

# The Terry County Herald

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#### Ropes

By Cricket

Mr. Ardis will move to the Station next week and began to get things shaped up for taking charge of the mail. He is contemplating putting in a stock of groceries real soon. He will all so have charge of the telephone service here.

The depot is about finished, they have it covered and are almost ready for the painters. There is some finishing work on the inside yet to do.

Lense Price sold eight head of mules to Brownfield parties last week.

Edgar Timmons and Wallace Blankenship visited home Saturday and Sunday.

Lense Price has out one bale of cotton and will make one more bale.

Solen Cowan bought a span of young mules from Mr. Carson last week.

Bill Timmons passed here a few days ago with his family moving to N. M., where he will reside in the future.

Hershel Timmons and A. W. Blankenship started after their bunch in New Mexico Monday, and will bring them back to be wintered here. They said cake would cost \$56.00 per ton.

Hope Timmons and T. M. Ellington have just returned from Okla. where they went to look after their cattle. While there they sold them.

Lee Cowan left for Dinmitt Texas, Friday. He will either sell or ship his cattle before he returns.

#### John Franklin Stricklin

Many times in our editorial career have we been saddened when called upon to chronicle the departure of our dear friends, but ah! how much more so, when called upon to tell our readers of the departure of our own flesh and blood.

But the heart broken parents of this little jewel thanks God that his little sunbeams we allowed to linger in our home even for just a little while, as it will make our ties on Heaven just that much stronger.

John Franklin was born in the early hours of October 20, 1916 and fell asleep in Jesus at 9:38, October 27th, 1917, lacking only a few hours of being one year and eight days old.

He had one of the best dispositions, as any one who knew him can tell you, there seeming to be absolutely no selfishness or guile in his little heart. When larger children took his play things, it did not exhaust his patience and cause him to cry. He merely smiled or looked astonished at their rudeness, and crawled off in search of another amusement. You may call it superstition if you want to, but his mother has contended almost from his birth that we would never raise him, although he was an unusually healthy child, saying "he is too good for this old sinful world."

He contracted dysentery, that most deadly of infantile maladies, while visiting at the home of his uncle, J. T. Stricklin at Meadow about Oct. 8th, his mother, uncle and aunt thinking he had a simple case of diarrhea, and physiced him according the family physician's advice over the phone, but when he was brought home Oct. 10th, the day that disease forever clouded his sunny smile, the doctor after a thorough examination, announced that it was a fight to the finish with chances favoring a lost battle. During this near three weeks of nerve racking torture, the little patient hardly whimpered, and only showed his misery by throwing his arms and wagging his little head. He was so strong physically, that his pulse was good and last Thursday and Friday he seemed better and hope was high for his recovery, but a hemorrhage set up Friday afternoon which meant the beginning of the end, and despite all that physician, nurse and kind neighbors could do, his pulse gradually weakened, and his little soul went back to that kind Gallilean who said: "Suffer little children and forbid them not, to come unto me, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven," and he went peacefully, with only a few wee sighs that seemed to be of relief.

At 3 p. m., Sunday afternoon at the Church of Christ, Rev. J. M. Fryar said kind and comforting words to the bereaved and words of admonition to the unprepared. The little white casket was then opened and hundreds of friends took their last look at the mortal remains of little John Franklin. With a prayer and a song, his little body was layed tenderly to rest in the Odd Fellow Cemetery at 5 o'clock p. m.

Sleep on little son and brother sleep on, till the resurrection morn, It is with such jewels as thee, Jesus the portals of heaven adorn. To our faithful family physician, to Miss Elsie Durham, of Post

City, that most faithful and kind nurse, to the half sore or more of devoted neighbors who helped us to the end, to those who offered flowers and wreaths or kind words or deeds, you have our sincere thanks, and may God bless you. It is such things as these that make the world kin.

#### FOOD PLEDGE CARD WEEK—OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 4

Any woman who has not had a Food Pledge card presented to her for signature is asked to cut out the form below, fill out in full and mail it to **William F. St. John**, County Chairman, Brownfield, Texas.

#### PLEDGE CARD FOR U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION

If you have already signed, pass this on to a friend.

To the Food Administrator:

I am glad to join you in the service of food conservation for our Nation, and I hereby accept membership in the United States Food Administration, pledging myself to carry out the directions and advice of the Food Administrator in my home, insofar as my circumstances will permit.

Name .....

City .....

State .....

There are no fees or dues to be paid. The Food Administration wishes to have as members all of those actually handling food in the home.

Anyone may have the home Card of Instruction, but only those signing pledges are entitled to Membership Window Card, which will be delivered upon receipt of the signed pledge.

#### Terry Subscribes \$10,000 To Liberty Loan.

While the above did not represent our quota, it was a good showing considering the crop and range condition in our country. Only \$2600 had been subscribed up to Saturday morning, and the rest secured the last day.

Mr. Halley said he called people up till bed time Saturday night to push the matter along. Most all took from \$50 to \$100, though M. V. and Ray Brownfield each took \$1000, and the

bank took \$900.

The little pop corn boy we wrote about last week took a \$50 bond.

While old Terry is a little short on cash on account of bad crop year, she is long on patriotism.

**WATCHES:** Largest assortment, greatest value, best prices; 61 to select from. \$1.25 to \$34.50. Come and see. **J. L. Randal.**

Lence Price was here from the Primrose country last week. He says he will gather two bales of cotton and make plenty feed despite the fact that he didn't even have decent showers.

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5 gallons of good oil for 75c at Barrier Bros.

J. V. Newsom, a former Terryite, now living at Killeen, Texas, is here looking after his property interests.

FOR Sale or trade, a Buick Ames 1 1/2 ton capacity truck at a bargain; will take in a Ford.

