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MASS MEETING FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT PASTIME THEATRE TO DISCUSS AND ORGANIZE COMMERCIAL CLUB

ORGANIZATION TO BE NAMED "DONLEY COUNTY COMMERCIAL CLUB"- WILL BE MADE UP OF FARMERS, STOCKMEN AND BUSINESS MEN AND WILL DEVOTE ITS ENERGIES TO THE PROMOTION OF EVERY INTEREST IN THE COUNTY

ENJOYS NUT PARTY

The young people's class of the

First Christian church Bible school,

were given a nut party at the home

of their pastor, P. R. Huckleberry

last Thursday night, Jan. 9th, from 7 to 10 o'clock.

Quite an interesting contest was see-

ing who could lift the largest num

ber of peanuts from a dish by stabing them with a hatpin. Another

contest consisted in carrying pea-

nuts from one room to another with an ordinary table knife. Guessing

contests and games were the order

of the evening.
Miss Ruby Douthitt won the prize

points in all contests and George Latham won the prize for lowest

Refreshments were served, consist-

All reported a joyful evening and

WHO GETS THE FREE TICKETS?

nineteen in all were present.

cal advertisements of this

Mrs. Wm. Gray visited the Good-

night orphanage a short time sine

ing of nuts and fruit salad and nut

After songs, scripture quotations and prayer, they entered into the games and contests of the evening.

A preliminary meeting of representative business and professional SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS men held last Friday evening at 5 o'clock at the Pastime Theatre set the ball to rolling for the organiza-tion of a commercial club, county-wide in its scope, and universal in its application to the industries of the

In addition to the local men present, Messrs. French and Short of the State department of Agriculture and the Agricultural Agent of the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad, respectively, were on hand with the county agent to give words of encourage-ment and pledge their hearty co-op-eration to every activity of the club which in any way tended to the ad-vancement of the farmers of the county. After Joe Goldston had been temporary chairman of the meeting and discussion was had as Miss Ruby Douthitt won the prize to the objects and purposes of the (which was a Bible) for the most proposed organization it was decided to put the matter in the hands of a committee whose duty it would be to canvass the situation, solicit members, promote the interest in the club, outline the specific purposes of the club, nominate suitable officers for the organization and present their report for revision and adoption at a mass meeting Friday afternoon at the Pastime Theatre in Clarendon at 3 o'clock. The commit-Beginning with the first of Janutee was named as follows: A. L. ary, The News adopted a policy for Chase, Tom F. Connally and J. T. the segregation of pay-locals from

Patman.

The News is pleased to give this of news, running them under the meeting wide publicity and invite evhead of "Business Locals." We did ery farmer, stockman, merchant, clerk, as well as all professional men in the county to this meeting. There is not a citizen in the county whose is not a citizen in the county whose interest will not be advanced by the activity of this proposed organization, therefore it is entitled to his active support and influence.

There is numberless avenues of helpfulness for the farming and cattle industries of Donlay County and the county of the county and the county an

industries of Donley County and arranged to give away each week, should be the highest purpose of two tickets to the Pastime Theatre to the person who finds his name dizerient of these industries cannot cal advertisements of this special but help every legitimate business in the county.

Read every local for any one of them might contain your

Of course it will cost some money to do the job right, but everything costs money if it is worth anything, for the tickets. You cannot afford come interested, the smaller individual cost attached.

News this year. We propose to give Clarendon the best paper she ever al cost attached

Come out, and see that your neighbor comes along. His influence added to yours means double strength and his dollar added to yours gives greater power to your money. The year 1919 ought to be the greatest year of progress in the history of Donley County and if it isn't you ought to see to it that it isn't your

Long live the Donley County Commercial Club, and it won't be popular to be a non-member.

Pastime Theatre, 3 p. m., Friday, Jan. 17th.

VESPER SERVICE AT METHOD-IST CHURCH DRAWS CROWD

The second vesper service to be conducted under the direction of R. Deane Shure, was well attended Sunday afternoon, despite sickness and muddy walks and roads. These services are growing in interest and at-tendance, and from the many complimentary remarks heard are being

enjoyed to the fullest. The organ numbers rendered by Mr. Shure and the violin solo by Miss Evangeline Loeffler were up to these artists' usual standard of ex-cellence. Choir renditions showed improvement, giving some very beauti-ful selections

These vesper services will be held regularly once each month, to which everybody is invited.

W. G. Word and wife are rejoicing because of the coming of a beauti-ful little daughter to their home.

Saturday night Baby Addie Leta

ADDIE LETA DOSS DEAD

R. B. CRAIG DEAD AT SEA

It is with the deepest regret and Doss died at Tolbert, after suffering sorrow that The News has cause to for several days with a complication appraise his many friends of the disorders. She is the daughter death of R. B. Craig which occurred of Alfred Doss, who is teacher of December 12th of pneumonia. He the Tolbert school. Its mother, nee sailed for France October 6th, and Miss Addie Inman, died two years readily contracted this disease which ago. The body was brought to Clarproved fatal before landing at his endon Monday morning for interment. Dr. S. E. Burkhead conducted the service. The News extends and Mrs. W. H. Craig, now of Kansincerest sympathy to the bereaved sas City, attending our schools and ones in their loss. ones in their loss.

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Mrs. May Shaver of Claude visited with Mrs. Harry Menefee Monday.

was very popular with his associates. His wife, and parents are at present in California for the winter months.

DISTRICT COURT IS

VERY LITTLE TO DO IN THIS TERM OF DISTRICT COURT— A CONDITION REFLECTING CREDIT ON OUR COUNTY

n, Monday, with District Judge H. Bishop presiding.

Below we publish the docket for this session of the court: Margaret A. Woodridge vs. E. O. Barnes, et al. No. 861. John F. Craig vs. Frank B. Letts, Mutual Film Company vs. W. C

Benton, No. 94. N. M. Hornsby vs. R. H. Jones, No. J. E. Hughes vs. F. M. Clark, et al. No. 999.

Clarendon Grain Company vs. Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Worth and Denver Company, et al No. 1000.

H. W. Montgomery vs National
Union Fire Insurance Co., No. 1003.
B. G. Cameron vs. J. E. Noack, et

al, No. 1004.
J. D. Harvey et al. vs. District
Trustees, District No. 17, No. 1008.
R. E. Newman vs. Ben Kempson, No. 1010. Tom Connally vs. Clarendon Col-

lege, No. 1012. J. D. McAdams vs. Y. O. McAdams, No. 1013. A. L. Chapman vs. Frank Duna-way, No. 1016.

A. A. Cooper vs. J. F. Fincher, et al, No. 1017. Mrs. A. J. Rawlings vs. Gillette-Gibson Millinery Co., No. 1018. D. B. Kempson vs. Ben Kempson, No. 1019.

Sam Finger vs. O. B. Haskett, No. M: Powell vs. Cicero Smith Lumber Co., No. 1031. G. W. Smith vs. J. P. Tufts et al,

J. T. Lane vs. Clarendon Mercantile Company, No. 1023. S. C. Davis vs. Clarendon Independent School District, No. 1024. A. B. Smith vs. C. Y. McDonald,

O. J. Burkhardt vs. C. B. Headrick, No. 1026.
S. D. Parks vs Mildred Parks, et al, No. 1027. G. W. Antrobus 'vs J. Q. Sewell, et

B. W. Moreman vs. R. L. Moreman, W. Owens vs Rosa A. Marquis,

J. Frank Smith vs. Geo. A. Ryan and Bob Younger, No. 1031. Helen Carter vs. Thos. C. Carter, No. 1015, divorce.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Jeffries returned Monday night from their wedding trip to El Paso and other points. They are at home for the present with Mrs. Jeffries' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collinson.

JANUARY TERM OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR HAVING EASY TIME THE LOCAL BANKS

CLARENDON BANKS PAY NICE DIVIDENDS—HENRIETTA MAN COMES AS CASHIER TO THE FARMERS STATE BANK

The stockholders of the banks of our city met the first of the week for the purpose of the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year. These institutions have closed out a most successful and profitable year's business, regardless of the strenuous conditions which have confronted them

The officers at the Donley County State Bank for the new year are: Thos. S. Bugbee, president; Wesley Knorpp, active vice president; J. L. McMurtry, vice president; F. E. Chamberlain, cashier; Fenn Bourland and C. L. Burton, assistant cashiers; W. J. Lewis, W. A. SoRelle and John

C. Knorpp, directors.

The First National Bank elected H. W. Taylor, chairman; W. H. Patrick, President; W. W. Taylor, cashier; Whitfield Carhart, assistant cashier; H. W. Taylor, W. H. Patrick, Mrs.

