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CLARENDON RECEIVES HER FIRST BALE OF COTTON THIS WEEK

The first bale of this year's cotton was received here on Tuesday of this week, when A. O. Churchman of Leslie, Hall county, a few miles east of Brice, brought his first to Clarendon. Mr. Churchman had the cotton ginned at Leslie and the bale tipped the scales at 478 pounds. It was purchased by M. W. Headrick, bringing 21.05, the check totalling a little over \$102. A cash premium of \$34.75 was raised among the business men of our city and in order to give a Donley county man a chance, it was agreed that only one-half was to be paid to Mr. Churchman, who accordingly received a premium of \$17.35, running the proceeds of the cotton to almost \$120. In addition to this, Mr. Churchman will receive something like \$25 for the seed out of his first bale. Clarendon offers an exceptionally strong cotton market and it will pay farmers from nearby counties to haul their staple here for the high prices. Some Donley county farmers will receive the balance of the premium when he brings in the county's first bale. Come on with it.

RED CROSS NEWS

The constitution and by-laws of the Donley County Chapter of the A. R. C. were adopted at a meeting of the members held at the Court House, Sept. 18th.

The custodian of the court house, G. R. Dozier, has kindly given the use of the grand jury room as well as that of the district court room, to the Red Cross workers, who now meet three afternoons in each week, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, from 2:30 p. m. to 6 p. m.

All knitters are requested to meet the knitting committee at the court house next Friday, 21st inst. Those who cannot come please send or phone names to Mrs. J. C. Killough or Miss Helen Bugbee. Mrs. Sayer has been appointed secretary of this committee to keep account of materials given out.

The booth on the street last Saturday received a liberal patronage, \$30 being given in all.

Mrs. Elgin Styl of Richmond, Va., addressed the Red Cross ladies last Friday afternoon at the Court House on the subject of the Red Cross work in the various parts of the country.

She had recently visited California, Oregon, Wyoming and Canada. Her talk was most inspiring, and made those present realize more fully than ever the importance and necessity of the Red Cross work; also how wide-spread the movement is.

She spoke of Crescent City, on the coast, up in the mountains of California, having its chapter and working as busily as other places. Crescent City is most inaccessible, having communication with the rest of the world only through vessels stopping there once a week, and automobiles that climb the mountains rarely as yet. Cheyenne, Wyo., she said, has turned the senate chamber over to the Red Cross workers, and the sewing machines are running and the workers working every day in the week.

She gave a sketch of a concert given by Melba for the benefit of the Red Cross, and told how one rose, of the many showered upon her, Melba kissed and auctioned off after the concert for \$2,500; how she then auctioned off the roses and soon had \$5,000 in gold on the stage for the Red Cross.

The total proceeds from this one evening's performance was something like \$60,000. A concert for the Red Cross by Madame Schumann-Heink was not so fortunate, as her program was made up of German selections. However, after the concert she auctioned packages of tobacco and the net proceeds of the evening amounted to \$15,000.

She also told how whole-hearted the city of San Francisco entered into the Red Cross war fund campaign work, remembering with deepest gratitude all the Red Cross did for them in their hour of need, after the terrible earthquake, and how the money raised there equalled what the Red Cross spent for San Francisco at that time. She told of the wonderful amount of knitting done by the Canadian women—how none of the men of the 77th regiment had had "trench feet" because of the abundance of warm socks sent them, one woman alone knitting 400 pairs. The description of "trench feet" stirred the mem-

bers deeply and made each one more desirous than ever to do her part with the knitting. She spoke of the necessity of cheering the boys at the front to keep them from getting homesick and advocated that everyone getting names of the boys and writing to them and sending them anything and everything possible—chewing gum, tobacco, letters, literature, etc. In this connection she spoke of the Christmas tree given to the boys under Gen. Pershing by the Red Cross on the Mexican border last Christmas, and how it cheered them to receive even little tokens of remembrance. The address

was concluded by a description of what the Red Cross is now doing to help rebuild the devastated homes of France, of the \$10,000 it is sending for this purpose, which France regards as a loan and will return after the war is over.

The "Christmas cheer bags," if sent to the Red Cross work rooms, at the court house, on or before Friday, the 25th inst., will be packed and shipped to headquarters in time to be shipped from New York early in October.

Permission to organize an auxiliary was granted to the Presbyterian ladies at the meeting of the executive committee Tuesday, 18th inst. Permission to do work in their literary society was also granted to the Orthodoxians. The Woman's auxiliary of the Episcopal church were also granted permission to do Red Cross work at their meetings, and of working at the Red Cross rooms if they desired.

Leon O. Lewis was elected chairman of general propaganda at the executive committee meeting. Any member of the Red Cross who paid \$2.00 or more for a membership in the local organization, the Donley County Chapter, not receiving the Red Cross Magazine, please notify the Secretary, Miss Ora Headrick, and the matter will be adjusted at once.

Mrs. Frank McCreary and Mrs. J. R. Letts returned home Saturday evening from Iowa, where they have visited during the summer months.

PANHANDLE MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETS

The Panhandle Medical Society met at Childress Tuesday and Wednesday with about thirty doctors in attendance. A very profitable session was had, and a general good time is reported by those attending from Clarendon, which included Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins and Dr. H. L. Wilder. Dr. Jenkins is president of the society.

Among the many entertainments enjoyed were a real old-fashioned barbecue on Tuesday evening at six o'clock at the Fire's pasture given by the Commercial Club of Childress; a luncheon at the Barnes Sanitarium on Wednesday, and the doctors' wives of the city charmingly entertained the visiting ladies with a one o'clock luncheon and a matinee party Tuesday. They are very complimentary of Childress' hospitality, and hope that they might again enjoy a meeting in their splendid city.

MAKES VISIT TO THE BOYS AT CAMP BOWIE

On last Saturday this writer had the delightful pleasure of visiting for a short while with the boys at Camp Bowie, and especially with Company B, 7th Texas Infantry, our home company.

We were there several hours, ate supper with them, and while there is nothing fancy in the eats, it is substantial, well cooked and plenty of it. There is no danger of anyone getting hungry if they are always as well fed as they were at this meal.

Each man has his own knife, fork, spoon, tin cup and tin plate, which he takes with him at meal time. He washes his own dishes and takes them back to his tent. The sanitation of the camp is well looked after and everything is clean and neat.

When the boys go to town they have to pass inspection. If their shirt, collar, tie, belt or any little thing is out of order, it has to be fixed before they go to the city.

They are all well and looking fine and dandy, cheerful, and were apparently well satisfied. They all were vaccinated after going down there, and some of them were right sick from the effects of the "shot in the arm."

Each boy has a cot and a pair of blankets, no pillows. There are from eight to twelve in each tent.

They think a lot of their mascots, the bulldog and the coyote wolf, and the boys look after them as a mother would her babe.

If anyone has an idea that the United States is not making preparations for war on a very large scale, this idea will quickly vanish if they will only visit Camp Bowie and see the 18,000 soldiers already there at this time, drilling, digging ditches, practicing in the various modes of warfare, and then for a moment just think of the many other large cantonments scattered over this country, where they have now about one million men in training, we will all fall well realize that the United States is in dead earnest over this matter of whipping Germany.

The man or woman whose patriotism is running a little low, or who has not thought very much about this matter, will do well to visit this camp; it will inspire your patriotism and enthruse you over the merits of the proposition.

We enjoyed our visit with the boys to the fullest extent; in fact, we do not recall a more pleasant hour in our whole life than that one spent with these noble boys, and we believe it was mutual. They seemed to be glad to see us, and if you go to Fort Worth, don't fail to visit with them for a short time; they will be glad to see you and will enjoy it. JOE M. WARREN.

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ATTENTION, HONOR GUARD GIRLS

There will be a meeting of the Girls' National Honor Guard each Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. For the present this time will be utilized in knitting. A number 4 knitting needle is being used now, and the thread will be furnished by the Red Cross.

All citizens who have magazines which they will give to the Honor Guard to be distributed among the Army camps kindly have them in readiness this next week, and girls will come in cars and collect them.

All girls are asked to make a "cheer bag," which will be sent to American soldiers in France as a Christmas gift. These bags are made of handkerchiefs,

and are not to contain more than ten articles. Please have them made by Friday week, as they have to be sent off early that they can be received by the desired time.

BENEFIT MUSICALS

The ladies of the Episcopal church will give a musicale at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McClelland on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. The talent of the city will be represented on a program of music and readings. Coffee and ham sandwiches will be served.

Rev. S. Joekel left Tuesday night for Austin, where he will enter Army Y. M. C. A. work.

W. M. S. ANNOUNCEMENT

The ladies of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet at the Red Cross rooms Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the purpose of making "cheer bags" for the American soldiers in France for Christmas. Each bag to contain not less than five articles and not more than ten; such as malted milk tablets, chewing gum, bullion cubes, stationery, post cards, stamps, indelible pencils, fountain pens, penholders and points, shaving soap, safety razor, tooth brush, tooth paste, pocket comb, brush (military), pocket knife, puzzles, dominoes, checkers, folding drinking cups, handkerchiefs (khaki colored), adhesive plaster, metal mirror, coin purse, pocket edition of good book, knitted wristlets or sleeveless sweater, a personal card and message and address of sender will be included with each bag. Each lady is requested to bring articles to supply one bag.

THE ANNUAL FACULTY RECITAL AT COLLEGE IS MARKED SUCCESS

Those of an educated esthetic temperament enjoyed a program Monday evening at the recital given by the fine arts faculty of Clarendon College at the College auditorium. Those possessing the aesthetic sense in a less marked degree came away uplifted and more able to appreciate such occasions in the future. Such, after all, is the purpose of expression through the medium of instrumental and vocal music and the attendant enjoyment of poetry such as was presented to the large audience who gathered Monday night to do homage to the refined and elevating in the world of music, song and poesy.

In congratulating Mr. R. Deane Shure, director of the fine arts department of Clarendon College, The News indirectly congratulates the entire citizenship of Clarendon and the Panhandle on the presence of such an assembly of artists in one organization as that boasted of by that institution.