We noticed our old friends C. F. Timm and son, Harry on the streets one day this week. These former Terryites now live in New Mexico.

NOTICE. The Graves and Flache pastures have been posted according to law, and all hunters and trespassers will be vigorously prosecuted. R. L. Graves.

Judge Spencer reports little doing in the District Court of Yoakum County. Just met and adjourned. No bills of indictment returned.

L. C. SMITH No. 2. typewriter, full tabulating attachment, in perfect condition; at a bargain. See O. T. Halley at bank.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid report forty dollars proceeds from their trip around the world last Friday night, the proceeds of which will be applied to their lots. Now, turn out to the Methodist entertainment and help those good ladies paint their church.

Mr. Triplett says that the Federal Bank appraiser will be here in a short time to look over the second lot of applications for farm loans with the association had best do so at once. Mr. Triplett, says that owing to the Federal Land Bank and its auxiliary associations being thoroughly organized at the time he expects application for Loans to be handled with a great deal more dispatch than in the past.

See us for NIGGERHEAD COAL, we will have several cars within few days. CICERO SMITH LB. CO.

This town was full of Methodist preachers over Sunday. They were Revs. Cole, pastor of the Seminole church, A. L. Hughes, of Andrews, and J. B. McReynolds of Seminole, who has been out of Conference about two years, but will join again this year. The two latter were former pastors here and were busy shaking hands with old friends while here. All hands, together with Rev. J. M. Fryar, left Monday morning for Memphis for the annual Northwest Texas Conference. Bro. Fryar will have a good report to make, as he collected all of his salary, and we think very near all of the Conference money. This speaks well of his charges.

NOTICE: We are informed by Chas. Triplett, Sec'y Treasurer for the Brownfield Farm Loan Association, that the Federal Land Bank of this district has approved Loans in Terry & Yoakum Counties to the amount of \$49,500.00.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Greathouse, a 10 lb. girl, on the 1st. inst.

NOTICE: The editor has been to very heavy expense lately on account of sickness, and is needing badly every dollar that is due him in order to meet pressing accounts. If you owe us any thing, wont you please come in and settle as soon as possible. Your promptness in the matter will be highly appreciated.

Lovington, N. M. had a serious fire last week that destroyed every building on the south side of the square. Brownfield may have just such a fire some day. Now is the time to prepare for adequate fire protection.

NOTICE! Beginning next Monday, I will divide the town into three divisions, will deliver to all west of railroad at 8 o'clock South of Small St. at 9:40 and North of Small St. rest of morning. Each division will get two deliveries per day South of Small St. will get first delivery Tuesday and North of Small St. Wed. and so on.

W. R. Bridges, Deliveryman.

A little joke is going around on Postmaster W. C. Smith. You see he and W. G. Hardin are both candidates for the Brownfield office, and as the examination was held in Lubbock last Friday and Smith had a car, he invited his friend Hardin to go with him. Cecil Jr. and Oscar Adams occupied the front seat and Messrs Smith and Hardin the back. The car was moping along at a twenty mile clip, and before the driver could stop, he was right upon an old road. Mr. Hardin and Oscar being taken unaware, were thrown out of the car; the latter being only slightly shaken up, but the former stunned pretty bad, the back of his head having hit the hard ground. Well they are teasing Mr. Smith like he was trying to rid himself of an opponent, but both parties take the joke too well for it to be very funny.

I am now putting Buick cars in stock at Brownfield, and will be glad to demonstrate the newest. R. H. Banowsky, Local Agent.

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**WAR TALKS**  
By UNCLE DAN  
Number One

America Must Fight Hard or Germany May Win—Necessity for Military Training.

"New, Billie," said his mother, "your Uncle Dan is coming tomorrow to spend a week with us on the farm, and if you want to know about the war here's your opportunity. Uncle Dan is probably one of the best-informed men in the country." Billie clapped his hands and gave such a whoop that he awakened the baby, but what could you expect of a fifteen-year-old boy who is a living interrogation point and wants to know about war?

Uncle Dan arrived in due time and Billie watched for an opportunity. It came that evening after dinner when Uncle Dan had lighted a cigar and taken a seat on the porch.

"I'm mighty glad you came, Uncle Dan. I want to talk to you about the war. We have just put military training in our township high school, but we had a hard time to do it. The Joneses and the Greggs objected. They said the war wouldn't come over here. Grandma Jones said: 'They ain't no use to worrit, it will soon blow over.' Well, we put the training in just the same. You orter heard Judge Brownell, the president of the school board,

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do the slackers up. He said unless we take off our coats and go to it, Germany may yet win, and if she does, she will take over the great British fleet as a war trophy and compel us to do what ever she wants to; that she could make us pay all the cost of the war; the kaiser could tax us as he pleased and that we couldn't help ourselves. He could make every one pay over a part of what he earns; that he could make the farmers pay rent for their own farms, etc. Now, Uncle, what do you think of that?"

"Well, my boy," said Uncle Dan, "all that Judge Brownell says might easily come true and may unless we go quickly to the aid of the allies with large numbers of men and help them break the German line. Unless we can beat the submarines, they may prevent us from getting enough food to the allies to keep them going. In that case Germany would win. As matters stand today, our greatest need is trained men. If we had had several millions of men with military training in our industries and on our farms when the war came, who could have been called at once for service, I do not believe the kaiser would have forced the war upon us. As it was, he had no respect for us, and now we are in it and must go through with it. But never again must we be caught so wholly unprepared.