R. I. Patrick, Levil.
W. Taylor, directors.
The Farmers State Bank have for
The Farmers and directors Homer
W. Morrison, Glascoe, president, J. W. Morrison, vice president; Homer Hamm, cashier; C. R. Skinner, G. F. Leathers, J. B. McClelland and H. Lott, direct-

It will be noted that the Farmers State Bank has a new cashier, Homer Hamm, who has been connected with the leading bank of Henrietta. We welcome him to Clarendon and wish Whitfield for him much success. Carhart, who has served very successfully with this bank, has gone to the First National as assistant

LELIA LAKE LOCALS

H. A. Calvin made a business trip to Childress Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Kercheville spent the lay in Clarendon Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Clark were Clarendon shoppers Thursday even-

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ballew of Clarendon spent Sunday at the J. H. Roberts home.

Miss Lottie Stark of Clarendon, has been visiting Mrs. J. W. Adams and Miss Mary Roberts this week. J. C. Howard has moved back to his residence in the south part of town after living on the farm a year.

little daughter of Memphis are visiting the lady's mother here, Mrs. Albert.

There was a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday morning and we hope the good work will continue to go on.

Next Sunday is Baptist day. Rev. Jones will preach at the 11 o'clock hour. We hope he will be surround-

ed by a good crowd. School started Monday morning with a fairly good attendance and we hope it has started this time

to complete the term.

Misses Vera Taylor and Faye Bynum spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks, returning Sunday evening to Clarendon college.

Mrs. L. A. Byrd and little son left Sunday night for Childress af-

ter spending several days with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Adams Joe Johnston, who has been living

on the Kennedy farm east of town has bought Mrs. J. R. Leathers' place and moved to his new home

W. P. Edward, living a mile north west of Lelia Lake, died at 9 o'clock Saturday night with a relapse of the flu. Mr. Edward had been confined to his bed eighteen days and after a siege of pain and sleepless nights, he is at rest. He leaves a wife and two brothers, whom we offor our sympathy to, in their be-

R. W. Talley, who spent a part of the week at Wichita Falls on business came home Tuesday morning.

BEGIN THE NEW YEAR RIGHT

by buying your groceries right. I mean by this that it will be better for you to eat the better grades of groceries when it costs you no more if you trade with us. There is a reason. We buy in large quantities and usually buy for future delivery—consequently, we still have a good many canned goods and other groceries on hand that we booked some time ago, that we can save you money on if you don't wait too long about buying. Buy them by the dozen and by the case for fifty to seventy-five cents per dozen less than you can buy them for in a few weeks from now. Those who are in a position to know say we need not expect many items in groceries to be cheaper until after another crop is made.

Buy Michigan Salt and save your meat.

Let Us Be Your Grocer Phone 5

E. M. OZIER

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C. A. BURTON, Assistant Cashier F. H. BOURLAND, Asst. Cashier

INO. C. KNORPP

W. J. LEWIS

W. A. SORELLE C. T. McMURTRY

The Test Of Efficiency

The world is today calling for efficiency in every department of life. The banking business is by no means an exception to the general rule. Our bank is endeavoring to heed this call by offering to our customers the very best service it is possible to afford.

We do not feel lightly the responsibility that rests upon us as a banking institution. We are going to try and take care of the interests which have been entrusted to us, and we would like for our patrons to be frank with us, and we will try and all work together for the good of all.

The Donley County State Bank

Your Liberty Bonds

Your government asks you very earnestly not to sell these unless

To part with your Liberty Bonds means giving up your pledge of patriotism and citizenship, and handing your responsibilities and privileges over to some one else.

Liberty Bonds will be worth much more money presently and it is good business to hold them.

-IF YOU MUST SELL-

Get the full market price. Go to a responsible banker and let him give you information and advice. Do not sell to just anyone, who may not treat you fairly.

The First National Bank

1889----- THIRTIETH YEAR----- 1919

The business of this office was established by the Senior Member of this firm more than 29 years ago-beginning in 1889. This being the 30th year of continuous Business Service in Clarendon—There being only three or four older business enterprises —continuously in the Same Service—than this office.

THE LONG YEARS OF DEPENDABLE SERVICEof this office has merited a constantly increasing volume of patronage and for which we are duly appreciative. Likewise we have tried to merit a place among the good citizens of this splendid community, contributing in every way that we could toward the material and moral development of the community. By reason of experience we feel that our office is better equipped now to render efficient service than ever before, and we will appreciate your patronage in our exclusive line of FIRE we will appreciate your patronage in our exclusive line of FIRE INSURANCE AND NOTARY WORK.

Respectfully, A. M. BEVILLE, Sr., R. H. BEVILLE, Insurance and No-Attorney at Law tary Public Notary Public

A. M. BEVILLE, Jr., Insurance and No-Insurance and No-tary Public (Now Somewhere in France)

Clarendon, Texas

Why a Bank

Because its service has been found dependable, its policies are sound, its organization efficient, its spirit proven friendly, progressive and constructive by patrons it now serves.

The growth of this bank in number of patrons has been steady, and gaining momentum daily under such ideals which the present management shall unswervingly continue in so far as the power within us lies.

The Farmers State Bank

Clarendon, Texas

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Obituaries, cards of thanks and resolutions of respect will be charged for at the regular rate.

NOTICE-Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or peputation 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.

The Donley County Commercial Club will be organized Friday, Janu-ary 17th, Clarendon, Texas, Pastime Theatre, at 3 p. m. Nuff Sed.

thought of changing our homestead thought of changing our homestead law. There are some good features in the law, but any homestead law ought to operate to promote homeowing. If it doesn't, that is something wrong with the law. In Texas the recent years have shown a steady increase of the number of tenant farmers. This should not be and The News hopes that the new elgislature will give the question its most serious consideration with the sole idea of giving us an amended law that will make it easy to own and improve homesteads in Texas.

Sometime before the opening of the war the question of street paving for the principle streets of Clarendon had progressed to the stage where almost every detail had been arranged for this most needed improvement of our city. When the war came on it was decided to drop the matter until peace and stability came again, which was no doubt the wise thing to do. Now, however, the war is over and the recent rains and snows have given us a sad demonstration of just how badly we need paving, especially in the business part of the city. We ought to be giving some thought to the advisibility of early spring paving. Give us the paving and let us enjoy its comfort and convenience, not to mention its economic saving.

When Theodore Roosevelt died last week and was buried near his Oyster Bay home, the nation last one of its strongest characters. While president, Mr. Roosevelt instituted many reforms in legislation helpful to the working classes and the middle man, and in his simple democracy he was best loved by his friends. He could not brook sham and deceit and was always vigorous in denouncing those whom he considered in the wrong. and because he proved his desire to sons Godspeed on their way to the front and death. There is little doubt that he was the best known American in the world, and aside from party issues we have lost a mentality and vigor at the "zero' hour of peace and reconstruction, when we can ill afford such a loss.

In many parts of Texas there is being made an extra effort to break well as some older ones. Since the general disappearance of the saloon and the need hall other. and the pool hall other crime has fallen off until the officers have the time to give attention to this sort of evil so wide spread in its influence. The officers at Childress are co-operating with the sheriff of that county and the gamblers of that city are being arrested and fined with such regularity that the habit is becoming too expensive for the would-be sports to "sit-in." It is hardly prob-able that any of them will have any income tax to pay if they persist in the practice. Down at Fort Worth the chief of police has given it out. the practice. Down at Fort Worth the chief of police has given it out that "matching" nickles or flipping a coin for the drinks is gambling and that offenders will be dealt with just the same as if a Monte Carlo had been opened up in that city. There is no justification for splitting hairs on this gambling business. It's wrong to gamble for high stakes and it's wrong to gamble on who pays wrong to gamble for high stakes and it's wrong to gamble on who pays for the soft drinks. Many a young fellow who flips a few coins for a little sport, got the idea and the habit from a high-flying mother or sister who gambles for a piece of hand-painted china or a cut glass bowl at the gilded home of some devotee of fashion, oftimes a member of the church. From an economic of the church. From an economic standpoint gambling is a bad thing for there is many an account un-paid on the books of merchants ev-erywhere, that would have been liqui-dated long ago if the debtor had not contracted or could break off from the fascinating games of chance. Only last year we had a printer working in this office who had little enough sense to attempt to buck the other fellow's game. We learned the other fellow's game. We learned that one week's pay check went glimmering in one night—we don't know how many more went the same route. Anyway he left Clarendon in a hurry and a number of the merchants who trusted him have as a monument to his memory and of the game he bucked, a sad entry on the "loss" side of the ledger. Cut it out, boys, without being arrested and fined out of the habit. The game is too expensive when you pay the

Clarendon is getting wide awake to the needs and opportunities of the reconstruction period as proven by chants Credit Association and by the vigorous steps taken that will insure the organization of a Commercial Club for Donley County before the present week comes to a close. November 3, 1909, at the post office first represents an insurance against bad accounts and a means of help to of March 3, 1879. The last is an expression of those who see the wonderful opportunities for the development of the county in the next year or so. Farmers and stockmen will be solicited to join the Commercial Club just the same \$2.00 as business men because the need of 1.00 co-operation is recognized and bc-.50 cause by helping the cattle and agricultural interests of our county the business interests of the country are doing themselves the best service. Like the heroes of Dumas the motto should be "Ail for One and One for All." The News is most heartly in for all it is worth to make these organizations go and we hope to see a great gathering of farmers, stockmen and business men when the formal organization is made tomorrow (Friday) at three o'clock at the Pastime Theatre. Co-operation of these three factors in our economic life will win over all obstacles and give Donley County her rightful place as the first county of Texas in cattle and agricultural production. Our citizenship is not surpassed in Vivering Kentucky. Virginia, Kentucky, Arkansas or any other state and the best is none too good. Let's go after it. Be on hand The News is not like some, who hold up their hands in horror at the hold up their hands in horror at the the movement that means Progress for Donley County.

