. D. 1910 at 10 per cent per annum and all cost of suit, numbered 2919 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1910 at four o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Terry, State of Texas, to-wit: Being all of section No. 4, in Block K, awarded by the State to Jno. W. Moore containing 640 acres of land, and being the same land for which W. T. Dixon made bond for title to D. H. Cunningham, Jr. and T. W. Dunlap on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1909, which bond for title is recorded in Vol. 7, deed records of Terry County, Texas, page 518.

And on the second day of August, A. D. 1910, the same being the first Tuesday in said Month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on said day, at the court house of said county, I will offer for sale and sell of the said A. C. Coker and C. E. Lytle in and to said property, and the interests of C. W. Lusk, J. B. Weems, D. P. Pinkard and L. C. Gleaton and all persons claiming under them in and to said property.

Geo. E. Tiernan, Sheriff, Terry County, Texas.

Professional Cards.

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Kings' Allowances

The German Emperor desires the Prussian Diet to increase his income by half a million dollars. None of that income is derived from the imperial revenues. As King of Prussia he receives the revenues of certain properties that the royal family turned over to the state. The amount has varied with varying seasons, and has been as high as four million dollars. Last year it was \$3,800,000.

The German imperial family has been curtailing its expenses for a year or two, and the Kaiser wishes to sell some of his fifty or more residences, including the palace at Corfu, which he bought from the estate of the late Aus-

trian empress. The living expenses of kings as well as other people has been increasing.

The British Parliament has not yet fixed the income of King George, but will soon do so. The British kings, as well as the kings of Prussia and the rulers of practically all of the European countries, have turned over to the state ancient royal domains, the revenues from which are paid into the public treasury. In return the state guarantee to royal families a certain income. In the case of King Edward, the total amount was 2,350,000 dollars, of which \$550,000 was for his private personal expenses. The salaries of all the household attendants and the cost of maintaining his residences were covered by

separate appropriations. In addition to the total civil list, as the payments to the king are called, annuities amounting to more than half a million dollars are paid to members of the royal family.

The cost of maintaining the Emperor of Austria is a million and a half more than the British pay to their king. The French president receives a hundred and twenty thousand dollars, with an additional hundred and twenty thousand for expenses.

The pay of kings may seem large, but as it is chiefly the revenues derived from old royal family estates, the burden on the taxpayers is not so heavy as it might seem to be.—Youth's Companion.

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The Crack Between.

"Quick!" whispered Nixie, a sort of new edition, revised and enlarged, of "Alice in Wonderland." "We're going to find the Crack between Yesterday and Tomorrow, and then—slip through it. You see, Yesterday really begins just after Midnight, and Tomorrow meet at midnight for a single second, before flying off to their new places. But the world is old and worn. There's a tiny Crack between Yesterday and Tomorrow; and if we're very quick we can find the Crack and slip through. Once inside, there's no Time, of course; and Anything may happen and Everything come true."

With this nugget of wisdom to help us, we may guess some more of the subtle relationships of human experience. There's a "Crack," too, between the Thing-we-do and the Thing-we-long-to-do. If we take the exact instant,—between the sixth and seventh stroke of midnight,—we may leap the chasm and find ourselves in the land of We-live-happily-ever-after.

Then there is another Crack between us and our Really-truly-neighbor. That Crack has a tendency to widen dangerously in cold, damp weather. But if we watch for a bright, sunny

day, we may be able to slip across and make ourselves at home in the Neighbor's livingroom. A guest who brings a beam of sunshine and a whiff of fresh air is pretty sure to be welcome by even the most curlish Neighbor.

It is a good plan to keep one's eyes open for Cracks. One may slip into one and step over another, and thus assist at the accomplishment of that millennial state which some of us call the solidarity of the race and others characterize more simply as the Paradise of the future.—Youth's Companion.

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Authorizing the Establishment of a Home for Wives and Widows of Confederate Soldiers and Sailors

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 7.

Joint Resolution to amend Section 51 of Article 3, of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, so as to authorize the grant of aid in the establishment and maintenance of a home for the disabled and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors and such women as aided the Confederacy, and making an appropriation. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3. Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, associations or individual, associations or corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1880, and who are either over sixty years of age or whose disability is the proximate result of actual service in the Confederate army for a period of at least three months; their widows in indigent circumstances who have never remarried and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since March 1, 1880, and who were married to such soldiers or sailors anterior to March 1, 1880; provided, said aid shall not exceed eight dollars per month, and provided further, that no appropriations shall ever be made for the purpose hereinbefore specified in excess of five hundred thousand dollars for any one year. And also grant aid to the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law; provided, the grant to aid said home shall not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for any one year, and no inmate of said homes shall be entitled to any other aid from the State; the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home; and provided further that the provisions of this Section shall not be construed to prevent the grant of aid in case of public calamity.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the regular election of State officers, in November, 1910. The sum of \$5,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this Resolution,

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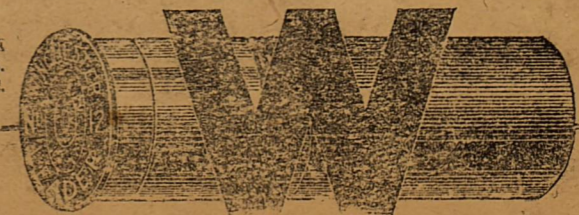
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