"There is only one safe way," said Uncle Dan, "and that is to adopt permanently universal military training, apply it to every young man who is physically fit, say in his nineteenth or twentieth year. The training can be carried forward in the United States training camps that are now being established for training men called by the selective draft. As soon as these men vacate these stations, they should be filled by younger men, and this should be made the permanent policy of the country."

Billie's mother, Mrs. Graham, had overheard the conversation. She came out and said: "Really, Brother Dan, are you serious as to the dangers of our country? If it is as bad as that, it is high time for us to wake up and do something about it."

"Exactly," replied Uncle Dan. "It is better to wake up now than to be rudely awakened later. We may as well understand, sister, that this is our war and we must win it or God help America. Everything that we have or hope to have—our liberties, our blessings, our opportunities are all involved in the great issue before us. Nothing must stand between us and winning this war. It is a question whether the peoples' right or the kaiser's might shall dominate the world. If there ever was a holy war, this is it. We are fighting for world liberty. We are fighting for the freedom of humanity. We are fighting for the right of men to govern themselves instead of being governed against their will by a war-mad overlord. Perilous times are ahead of us. We must be prepared to make any sacrifice, to perform any service that may be required of us."

"Oh, Uncle Dan," exclaimed Billie, "may I bring my chum, Jimmie Collins, when we have our next talk? He is a bug on this war business and just crazy to see you."

"Certainly," said Uncle Dan, with a hearty laugh. "If we are to have more talks, I shall be glad to have Jimmie join us."

Billie clapped his hands and ran to the phone and told Jimmie to be over at seven o'clock the next evening.

**Implements and Wagons**

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**J. L. RANDAL**

Brownfield Texas

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PHONE 121

Jack Drinkard left this week for Miami, Arizona, where he will likely accept a position a guard for a mine at that place. He is leaving his family here and says he will return some day when conditions get better here, as he would rather live here than any place he has ever tried. We hope him much success in his new home.

See us for **NIGGERHEAD COAL**, we will have several cars within few days.  
**CICERO SMITH LB. CO.**

District Court met here Monday morning, with Judge W. R. Spencer, presiding, and District Attorney G. E. Lockhart, in attendance. The Grand Jury was organized that morning and put to work. The petit jury was called for Tuesday morning, but as there was no work for them they were dismissed till next Monday. Among the out of town lawyers who attended court, were Messrs. Schenck, Bean and Spencer, all of Lubbock. A full court report will be given next week.

**STRAYED**, a blue horse mule, branded open "A" on left jaw, two years old, strayed from T. J. Price's pasture 6 miles north of town. Notify T. J. Price.

The Cicero Smith Lumber Co., have recently installed a large platform scale that is capable of weighing both wagon and team, as they are putting in a large stock of coal. The general manager, Fred Smith, informed us that he would begin the erection of a five room residence 32x38 with full length gallery, in the near future, on his lots in the east part of town. Let the good work go on.

We went by the depot one day this week and inquired of Agent Shields if we had any freight, and he said he guessed so, as there seemed to be freight for everybody from here to Lovington, N. M., and that we surely ought to have some, and sure enough we did. It sure seems good to call for one's freight at home.

Bring your eggs to the Santa Fe Cafe and get 60c per dozen.

The Spooks, or at least some of them, pranked too much here Wednesday night. They put the baggage trucks across the main track, and when the work train going through to Seagrave hit it before day yesterday, the truck was not only wrecked, but a box car was thrown clear off the right-of-way and will cost the company much money to re-rail. Fun is fun alright, but when thoughtless boys endanger life and property, it is due time to call a halt, and we understand the Santa Fe has offered a substantial reward for the perpetrators.

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Meets Saturday night before the full moon in each month in the Masonic Hall  
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J. F. Winston, Secretary

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J. C. Green, N. G.  
A. J. Stricklin, Secretary  
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Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.

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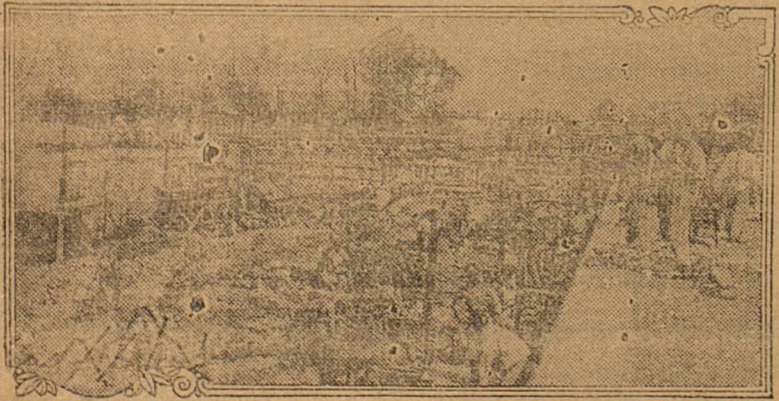
Make our store your headquarters when in Lubbock, whether you buy or not. We will be glad to see you.

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## FRENCH INDUSTRY IS RECOVERING

Our Great Ally Possesses Recuperative Powers Which Justify Belief That She Will Meet and Solve Triumphant the Problems Which Confront Her After the War.

With Paris boulevards echoing with



SOLDIERS IN THE VERDUN SECTOR REPAIRING A RUINED CANAL.

"lives" for American troops our interest in the welfare of our ally vastly increases, and the facts are not lacking to encourage the belief that she is already on the road to recovery from the blow of invasion by a ruthless enemy.