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GOVERNMENT URGES THE CONTINUANCE OF ARMY INSURANCE

To the Soldiers and Sailors of Amer

Approximately four million offic ers and men of the army and navy are now insured with the United States government for a grand total of almost thirty-seven billion dol-

You owe it to yourself and to your family to hold on to Uncle Sam's insurance. It's the strongest, safest, and cheapest life insurance

For your protection Uncle Sam has established the greatest life insurance company in the world-a com pany as mighty, as generous, and as democratic as the United States gov-ernment itself. Just as Uncle Sam ernment itself. Just as Uncle protected you and your loved ones during the war, so he stands ready to continue this protection through the days of readjustment and peace.

The privilege of continuing your government insurance is a valuable right given to you as part of the compensation for your heroic and tri-umphant services. If you permit the insurance to lapse, you lose that right, and you will never be able to other usual forms of insurance. This war himself by bidding his will be government insurance-at government rates.

> protection, you must keep up your present insurance. Carry back with you to civil life, as an aid and an as-

> HOLD ON TO UNCLE SAM'S INSURANCE.

SHOW FEW FAILURES
AMONG THE ADVERTISERS

Most of us- are willing to believe statements made by the mercantile agencies of Bradstreet and Dun. The whole nation looks to these great ing to figures compiled by them, only 16 per cent of business failures are among advertisers, while 84 per cent of all business failures are

Let us hope that the merchants, the publisher and the bankers everywhere will take this fact home to themselves, talk it over and solve the problem by making the advertising expenditures for this year very much larger than ever.

NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

Notice is hereby given that an examination for state teacher's certificates of the second and first grade will be held at the court house of Donley County, Friday and Saturday, January 24th and 25th, 1919

W. T. LINK, County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent

CARD OF THANKS To the many friends who so kindly administered to me during my re-

LIKE CONFET

APT. SIMPSON GIVES FIRST DETAILED ACCOUNT OF CO. H'S EXPERIENCE IN CHAM-PAGNE FIGHTING, BEGINNING

The following letter of experinces has been received in Clarendon written by Captain E. A. Simpson. then separated, each company starting for its own sector. Just before we separated a shell came over exhowever, deleted by the censor. The latest news from the Captain states and wounded two men in G. Comthat he has been returned to the hos-

pital for treatment: During the campaign conducted y the 36th Division of which he 142nd Infantry was a part on the Champagn front I was in command of Company H of the 142nd Infantry. On the night of October 8th we were encamped at Camp De Tracteur near the village of Somme-Suippes. About 1 o'clock on the morning of October 5th a runner from Major Morrissey, commanding the 2nd Battalion of the 142nd Infantry, came to my billet and woke me up, saying the major directed I report to his headquarters. I did and found Captains Barton, Hannah and Pearce had also been summoned. They soon came in and the major informed us orders had been received from Colonel Comer, of the 142nd Inf. for us to begin our march to the line. We left this place about 1 a. m. October 5th and marched through the town of Somme-Suippes and then took a cross road that lead ism in this country is to speed up all public works and other improvements, give every man a job and keep his dinner pail full. In the direction of Somme-Py. We marched all day without stopping for food. About 4 o'cleck in the afternoon we entered what had been the noon we entered what had been the old established Hindenburg line from which the French three days before which the French three days end ed. Six M that driven the Germans. This was out first sight of real war. This was the most desolate stretch of country I ever saw. Shell torn and stretch of stretch o swept by fire until not a living thing showed. Not even grass. Great shell craters were everywhere and miles of barbed wire was curled, gnarled and twisted over the landhad been blown to pieces by shell fire. Everywhere in endless confusion we saw guns, pintols, belts, waist and machine guns, bayonets and all that is absorbed. scape from wire entanglements that and all that is abandoned in the rush of war. Lying here and there were many "duds" (unexploded shells) and here we saw many of the unfortun-ate victims of battle. The burying party had not had time to work the field and everywhere lay stark, stiff, staring things that had once been human beings, now lying cold and stiff or reduced to bits of bloody rags, mere semblances of what had once been reasoning human beings. About 7 o'clock that night we encamped in a narrow valley near the village of Somme-Py. We pitched shelter tents and from the rolling kitchens of some engineers encamp-ed here we secured some coffee and bread for the men and had some canned salmon served. While here a truck came up from Somme-Suipcanned salmon served. While here a truck came up from Somme-Suippes bringing officers bedding rolls and the company records. regain it. But if you keep up your present insurance—by the regular payment of premiums—you will be able to change it into a standard government policy without medical examination. Meantime you can keep uploaded at Somme-Py and placed a patrol of their own. They were Colonel Bloor take a detail, secure the records and bring them to The United States government—through the Bureau of War Risk Insurance of the treasury department—will safeguard you and your loved ones with the spirit and purpose of a republic grateful to its gallant defenders. To avail yourself of this protection, you must keep up your there and the Germans began sendheard my first hostile shells. As stated, our ammunition dump was there and the Germans began sending over some shells, trying to locate the dump. This dump was located just under the lee of a sharp hill and all the shells seemed to fall short. However it certainly made one feel and F company, our support, queer and creepy to hear those big other companies formed up read shells start miles away and come moaning one's way and not know were to go over the top at 5:15. He directed that I double back to my One knew if one landed in that dump of amunition he would certainly explore about one hundred different parts of the surrounding landscape at one and the same time. carnival. Three times I was knock-However, I got the records returned ed down by explosions but never rissey's orders opened the boxes and

served out two extra bandoliers of

shells and Lieut. Boyce in a most disgusted tone of voice said: "We are damn fools, that is our own guns." We went on. About 1 a.m the Marine guides announced they were lost and had taken the wrong turn in Somme-Py. We started marching to the rear. Located a French artillery post and Major Morrissey got some directions and we rissey got some directions and we left the road and cut across fields and started on for the front. finally, after Lieut. Duncan, scout officer had gone out and dis covered the way, got on the right road and we were met by more guides to lead each company in. We pany and Corporal (censored) of my company. This was our first cas-ualty. We marched on for hours. The guide once more lost, his way. It was growing light and I recognized the supreme necessity of getting my men under cover before daylight. Finally the guide in the coming daylight recognized a hill top and we reached the trenches. Three of my platoons entered the trenches with the Marines but owing to the fear of overcrowding, thus increasing losses in case of a hit from a shell my second platoon, under Lieut. Emil Horn-ke and my Hqs., went out in front of my P. C., which I occupied with the lieutenant commanding the 84th Company of Marines and dug in. Germans were entrenched not fifty yards away and the slightest move ment brought a rani of machine gun bullets. We had been due to go over the top that morning but owing getting lost got there too late. We lay in those trenches all the day and night of the 6th and 7th. The Germans shelled us constantly and snip-ped off several men with machine gun fire. Private (censored) of my company was killed by shell fire and Sgt. Star Johnson badly shell shock-ed. Six Marines were killed during

I visited my platoons three times per day. In doing so there was one stretch of open country about sixty yards wide where the trenches did Three machine guns not connect. were trained on this place. A detachment of Marine machine gunners under command of Lieut. Callin had crossing this space. A jackrabbit had nothing on me for dodging or

At night I sent out several pa trols and scouted the German trench es fronting my sector myself. It was easy to crawl along their line. The sent up star shells or flares. These would light the whole earth for a long time in an unearthly blue light and all one could do to escape observation and consequent annihilation was to stand stock still.