While The News does not pose as a competent critic of high class music, yet we feel that it is not amiss to give a little praise where praise is so evidently due on the splendid numbers rendered by those who appeared on the excellent program. In speaking of the accomplishment of any member of the faculty it is not intended to detract from the skill of the others. Miss Graves had the hard task of appearing in the first number of the program, but gave a most brilliant exhibition of technique. Miss Bryan, none the less versed in the Leschetizky method, was strong in her insight and interpretation. Mrs. Adams, always a favorite in Clarendon, made a high tide appearance, and her vocal numbers were enjoyed to the utmost. An added relish to the pleasures of the evening, Miss Chism was greeted with applause at each appearance and her readings marked her mastery of expression, repression and the proper gauging of the moods of her auditors.

The presence of a large majority of hearers prejudiced to the violin was attested by the hearty applause which greeted Miss Loeffler on her appearance and followed her to the exit after each number, especially the last. This article would fail of its purpose did it not mingle the praise of Mr. Shure's piano numbers with special mention of the rendition of "Menuetto Aristocratic," his own composition. This selection singled the performer as being sympathetic in authorship as he is accurate in interpretation. His composition reminds one of the beautiful symphonies of Paderewski. Mr. Shure's closing number was Liszt's arrangement of Gounod's Faust Valse, a brilliant number presented in a no less artistic manner.

The music loving public will hail with delight the return of another opportunity to hear these popular artists in their several specialties.

DONLEY COUNTY ASSESSED VALUES OVER \$6,000,000

According to figures given out by County Tax Assessor B. F. Naylor, Donley County has property valuations to the amount of \$6,107,450, an increase of nearly a hundred thousand dollars over 1916. As previously published, the state tax rate is increased by fifteen cents on the hundred, but the county rate has been lowered a half cent. Following is the comparative figures on valuation and rates for 1916 and 1917:

Values for 1916, \$6,023,303.00.
Values for 1917, \$6,107,450.00.
Rates for 1916, state, 45c on \$100 valuation; county, 48½c on the \$100 valuation.

Rates for 1917, state, 60c on \$100 valuation; county, 48c on the \$100 valuation.
B. F. NAYLOR.

Judge O'Neill says as long as he had the roof off his house it rained, but just so soon as he got the covering back on the rain ceased.

Frank Prachar, a prominent citizen of Goodnight, was transacting business in Clarendon Wednesday.

W. A. Crain is not able to be at the store on account of sickness.

H. S. Hudson is driving a new Oldsmobile.

A number of our citizens have been attending business meetings at Claude several days this week.

Clifford Dyer happened to a painful accident when his horse became frightened at a snake and threw him on his head and shoulders. He is reported as improving.

The public school pupils & teachers gave Misses Patterson and Frame a kitchen shower Friday afternoon. Many useful presents were received.

The young ladies of the town enjoyed a slumber party at the home of Mrs. Pratt Friday night.

The M. E. ladies gave a box supper at the old public school building Saturday night.

THOS. S. BUGBEE, President
WESLEY KNORPP, Active Vice Pres. C. A. BURTON, Asst. Cashier
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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF
The Donley County State Bank
OF CLARENDON, TEXAS

at Close of Business Sept. 11, 1917, as Made to the Commissioner of Banking

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans	\$439,690.98	Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
U. S. Liberty Bonds	23,000.00	Surplus and Profits	23,803.38
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	13,000.00		
CASH	227,987.11		
Interest in the Depositors' Guaranty Fund	6,094.03	DEPOSITS	635,968.74
Total	\$709,772.12	Total	\$709,772.12

The Above Statement Is Correct. F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Cashier
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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

The First National Bank, of Clarendon, Texas

As Made to the Comptroller of Currency at Close of Business Sept. 11, 1917

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$188,178.68	Capital	\$50,000.00
Bonds, Stocks and Securities	63,255.54	Surplus and Profits, Net	33,054.88
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	5,035.00	Circulating Currency	50,000.00
Cash, Due From Banks and U. S. Treasury	112,177.06	DEPOSITS	235,591.40
Total	\$368,646.28	Total	\$368,646.28

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT.

W. W. TAYLOR, Cashier

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GOLDSTON ITEMS

Everything is looking good out our way. Crops are looking good and everybody is feeling fine. Lots of prospectors are coming, and they seem to think our country looks good to them. Some are buying. F. W. Bales has sold his place, and D. A. Castleberry has sold his 100 acres that he bought from the Grogan land.

S. W. King sold his place the past week. He is going to have a big sale Wednesday, the 26th. There will be a free lunch on the ground.

Harvey Smith of Tulsa has been in Donley county for the past five days, visiting with his father and brother. He says everything looks mighty good. Miss Minnie Ferebee came out Sunday and started her school at the Plainview school house.

S. W. King went to White Deer Monday.

S. Dilli and little son, Joseph, have returned home after a few days' visit with his daughter. BLUE JAY.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Muir, daughter, Miss Laura, and son, R. H. Jr., left Tuesday morning for San Antonio, where they make their winter home.

Miss Radie Britain of Amarillo passed through here Monday night, enroute to Eureka Springs, Ark., to enter Crescent College.

THE SEED AND FEED SITUATION

The enormous demand and the high prices that are being offered for all grain and cotton seed, and the shortage of hay makes it of the utmost importance that the farmer secure his seed and forage early.

DAY OF "SAVE NOW." Don't risk getting hay as you need it, and don't risk getting seed when time to plant. Wheat will be high next year, and a few acres planted now will help to save the high priced feed.

The agricultural department of the F. W. & D. C. Railway, at Wichita Falls, Texas, will help you locate what you want.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES' AID

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. Chas. McMurtry Wednesday, September 12. The meeting was well attended and the lesson very interesting. A number of business matters were attended to, after which a dainty salad course was served.

Rev. B. L. Nance of De Leon visited his daughter, Miss Claudia Fae, at the College this week.

Mrs. Joe Cooper and little son, George, are visiting in Fort Worth.

CITY ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the City Council of Clarendon acting by its Board of Commissioners.

Section 1.—That there be and there is hereby laid out and opened a street, beginning at the East line of Second Street, 30 feet East of the point where the North boundary of Second street intersects the West line of Section No. 33, in Block C-6, in Donley County, Texas, and within the corporate limits of the City of Clarendon; thence north parallel with the West line of said Section No. 33, crossing the Ft. Worth & Denver Railway right-of-way and tracks to the South boundary of the street and public road on the North side of said railroad right-of-way, the said street to be 60 feet wide and extending Westerly 60 feet from the line above described, and the said West line of said street hereby created and opened to intersect on the South end with said Second Street, and on the North end with the street or public road on the Northerly side of said right-of-way.

Section 2.—It is further ordained that this ordinance be in effect from and immediately after its passage, and it is hereby made the duty of the City Marshal to remove any and all fences and obstructions in the street hereby opened, save and except the railway track and rails and ties whereon the rails rest. And it is further made his duty to reduce and cause to be reduced the embankments and approaches to said railway track, so as to make the said street passable from North to South, and vice versa for the street traffic.

Section 3.—It is further ordained that the open road running West from the West line of Section 33 on the South side of railroad be closed, and that the railroad crossing on said road leading North be closed as dangerous.

The above and foregoing ordinance was passed by unanimous vote of the City Commissioners on the 5th day of September, 1917, at a regular meeting thereof, there being present and voting in the affirmative W. A. SoRelle, mayor, and H. W. Taylor and E. W. Bromley, commissioners.

W. A. SORELLE, Mayor,
H. W. TAYLOR, Commissioner,
E. W. BROMLEY, Commissioner.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Clarendon post office for the week ending September 15, 1917:

Conan, W. F.; Davenport, Lee; Davis, W. A.; Flores, Senor Santo; Jones, S. E.; Keach, Mrs. Mary; Laycock, Miss Nettie; Tucker, Miss Melissa; Williams, Miss Lorie; Wilkins, Miss Maude. C. C. POWELL, P. M.

Mrs. T. P. Blankenship will arrive this week from Wichita Falls to join her husband, a pharmacist at McDonald Drug Co. They will occupy the house recently vacated by Mrs. Timmons.

Geo. McKenzie of Ashtola and Miss Julia Smith of Wichita Falls secured marriage license from the County Clerk at Clarendon this week.

P. S. Southall, who has been at Amarillo and Dumas for the past several months attending to ranch property, has returned to Clarendon.

Miss Emma Bromley is visiting Miss Katie Lurick in Clayton, N. M. Miss Lurick is to be married this week.

Miss Stinson of Amarillo is the guest of her cousin, Miss Ethel Riley.

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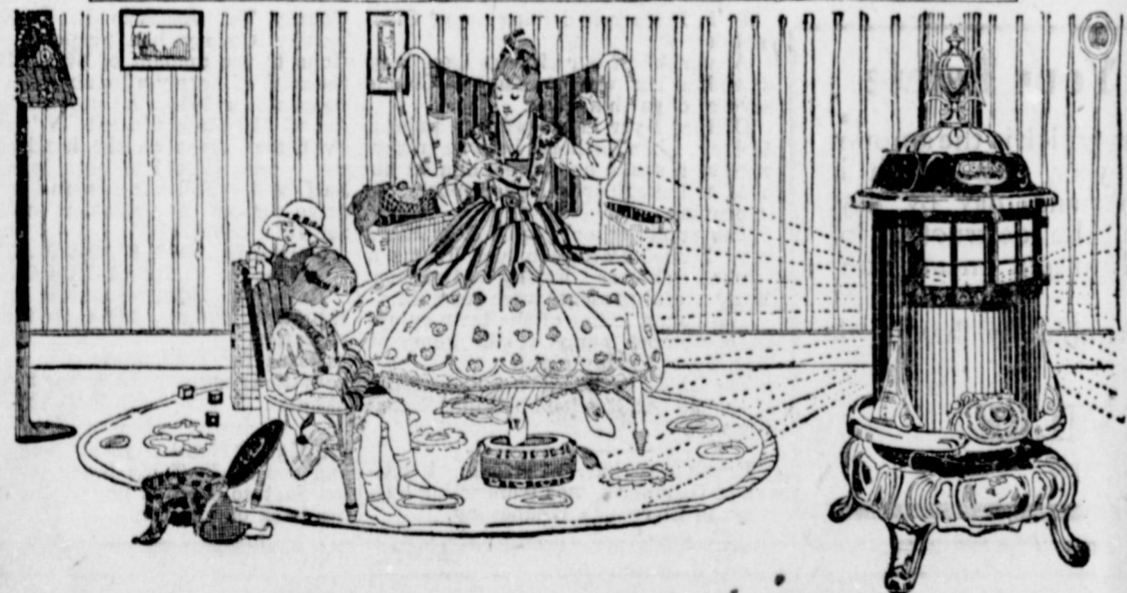
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State of Texas, County of Donley:
By virtue of the Statute giving mechanic's authority to sell vehicles to satisfy accounts for material and labor performed on said vehicles, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law, on October 16th, 1917, at Clarendon, Texas, one five passenger Mitchell automobile, 1913 model, owned by Rosa A. Marquis, to satisfy an account of \$137.35 for labor and material on said car by me, and all costs of sale.