One of the most important developments is the announcement that one of the largest banking institutions

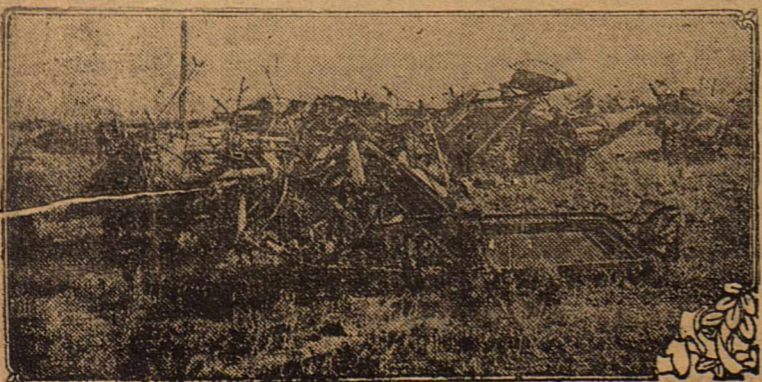
in America concerned with foreign trade, the Guaranty Trust company of New York, has opened a Paris branch to handle the rapidly increasing volume of French business.

This action may surprise many persons who had thought of France as bowed under a calamitous invasion. The bank, however, gives figures indicating that France is not only meeting her military and civilian problems with a stout heart and never failing courage, but is re-establishing her export business with this country.

In 1914, the year of the outbreak of the war, imports from France to this country totaled \$141,446,252. This total was reduced to \$77,158,740 in 1915, but last year the value of French im-

ports to the United States rose to \$102,077,060.

"A nation that can achieve such a commercial recovery while her territory is being ravished by the invader," says the Trust company's statement, "possesses recuperative powers which justify the belief that she will emerge from the present conflict prepared to meet and solve triumphantly the prob-



IN THEIR RETIREMENT FROM OCCUPIED TERRITORY THE GERMAN ARMY DESTROYED MILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY.

lems which confront her."

The commercial and industrial record of France, following past wars, indicates that she should recover quickly from the actual physical destruction inflicted in the present conflict. The reconstruction of railroads, the erection of factories to replace those destroyed, and the replacement of the mechanism of industrial activity that will be required and that is in part already planned, offer a peculiarly inviting field to American capital and enterprise. Tentative steps have already been taken by representatives of American engineers and business men in this work.

Aside from its attractive business aspect, the enlistment of American money and effort in the great task of reconstruction that will remain at the end of the war will tend to cement still more closely the ties that bind the two great republics together, and will enable Americans to discharge in part the debt they owe to France for her friendly interest in the welfare and progress of the United States from the beginning of its life as a nation.

In judging the industrial status of any nation, its production and consumption of coal, iron, and steel and the growth of its transportation systems are highly significant factors.

In 1869, French industries consumed 21 million tons of coal, of which 13.5 millions were taken from home mines. In 1912, the consumption was 61 millions, of which 41 million tons were taken from home mines.

In 1869, the French output of cast iron was 1,390,000 tons, and of steel, 1,060,000 tons. In 1914, France produced 5,311,000 tons of cast iron and 4,635,000 tons of steel.

The increasing activity of her railway system is similarly demonstrable. In 1869, there were in France 10,743 miles of railway track; in 1912, there were 31,546 miles.

Between 1869 and 1912, inland navigation increased 150 per cent; while the traffic of her mercantile marine has amazingly expanded. The tonnage entering French ports in 1869 is set down as 11,000,000 tons. In 1912 this had been increased to 53,000,000 tons.

Leaders in American finance ascribe this solidarity of the French republic to three influences; first, a thoroughly sound banking system, centralized in one of the greatest banking institutions of the world, the Bank of France; second, the ingrained thrift and frugality of the French people as a whole, together with a national economic vigor not elsewhere surpassed; third, wise supervision, and patriotic co-operation by the government with banking and business interests.

The government does its part to warrant and retain the confidence of the holders of its securities. One of its wise policies is to impose new taxes to defray the interest charges on new security issues. It began this practice after the Franco-Prussian war, and is today following the same rule in regard to securities issued to finance the present conflict. This continuity of purpose, doubtless, will prove reassuring to all holders of French government securities.

The Franco-Prussian war of 1870-1871 taught the French people the meaning of thrift and economy. So well did they learn this lesson, that the whole sum of the indemnity demanded by Germany, \$1,000,000,000, was raised within the republic's confines by its own inhabitants and paid off more than one year before the time stipulated by the Germans.

The habit thus acquired has never been forgotten by the French, and today the aggregate number of investors purchasing the French war loans has reached the amazing total of 4,500,000 individual subscribers. Perhaps no other country, in proportion to its population, can make so good a showing.

France is particularly fortunate in that her small investors prefer "safe" investments rather than offerings which promise high returns. Government rents, in France are perpetual, and this characteristic seems to obtain for these government bonds increasing favor in the eyes of the French people.

The points of sympathy between France and America are too many to enumerate, but the spirit of liberty and its resultant democracy are, today as always, the major ideals of both nations. Seeking no victories but those of peace, no territory except their own, no sovereignty except sovereignty over themselves—the independence and equal rights of the weakest member of the family of nations are to the people of the United States and of France entitled to as much respect as those of the mightiest empire. In defense of these principles, France is engaged in a death struggle with militant autocracy and ruthless aggression, and it is not surprising to learn that she has loaned to her allies and to other friendly states 7,000,000,000 francs with which to further the cause of democracy. It is in keeping with America's traditions that since the date on which we formally aligned ourselves with France and her allies in the great struggle, our government has lent to France \$370,000,000.

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## BETTER BOOTS

There are several kinds of boots. I make one kind: **BETTER BOOTS.** When your home shop gives you as good service and better boots, patronize home industry. Come in and let us take your measure for a new pair, or let me repair the old ones.