On, the night of the 7th a Marine top sergeant came scouting along the line. I do not know his name or company but he had a sawed off shot gun loaded with buck The Germans had opened up Coming back we ran slam into two Germans crawling along on He was a real American and while many differed with him, even in his own party, he was generally beloved by our people because of his strong support of the war against Germany and because he proved his degine to an another than the proved his more brush than he and I did in get ting back to our line of trenches. About 4:30 a. m. on the morning

of October 8th, a runner came to me

from Major Morrissey with orders for me to report to the major about ened what the Marines termed the most terrible artillery barrage across this area that they started back. Found the major and Lieut. Boyce with his headquarters other companies formed up ready for advance. The major told me we company and lead them over. zagging I did to miss those German shells raining down like confetti at a ed down by explosions but never touched. I got back to my P. C. and toons. Our own barage had down and moved on. I waited till I try and the truth of it applies to the smallest merchant as well as the largest. It ought to teach a great lesson because by far the greatest per centage of all business failures is among the small town merchants, which plainly proves that the small town merchants are not using publicity as they should.

Let us hope that the more and the small line trenches, H relieving the small town merchants are not using publicity as they should. censored) commanding my second platoon raised up and said "are we going over?" I said "you bet." He stepped out and as he raised his full height he pitched forward on his face, a bullet in his head. I took charge of his platoon and my head-quarters and we started to advance. ing to standing orders E, F, G, H, companies were to go into assault line trenches, H relieving the 84th Company of Marines. It was intensely dark, and I am sure every where one could have found men tingling with excitement at the beginning of their first big adventure. We marched up the road in a column of souads. After we had been march-We marched up the road in a column bullets greeted us. I had advanced of squads. After we had been marchabout six or seven hundred yards we marched up the road in a column of squads. After we had been marching about three hours without any warning a battery of French Artillery suddenly opened fire about fifty yards to the right of the road we were on. Every one of us thought German shells were after us and it was comical to see how suddenly and completely all men obeyed the oft repeated instructions to "hit the dirt." In the twinkling of an eye that road was vacant and the ditches at the side were packed closer than any sardines were ever packed into a can. After the burst of fire came silence. I was at the rear of the company and nothing happened. I got rather brave and ventured to get up and start for the head of the column. I found major Morrisesy and Lieut. Hoyce, his adjutant. We lay down and then we heard the click of metals as the breach blocks to the start of the reach and interest of lead an automatic rifle team around to the right to flank (Continued on Page 3)

The Glad Hand

We want to give, in the most practical and useful way, our thanks for the sustained patronage of our customers. An argument that speaks well for our business morale.

For Practical Thanking—something you can see and feel-we aim to save your dollar by trading with us, the same as we always have done. That is absolute proof that our "Thank yous" are genuine. We want you to be satisfied

Our terms are 30 days. We honestly believe we can sell you merchandise as cheap as any one, carry your account for 30 days and deliver your purchases.

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Our repair department is right up to now. Your work will be done with neatness and dispatch.

Clarendon, Texas

The Bon Ton Confectionery

Richard Wilkerson, Prop. The place where you'll meet your friends. Choice Cigars, Candies and Best fountain YOUR TRADE SOLICITED service.

If We Didn't Treat You Right

We wouldn't deserve your patronage even if we did sell you good groceries.

But since we do both all the time we certainly deserve your patronage. Give us your trade for a month and

Phone 4

Blanchard's Grocery

Jim Sherman, member National

We Are Having a White Goods Sale

Most everyone knows what a Mercantile White Goods Sale is. one is none the less attractive.

COME EARLY

SPECIAL---We have a few Coats, Coat Suits, Dresses and Skirts which we are closing out at HALF PRICE

Clarendon Mercantile Company

CAPTAIN SAYS SHELLS RAINED

(Continued From Page Two)

a shell hole. This boche was crawling up to throw the grenade into them. I fell down behind him, pulled my pistol and put it up to the back of his head. He turned his head as he reached back for the trigger spring and I shall never forget the saw the life for when he saw the laid got a stretcher from somewhere. look on his face when he saw the pistol muzzle at his head. His eyes Some boche prisoners were moved is an interesting letter received Sunday by his father.

ing along training a hand grenade. all over us. One especially big one Six Marines were out in front of the hit not five feet from the bank of trench working a machine gun from the shallow trench in which we were lying and failed to explode. Had it

Finally the shelling over the back a machine nest that was holding up my 4th platoon and he stepped off about fifty paces and fell dead. Sq. censored) at my right also went down with a bullet in his lung. An advance post of Marines was about two hundred yards to the rear. I ordered Bugler Glover to go back and tell the Marines to get under cover. Corporal Sampler had seen me go down and asked if I was bally hurt. I told him "no to go on." I had partially turned to the right to speak to Sgt. Clark and as I gave the order a machine gun caught me just under the left arm and under the arm pit going between the two ribs missing heart and lungs by a fraction. Blood began to spout and knowing I must get it stopped I threw down my rifle and started back to where the Marines were still in our original jumping off trench as they did not go over but held the line in case we had to fall back. I ran on to the trench. A Marine first ald got a stretcher from somewhere. Some boche prisoners were moved that his eyes did add, his face blanched, his lips and I was rolled onto a stretcher and Callin ordered four prisoners to get hold and carry me to the rear. I alway have me a shot of morphia and strychnine. Another Marine went after Lieut. Callin and he very kindly came and looked me over, assured me I was .OK., but took a message to my wife in case I should "go west." I lay there with him while the battle raged. German planes came over the arm pit going between the two ribs missing heart and lungs by a freation. Blood began to spout and knowing I must get it stopped I threw down my rifle and started back to where the Marines were still in our original jumping off trench as they did not go over but held the line in case we had to fall back. I received the very best of care and then put onto a French train and sent to Paris, being put in American Red Cross Hospital No. I at Neuilly. I received the very best of care and call the might be active and the pist of company that had come up said "You am in the Grand Duchy of Luxemdevil, do you refuse to carry the captain?" The German spoke and of the people talk German here and understood English and before the captain? Wright gave me first aid dressing. riot in the town of Esen, and was loaded into an ambulance and miles from where we are now.

I was loaded into an ambulance and is a big manufacturing town. ed surgeons and most competent and compasionate nurses. I entered the ospital the night of October 9th. I left it to rejoin my company on November 4th. I was so fortunate as to have a very slight fracture of the pelvis bone only. My recovery was complete and I am once more with my company, thankful to be alive but intensely grieved at the loss of 24 men killed out of my company, among them Sergt. (censored,) whom

"THESE ARE MY SENTIMENTS"

patriot I ever saw.

I consider one of the noblest, brav-

est, cleanest men and the purest

Captain W. M. Headrick, who with the 336th Regiment of t 87th Division went across the first of September, but was detained after his arrival to continue the training of men, therefore did not get to the front. The poem which is published below, was included in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Headrick, and says: "These are my Sentiments:

By Way of Apology
I'm coming back to you, my dear
In my uniform of blue
(The indigo to indicate My present mental hue)
And I'm little of a hero, dear—
My chest is woeful bare
Of war-like decorations
And medals militaire;
And yet a feeble alibi, The fates for me designed—was going to the front
The night the armistice was sign-

I know that womenfolk delight To have their men folks come As conquerors with waving flags,
With clarion and drum;
But I am sneaking home, my dear,
Sans all that martial din—

No frenzied group of neighbors
Will hail me, limping in;
And yet a bit of solace, I,
In brighter moments find—
I was going to the front
The night the armistice was sign-

The fact I went to battle, dear Is not dramatic, nor
Of interest to civilians who
Just dote on wounds and gore;
And so I'm slinking back to you
In humbled, chastened mien
And kindly make arrangements so My entrance won't be seen,

It's hard, but you, at least, can tell
The folks I left behind
I was going to the front
The night the armistice was sign-LT. JOHN PIERRE ROCHE, "On the Marne."

FOR SALE OR TRADE

Farm, mineral and orchard land in N. W. Ark. House and lots, Arl-ington, Texas. Up-to-date cotton seed oil mill, Central, Texas. All bar-E. R. TATUM,

AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Elder Emanuel E. Dubbs will conduct services at the First Christian church the next Lord's day at 11:00 Everybody is invited.

FROM BERNIE BALDWIN

Possibly the first Clarendon boy to go over was Bernie Baldwin, son of Chas. Baldwin and wife. He has suffered from wounds received in action and recently recovered from a

> Beyren, Luxemburg, Nov. 29, 1918.

Dear Papa: I will write you a letter while I not doing anything tonight. most of them are very pro-German. We are only about five miles from the German border.

I don't know how long we will be here. The people are having a food riot in the town of Esch, about 80 I guess we will have to stay over here until peace is signed, just be-cause we are among the best troops

here. We have been in all the big battles since the Americans have We have been in all the big battles since the Americans have been over here, and we took Cantigny by ourselves, and repulsed nine counter attacks in one day with our artillery fire. We fired more than 1000 rounds or shells per day per gun. We have five men, 1 gunner and one sergt. with each gun. We were in the battles of Soissons, San Mihiel, Verdun and the Argonne forest, so you see we have been

in a good many scraps.