Witness my hand this 19th day of September, 1917. G. E. ALLEN. 40c

Mrs. H. Glascoe left this week for Chicago, where she goes for an extended visit with her mother.

How's This?

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W. H. GILLENWATER
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

Hubert Seal of Floydada visited with his friend, Sam Hilburn, the past week. He left Monday morning for Dallas, where he will enter S. M. U.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Coffman of Goree, relatives of W. T. Hayter and wife, spent several days the past week in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beverly spent Sunday in Memphis with friends.

CLARENDON COLLEGE NEWS

Rev. B. L. Nance was here for a few days this week, visiting his daughter, Miss Claudia Fae.

Most of the classes have organized and are getting down to the year's work in earnest. The Senior Class elected Mr. F. L. Rainey as president and Miss Elsie Webb as secretary. Several committees were appointed to take care of the necessary business. An enjoyable year as well as a profitable one is looked forward to by all the seniors.

A sign has been announced whereby the students who make their proper grades for the first six months will be given special privileges to last as long as they continue their work and do not abuse their privileges. It is needless to say that the student body of Clarendon College have assumed an almost angelic appearance.

The Pen and Brush Club, the literary and art staff of the student publications, has been organized under the presidency of Miss Bethany Jones. The Club is planning great things in their line of endeavor and will try to improve in every way possible the Clarco and the Wester.

All departments of the College have settled down into the regular routine and are turning out an enormous quantity of work. Nearly everyone has been properly classified, all conflicts adjusted, and the machinery of the institution is working smoothly.

A few students are coming in late and gradually bringing the enrollment to the highest point that the school has ever known. The perfect coordination and energy of the student body and the faculty promises that in spite of all that the war can do, the educational work of the Panhandle shall go on with undiminished vigor. At least Clarendon College is making the year of '17-'18 the biggest in their history, just as they are going to try to make each year better than the last.

Messrs. George and Garfield Dixon arrived from Wheeler county the early part of this week to go to school at Clarendon.

Miss Mabel Livingston, one of last year's popular students, came in Monday night from Vernon. We are glad to find that many of the old students are coming back this year to finish the education they have so well begun in Clarendon College.

The two literary societies have shown more spirit this year than in several years. The competition that has developed promises to bring out several good debaters to increase the fame of C. C. upon the platform.

The football team is daily becoming more perfect in its machine-like precision. Coaches Boger and Gribble have worked hard on the team and have developed all the men to a high point of efficiency. There is a likelihood that some deliberation must be

HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady. Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.—Mrs. Dallas Price, of this place, says: "After the birth of my last child... I got very much run-down and weakened, so much that I could hardly do anything at all. I was so awfully nervous that I could scarcely endure the least noise. My condition was getting worse all the time..."

I knew I must have some relief or I would soon be in the bed and in a serious condition for I felt so badly and was so nervous and weak I could hardly live. My husband asked Dr. about my taking Cardui. He said, "It's a good medicine, and good for that trouble," so he got me 5 bottles... After about the second bottle I felt greatly improved... before taking it my limbs and hands and arms would go to sleep. After taking it, however, this poor circulation disappeared. My strength came back to me and I was soon on the road to health. After the use of about 5 bottles, I could do all my house-work and attend to my six children besides."

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Reserved Seats on Sale Monday September 24th at Palace No. 1

taken before the best can be picked from the candidates. The first game will be played against Canyon on the home grounds on September 29th. It has always been our custom to down the Canyon team, and we do not believe in departing from the customs of our predecessors.

R. L. Baskin came in Monday night from Stratford to attend Clarendon College. He is following the worthy example of many another Stratford man who has helped, and been helped by, C. C.

Jerrett L. Osborn has entered school from Jericho. We are glad to have him with us and would like to compliment the little city of Jericho upon the comparatively large number of students she has here.

Rev. J. W. Story filled his regular Friday morning appointment at the chapel exercises and gave a very inspiring talk to the students. We are

fortunate that we can hear Brother Story at regular intervals, for his talks are always enjoyed.

Burford Parmer was with us for several days during the early part of the week.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER ORDER OF SALE

The State of Texas, County of Donley. In the District Court of Donley County, Texas. Jas. A. Long, plaintiff, vs. L. H. Black, defendant.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Donley County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 18th day of July 1917 in favor of the said Jas. A. Long and against the said L. H. Black No. 978 on the docket of said Court I did on the 8th day of September A. D. 1917 at 11 o'clock levy upon the following described tract of land situated in Donley County, Texas and belonging to the said L. H. Black to wit; all of the Thomas Overhulser 160 acre pre-emption survey, Patented to J. M. Shelton, Assignee, on August 12th, 1897, by patent No. 445, Vol. 29, as described in said judgment and order of sale and on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1917, being the first Tuesday in said month between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the said L. H. Black in and to said property. Said sale however is to be made subject to a lien securing the payment of a note for \$700 held by Walter Darlington. Dated this the 8th day of September A. D. 1917. G. R. DOSHIER, Sheriff 37-3tc Of Donley County, Texas.

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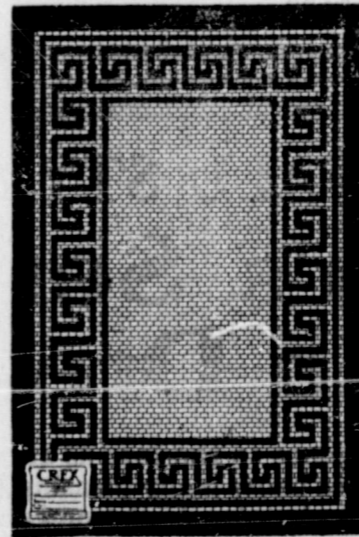
I have the agency for Overland cars again, and am ready to accommodate my old customers and make new ones. This year we have cars that are REAL Automobiles—that make good in every way. I have taken in Will Lott as a full partner in the business, and if you have good horses or mules to trade for cars, see either of us and we will give you a good trade.

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The music alone is a feature worth while, as one watches the thrilling scenes depicted upon the screen, which,

by the way, is one of the best in the country. Everything is always of a refined character, and one feels rested and better for a visit to the Lyric. Miss Marquis is a thoroughly progressive woman along the several lines of her business and deserves the patronage of our citizens.

If you don't believe this, do as I have done; go and see for yourself and be convinced that the Lyric is a pleasant place to spend an evening. AN OBSERVER.

See the Carrie Jacobs Bond window at Marquis Music Store, Friday and Saturday.

W. T. Hayter and wife left Tuesday for an auto trip to points on the Plains.

J. Seth Pallmeyer of Newlin is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Carrie Owens is at Stratford, teaching in the schools.

BIG AUTO RACES

Thrilling Automobile Races

by America's greatest drivers will attract thousands of visitors this year.

Thousands spent on what is already regarded as the greatest dirt track in the country, to make the contests all the more sensational.

Don't overlook the Automobile Show presentation of the latest in all standard makes of cars.

A brilliant football schedule—including the Texas-Oklahoma event—will afford lovers of this sport a chance to see stars of the game in action.

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NOTICE.—Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The News will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Clarendon stands a loss this week in the departure of Rev. Sam L. Joekel, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. How serious a loss, only those who know him best and understand his great yearning after the salvation of especially the young people, can fully estimate. This editor has known Bro. Joekel only a few weeks, yet in that short period we think we have in a measure fathomed his sincerity of spirit and the earnestness of his desire to help his fellows. He goes to take up work as general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. activities in Austin, and as he proudly confided, where he will "have over two thousand boys and young men to look after." The News wishes Bro. Joekel the largest measure of success in his chosen work and feels sure that he will be as popular with his co-workers in Austin as he was with the people of Clarendon.

Those who are not already possessed with optimism and enthusiasm over the prospects for Donley County this fall and far into next year should take time to read carefully the official statements of our three great banks appearing in this issue. Clarendon

Farmer Friends

How about building that impliment house to protect your farm machinery? They have cost you too much good money to allow them to remain out of doors this winter.

Don't Say Lumber Is Too High

The little advnnce in lumber is not very noticeable as yet. We carry a heavy stock of lumber and will be glad to help plan and estimate the cost of your buildings. Try us out.

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alone has bank deposits of a million dollars, the farmers are preparing to raise the greatest feed crop ever raised on short notice, and the voluptuous cotton crop is destined to bring in a generous harvest of gold. No amateur pessimist can remain here and keep up his batting average. It just naturally requires a dyed-in-the-wool professional pessimist to get away with it this year.

A group of leading engineers of the Nation were called to Washington some months ago and given the task of designing an aeroplane motor to be the highest standard machine in the world, the last word in motor efficiency. These patriotic men worked in eight hour shifts and now the Government announces the completion of their task. The "Liberty Motor," as it is called, will soon be singing the death song of the Hohenzollerns.

That Red Cross booth will be in its usual place at the Rexall corner next Saturday. Go by there and clear your pocket of troublesome small change while you clear your conscience. The work of this great organization founded on brotherly love and helpfulness cannot fail to appeal to you if you give it only half a thought.

Those Donley County agricultural exhibits must go to the Panhandle and

Telephone Patrons

Kindly limit your conversation to 5 minutes and help us relieve the congested conditions of our lines, which is five times more than ever known. We are doing our best to keep service at a standard. To put in faster equipment would necessarily call for much higher rentals, at the present war-time prices of material. 35-4tc

Clarendon Telephone Co.

Dallas Fairs, even if only a few live-wires must pay the expense. To fail to do this when our farm products are so superior is foolish and unpatriotic. Talk it up—and back it up—with the money.

Don't cuss the editor when he is unfortunate enough to leave your name out of the paper after you have made a trip to Umptyville. Grit your teeth and—phone him next time you shake the local dust from your feet.