FRANK MARTIN Brownfield Texas

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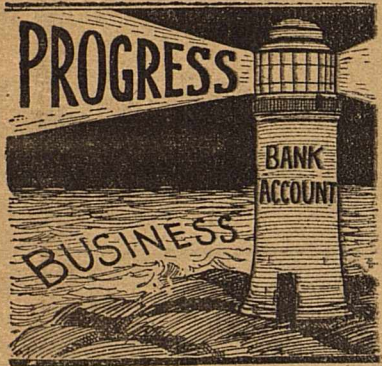
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It is eminently fitting that America should now be fighting on French soil to make the world safe for democracy. The liberty that America has enjoyed for 140 years France helped her to achieve. The swords of Lafayette and Rochambeau, aided by the guns of De Grasse upon the high seas, assisted in cutting the foreign ties that bound the American colonies prior to the War for Independence, and from the private purse of King Louis himself came the first loan to America—unsecured and unconditional—to finance that historic undertaking. It was with entire justice that Washington wrote to Rochambeau, "To the generous aid of your nation and to the bravery of its sons is to be ascribed in a very great degree that independence for which we have fought."

### Will Soon Leave For

Front.

Jefferson Bks., Mo., 10 28.  
To the Editor of Brownfield Paper.

Dear Sir:  
I thought I would take the pleasure of writing to you to let you know that I haven't forgotten my friends back home. I am now stationed at Jefferson Bks. Mo., but will leave Tuesday the 30th for foreign service in the Phillipine Islands. You do not know or even realize how proud I feel to know that I am with Uncle Sam and will soon be to the front, and I guess I am the first to go from Brownfield and I want you to publish that I am in the army and not a slacker, and I will be glad to hear from anyone from home at any time and would also like to have one of your papers.

Best wishes to all at home.

Respectfully,

John W. Stephens,  
Jefferson Bks., Mo.  
Co. 18th.

P. S. I don't know what my address will be but my mail will be forwarded from here to me. Tell Mrs. Miller you heard from me.

### Soldier Insurance

One of the uses which is proposed to devote part of the proceeds of Liberty Loan Bonds is to afford to our soldiers and sailors life and indemnity insurance and to provide for allowances to their dependent families while they are in the ranks. On this point Secretary McAdoo of the Treasury, whose plan of insurance for our fighting men was endorsed by President Wilson and is now embodied in a law pending before Congress says:

"Every soldier and sailor who serves his country in this war will earn everything the proposed war insurance bill provides, to be a beneficiary of the proposed law will be a badge of honor.

"When we draft a wage earner we call not only him but the entire family to the flag; the sacrifice entailed is not divisible. The wife, and children, the mother,

the father, are all involved in the service—they directly bear the burden of defense. They suffer just as much as a soldier, but in a different way, and the nation must generously discharge as a proud privilege the duty of maintaining them until the soldiers and sailors return from the war and resume the responsibility. "We have drawn the sword to vindicate America's violated rights, to restore peace and justice, and to secure the progress of civilization. We cannot permit our soldiers, while they are holding the front, to be stabbed in the back by uncertainty as to

what is being done for their loved ones at home. Our to-morrows are in their hands—theirs in ours. The national conscience will not permit American soldiers and their dependents to go unprovided with everything that a just, generous and noble people can do to compensate them for the sufferings and sacrifices they make to serve their country."

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### High School Notes.

By Prof. Chas. S. Lofton

The U. S. A. Literary Society rendered the program well last Friday in the 9th and 10th grade room. There was a debate; the question being, Resolved, "That there was more bravery shown in the Texas war than in the Revolution." Aff. Grace Truman Green, Everett Winston; Neg. Theo Smith and Jewelle McBurnett. The Neg. won by a score of 3 to 0.

There will be another debate Friday afternoon by the winners of the last debate against chosen opponents. The question is Resolved "That the invention of labor saving machinery has done more harm than good. Aff. Everett Winston, and Ellen Welch, Neg. Theo Smith and Jewelle McBurnett.

The Society extends to patrons and friends an invitation to come and visit at any time and see what the children are doing.

Monday afternoon Mr. Rhodes pupils and Miss Howell's pupils exchanged rooms on account of lack of room in Miss Howell's room and owing to the fact that there is an excessive number of pupils in Mr. Rhodes room, they can easily be accommodated in the room downstairs.

The U. S. A. Society will entertain in chapel Friday Nov. 9th with the following program.

Song	Society.
Address	Jessie Melson.
Reading	Emily Miller.
Piano solo	Anna P. Cardwell.
Trio	Willie Adams, Theo Smith, Earl Scudday.
Piano solo	Jewelle McBurnett.
Journal	Mary Hudson.
Reading	Grace T. Green.
Solo	Mahota Whisenant.
Reading	Minnie Lee Cardwell.
Closing song	Society.

The Trabaderes Society met a regular session Friday afternoon with Vice President, Oscar Sawyer, officiating, and Louise Stinson as Secretary. The pro-

gram was carried out in full as published last week. The most important event was the debate, Resolved, "That fire is more destructive than water" Aff. E. B. McBurnett and Aubra Banowsky Neg. Felix Dennis and Oscar Sawyer. The Aff. won with a score of 3 to 0. The next debate will be Friday the question being Resolved that History is more important than mathematics. Aff. E. B. McBurnett and Aubra Banowsky. Neg. Irene Renfro, and Anna Lee Meyers.

The following pupils were perfect in spelling last week. Mary Walker, Mary Shelton, Dorothy Halley, Marie Brown, Irene Ditto, Louis Barclay, Blanche Brothers, Geneva Brothers, Anna Lee Banowsky, Naomi Bingham.

The faculty of the High School feel satisfied at their share in the Liberty Bond movement. There was \$250 worth of Bonds bought by the various teachers. In addition to this, there is one of the faculty who has given her youngest son to the service of Uncle Sam. All this was a duty of all and they each and every one acted the part of a patriot.