I certainly was glad to get the pictures from home, they sure were good. I didn't get a chance to get my picture made, or I would send some home. The picture of Henry

ne forest, so you see we have been

sure was good. Well, I will have reserve the right to reject any o to close for this time. Answer soon, all hids should they desire to do so

Much love to all.

Your loving son,
BERNIE F. BALDWIN.

NOTICE

At its regular meeting to be held in the town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas, on the 2nd., Monday in February, A. D., 1919 same being the 10th day of February, A. D. 1919, the commissioner's court of said county will receive bids from any regularly qualified practising physician in said county to act as county health officer of said county for the

all bids should they desire to do so It is further ordered that one copy of this notice be published in one issue of the Clarendon News and in one issue of the Hedley Informer. Witness my hand this 9th., day of January, A. D. 1919. W. T. LINK,

County Judge, Donley County, Texas

MEXICAN FAMILY GOES
TO AMARILLO

The Mexican family which was so severely burned two weeks ago at the Harvey farm west of Clarendon, health officer of said county for the ensuing two years.

All such bids must be delivered to the county judge on or before 10 o'clock a. m., February 10th., A. D. 1919, and the commissioner's court the Harvey farm west of Clarendon, were moved to Amarillo Tuesday morning. There were six of them to die from the burns, including the mother. The two girls and father who survive, it is thought, will entirely recover.

Money To Loan

We have arranged to loan money in large amounts on small and large ranches in the Panhandle. Our terms are very reasonable and the rate of interest is the lowest that has been offered in this section of the state. If you are in need of a loan, phone or call at our office.

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Wellington, Texas

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WE SELL THE EARTH

Forward With The Year

is our Motto

and we sincerely believe that our customers are of the same progressive spirit, else they would not benefit daily, as they do, by our practical mechanism of buying and selling. The success that is ours thanks our customers for their confidence in our power as an economical supplier of their needs.

Step With Us

during the New Year and let us share the good will you have bestowed upon us in the past. Our every effort will be bent to your best service and our best wishes always are sitting on your doorsteps.

Clarendon **Drug Company**

Baby's Photograph

Mother, have baby photographed now while it is a baby. We can preserve that cute smile of his for you.

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INTERESTING ITEMS ABOUT OURSELVES AND OUR CITY

Miss Leta Warren, Local Editor

Phone her your visits and visitors. No. 66 during business. hours, No. 306 until 9 p. m. All items appreciated.

Homer Ham of Henrietta was in

Mrs. Ray Warren went to Hedley

an attack of appendicitis this week.

Harry Buchanan has temporarily

Miss Lucy Marsh, who was detained after the holidays because of the flu, returned Friday to resume her work as teacher in the High school.

Mrs. L. G. Oxford, after a stay

Mrs. D. H. Davenport, who visited

Thursday for her home at Lakeview.

taken the position made vacant by H. Zeigler at McMillan & Johnson

Tailor establishment.

U. S. Navy.

Clarendon Friday on business.

Supt. George Stocking made a fly-ing trip to Childress Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Reynolds of Lelia was a recent guest of Mrs. hart Saturday to visit with Mrs. Jack McGowan.

Conductor F. E. Harrington was off a trip Tuesday, being relieved by Conductor Price.

Mrs. Theo. Reynolds of Lelia Lake has been the guest of Mrs. Bob McGowan the past week.

M. S. Brazil of Hot Springs, Ark., was shaking hands with friends in the city this week.

Mrs. Ray Warren went to Hedley Thursday night to visit a week with her is ther, Mrs. W. E. Whitfield.

Rev. A. W. Hall has returned from Wellington at which place he conthe Hotel Denver, is suffering from ducted quarterly conference.

D. B. Sowell, salesman for Armour & Co., was visiting with the local merchants Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Paul Nash of Lakeview was welcomed visitor with her brother, J. W. Watts and family Tuesday.

M. M. Nobles and family are oc-cupying the J. A. Barnett home dur-ing the latter's absence in Californ-

Claude McAllister attended to business in interest of the Wm. Cameron Lumber Co., at Waco the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Claude Mann and baby of Seymour are visiting with her rel-atives, J. Q. Sewell and wife and Mrs. J. M. Mann.

Mrs. W. E. Talbott, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Holman, Kennedy, returned to her home at Cheyenne, Wyo., Wednesday morn-



"Goodnight Paul"

A Comedy Drama full of vim and -MONDAY, JAN. 20-MATINEE AND NIGHT-

Pastime Theatre

Mrs. C. R. Skinner is ill with the flu this week.

A. W. Dryden went to Amarillo today on business.

Harry Sitner made a business trip

N. L. Jones of Ashtola was seen our streets recently.

Mrs. T. J. Cothran was up from Lelia Lake Monday shopping.

Mrs. Russell Skinner is recovering from a spell of the influenza. A. O. Mayes of Goodnight visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Lowe Wed-

J. W. McQueen of Lelia Lake was transacting business in the city Wed-

Miss Bess Collins of Channing has returned to continue her studies at the College.

J. W. Gordon was looking after his ranch interests at Pampa the first of the week.

B. R. McCorkle and family left to-day for Kansas City to make their future home.

Mrs. C. H. Riley of the Sunnyview community was among the shoppers here this week. Oscar Cousin, wife and son, Aub-

rey, of Amarillo were visiting in Clarendon this week. Mrs. W. E. Hastings of Estelline

was a recent visitor to relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hastings. Visiting lawyers attending court here this week are M. J. R. Jackson and F. M. Ryburn of Amarillo.

G. W. Kemp, prosperous farmer in the Martin vicinity, was trading with the local merchants Wednes-Jack Wofford, who is stopping at

A. M. Beville left Saturday night for Como, Texas to attend the bed-side of a brother, W. A. Beville, who Miss Mary Keys, who has been here the past month nursing and visiting, returned to Amarillo Saturis critically ill.

Miss Robin Davenport is again at her place at Clarendon College, after several week's stay with homefolks at Allanreed.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harle went to McLean Monday, where Mr. Harle will assist ridding wolves from a large ranch in that section.

Because of the satisfactory manner in which our subscribers are responding with renewals there will be but few to discontinue the first of February.

of several weeks in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hast-ings, has gone to her home at Steph-C. M. Steward and family, who have been visiting for the past few weeks at the Fred Gordon home, re-turned Monday morning to their home at Gainesville. W. P. White, son of our towns-man, M. P. White, reached Clarendon this week from Newport, R. I., for a sixteen days' visit. He is with the

J. H. Cooper and family moved this week to their home south of town, which has been occupied by Frank Johnson. Mr. Johnson and family have moved to the Dan Spitz-Bennett & Sims shipped one car of hogs and one car of cattle to the Fort Worth market this week. They were accompanied by John Sims, Jr., who will return in a few days. er place.

Mrs. Doss and Aifrd Doss of Tolbert accompanied the corpse of Leta Addie. Doss to Clarendon Monday morning. They are visiting for a few days with Charlie Speed and with her son, Lyman and family, at Clovis, N. M., stopped off for a short visit with Mrs. J. T. Sims, leaving

Sergeant Herbert Baker returned J. W. Alvey and wife came in on Monday night from Plainview and visited until Wednesday morning with his brother, W. V. Alvey, and with his brother, W. V. Alvey, and again as a valued member of the postoffice force.

W. P. Cagle, who now lives at San Antonio Friday night for a visit Friday. Mr. Cagle was long a promwith H. C. Kerbow and family. She will go to Claude in a faw days to see her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. him return to Memphis.—Memphis Democrat. J. R. Dale, for a number of years Mrs. Willie Crawford who has been

a prosperous farmer at Brice, has purchased the Merritt place north of the river, and is moving to the same this week. The farm on which he resided at Brice was bought by Dr. Mrs. Wille Crawford who has been visiting with Dr. and Mrs. Robards at Dallas will visit here with her sister, Miss Mary Caldwell a few days before going to her husband who has just been discharged from the army

Mrs. Talma Smith and Miss Annie It is requested that all those who have not paid in their pledge for the United War Work fund will kindly Martin of Washington, D. C. arrived in Clarendon for a visit with their parents, N. N. Martin and wife and other relatives and friends. For some leave it with the treasurer of the Donley County work, Fred Cham-berlain, and not send it to Washingtime both have been engaged in govton, as some have done.

Miss Rosalie Moore of Amarillo and Miss Myrtle Leverett of Hedley We notice our friend, G. C. Davis does not wear his handsome overcoat spent the week end with Miss Susie Patterson, leaving the following Monday to resume their places as since returning from the oil fields at Burkburnett. Anyway we trust his venture will prove very profit-able, and that the winter will not teachers in the Hedley schools, which have been discontinued several weeks because of th flu. be severe enough to justify the demand for a heavy coat.