Sometimes you hear someone howling about what the war is costing them in dollars and cents. Tush! The most fortunate man or woman in America is the one that pays ONLY in dollars and cents.

Another reason why boys ought to smoke cigarets, is the way business men run out and offer good salaries to every smart youth that goes down the street "pulling" on one.

It is better to be a renter in the Panhandle than to own much black land in other sections of the state.

ATTENDS CONVENTION OF NATIONAL GRAIN DEALERS ASSOCIATION

Tom F. Connally leaves tonight for Buffalo, N. Y., where he will attend a meeting of the National Grain Dealers, at which session Food Director Hoover will deliver an address outlining the work and aims of the Government in handling the grain situation. Mr. Connally is making this trip to get first-hand information on the real situation so that his clientele may have the benefit of what he learns. Mr. Connally says if the Government sets the price to be paid for all grain products he will have a commission as buyer in this territory and if no price is named on anything but wheat or corn, then he will buy with others as in former years. This will be a very interesting and instructive trip, and we will all be glad to have the benefit of what he learns on the food situation when he returns.

A small farm to let to an experienced dairy and poultry man. G. S. Patterson. 38p

College Seal jewelry at Stocking's.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—A row drill. J. C. Harris, Ashtola, Texas. 37-2tp

LOST—Black folding pocket book, containing registration card of Jack Wofford, automobile county license, and \$10.00 bill. If found, leave at F. A. White's office and receive reward.

FOR SALE, in Hedley, Texas, 15 acres of land, 5-room house, cistern, storm house, and other improvements. For price and terms see Mrs. E. L. Mevis, Giles, Texas. 40-pd

LOST—Between Clarendon and Al-anreed, a new 34x4 Arabian tire, tube and rim. Suitable reward if brought to this office or returned to C. E. Price, Chickasha, Okla. 38c

LOST—Red white-faced Hereford bull, three years old, with horns; branded circle on left hip and left jaw. Strayed about 2 months ago from Goodnight. Finder notify H. J. Willis, Clarendon. 38pd

WANTED—All kinds of sewing to do, by lady of experience. Prices reasonable. Mrs. Lane, 1 block east of College, in Doughy house. tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels good seed wheat, clear of Johnson grass, at \$2.05 a bushel. Z. E. Doshier, Clarendon, 313, 3 rings. 37-3tp

TRADE—Two most desirable residence lots in Corpus Christi, for lots in Clarendon. Phone 478. 38-1tp

FOUND—A small gold plated ring with chip diamond setting. Call at News office for description and possession.

FOR SALE—Well improved stock ranch, 400 acres, all agricultural land. Plenty grass and water. Price right, and good long terms. Enquire box 183, Delhart, Texas. tbc

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Soldiers, Sailors and Nurses all know the comfort and refreshment to be had from **WRIGLEYS**

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 \$10,000 in Premiums in This Division Alone
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 VARIED AMUSEMENT ATTRACTIONS
 Something Doing Every Minute

Mlle. La Belle and Dare Devil Hurley, in their great Automobile Cloud Swing. Bell and Eva acrobatic and clown performers. Grace Ayer, the premier roller skater of the world. And others to be announced later.

Remember this is the Panhandle State Fair—Your Fair. Help make it a bigger success than ever this year, by exhibiting the best you have, and by having every member of your family attend at least one day. With proper co-operation this Fair can be made as big as the Dallas Fair in a few years.

COME TO THE FAIR—TELL YOUR FRIENDS

WRITE FOR CATALOGUE

J. L. Van Natta, Sec'y and Mgr.
 AMARILLO, TEXAS

NEW FALL STYLES IN

Women's Serge and Satin Dresses

Wool and Silk Embroidery comes to the fore as adornment for the new season's frocks, and these special styles show many pleasing touches. Fashioned of fine materials in tailored and draped styles, in the newest shades. Many are cleverly plaited with either plain or tunic skirt. A splendid assortment awaits your immediate selection.

Women's separate skirts in serge, poplin, gabardine, satin, taffeta and mixtures. Plain tailored and dressy styles in all the new colors, solid as well as plaids and stripes, sizes up to 40 inch waist. \$6.50 to \$19.50

We are showing new silk petticoats, new neckwear, new hose, new purses, muslin and silk underwear.

Blouses in voile, organdy, crepe-de-chine striped taffeta and Georgette crepe. \$1.00 to \$8.95

Just received a large shipment of furs in separate collars, muffs and matched sets.

We will be pleased to show you our merchandise, our styles and prices will be a revelation to you.

New Garments Arriving Daily—We Invite Your Inspection

SITNER'S STYLE SHOP

DESIRABLE QUALITIES—CORRECT STYLES

AN UNUSUAL SHOWING OF FALL AND WINTER SHOES

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A New Shipment of Ladies' Shoes

—Burgundy, Champagne, Brown, the latest creation of shoecraft, right from the fountain head of shoe styles.

—We ask an opportunity to show you these new styles.

RATHJEN'S SHOE STORE
 SHOES AND HOSIERY

You Can't Miss the Place

You will see the people all along the road going to and from the store that is always new.



New Arrivals This Week

Come see the New Suits, New Skirts, and New Waists. They are the latest styles out from New York City and other eastern markets.
10¢ CENTS ON THE DOLLAR—AND THEN SOME

Spend your dollars where they purchase their value, and then some. We throw in Service, Prompt and Courteous Treatment for Good Measure.

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Come in and see the store that is being filled with Quality and Stylish Merchandise, the kind that gives the wearer that satisfied feeling that can only come to the well and correctly dressed.



We solicit your patronage solely on the merits of our merchandise, coupled with our manner and method of serving you.

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"THE ONE PRICE STORE"

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Prices right on fine watches at Stocking's.
The finest in stationery at Stocking's Store.
If it's needed in school you'll find it at Stocking's.
See the new styles in ladies' boots, at Baldwin Bros.
Buy your electric light globes at Stocking's Store.
Connally Ward of Memphis was in the city Tuesday.
If you are going to buy a wagon see Headrick & Son.
Bring in that watch or clock and let Stanley work it over.
If you are going to buy a wagon see Headrick & Son.
A beautiful line of King Bee and Gage hats. The Vogue.
Miss Jennie Dale Powell was a visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.
Eastman Kodaks and Kodak goods, just received at Stocking's.
Murray Wolf of Hedley visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank White Sunday.
Misses Hattie and Maud Thompson were here from McLean Monday.
See Johnson & Stewart for all kinds of windmill repairs, pipe work and plumbing repairs.
Big patriotic picture at the Pastime Monday, Sept. 24th, "The Eagle's Wings." Only 10 cents.

Go to Clarendon Drug Company for Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens.
We are delighted to show you hats worth seeing, at Harned Sisters'.
We sell kerosene oil by the barrel—the kind that burns. Baldwin Bros.
See "The Eagle's Wings," Monday, Sept. 24, at the Pastime Theatre. 10c.
Good used cars for sale. Some trade, cattle or mules. J. H. O'Neill.
Arthur Sims made a business trip to Fort Worth the first of the week.
See "The Eagle's Wings," Monday, Sept. 24, at the Pastime Theatre. 10c.
Tom Kennedy is over from his farm near Wellington for a few days' visit.
Albert Greer of Lelia Lake attended to business in Clarendon Monday.
Let Stanley test your eyes free, and fit your glasses, and you'll be satisfied.
Cosmetics, fresh and fine, at Stocking's Store. The very latest up-to-now stuff.
William S. Hart Saturday, in the "Square Deal Man," at the Pastime. 10 cents.
Northern extra select oysters, 35c per dozen, \$1 per quart. Caraway's Restaurant.
"The Square Deal Man," featuring William S. Hart, at the Pastime Saturday. 10 cents.
Mrs. J. F. Draffen and little son, J. F. Jr., of St. Louis, Mo., arrived here Wednesday morning for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sims.

Some good Jersey milk cows for sale, or will trade for stock cattle. E. M. Ozier.
W. W. Massey of Texarkana came in today, Thursday, to accept a position as bookkeeper at Ozier's.
William S. Hart Saturday, in the "Square Deal Man," at the Pastime. 10 cents.
The latest styles of New York and St. Louis arrive every week at Harned Sisters' Millinery.
BLACKBOARD CLOTH is the very thing for schools. You will find it at Stocking's.
New shipment of Roberts, Johnson & Rand "all leather" shoes for the entire family, at Baldwin Bros.
See "America Is Ready," the newest war picture of the U. S., at the Lyric, Saturday matinee and night.
Rev. C. B. Ingram will begin a meeting at Giles next Sunday at 11 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.
Mrs. Mattie Steel of Goodnight and Mrs. Minnie Crocher of Claude were visitors in Clarendon Wednesday.
Start the school term off right by getting a fountain pen and Ever-Sharp pencil. Goldston has 'em.
"The Square Deal Man," featuring William S. Hart, at the Pastime Saturday. 10 cents.
Big patriotic picture at the Pastime Monday, Sept. 24th, "The Eagle's Wings." Only 10 cents.
A new lot of charming models for miss and matron. All at popular prices, at Harned Sisters' Millinery.
The store that is always new invites you to come see what we have received in ladies' suits, coats and waists. The very latest styles produced. Baldwin Bros.
Richard Bellah of Childress stopped off for a few days' visit with his sister, Mrs. Jack Killough, this week, before going to Trinidad to enter Army service.
A letter from G. W. Antrobus apprises The News that he is in the Bethesda Hospital at Cincinnati, Ohio, where he says he "is doing as well as could be expected." He sends his regards to his Clarendon friends.
Mrs. J. P. Hagler and little son, Tom Bob, arrived in Clarendon from Fort Worth for a short visit with Mr. Hagler, who is a representative in this territory for the Texas Motor Car Association. They are stopping at the Denver hotel.

Fresh Vegetables OUR STORE IS THE PLACE

The housewives of Clarendon are realizing that if there is any Fresh Vegetables to be had that they can be found at our store.

PHONE US FOR YOUR NEEDS

Blanchard's Grocery

PHONE NO. 4 CLARENDON, TEXAS

Look! Look!