### BROWNFIELD vs GOMEZ.

The Brownfield High School Boys basket ball team for the first time this season matched their wits and strength against an opposing team, last Saturday.

Excitement was high and blood ran freely. However there was never a game played on the home courts that there was a more brotherly, friendly feeling.

The Gomez Principal and his boys are good losers all, but they were game to the last and made the home team fight for every score. The line up of the home boys were as follows. Guards; Lewis, Bynum. Center; Scudday.

Forwards; Smith, Adams 1st. half of game, Gore. 2nd half. Score; Brownfield, 10 Gomez, 4. Mr. Rhodes officiated

### Brownfield Band Organized

The members of the Band met for reorganization last Tuesday night. Plans for the future were discussed and the election of officers took place. Richard Bennet was elected President and Mumford Smith Secretary and Treasurer. Arrangements have been made for a new drum and new music has been ordered. The music will be mostly patriotic in its character, as we feel that the whole country should be patriotic in some way. Regular practice night have been chosen, and we hope to have the cooperation of the community at large in the success of the new band.

Geo. Bragg, A. M. McBurnett and Lester McPherson, have leased the Flippin brick and will conduct an up-to-date garage and repair shop in it. Mr. Bragg and Mc Pherson are both experienced men, and in every way able to give the people efficient service.

5 gallons of good oil for 75c at Barrier Bros.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Gore, a girl on the 28th.

Dr. C. W. Merrell, of O'Donnell, Texas, and family; also his father, were here visiting the doctor's aunt, Mrs. J. M. Currier. Dr. Merrell once took Dr. Ellis place while the latter was off on a trip, and made many close friends here among old timers.

Among those who planked down the dollar and four bits to keep 'er commin' this week were Let Thompson and F. M. Ellington of the west side. Mr. Ellington was in on court duty. Mr. Thompson said he would not move in to school this year, as Prof. Draper was teaching them a good school out at Tokio.

Howard James is here from Tatum, N. M., this week.

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We had a notice this week from Dr. Jno. R. May, ordering the Herald sent to Berryville, Ark., temporarily at least, as he says he is in the Reserve Corps of Physicians, and may not go to the front in some time.

USED Piano in good condition for sale at a bargain. Terms on half if desired. Apply at Herald office.

Dr. I. E. Smith, Eye, Ear, nose & throat Specialist of Snyder will be here Tuesday Nov. 6th, this is the time to have the Children examined, Special attention paid to Fitting of glasses.

We had a nice communication from the local Red Cross Society this week, which was too late for publication, and will be used next week.

I will pay more for your turkeys, chickens, hides, bones, brass, rags and junk than any firm in Brownfield. W. S. Daniels.

## A FAMILY AFFAIR

If your father and your son were in trouble, struggling for their lives, and doing it in defense of your home and your business, would you supply them with food and clothing, or would you refuse them?

This is a straight question. Yet it is the one facing you today. The country which has protected you and your family, may well claim to be considered as your father, and as for the boys who are giving their lives for you, surely they have a right to be considered as your sons.

This nation is one big family today. This war is a family affair.

Be a good father and a good son. Your sense of justice and fairness, your patriotism, is on trial.

When you remember that you are asked to give nothing, but only to lend money by investing in LIBERTY BONDS, you have no choice in the matter. Your heart tells you that you MUST do it.

If you have to go short of some luxury—do it.

Save and invest in Liberty Bonds until it pinches you, and the sacrifice hurts. It is the duty of every real American.

You will lose nothing. The bond is always worth just about what you gave for it. Probably it will be worth more later. You will have saved just that amount of money you invest in Liberty Bonds, and be just so much better off.

A man who will not sacrifice anything for his country, is not a real man. The man who does make a sacrifice, is a real man, and a true American.

You—the man who is reading this, know these statements are fair and true ones. This appeal is not written in vain, because it is going to influence you. You are going to buy a Liberty Bond.

### YOU PAY YOUR DEBTS.

Of course you do. Why? You could turn rascal, and possibly "get away with it." You pay your debts because you want the respect of your fellow men.

Have you paid your debt to your Country?

You have been running up a bill with Uncle Sam for years. He has protected you, educated you, guarded you and your property, educated your children, and today he is fighting a death struggle with a fellow who would rob and murder you if only he could get at you.

Now Uncle Sam wants you to dig down and loan him some money.

What are you going to do about it? Tell him you "can do better" with your money than loan it to him? Are you going to tell him you pay your debts to everyone else, but you refuse to pay your debts to him?

No. As an honest man, you are going to say: "Loan you money? Sure I will! Why if you asked me to give it to you, I would do it. But LOAN it, why sure!"

Millions of men are going to feel, and talk, and act, just this way. So are you!

Now, when are you going to do it? Why not today?

Perhaps you have wanted money some time in your life—most of us have. When did you want it? Right away, or in a month's time? Did you want to wait around wondering whether or not you were going to get the money? You did not!

Treat Uncle Sam the same way that you would wish to be treated yourself. Lend him the money now—willingly and quickly—today.

### HOW TO SECURE A LIBERTY BOND.

You are satisfied that it is your duty to yourself and to your country to buy a Liberty Bond. Now you want to know just how to secure one. Go to any bank, sign an application form for the bond of the value desired.

The bonds are of the following values: \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000.

Your banker will take your check for 2 per cent of the amount of the bond you decide to purchase. The remaining payments will be made as follows:

Eighteen per cent on Nov. 15, 1917.

Forty per cent on Dec. 15, 1917.

Forty per cent on Jan. 15, 1918.