George W. Washington, an old timer in Donley County, now a res-ident of Colorado is here visiting with friends for a while. Mr. Washington came to Clarendon about thirty years ago, taking up land north of the river, and later moving to town, establishing our light plant.

In a letter to his parents Sergeant Matthew Lane says he has been dis-charged from the hospital, and trans-ferred to the depot brigade to await his discharge and may get home soon but it may be two weeks or more. He has met with Lieutenants Han-kins and Fulcher of his ocmpany, who have just returned from over seas, and from Lieutenant Hankins, who has a list of those recommend-ed for the distinguished service cross ed for the distinguished service cross learns that he is among them. He says "Can you imagine me being one of them. I don't hardly believe it, but if it is so I wouldn't trade it for all the officers' bars in the service." Mrs. R. H. Muir and daughters were out visiting them recently.

COMPLIMENTARY TO RETURNING BOYS

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brumley very graciously demonstrated their ability as hosts to a party of friends Sunday noon, serving a most delicately prepared turkey dinner, complimentary to their son, Rolla, who has just returned from the training camp, and Dr. Strickland and Herbert Baker, who also have recently arrived home. Those fortunate in enjoying this lovely feast were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goldston, Dr. and Mrs. Strickland, Mrs. Claude McAllister, Rolla Brumley, Herbert Baker and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brumley.

Mid-Winter Sale of

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Our entire remaining stocks of our wonderful Hart Schaffner and Marx, Collegian and Styleplus Suits and Overcoats—no reservations—now in our Clean Up Sale. Every suit and overcoat guaranteed to give the wearer satisfaction. Better get yours to the sale of the sale of

\$25.00 Suits and Overcoats,	\$18.75
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Boy's \$10.00 S Overcoats,	\$7.50
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Boy's \$15.00 Overcoats,	\$11.25
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Buy Boys' Clothes Now -They share in these reductions-

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\$4.00 Trousers,	\$3.00
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\$8.00 Trousers,	\$6.00
\$10.00 Trousers,	\$7.50
\$12.50 Trousers,	\$9.35

Hayter Brothers

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"I just feel like going from

"This is really the first med-

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"I would not take one thou-

We have sold 1,180 bottles

sand dollars for what this won-

derful medicine, Tanlac, has done for me."-Mrs. Mattie

of Tanlac and have never had a dissatisfied customer."—Smi-ser Drug Co., Columbia, Tenn.

"For two years before taking Tanlac I had rheumatism so bad I couldn't raise my left hand to my head. I now feel like a new man."—J. B. Wood-

"I feel so good after taking Tanlac that I told my hands the other day I believed I could

beat any of them shucking corn. I meant it and believe I could have beat 'em all."— J. A. White, R. F. D., Lexington,

Lutes, Lexington, Ky.

ward, Lexington, Ky.

icine I have ever taken that does what they say it will do."

house to house and telling the people about Tanlac." A. J. Liv-

ingston, Ashland City, Tenn.

R. O. Espey and Miss Lora Stotts, issued January 13th.

Here's What the People Say About

BUSINESS LOCALS

Hear the latest popular sheet musat Marquis Music Store. Everything in the line of school

supplies at Stocking's Store. The Clarendon Steam Laundry guarantees its work. If it isn't right we'll make it right.

See the new line of violins, guitars and harps at Marquis Music Store

The home laundry deserves your work. Satisfaction guaranteed. Clarendon Steam Laundry.

How to tell a hen from a rooster: Give them Don Sung egg laying tablets, if they don't lay then, they're roosters. Sold at Stocking's Store. Ralph Andis, who has returned home this week from Camp Travis, will have charge of the Laundry wagon for the Clarendon Steam Laundry, beginning next Monday.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

The Epworth League will meet at 5:30 in the league room of the Methodist church on Sunday, Jan. 19. The following program will be rendered: Subject: Epworth Era Day. Lead-er, Gertrude Miller.

Silent prayer.
"Star Spangled Banner."
Flag salute.

Scripture reading: Isiah LIX. 19. Story of "Star Spangled Banner," and "My Country Tis of Thee." Ethel Riley.

Song: "My Gountry Tis of Thee." Talk on "The Meaning of Our Talk on "The Meaning of O Flag," Mr. Young. Hymn: "The White and Gold."

Talk on "Our Christian Flag."
Harold Smith. "Onward Christian Sol-Hymn: You are cordially invited to at tend this meeting.

W. E. Christie of Lelia Lake was in town Wednesday.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH "In my thirty years of active There will be services at the Presbyterian church Sunday as follows:
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p.
m. by Rev. S. L. Joekel.
You are cordially invited to attend

practice as a physician I have never seen anything to equal Tanlac as a medicine to pro-duce results." Dr. J. T. Edwards, Fyaetteville, Ga. burg, Miss.

"This medicine is worth its weight in gold, and if the price is fifty dollars a bottle instead of one dollar I would buy it just the same if I had the mon-"-Robt. Young, Knoxville,

Grooms, issued January 8th

J. W. Vaughan and Miss_Ethel

"Four bottles helped me than fifteen years of medical treatment that cost me an average of \$100 a year."— E. B. Hall, Fountain City,

"Money couldn't buy the good this Tanlac has done for me." Ex-Sheriff Archie Anderson, Houston, Tex.

"Tanlac has certainly helped me and I recommend it to oth-ers for the good it has done me."—Ex-Sheriff C. W. Man-gum, Atlanta, Ga.

"I would spend the last dol-lar I had on earth for Tanlac; I have gained nine and a half pounds on one bottle and feel just like a new man."-J. T. Andrews.

"If the people of this town only knew the good Tanlac did me you wouldn't be able to make it fast enough to supply the demand."—Mrs. Mattie C. Bond, Memphis, Tenn.

"Yes, sir, I gained twenty-five pounds by taking Tanlac, and it has been a long time since I felt as well as I do now."—Jeff D. Riggs, Vicks-

Twelve Million Bottles Sold in Four Years

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Beginning Saturday and continuing all next week we will sell Palmolive Soap at

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Clarendon, Texas

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Nobby Suits Stylish Dresses **Handsome Coats Pretty Hats** Warm Furs **Dressy Skirts**

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These Items 1-4 Off

Silk Hose Lisle Hose Corsets Jersey Silk Petticoats

These Items 1-4 Off

Silk Underwear **Kid Gloves** Silk Gloves Brassieres

W. M. S. NOTES

Next Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock the Woman's Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. G. C. Davhave the second chapter of our mission study and the barrel opening.

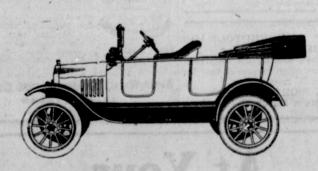
Let every woman bring a well-filled

The Clarendon Steam Laundry, ed by the string band of Ashtola, everybody having a good time and the Panhandle.

barrel, as our local treasury is bad-ly in need of funds.

All the women of the church are

Ford Cars Again



We are advised by Ford Motor Co. that they can make immediate delivery on cars now, but will only ship to parties who have signed a written order and have deposited \$25.00 on price of same. They are doing this to cut out speculators, so if you are going to want a Ford car this spring see us at once and sign up. We have some good used cars on hand at a bargain. See us when you are ready.

Clarendon Motor Co.

Ford Station

For the past few months we have been contemplating a reorganization of our prescription department. We have been delayed in this matter because of the difficulty in securing a proper man for the place. We now take pleasure in announcing to the public the employment of Mr. A. M. King, who will take immediate charge of this department. Mr. King is a graduate of the Louisville College of Pharmacy and has been a manufacturing chemist and druggist for the past eighteen years. He has registration certificates in the states of Kentucky, Kansas, New Mexico, of Kentucky, Kansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas and qualified by reciprocity to practice in all states of the union.

Mr. King comes to us with the best of recommendations not only as a druggist of unusual ability, but a gentleman of unimpeachable integrity. He comes immediately from Childress, Texas, where he has been manager of the Witherspoon Drug Store

Store.

We have also remodeled and rearranged our compounding laboratory, making it both modern and conjugation and conjugation of the every particular. venient in every particular. We invite all our friends, old and new who wish careful work in the compounding of drugs to come in and pay Mr. King a visit.

O. B. Stanley, who has been with

us for the last five years, has this week left for Los Angeles, Cal., where he will take special work in the California Medical College of Optometry. We regret to lose Mr. Stanley, but expect to supply his place at an early date with an expert weler and watchman. STOCKING'S STORE.