Bring your Poultry, Eggs and Hides to

CLARENDON PRODUCE COMP'Y

Opposite Post Office, in Shoe Shop We Make the Price. Phone 278

M. S. Parsons & Sons

KAY-TIMMONS

A quiet morning wedding of more than usual interest was celebrated at 7 o'clock on Monday morning, September 17th, at the Methodist church, when Mrs. Cornelia Timmons became the bride of Mr. John Conway Kay of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Timmons has lived in Clarendon for the past four years, and has endeared herself to her many friends by her sweet personality. She is a talented musician and has been very successful in her chosen profession. Her departure will be keenly felt by a large circle of friends.

Judge Kay has the reputation of being one of the most successful jurists in central Texas. As a man he stands for the betterment of the country and is behind the President.

Dr. Burkhead, who has tied so many nuptial knots in Clarendon, officiated on this occasion, being a life-long friend of the bride, as also the bride's parents.

Mrs. Mary Adams sang Halache Love Song, and Mr. R. Deane Shure played "Shure's Wedding March."

Mrs. Kay's going away gown was tailored in the new autumn shade of beet red, with black hat and accessories to match.

The out of town guests at the wedding included: Mrs. William Craven of Pampa, Mrs. Frank Richards of Mineral Wells, sister of the bride, Miss Mary Bingham of Texline, Mr. W. A. Kay, brother of the groom, of Graham, Judge A. H. Caragan and Mr. J. J. Perkins of Wichita Falls.

Most sincere congratulations go from Clarendon to Judge and Mrs. Kay, in their new life together.

LAND SALES

J. T. Warren has made the following sales in the last ten days:

640 acres near Claude to a Mr. Haggerton.

320 acres south of Clarendon in Donley County to Mr. Campbell of Oklahoma.

160 acres in Donley county to Mr. Van Zandt of Hall county.

160 acres in Donley county to G. M. Grooms of Donley county.

160 acres in Donley county to J. A. Youngblood, formerly of New Mexico.

160 acres in Donley county to M. L. Johnson of New Mexico.

The McLean News to M. L. Moody of this city.

House and lot in Shamrock to G. M. Scott.

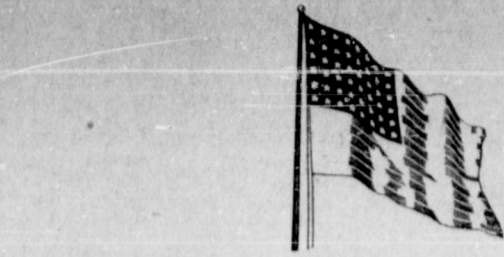
He has a large list of Donley County farms and Plains land for sale on very attractive terms.

Of course, if you want to sell, it will pay you to list with him. Phones 64, 321 and 306.

Always ready to go, and glad to have you call. J. T. WARREN.

NOTICE

The land known as the Troublesome Canyon is posted. No trespassing allowed. I am forced to do this to protect my interest. Do not force me to report you Wint Bairfield 450d



Big Special

AT

THE LYRIC

Saturday Matinee and Night

ADMISSION CHILDREN 10c ADULT (AFTERNOON) 20c and NIGHT 25c

"America is Ready"

A Sensation Every Red Blooded American Wants to See

A Patriotic Ensemble Portraying all of Uncle Sam's Finest Who are Ready to Fight for Old Glory

The Timeliest, Soul Stirring Film of the Hour Don't Miss This New Production of Actual Worth

SATURDAY, ONE DAY ONLY

NOTICE

We, the undersigned owners of garages and filling stations, will close at 9 a. m. and open at 6 p. m. to 7 p. m. Sundays, beginning Sept. 23, 1917.

FORD SERVICE STATION.

G. E. ALLEN.

J. T. PARKER.

CITY GARAGE.

L. C. JONES.

AUTO SERVICE STATION.

Thomas B. Carhart, enroute from Chicago to New Mexico, stopped over a couple of days to visit with his family, who have been spending the summer in Clarendon.

WANTED, county manager.—To organize and write fire and lightning and tornado insurance on mutual plan in legal reserve old line basis mutual, saving its policy holders 25 per cent of annual premium. Must be well recommended and able to give bond. An opportunity of lifetime for a hustler. Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Texas, Belton, Texas. 39c

DON'T FORGET

That the Aeolian Vocalion sold at Stocking's Store is the most perfect musical phonograph sold. Come in and let us demonstrate what it will do. We will take great pleasure in showing you.

Business is Good

Our Business for the Past 30 Days has Been 1-3 Larger Than We Anticipated

WHY?

BECAUSE—

We Sell Reputable Merchandise Only
Our Prices are Always Moderate
We Set the Pace in Latest Styles

New Shipments This Week

This week we have received a beautiful assortment of

- Silk Underwear
- Ladies' and Misses Crepe and Georgette Waists

And we are living up to our reputation as leaders in Ladies and Misses Ready-to-Wear by the strongest line shown in Clarendon of

- Coat Suits, Coats and Skirts

Clarendon Merc. Co.

THE JEWELRY THIEF didn't take all the jewelry at Stocking's Store. The best was safe in the safe. It is all O. K. Come in and make your selections.

FOR SALE—NO TRADE

160 acres, 2½ miles out, improved, \$40.00.

160 acres, 2½ miles out, improved, \$45.00.

960 acres, 12 miles out, improved, \$17.50.

1,500 acres, 11 miles out, improved, \$12.50.

2 sections raw Plains land with 7 sections leased, \$11.50 per acre, \$10,000.00 cash.

1120 acres at \$15.00 per acre. 8 sections leased.

3 sections Plains patented, \$10.00, \$4.00 per acre cash.

If you want land see me.

J. F. SMITH, Phone 399, Clarendon.

Help Fill The Barrels

We have placed a barrel at both of our Palace Confectioneries to be filled with Tobacco, Cigarettes, etc.,

For the Boys of Co. B, at Camp Bowie

Come in and make your contribution to the comfort and pleasure of OUR Soldier Boys.

Palaces No. 1 and 2

W. M. PATMAN, Proprietor

"BE YE ALSO READY"

Ready for cooler weather by having that fall suit and Overcoat put into presentable appearance by our **HIGH GRADE CLEANING AND PRESSING**

And by ordering that New Fall Suit and Overcoat Now. Give us your business.

Harvey's Tailor Shop

Hubert Zeigler, Manager

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Clyde Wright was an Amarillo visitor Tuesday.

Visit The Vogue before purchasing your fall hat.

If you are going to buy a wagon see Headrick & Son.

Dr. Stricklin of Goodnight visited in Clarendon this week.

S. K. Roach of Groom was a visitor in Clarendon Sunday.

W. H. Grounds made a flying trip to Memphis Wednesday.

H. Zeigler left Wednesday for Colorado to visit a few weeks.

We are glad to show you hats worth seeing, at Harned Sisters'.

Jno. Dodson of Amarillo was in our city Wednesday on business.

Mrs. John Mace of Hedley visited relatives in our city Tuesday.

If you have any kind of second hand furniture for sale, see Forbes.

See our beautiful line of new wrist watches. Goldston, the jeweler.

See "America Is Ready," the newest war picture of the U. S., at the Lyric, Saturday matinee and night.

Let Stanley work that watch over and make it tell the truth.

See "America Is Ready," at the Lyric, Saturday matinee and night.

Jack Wofford of Turkey was trading with our merchants Wednesday.

Mrs. Hurn and daughter, Miss Mary, were in town Saturday, shopping.

See our artistically designed and carefully made hats. The Vogue.

Miss Ruie McLean left Wednesday night for Dallas, to enter S. M. U.

Mrs. Tom Palmer of Memphis is a guest of Mrs. R. E. Mann this week.

F. M. Farnwalt of Alarced visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Medley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kent were in from the JA ranch Monday on business.

Carefully emphasized individuality in the King Bee and Gage hats. The Vogue.

Car load of broad tire wagons arrived at Rutherford's. See him for prices.

S. W. Norwood, Miss Irene Norwood and Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Lyle of Shamrock spent Sunday in Clarendon visiting relatives.

See "America Is Ready," at the Lyric, Saturday matinee and night.

Miss Irene Steed has returned to her home at Groom, after a visit with friends.

Mrs. Robt. Parker of Druce, Colo., is visiting Mesdames Ernest and R. B. Kizziar.

A. H. Baker and family and Miss Laura Anthony motored to Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gerner of Lelia Lake were Clarendon shoppers on Tuesday.

Mrs. Nora McMurtry of Tulsa will spend the winter in Clarendon with relatives.

See the Carrie Jacobs Bond window at Marquis Music Store, Friday and Saturday.

Just received, a full line of Bryant's chocolate candies, at Clarendon Drug Company.

J. W. Martin, prominent citizen of Claude, was in our city on business Wednesday.

H. T. Huffstutler of Brice was transacting business in Clarendon Wednesday.

Roy Britain of Amarillo went through here Monday night, enroute to S. M. U.

Miss Wilma McLean has gone to Pampa, where she teaches on the Morrison ranch.

Mrs. J. H. Cooper and children are visiting relatives at Fort Worth and Mineral Wells.

M. E. Kizziar of Roswell, N. M., father of R. B. Kizziar, visited in our city this week.

Robert Patton and Rhodes Woods of Panhandle visited relatives in Clarendon this week.

Miss Maud Walling of Dallas left Saturday night after a visit at the A. W. McLean home.

Mrs. T. B. Hilburn has returned home after an extended visit to Shamrock and Wheeler.

The latest styles of New York and St. Louis arrive every week at Harned Sisters' Millinery.

Rev. S. L. Joekel left Tuesday night for Austin, where he will take up the Y. M. C. A. work.

We sell real estate for a living and farm implements for fun. Emery & Harrel, Goodnight.

Miss Ethel Gentry left Sunday night for Kidd-Key College, Sherman, where she finishes this year.

See Johnson & Stewart for plumbing and windmills, well casing, pipe working, barrels, etc.

Misses Ruie McLean and Marjorie Norwood will leave Wednesday night for S. M. U. at Dallas.

A good family horse and storm-proof cab for sale at a bargain. Enquire of Dr. Stocking.

Coal bills are a large part of your living expense—reduce them by using Cole's Hot Blast Heaters.

See "America Is Ready," at the Lyric, Saturday matinee and night.

Miss Modena Anthony left Thursday morning for Ochiltree, where she will teach for a few weeks.

See "America Is Ready," the newest war picture of the U. S., at the Lyric, Saturday matinee and night.