You can pay in full at time of application for any bond up to the value of \$1,000 if you wish.

If you care to pay for your bond in full at the time of application you can have your bond by about Oct. 10. If you pay by installments you will receive your bond as soon as you have finished paying for it. The bonds are free from Federal, State or local taxes. In the case of wealthy people who pay income surtaxes, and hold bonds of over \$5,000, there is a small tax, but as far as the average man is concerned they are tax free.

The interest on the bonds is 4 per cent, payable to you on May 15

and Nov. 15 each year.

The bonds may be redeemed by the government in full on and after Nov. 15, 1927.

During the meantime the bonds may pass from one person to another almost as freely as a dollar bill does. There is very little difference between giving your check for a \$500 bill and giving it for a Liberty bond.

Any banker will handle your subscription and charge you nothing for the trouble.

## HOW TO EASE YOUR TAXES

This is a subject that interests every man. This war is costing a sum of money so great that no man can realize what such an amount means. We have to find eighteen and one-half billion dollars during the first year of the war. Eighteen Thousand Five Hundred Million Dollars. Think of it! But perhaps you had better not; it will only make your head go round, and you will not be any nearer to grasping the meaning of such an amount of money, when you have done thinking.

To get down to something you can understand, it means that every man in this country has to give up nearly half of what he earns this year.

The government is going to get this money, because it has to have it. Of course, it can tax your income, tax everything you eat and drink, your land and your cattle, and raise the money this way. However, this would be too hard on you, so the government has decided to ask you to loan some of the money, with Uncle Sam's own promise that he will pay you back, and pay you interest in the meantime. Uncle Sam's promise to pay is so good that his written promise in the form of a bond can be handed around from man to man, almost like a dollar bill. You don't mind giving a silver dollar in exchange for a bill, and you can feel just the same way about giving a cheque in exchange for a Government Bond.

LOOK HERE IS THE POINT: JUST SO MUCH AS THE GOVERNMENT WILL ALLOW YOU TO LOAN TO THEM, SO MUCH LESS WILL THEY HAVE TO TAX YOU.

Looked at fairly and squarely, is it not better to loan money, rather than have it taken from you?

We are a level-headed people, and when things are put up to us in a straight-forward way by straight-forward people, we are ready to fall in line.

You know the facts now, straight from the U. S. Government.

You have money that you do not need until next spring. Lend it to Uncle Sam. If you must have it back next year, borrow on your bond, or sell it.

Your banker is a good man to talk to. You believe in him. Go and ask his opinion. He will tell you that he has bought Liberty Bonds, and he will advise you to do the same.

### "LET THE OTHER FELLOW DO IT."

This is the thing that has caused so many failures, so much misery, so many deaths—"letting the other fellow do it." From the fall of great nations down to the smallest personal accident it is this policy that has been responsible for so many of the troubles of the world. Time after time "the other fellow" does not do it. The Liberty Loan is a case in point. It is absolutely useless to rely upon the other fellow, because the amount to be raised is so enormous that it will take the combined self-denial and effort of every man, woman, and child in this country, to provide the money.

This leads naturally to another thought. It is not enough that we merely subscribe. We must see that our neighbor subscribes, because if he falls down, we ourselves shall suffer, even although we may have done our share.

There are just a few people left in this country who say "let the rich man find the money." When the government has had its needs supplied, the rich man will not be so rich; his taxes will be enormous, and many a wealthy company struggling with the high cost of everything they use in their business, in addition to their taxation, will have a difficulty in securing profits for their shareholders. The profits of those making war supplies will be cut in half, at least, by government action. Again we must remember that our wealthy men invested millions and millions of dollars in the loan last time and will do it again.

The average citizen must realize that the wealthy man is doing his share, and that it is to the farmer, the merchant and the working man that the country look for a large share of the subscriptions to the present loan.

"If you say 'let the other fellow do it,' the loan will fail, we shall be disgraced in the eyes of the world, the resistance to Germany of our allies may break down, and the most terrible thing in the world will happen to us—conquest by Germany. This would mean taxation beyond human endurance, national disgrace and having to work for German masters for years to come.

The Germans are not willing "to let the other fellow do it." Their boys of 14 and their old men of 50 are serving in the army; their women and their children are going short of food; they are giving up almost every cent they possess in order to beat this country. Surely we have more patriotism than the Germans, more sense—if not, then we deserve to be beaten.

Call in and see your banker and ask him whether this article contains the truth. He will tell you that it does, and will agree that it is a fatal thing in this great national crisis to "let the other fellow do it."

### WISE AND OTHERWISE

A beauty specialist frequently encounters hard lines.

Morality is always ready to monopolize the spotlight.

Most married men grow just to keep from forgetting how.

If a man expects a woman to be reasonable she thinks he is unreasonable.

Some people derive a lot of satisfaction from making themselves miserable.

There may be nothing new under the sun, but there are always a lot of fresh people.

Girls who can't cook should look before they leap into the matrimonial frying pan.

### Overheard in 2000 A. D.

"Now, this is the skeleton of a man who lived in the twentieth century." "Why is one arm so much longer than the other, professor?" "This is not an unusual case. You will notice that the right arm is several inches longer than the left and is due to the custom quite common in those days of clinging to a strap with the right hand while holding a newspaper in the left hand."

### Queen's Carriage.

By the beginning of the seventeenth century the use of carriages and coaches had become so prevalent in England that in 1601 the attention of parliament was drawn to the subject, and a bill "to restrain the excessive use of coaches" was introduced, which, however, was rejected on its second reading. In the early part of the century it was estimated that there were 6,000 in London and its vicinity.