ASHTOLA ITEMS

Health is good at present. Mrs. Protsman visited Mrs. Nick-

Cobb Harris loaded a few cattle the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson made a trip
to Clarendon Saturday.

There has been some grain buyers

in Ashtola the past week.

Noel Harvey has returned after a
few weeks visiting eastern states.

Sunday school at the school house

every Sunday evening at 4 o'clock. Ed Harvey is attending to business in the eastern part of the state. Tom Major returned to Ashtola Sunday after a few days' absence. Mike Day has accepted a position cook for the Grogan Brothers

The nice weather which prevailed the last few days makes everybody feel good. Mr. Kemp of Brice and Miss Van-

Mr. Remp of Brice and Miss van-sant of Clarendon are visiting at the home of Mr. O'Neal.

The Ashtola string band assembled at the residence of Mr. Berhens on Thursday night for practice.

Mr. O'Neal will commence thresh-

ing Monday morning, too bad weath-er; the threshing business has been

rather dull.

Major Roy, who has been at his grandfather's ten miles east of Clarendon for a few days, was in Ashtola Saturday visiting friends.

Mr. O'Neal entertained the young people Wednesday night with a party A nice crowd of young folks were present and a good time reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Hanson entertained the young people with a musicale and party Saturday night. Large crowd, as usual. Music was furnish-

GOLDSTON ITEMS

Grandma Hudson went to Childress Several from here are attending

Mr. Merrick and family have mov-

ed to Clarendon.
J. D. Fish and family moved to Oklohoma last week There was singing at Oscar Smith's Sunday night.

John Thomas and family have noved to the Bray farm.

Mr. Mitchel and family have moved to the Eichelberger place.

The farmers are hauling maize into town since the snow is most Messrs Bray and Rich from Clar-endon attended church here last Sun-

day afternoon. Our school started last Monday, having been closed for some time or

account of the flu. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shannon are the parents of a baby boy which arrived Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hightower of Clar-

endon were visiting at the Pierce nome Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Leck Goldston of Jericho were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Goldston last Sunday.

J. J. Goldston last Sunday.

Jack Grant, who has been down with typhoid fever for over two months, is able to be up again.

Messrs Curtis, Weaver and three Bell brothers of Hedley were visiting at G. R. Grant's last Sunday evening.

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WANT NAMES FOR SERVICE FLAG

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist church is revising and completing the service flag of the church. It is the purpose of the church to have represented on this flag the boys of all Methodist families, whether the boy is personally a member of the church or not. All persons having information concerning our boys are requested to phone Miss Lottie Lane, at No. 257, and give her such data as you have concerning them.

AT LELIA LAKE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Regular church and Sunday school services every Sunday at the Church of Christ, Lelia Lake. Sunday school at 10 o'clock and church at 11:00 o'clock. The subject for the 11 o'clock hour will be "The Boat that Never Sunk. Everybody is given a cordial." Everybody is given a cordial

Our Clearance Sale

Will Continue Another Week

The way we are selling Our Bischof Suits and Coats at half price is the talk of the town. We have sold a great lot of them, yet we have some handsome Suits and Coats for those they will fit. Lots of cold weather yet for warm garments. You can't afford to miss this Sale—for it includes many articles other than Ladies' Ready-to-Wear.

Come to the store that never disappoints nor misrepresents.

Baldwin Bros.

The One Price Store

Special

Cut Price Sale on all Hats

Harned Sisters

Be Sure to Come

DELPHIAN CLUB

The Delphian Club, which has not met for quite a while because of the prevalance of the influenza and sickness in some of the homes, will continue its study beginning Monday, January 20th with Mrs. Homer Glas-coe as hostess.

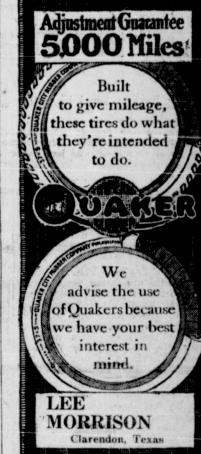
At this time there will be a combined business and study session. The election of officers for the new year will be held, and the lesson will be the second of the eighth month, "Early Rome."

be a splendid attendance, as much

ed at this time. The hour for meeting is 2:30 p. m. and every member is urged to come.

We have leased the Lyric Theatre and will only run high class productions. A liberal portion of your patronage will be appreciated.
WILLIAMS BROS.

SCRAP IRON WANTED .- I will buy your scrap iron, brass, copper It is earnestly requested that there zinc, rubber, rags and tow sacks. Cash Produce Co.



A Word of Appreciation

We wish to thank the people of Clarendon and Trade Territory for their liberal patronage they have given us in the short time we have been in business in their midst.

We have taken a long lease on a part of the Stocking building where we are already located. We will endeavor at all times to carry Good Values in Staple Merchandise. Will handle Misfit Suits and Trousers, Which we purchase direct from the most reliable Tailoring Company. You will find these to be the best values to be had.

We make Hat Blocking a Specialty. best of work in Cleaning and Pressing, Repairs and Alterations.

Again Thanking you for past favors and soliciting a continuation of your patronage, We are

Yours very truly,



McMillan & Johnson

Remember that we carry everything men wear except false faces

INTERESTING ITEMS ABOUT OURSELVES AND OUR CITY

Miss Leta Warren, Local Editor Phone her your visits and visitors. No. 66 during business hours, No. 306 until 9 p. m. All items appreciated.

Horace Barron of Amarillo visited a few days this week with his cous-in, J. C. Finley.

Lloyd Blackwell of Amarillo was down Sunday visiting relatives, re-turning Monday morning.

Lieutenant Jack Elliott of Pampa is visiting friends in the city. He was formerly of Camp Pike, Ark.

Mrs. Clarence Piercy and baby of

Estelline are here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holland. G. W. Baker is here from Fort Worth attending to business and visiting with his sons, Dee and Her-

District Attorney E. W. Miller of Amarillo is officiating at district court which is being held in Clarendon this week.

Mrs. W. A. Teat, after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Roy Bev-erly and friends, returned to her ome at El Paso Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansel Doss and baby of Gasoline, Hall county, attended the funeral of little Leta Addie Doss, which occurred here Monday morn-

Mr. and Mrs. C. Daugherty, after an extended visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Manley, returned to their home at Fort

Frank White and little daughter, Marjorie, were here the first of the week from Clarendon. Wh thank nim for a subscription renewal .-Hedley Informer.

Miss Paulette Willis, after spending several weeks with relatives here waiting for the schools at Amarillo to reopen, returned Monday morning to take up her work.

Harrington, teachers in the schools at Amarillo, have returned to resume at Amarillo, have returned to resume of Stratford are visiting at the partheir work. The schools having been ental F. E. Harrington home this closed during the flu epidemic.

Sheriff J. H. Rutherford was here Tuesday from Clarendon, collecting taxes. He and his little son, Jim, daughter, Miss Minnie, and Mrs. Willie Goldston, county treasurer, accompanied him to Hedley.—Hedley

Stayton Hankins wired his father Monday that he was being sent to Fort Sam Houston and would probably be home in a few days.—Quanah Observer. Lieutenant Hankins was with H Company, and has been invalided to the States.

A. W. J. M. Calhoun of San Antonio is J. M. Calhoun of San Antonio

J. E. Hunt of Jerieho was in the city this week attending court, and Monday morning made a very pleasant call at The News office. He says

O. B. Stanley and family left

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O. H. Ellis the flu situation there is much improved, and that they were fortunate in not losing many cattle during the recent severe weather.

Corporal Jeptha Fleming and Ralph Andis are home from Camp Travis where they have recently received their honorable discharge from the army. They were both with the quartermaster department, and had a short time since been sent to a short time since been sent to Jacksonville, Fla., but were returned to Camp Travis to be mustered out returning to school because of the Lifficulty of getting here. The heavy of service.

Leslie Shaw reached home the first! of the week from Camp Travis, where he has been connected with the post office department of the army. He left Clarendon in September and has been located there Friday morning to New York. He is says Frank and Clifford Decker who Ireland where he was stationed for are also there, are doing splendidly.

FRIDAY, JAN. 17

MATINEE, 2:00 p. m.

TUESDAY, JAN. 21

Leonard Sewell visited in Amari

Mrs. Robert Rossen has returne

from a visit at Fort Worth. Mrs. I. N. Bower, who lives wes

of Clarendon, was here Thursday. C. B. Vinson of Oklahoma City

spent the first of the week in town Mrs. J. E. Walker is visiting with relatives at Alvarado and Grandview Alvin Caldwell of Childress was visiting with Clarendon friends Sun

R. M. Bourland of Olustee, Okla the guest of the Bourland fam-

Mr. and Mrs. H. Zeigler moved Monday to their farm northwest o

Paul Atteberry and wife are hap-py over the arrival of a girl at their

Denman Ross of Camp McArthur here on a furlough visiting with

his wife. Mrs. Will Knowles and family o Lelia Lake were shopping in town

Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sitner and children spent Sunday at Amarillo

J. E. Walker went to Canyon the fore part of the week to look after Mrs. Wm. Spitzer Mrs. Wm. Spitzer Miss Rosa Marquis

business interests.

week for Long Beach, Cal., to spend the remaining wifter months.