If your eyes trouble you, come to us for relief. Satisfaction guaranteed. Goldston, jeweler and optician.

Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins went to Childress Tuesday, to attend a meeting of the Medical Association.

Misses Floy Silvey and Luce Miller left Tuesday morning for Dallas, where they will attend S. M. U.

T. H. Kizziar, wife and baby of Duke, Okla., have been recent guests of his brother, R. B. Kizziar and family.

Guy Kerbow left this week for Kansas City to accept a position with a leading hardware firm of that city.

"CHIC" expresses better than anything else the perfectly stunning hats that just arrived at Harned Sisters'.

A new lot of charming models for miss and matron. All at popular prices, at Harned Sisters' Millinery.

We have disc plows, drills, corn binders, and twine for sale. The price is right. Emery & Harrel, Goodnight.

Mrs. Ira Cooper of Panhandle arrived in Clarendon Sunday evening to visit a few days with Mrs. E. M. Ozier.

Goodwin Swenson of Silverton has been the guest of his sister, Miss Ellen Swenson, at Adair Hospital, this week.

Mrs. Lillie Howell left this week for Claude to visit relatives. She will soon go to Fort Worth to make her home.

Miss Fay Morrison left Monday morning for Denton to re-enter C. I. A. She will be one of this year's graduates.

R. H. Muir and family left Clarendon Tuesday morning for San Antonio to spend the winter. They are making the trip in their car.

Whitfield Carhart, popular cashier of the Farmers' State Bank, is having erected a beautiful brick home just west of the high school building.

Mrs. S. W. Norwood has returned home from Mexico, Mo., where she accompanied her son, Olin, who entered the Mexico Military Institute for this year.

We do not keep farm machinery, wagons, disc harrows, drills and corn binders. We sell them, and the price is right, that is why. Emery & Harrel, Goodnight.

Clyde Cockrell, with the firm of Russell & Cockrell, Amarillo, visited at the Joe M. Warren home Sunday. He was enroute to Wichita Falls to visit his parents.

Mrs. Rose Van Horn left for Wellington, Kansas, Wednesday night, where she will spend several months, before going to California to make her future home.

Mrs. W. R. Bourland and Miss Annie Bourland are in Fort Worth this week visiting relatives. Before returning they will visit in Arkansas for a few weeks.

NEW FALL MILLINERY

Back from market with all kinds of new fall hats. Also a shipment of Madam Grace corsets. Come and see us before buying. Sarah Porter.

Misses Maude and Hattie Thompson of McLean and Mrs. Jack Hindman of Clayton, N. M., were visitors in town Monday. Miss Maude left Tuesday morning for Dallas to enter S. M. U.

Miss Emma Bromley came through Wednesday night from Clayton, N. M., where she went to attend the wedding of Miss Katie Lurick. She was enroute to Dallas, where she will enter S. M. U.

Attorney James Mahan of Wellington was a business visitor in Clarendon this week. Mr. Mahan is a C. C. graduate, and we wish to congratulate him on the success he is making in his profession.

B. F. Naylor and daughter, Miss Ina, and A. C. Donnell and F. P. Dunkle were in Amarillo Monday on business. They report Amarillo country in a flourishing condition, the crops being especially fine.

Misses Marjorie and Dorothy Turner left Monday night for Eureka Springs, Ark., to enter Crescent College. They were joined by Miss Radie Britain, who, we understand, attends the same school this year.

Miss Maurine Mullins has opened her kindergarten with a large attendance. This promises to be an unusually splendid year for the little folks, and Miss Mullens is planning many interesting features for them.

Irving SoRelle, Hardy, and George Benson, John Sims, Edgar Patching, Forrest Sawyer and Harold Bugbee returned to their school work at A. & M. Sunday night. These are some more Clarendon boys who are making good.

The Sunny View community is indeed a most industrious and progressive one. They are always on the alert in every enterprise. Now those splendid people are tearing down the present school building and erecting a very handsome one in its stead.

W. H. Ribble of Graham, brother of Mrs. S. B. Kutch and J. D. Hall of Eldorado, Okla., stopped off in Clarendon several days this week and visited at the Kutch home. They were returning from Tucumcari, N. M., where they had attended the funeral of a relative.

HOMER GLASCOE

President

W. MORRISON

Vice President

WHITFIELD CARHART

Cashier

The Farmers State Bank

Capital \$50,000

Clarendon,

Texas

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Texas

FREE OF CHARGE

Any adult suffering from cough, cold or bronchitis, is invited to call at Stocking's Store and get absolutely free, a sample of Boschee's German Syrup, a soothing and healing remedy for all lung troubles, which has a successful record of fifty years. Gives the patient a good night's rest free from coughing, with free expectation in the morning.

Regular sizes 25 and 75 cents. For sale in all civilized countries. In Clarendon at Stocking's Store.

J. C. Harrel of the firm of Emery & Harrel, Goodnight, was in the city Wednesday morning on business. That Mr. Harrel is a believer in advertising is attested by the fact that while here he called at The News office and inserted several lines of readers, calling attention to this enterprising firm's line of wagons and implements.

YOUR WIFE CAN USE IT

If you are away from home and one of your horses takes the colic your wife can treat him if she has Farris' Colic Remedy in the house. It is easy to use. Just drop it on the horse's tongue and in thirty minutes he is relieved. Get it today. You may need it tomorrow. McDonald Drug Company.

Mesdames R. T. Darnell and Enoch of the Brice community were in Clarendon Saturday, shopping.

"CHIC" expresses better than anything else the perfectly stunning hats that just arrived at Harned Sisters'.

H. H. Sitner spent the week end at Amarillo on business.

If You Need--- INSURANCE

of any kind—

Fire

Life

Health

Accident

See me

Also have 7 room house to sell. Will take good Ford car part payment.

One good section near town for \$16 per acre bonus.

SEE

Leon O. Lewis.

Oscar Jenkins is home for a few days' visit with his parents. He has been assisting at the Harris Hospital, Fort Worth, during the summer months. He leaves the latter part of the week for Galveston, where he takes up his studies in the medical department of the State University.

Electric Repairing Our Specialty

We have employed another mechanic whose specialty is any kind of ignition, starter, generator, magneto or coil troubles in any make car.

A Trial Will Demonstrate His Skill

This Garage has a growing patronage because we repair automobiles Right—no makeshifts allowed with us.

The City Garage

PHONE 266

CLARENDON, TEXAS

Have You Done Your Bit To Make Sammy Happy?

Leave your contribution to the Star-Telegram Tobacco Fund here. A quarter sends 45c worth of Tobacco to one of the boys in France, postage paid. Your receipt will be a post card from the boy receiving your package.

BRING IN YOUR QUARTER

Bryan & Son

THE REXALL STORE

"WE'RE IN BUSINESS FOR YOUR HEALTH"



Styleplus Clothes
\$17 and \$21

Each grade the standard of style and quality

Each grade the same price the nation over

Back of the Styleplus success is the Styleplus Idea—style plus guaranteed quality at a known price. This policy enables the makers to concentrate a great volume and to lower their costs. That's why Styleplus have remained at \$17 during the last three years. Now the United States is at war and new conditions prevail in the fabric market. To meet them and to insure offering you an ever wider range of fabrics and models the new \$21 grade is created.

Style plus all-wool fabric plus perfect fit plus expert workmanship plus guaranteed wear

Styleplus Clothes \$17 (black label) excel at their price.
Styleplus Clothes \$21 (green label) excel at their price.

HAYTER BROS. - - Clarendon, Texas

Styleplus \$17
Styleplus \$21

The same prices the nation over

Coal Coal

Don't Let the Coal Shortage Get You

WE HAVE A LARGE AMOUNT OF GOOD NUT AND LUMP

COAL

on hand now, but with the shortage of cars and the demand increasing, it will pay you to get your winter Coal now. PHONE 316.

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Coal Coal

THIS WOMAN GAINED SEVENTEEN POUNDS

Tanlac Makes Her Well and Strong After Fifteen Years of Suffering

"Tanlac has made a well woman of me after I had suffered for fifteen years and had gotten to the point where I didn't believe I could possibly live much longer," was the remarkable statement made a few days ago by Mrs. Lottie Swofford, wife of H. H. Swofford, the popular salesman for the Jewel Tea Company, and living at the St. Charles Hotel, Galveston, Texas. "Yes, it's true," continued Mrs. Swofford. "I have gained seventeen pounds on Tanlac and am stronger and feel better than I have since I can remember. Ever since I was a child I have suffered terribly with catarrh of the stomach and I don't believe anybody could have been in a worse condition than I was for the past few years. I suffered constantly with the most awful pains in my stomach and nearly all over my body and I had

such terrible headaches that sometimes I almost went distracted. "My food soured on my stomach and formed gas that would get around my heart and smother me so I could hardly breathe and my heart would flutter and palpitate until I almost thought it would jump out. I got to where I didn't hardly eat enough to keep a bird alive, but even that would come right back up in my throat undigested and at last my stomach got into such a condition that it wouldn't even retain raw eggs and I had to live on beef tea alone. "I was so weak that I couldn't walk across the room, and when I tried to walk I would get so dizzy I would fall, and would have to be lifted around from place to place. I was as nervous as I could be and the slightest sound would make me jump and tremble all over, and I gradually went down in weight until I only weighed eighty-five pounds. I was an absolute wreck and didn't see how I could possibly ever get well. I tried everything I could find but I didn't get one bit of relief, and goodness only knows where I would be now if it hadn't been for Tanlac. "I began taking this medicine as a sort of last resort and I couldn't tell myself whether it was doing me any good or not, but I stuck to Tanlac, determined to give it a thorough trial. Well, sir, when I was on my fourth bottle I began to notice an improvement and from that time on I kept getting better, and now, after taking eight bottles, I feel as well as I ever felt in my life. I never dreamed or dared to hope that I would feel as well as I do now and I can't begin to tell you how grateful I am. "All my troubles are gone and my nerves are as steady as iron, I eat just anything I want and nothing gives me a minute's trouble, and I now weigh one hundred and two pounds. I sleep splendidly and feel strong and full of energy all the time. Why, it's no effort at all for me to walk from here to the beach and back and that's a distance of two miles, and I feel so fine I just can't help telling everybody I meet about Tanlac. My husband thinks it's the greatest medicine that was ever made and he tells all his customers how it brought back my health when nothing else would even help me. I am glad to give this statement and hope that lots of other suffering people will read it and get relief like I did. "Tanlac is sold in Clarendon by Dr. J. D. Stocking, in Hedley by J. F. Tomlinson Drug Co., and in Jericho by O. C. Brown. Rev. C. D. West of Tuscola has been a guest of Rev. J. W. Story and family this week.