### Beware the Gossypol!

Before cottonseed can become a suitable food for human beings, the gossypol it contains must be extracted or neutralized. For gossypol is a poison. Stock raisers in the cotton districts know how cottonseed meal often poisons their animals. Gossypol is a substance allied to carbolic acid, but its chemistry is unknown. W. A. Withers and F. E. Carruth, in a report in the Journal of Agricultural Research, prove it is gossypol that causes the poisoning.

### Hardships of War.

Two hundred and twenty-two articles besides rations are carried by British soldiers sent into the trenches, sixteen items being worn on the person, eleven carried in the pockets, nine in the haversack, sixteen in the valise and nine in the "hold all," besides sixteen items of equipment.

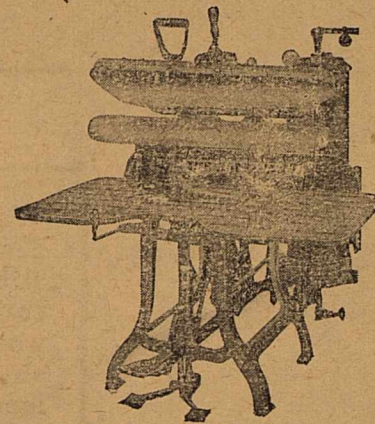
### To Avoid Smoke.

Simple way of avoiding the smoke and gas which always pour into the room when a fire is lit in a stove, heater or fireplace on a damp day: Put in the wood and coal as usual, but before lighting them ignite a handful of paper or shavings placed on top of the coal. This produces a current of hot air in the chimney, which draws up the smoke and gas at once.

### Altering the Map Without War.

In a world where nations grow and decay, where forces change and populations become cramped, it is not possible or desirable to maintain the status quo forever. If peace is to be preserved, nations must learn to accept unfavorable alterations of the map without feeling that they must first be defeated in war, or that in ending they incur a humiliation.—Bertrand Russell in Atlantic Monthly.

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## M. A. SMITH

"The Cash Dry Goods Man"

Brownfield, Texas

### Gomez

By West Wind

Ye scribe and the entire force of Herald readers in west Terry join in expressing sympathy for Mr. and Mrs. Stricklin, in the loss of their dear baby; only the Heavenly Father who gives them; know how to ease the heartache at their loss; but "He Doeth all Things Well," and may the parents realize that "Over There" where sorrow nor pain ever come, Little John is waiting for them.

Mrs. DeShazo spent last week visiting friends at Slaton and Tahoka. She came in home Monday and reported a real pleasant visit.

Rev. McReynolds from Seminole, and Rev. Hughes, from Andrews, both former pastors of the M. E. Church, here; passed through last Sunday. They were enroute to Memphis, Tex., to attend Annual Conference.

Preaching at the Baptist Church last Saturday afternoon and Sunday at 11 a. m., and night, by the pastor, Rev. Vinson.

W. W. Spear went out to Plains last week, and is there now, working.

Miss Ola Summitt was employed last week to teach a school 11 miles north of Brownfield, and opened it on Monday.

Mr. C. F. Timm and wife and Harry Timms and wife came in last Sunday from their home near Ft. Summer N. M. on a business trip also to visit friends and relatives. Mr. C. F. Timm informed us that his son Chris, has joined the army and is now at Ft. Riley Kansas. We noticed that all previous writers in the Herald in speaking of Terry County's soldiers just enumerate the 34 drafted men, seeming to not recognize that a volunteer is a soldier. Well good people we say all honor to the man who carries the gun in defense of our country, but we are not one bit afraid to enumerate our volun-

teer boys, so far as we know their names they are: Claude Crump, Clyde Weeks, Joe Weeks, Walter West, Harley Stapp, Chris Timms, Ted Poore and two sons of Dr. Summit. They did not volunteer at Brownfield, but they all except the two last lived in or near Gomez. At the first call for men they volunteered. The two Summit boys and Harley Stapp are now in France, and Ted Poore is aboard a warship somewhere in the fighting zone. The rest are in various Training Camps and will be among the first sent to the front.

W. C. Wright of South Terry came in Tuesday on business and spent the night visiting out at Ben Broughton's. Mr. Wright informed us that the early freeze ruined what would have been an excellent crop, if it had only had 3 weeks longer to mature.

### Meadow.

Misses Grace Ellington and Roena Peeler, spent Saturday night in Brownfield.

Prof. Tarlton of Primrose, was at Meadow, Sunday. He seems optimistic.

J. T. Stricklin and wife were at the bedside of John Franklin Stricklin, during his last hours and stayed over Sunday for the funeral. John Franklin was an extra good child, hence all felt the sader over the loss.

Miss Luda Brown is spending the week with Miss Roena Peeler.

Messers. Hope Timmons and Blankenship are in N. M., to bring their cattle home.

Mr. Geo. Carter has gone to Estacado for some cattle he recently purchased.

New Meadow is a sure thing now. Mr. J. W. Peeler is there selling goods. Next a station.

There is to be a new auto road leaving the old road at Walk Hendrick's leading west along the north line of Collins' and Stricklins' and then along the line of Boyd and Ellington to Meadow on the railroad.

There was a big per cent of loss of feed from the freeze and high winds following it.

Farmer.

A Fuller-Johnson gasolene engine, for sale cheap. Apply at Herald office.

The job department of the Herald recently did a nice order of bank and customer notes for the Plains State Bank.

Did you know that old Terry won a \$100.00 prize at the Dallas Fair despite the fact that this has been the driest year in the history of the county? Terry stood fifteen in the list of counties that secured prizes.

### GLAD TO TESTIFY

Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly . . . Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then . . . it would last . . . two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful.

My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three . . . I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui.

I am married now and have 3 children . . . Have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others."

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