"A SHINE IN EVERY DROP"

Black Silk Stove Polish

is not only most economical, but it gives a brilliant, silky lustre that cannot be obtained with any other polish. Black Silk Stove Polish does not rub off—it lasts four times as long as ordinary polish—so it saves you time, work and money.

Don't forget—when you want stove polish, be sure to ask for Black Silk. If it isn't the best stove polish you ever used—your dealer will refund your money.

Black Silk Stove Polish Works, Sterling, Illinois.

Use Black Silk Air Drying Iron Enamel on grates, registers, stove pipes, and automobile tire rims. Prevents rusting. Try it.

Use Black Silk Metal Polish for silverware, nickel, tinware or brass. It works quickly, easily and leaves a brilliant surface. It has no equal for use on automobiles.

Get a Can TODAY

Bank Statements Reflect Prosperity in Donley County

No. 819 BANKS Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the Farmers State Bank

at Clarendon, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on the 11th day of September, 1917, published in The Clarendon News, a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, State of Texas, on the 20th day of September, 1917.

Resources

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$117,285.40
Overdrafts	1,004.08
Real estate, (banking house)	10,600.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,404.57
Due from approved reserve agents, net	6,008.35
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check, net	8.50
Cash items	341.98
Currency	2,200.00
Specie	7,529.12
Int. in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,493.70
Total	\$148,876.50

Liabilities

Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	530.00
Undivided profits, net	14,350.82
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check, net	1,381.55
Individual deposits, subject to check	78,927.03
Time certificates of deposit	3,687.10
Total	\$148,876.50

State of Texas, County of Donley: We, Homer Glascoe, as president, and Whitfield Carhart, 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.

HOMER GLASCOE, President. WHITFIELD CARHART, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of September, A. D. 1917.

[Seal.] LEON O. LEWIS, Justice of the Peace and Ex Officio Notary Public, Donley County, Tex. Correct—Attest: C. R. Skinner, D. W. Clappitt, J. W. Hastings, Directors.

FORMER CLARENDON BOY NOW AN AVIATOR

The News publishes herewith a letter written by a former Clarendon boy, now Sergeant J. P. Brinley, in the Aviation Corps at San Antonio. Sgt. Brinley is a nephew of S. E. Attebury of this city, and was named for J. B. Pope, who lived here some years ago. Following is the letter to his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Attebury.

"Kelley Field," Sept. 15, 1917. Dear Uncle and Aunt: I will write this letter to both of you, for I have been quite busy for the past month and have not had the usual time for correspondence. I must keep up with my letters to mother first and after that I try to answer all the folks' letters as I find the time. I was quite busy preparing for the examination here for the Officers' Reserve, which I passed successfully last Friday and Saturday. The mental test was not very difficult, but the physical examination was sure a hard one. You must have a strong healthy body, with exceptionally good eyes and physical balance. If you can get the Saturday Evening Post of Sept. 1st issue you will find an article in it entitled, "The Aviator's Sixth Sense," written by a Sergeant in the Medical Corps, which is a true description of the physical tests which I went through. These tests were given at the Memorial Hospital in San Antonio by an expert civilian doctor on eyes and he was assisted by two Army doctors. I was stripped of clothing for four hours, and, believe me, if there was anything wrong with you there was no chance to get by them. The examination to get into the Army at time of enlistment is like attending a Sunday school picnic in comparison to the examination physically for the Officers' Reserve. Out of eight applicants just one other and myself passed, and he passed on the condition that he must have a slight operation on his nose to remove a growth which had formed. Well, I have my chance now, and it is up to Uncle Sammy to train me for a flyer with the birds, and, believe me, I am going to make good as an aviator. Whether I shall be sent to the University at Austin or trained here on "Kelly Field," I am unable to state, but at present am working every day on aeroplanes and can set them up and align them perfectly. The motors are set up at the factory and I have never had a chance to get familiar, but will go into the shops in a few days and get acquainted with them. This field has grown to be the best in the world and we have good quarters, food, clothing, liberty and everything. I wish you both could see the wonders that have been accomplished in just four months. I can hardly believe it to be true. At present there is a bunch of students here taking their final flying tests, and day before yesterday morning at six an accident happened to one of them at a height of 300 feet. He fell to the ground and machine and motor was smashed to pieces, but he was lucky enough to come out O. K., with just a slight cut on his neck. Give me that boy's luck and anything will do for brains. Well, I suppose you are tired of this Army news, but it is all I know to write about. I suppose it is quite sad for Aunt Ida to have to give up Louis, but this is a time when everyone must make sacrifices for their country, and if he has no dependants it is not so bad as it might be. I do not believe in married men going, but a single man must take his chance if he is physically capable. There are lots of sad homes in the United States at this time, and I hope that we will put up such a battle that it will become unnecessary for the generations that follow us to have to fight. "A Nation of the People, for the People, by the

No. 14 BANKS Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the Donley County State Bank

at Clarendon, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 11th day of September, 1917, published in The Clarendon News, a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, State of Texas, on the 20th day of September, 1917.

Resources

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$345,088.62
Loans, real estate	18,000.00
Overdrafts	1,344.13
Bonds and Stocks	23,000.00
Real estate, (banking house)	10,000.00
Other Real Estate	600.00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,000.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	187,701.05
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check, net	2.00
Cash Items	7,134.02
Currency	22,521.00
Specie	10,629.04
Int. in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	4,839.66
Other resources as follows:	
Bills of exchange	75,258.23
Assmt. Guaranty Fund	1,254.37
Total	\$709,772.12

Liabilities

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	12,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	11,803.38
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	5,442.20
Individual Deposits, Subject to check	564,809.35
Time certificates of deposit	30,262.18
Demand certificates of deposit	15,727.88
Cashier's checks	19,727.13
Bills payable and rediscounts	600.00
Certificates of deposits, issued for money borrowed	600.00
Other Liabilities as follows	600.00
Total	\$709,772.12

State of Texas, County of Donley: We, Thomas S. Bugbee, as president, and F. E. Chamberlain, 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.

THOS. S. BUGBEE, President. F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of September, A. D. 1917.

C. A. BURTON, Notary Public, Donley County, Texas. Correct—Attest: Wesley Knorrp, J. L. McMurtry, W. J. Lewis, Directors.

GOVERNOR CAPPER ENDORSES "CIVILIZATION," PASTIME SEPT. 18-29

Topeka, Kan., March 17, 1917. Mr. W. P. Sullivan, Manager "Civilization," 315 Shubert Building, Kansas City, Mo. Dear Mr. Cullen: Your letter of March 3rd was duly received and I thank you very much for favoring me with tickets of "Civilization." I saw the show. It is certainly a wonderful production. With best regards, I am, Very respectfully, ARTHUR CAPPER.

Land Bargains for Sale by G. C. DAVIS

960-acre improved stock farm, 20 acres in cultivation, 200 more extra fine level black loam soil. All fine grass land. Price \$13.00 per acre. 4 sections, fenced and living water. \$8.00 per acre. 4 sections, improved, \$8.50 per acre, and many similar bargains. Come and see me. G. C. DAVIS, Clarendon. Phones: Office, 490; Residence, 432.

Dr. B. L. Jenkins returned home Sunday morning from Fort Worth, where he was called to attend his mother, who was ill. We are glad to report her improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Bugbee accompanied their son, Harold, to College Station, to place him in A. & M.

Charter No. 5463 Reserve District No. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank AT CLARENDON, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON SEPT. 11, 1917.

RESOURCES

1. a Loans and Discounts (except those shown on b and c)	\$184,266.77
b Acceptances of other banks discounted: Advance against B. L. Grain Draft	891.88
Total Loans	\$185,158.65
2. Overdrafts, secured, \$2741.37; unsecured, \$278.66	3,020.03
5. U. S. Bonds (other than Liberty Bonds of 1917: a U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	\$ 50,000.00
50,000.00	
6. a Liberty Loan Bonds, owned unpledged	98.00
98.00	
7. Bonds, Securities, etc.: b Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure Postal Savings deposits	\$ 1,000.00
1,000.00	
c Securities other than U. S. Bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	9,757.54
Total bonds, securities, etc.	10,757.54
9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	2,400.00
2,400.00	
10. a Value of banking house	\$ 5,000.00
5,000.00	
11. Furniture and fixtures	35.00
35.00	
13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	15,705.87
15,705.87	
15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from National Banks	93,098.14
93,098.14	
18. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 17)	820.75
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	\$ 93,918.89
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
2,500.00	
21. Other Assets: Unadjusted items	52.30
52.30	
Total	\$368,646.28

LIABILITIES

22. Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
50,000.00	
23. Surplus Fund	30,900.00
30,900.00	
24. a Undivided Profits	\$ 2,729.67
2,729.67	
b Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	1,518.77
1,518.77	
25. Amount reserved for taxes accrued	1,843.98
1,843.98	
27. Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
50,000.00	
30. Net amounts due to banks and bankers (other than included in 28 or 29)	1,498.53
1,498.53	

Demand Deposits Subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):

31. INDIVIDUAL DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK	206,405.98
32. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	15,681.02
34. Cashier's checks outstanding	3,187.90
37. Dividends unpaid	100.00
Total demand deposits subject to Reserve, Items 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, and 38	\$224,774.90

Time Deposits Subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice):

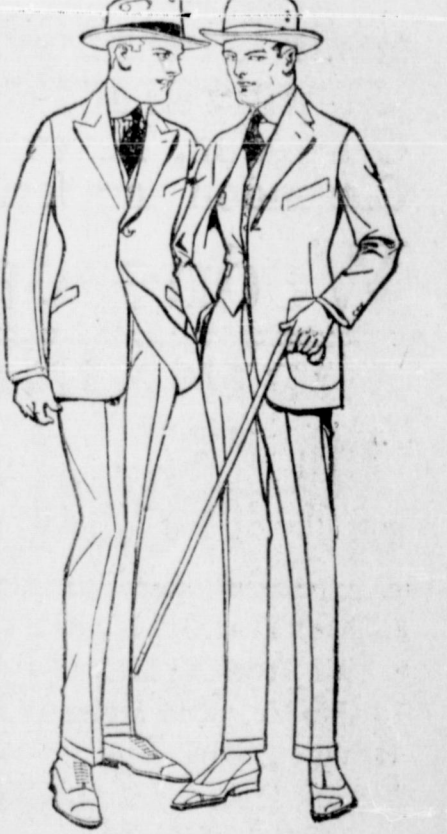
39. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	9,032.79
41. Postal Savings deposits	285.18
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 39, 40, 41, and 42	\$ 9,317.97
Total	\$368,646.28

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY, ss: I, W. W. Taylor, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. W. TAYLOR, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September, 1917. A. M. BEVILLE, Notary Public. Correct—Attest: H. W. TAYLOR, W. K. PATRICK, R. I. PATRICK, Directors.

FROM WINDY VALLEY

Rev. Watts preached at the school house Sunday afternoon, and will preach again the first Sunday in October. Everybody come. Mr. Debord and family and Miss Jack Bills were the guests in the S. J. Ayer home Sunday. Miss Ruby Shaw has gone to Hedley to attend school. E. E. Beach and wife, Wylie Alexander and wife, visited in Hall county last week. Mrs. Perdue visited Mrs. Jim Stogner Sunday. J. J. Bills and Clay Inmon are sporting new Fords. Fred Snodgrass of Oklahoma City is here on a visit with home folks. Emmett Christie and wife spent Sunday with W. H. Miller and wife. Bill Allee has purchased a Chevrolet car. Obe Rich returned home Sunday, after a week's stay at Vernon. Miss Lacy Stogner took dinner Sunday with Mrs. Sligar. Loyd and Bernice Christie spent Sunday with Julian and Lattimore Ewing. Jim Blanke of Clarendon "Forded" down this way Sunday. Miss Mary Helen Bain from Clarendon College visited home folks last Sunday and Monday. Bill Hillman and family visited in Lelia Lake Saturday and Sunday. The Windy Valley singing class met Sunday night at the church and elected new officers, as follows: President, Bill Allee; vice president, Lawrence Sligar; secretary and treasurer, Miss Ola DeBord; organist, Miss Mary F. Ray; leaders, S. J. Ayer, Tom Perdue, and J. B. Stogner. The class will meet again the first Sunday night in October. Everybody come and be prepared to sing, is the wish of DIMPLES. Misses Edith Casey and Nellie Trammell of Fort Worth came in Wednesday night, and will visit with Misses Anne Davis and Leta Warren. Arthur Sims went to Fort Worth Tuesday night on business.



Clothes Economy

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five hundred feet in the direction toward which such motor vehicle is facing, and shall also carry at the rear a lighted lamp exhibiting one red light plainly visible for a distance of five hundred feet to the rear.

At the times and under the conditions hereinbefore specified in this section, every motorcycle or bicycle, while on the public highway when in operation, shall carry on its front one lighted lamp showing a white light visible under normal atmospheric conditions at least two hundred feet in the direction toward which such motorcycle or bicycle is facing and shall also carry at the rear of such motorcycle or bicycle one red light plainly visible from the rear.

Glaring and High-Ray Lights Prohibited—Provided that no automobile or motorcycle or bicycle shall be used upon the highways of this state which is equipped with a lamp which when lighted is capable of projecting direct rays of a greater height than a parallel of four feet from the road; provided, however, that any automobile, motorcycle or bicycle may be equipped with a lamp capable of projecting direct rays at a greater height than a parallel of four feet from the road, if such lamp, when lighted, is not capable of producing a dazzling light or glare.

Rules for Abatement of Smoke and Noise—Every motor vehicle must have devices in good working order which shall be at all times in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noises, annoying smoke and the escape of gas, steam or oil as well as the falling out of residue from fuel, and all exhaust pipes carrying exhaust gas from the engine shall be directly parallel to the ground or slightly upward. Devices known as "muffler cut-out" shall not be used within the limits of any incorporated city or town or on any public highway where the territory contiguous thereto is closely built up.

Operation by Intoxicated Person Prohibited—No intoxicated person shall operate or drive a motor or any other vehicle upon any public highway in this state.

Chauffeurs Required to Have License—No person shall employ for hire as a chauffeur of a motor vehicle any person not licensed as in this Act provided.

No person shall allow a motor vehicle owned by him or under his control to be operated by any chauffeur who has no legal right to do so.

Unattended Car—No person having control or charge of a motor vehicle shall allow such vehicle to stand in

NEW AUTOMOBILE LAW

Below is copied part of the law regulating the operation of automobiles and motor vehicles, and all persons operating the same should do so in accordance with these provisions, as a violation of the same will subject them to prosecution.

Signals—Every motor vehicle shall be equipped with a bell, gong, horn, whistle or other device in good working order, capable of emitting an abrupt sound adequate in quality and volume to give warning of the approach of such motor vehicle to pedestrians and to the rider or driver of animals, or of other vehicles and persons

entering or leaving street, interurban or railroad cars. Every person operating a motor vehicle shall sound said bell, gong, horn, whistle or other device whenever necessary as a warning of danger but not at other times or for other purposes.

Lights—Every motor vehicle other than a motorcycle while on the public highways of this State, when in operation, during the period of one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise, and at all times when fog or other atmospheric conditions render the operation of such vehicles unusually dangerous to traffic and the use of the highways, shall carry at the front at least two lighted lamps showing the white lights visible under normal atmospheric conditions at least

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Wednesday, September 26, '17

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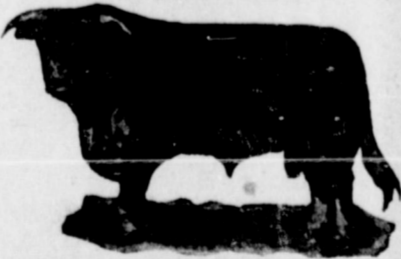
39 Head Horses and Mules

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| 3 Three Year Old Mules | 1 Bay Mare 3 years old, about 15 hands high |
| 8 Two Year Old Mules | 1 Bay Mare 8 years old and extra good saddle mare |
| 10 One Year Old Mules | 1 Bay Mare 9 years old |
| 11 Mule Colts | 1 Gray Mare 5 years old |
| 1 Black Mare about 15 hands high; 9 years old | 1 Gray Mare about 9 years old; a good brood mare |
| 1 Brown Mare about 15 hands high; good brood mare | |



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any public street or public highway unattended without first effectively setting the brakes thereon and stopping the motor of said vehicle.

Rules for Operation of Vehicles on Public Highways—The driver or operator of any vehicle upon any public highway in this state shall drive or operate such vehicle in a careful manner, with due regard for the safety and convenience of pedestrians and all other vehicles or traffic upon such highway, and wherever practicable shall travel on the right-hand side of such highway. Two vehicles which are passing each other in opposite directions shall have the right of way and no other vehicle to the rear of either of such two vehicles shall pass or attempt to pass two such vehicles. On all occasions the driver or operator of any vehicle on or upon any public highway in this state shall travel upon the right-hand side of such highway unless the road on the left-hand side of such highway is clear and unobstructed for a distance of at least fifty yards ahead.

Vehicles proceeding in opposite directions shall pass each other to the right, each giving to the other one-half of the road as nearly as possible. Vehicles overtaking other vehicles proceeding in the same direction shall pass to the left thereof and shall not again drive to the right until the road is reasonably clear of such overtaken vehicle.

It shall be the duty of a driver, rider, or operator of a vehicle about to be overtaken and passed, to give way to the right in favor of the overtaking vehicle on suitable or audible signal, given by or on behalf of the operator, driver or other person in charge and control of such overtaking vehicle, if such overtaking vehicle be a motor vehicle.

Excepting where controlled by such traffic ordinances or regulations, enacted by the local authorities, as are permitted under this act, the operator of a vehicle approaching an intersection on the public highway shall yield the right-of-way to a vehicle approaching such intersection, from the right of such first-named vehicle.

It shall be the duty of the person operating or in charge of an overtaking vehicle to sound audible and suitable signal before passing a vehicle proceeding in the same direction.

All vehicles approaching an intersection of the public highway with the intention of turning thereat, shall, in

turning to the right, keep to the right of the center of such intersection and in turning to the left, shall run beyond the center of such intersection, passing to the right before turning such vehicle to the left.

In all passing and overtaking, such assistance shall be given by the occupants of each vehicle respectively to the other as the circumstances shall reasonably demand in order to obtain clearance and avoid accident.

Every person having control or charge of any motor vehicle or other vehicle upon any public highway and approaching any vehicle drawn by horse or horses, or any horse upon which any person is riding, shall operate, manage and control such motor vehicle or other vehicle in such manner as to exercise every reasonable precaution to prevent frightening of any such horse or horses and to insure the safety of any person riding or driving the same; and if such horse or horses appear frightened, the person in control of such motor vehicle or other vehicle shall reduce its speed, and if requested by signal of the hand, by the driver or rider of such horse or horses, shall not proceed further toward such animal or animals unless such movement be necessary to avoid injury or accident, until such animal or animals shall be under the control of the rider or driver thereof.

The person in control of any vehicle moving slowly along upon any public highway, shall keep such vehicle as closely as possible to the right-hand boundary of the highway, allowing more swiftly moving vehicles reas-

onable free passage to the left.

The person in charge of any vehicle in or upon any public highway, before turning, stopping or changing the course of such vehicle, shall see first that there is sufficient space for such movement to be made in safety, and if the movement or operation of other vehicles may be reasonable be affected by such turning, stopping or changing of course, shall give plainly audible signal to the person operating, driving or in charge of such vehicle of his intentions so to turn, stop or change said course.

In passing any railroad, interurban or street car while passengers are alighting from or boarding the same, vehicles shall be operated with due care and caution so that the safety of such passengers shall be protected and for that purpose said vehicle shall be brought to a full stop, if reasonably necessary to obtain the object of this subdivision.

Every motor vehicle, when moving along such portions of the road where the curvature of the road or highway prevents a clear view for a distance of one hundred yards, shall be held under control, and the operator thereof in approaching curves or sharp turns in the road, shall give a warning by his gong or other adequate signaling device.

Speed in Passing Other Vehicles—Motor vehicles in passing each other on the highways shall slow down their speed to fifteen miles per hour.

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