Mrs. E. E. Gladish and children

M. N. Nelson and family are leaving today for Electra, where Mr. Mrs. Charley Wright

Nelson will be engaged in the oil Jno McNamara

fields. G. A. Nelson of Brice has gone to Electra to make his future home, having secured employment with an

Mrs. D. L. Baker left Saturday W. M. Mace

J. M. Calhoun of San Antonio is attending to business in Clarendon

O. B. Stanley and family left the first of the week for Los Angeles, Cal., at which place Mr. Stan-ley will complete his study of opto-

Mrs. U. A. Willimas and little son, Parks Allen, of Amarillo are visiting

in such bad condition that in in-stances they are almost impassible.

since. He is looking fine and said a mechanic and machinist in the he enjoyed his work at camp. He navy, and has recently returned from

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R. L. Steagall Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Jameson are spending a few days with A. H. Baker and family.

J. A. Barnett and wife left this Mrs. Ed. Peltzel

Mrs. Minnie E. Dyer Mrs. Minnie E. Dyer _____

maiting for the schools at Amarillo reopen, returned Monday morning take up her work.

Misses Ineva Headrick and Ruth Wisiting H. G. Finley and wife.

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Nancy Cole Mrs. A. T. Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mills

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Mrs. C. C. Bell and family W. Wood J. D. Masten J. D. Carpenter

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Bray School

MONDAY, JAN. 20

Constance Talmage, in "GOOD NIGHT PAUL"

A comedy drama full of vim and pep. Ask any one about these Select Pictures. Also good comedy:

"WILD WOMEN AND TAME LIONS"

It's a corker MATINEE, 2:00 p. m. 10c and 20c Mrs. J. D. McCants. C. Thaxton. L. Smith. Miss Bess Browder.
A. G. Huffmaster,
Mrs. A. G. Huffmaster.
Frank Berkley. PARAMOUNT

She needs no comment, every one loves and admires her 10c and 15c WEDNESDAY, JAN. 22 GOLDWYN FEATURES
Mae Marsh in "THE GLORIOUS ADVENTURE"
The remance of a girl who bought happiness for a dollar—this is

the first of these Goldwyn Pictures. Start with them Only 10c and 15c ARTCRAFT

Dorothy Dalton in "MATING MARCELLA"

Paramount Pictures

Sid Chaplin ("Brother of Charlie") in a rip-roaring Comedy,
"SUBMARINE PIRATES

Also Eighteenth Episode of "THE HOUSE OF HATE"
Only three more of these interesting stories 10c and 15c

SATURDAY, JAN. 18
Gladys Brockwell in "BIRD OF PREY"

Don't miss any of these wonderful features.
MUTT AND JEFF, Comedy

THURSDAY, JAN. 23
Geo. M. Cohan in a real, sure enough comedy
"HIT THE TRAIL HOLLIDAY" PATHE NEWS 10c and 15c

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Money to loan on land. Jim Sher-

Hear the latest popular sheet mus-ic at Marquis Music Store.

I can make that income tax report

for you right. Jim Sherman. See the beautiful line of Ever-Ready pencils at Stocking's Store. See Whipple produce Co., before you sell your chickens and eggs. No.

See the new line of violins, gui-tars and hraps at Marquis Music

A big new supply of Don Sung, the new laying tablets at Stocking's Store. See the new line of violins, gui-

tars and hraps at Marquis Music Store. A new shipment of all kinds of kodak goods just received at Stock-

ing's Store.

We pay the highest prices for all kinds of poultry. Phone 19. Whipple

Produce Co. Member National Collector Association. Will take any account for collection from 50c to \$10,000.00. See me.

Jim Sherman. We make a specialty of trading farms for town property and vica versa. Come to see us. Erwin and

Bring your prescriptions to the Clarendon Drug Company. They will be filled right. S. A. Andrews, Pre-

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See the line of Aeolian Vocations at Stocking's Store. The only instrument with human tone control. hear it demonstrated.

place all your old, dim and uncertain lights with bright, radiant new Tung-Sols, sold at Stocking's Store.
Dr. T. H. Ellis being away in a
hospital, has turned over all his accounts to me for collection. Please see me for your account. Jim Sherman.

The Aeolian Vocalion rounder, deeper, fuller, richer-more interesting and satisfying than any other musical instrument. See the other musical instrument. line of instruments at Stocking's Store. Nolie Simmons gets tickets

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, In compliance with chapter two, Title 44 Revised Statutes of the state of Texas, as amended by the Acts of 1917, Notice is hereby given that the commissioner's court of Donley County, Texas, at its regular meet ing on the 2nd., Monday in February, A. D. 1919, the same being the 10th. day of February, A. D. 1919, will receive proposals from any banking corporation, banking association, or individual banker in said county for the deposit of the moneys belonging to said county and to each of the common school districts of said councommon school districts of said county, for two years following the date aforesaid; which said proposals must state the amount of interest, said banking association, banking corporation or individual banker offers to pay upon the average daily balances of said county and school districts, and must be accompanied by a county and school districts. and must be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one half of one per cent of the county revenue for the preceding year, and must be delivered to the county judge of said county not later than 10 o'clock A. M. of the 10th day of February,

A. D. 1919. It is further ordered that one copy 5.00 of this notice be posted at the court house door in said county for at least 30 days prior to February 10th., 1919, and the other copy hereof be published in a newspaper in said county for the same length of time. Done this 3rd., day of January, A. 2.00 D. 1919.

County Judge Donley County, Texas.

JERICHO NEWS

Edward Gardner is visiting his sister in Panhandle this week. Our snow is just about gone excepting drifts, however,—we have plenty of mud.

Miss Annie Reeves has again taken up her school duties at the Tom Naylor school.
R. T. Darnell, Leck Goldston and J. E. Hunt are attending court in Clarendon this week.

Jodie and Miss M. E. Helm spent the week end with their sister, Mrs C. R. Slay of Groom.

C. R. Slay of Groom.

Frank and Miss Maggie Hermesmeyer were pleasant callers at the I. E. Osborn home Sunday evening.

Miss Annie Reeves visited her grandparents, R. P. Reeves and uncle at Alanreed the latter part of the

Dr. Hamm was in our vicinity the latter part of the week at the bed-side of Mrs. Glazener who is not doing very well.

Tad Hamlin was called to the bedside of his brother, Jack, of Groom

Saturday, who is very ill with a relapse of the flu.

William Hillman and family have moved to Clarendon. We are sorry to lose these good people but hope they will like their new home.

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Our Resolve

In 1919 we are going to try to make this a better grocery store than in 1918. We are going to try and use the best methods of business, both in buying and in selling. We are going to try and give our customers satisfaction.

The only thing we would ask of these customers is that they should afford us co-operation to the end that they will tell us their needs and make complaints to us, instead of somebody else, when things go wrong.

We hope this is going to be a great year, and we want to have our part in helping to make up its greatness.

Give us your grocery trade and we will try and merit it by giving you the best service in our power.

The Central Grocery Co.

Successors to Ferebee Grocery Co.

Phone 18

More Building in 1919

There is certain to be lots of building in 1919. You must buy your lumber somewhere. Prove how much money you can save by trading with

Galbraith - Foxworth Lumber Co. Lelia Lake Clarendon

FORTY-TWO PARTY

Miss Myrtle Jolly entertained w couples at her home Mond evening with a forty-two party. De-licious refreshments were served, and most enjoyable time reported.

Hear the latest popular sheet mus-at Marquis Music Store.



Economical in operation. Runs of kerosene, gasoline or gas.



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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers. have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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All the above stuff will be sold at a remarkably low price. I will sell for cash only.

Your trade will be appreciated.

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Our service to you in buying and serving our products is merely the fore-runner of the great good you can do for your three square meals and penny saving problem, when you patronize us.

Here are a few of Our Prices:

Dee Co Peas, 6 cans	\$1.00
Justice Corn, 6 cans	
Fernbrook, 6 cans,	\$1.00
Dee Co Corn, per can	16c
Post Toasties	
National Oats	30с
Green Velva Syrup	
Red Velva Syrup	95с
Cabbage, per lb.	4c
Onions	5c

Awtrey & Dean

Cash and Carry Grocery Store

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

List of letters remaining unclaimed in this office for the week ending Jan. 4, 1919, as follows:

Armstrong, J. R. Banks, Mrs. Ollie. Barker, A. E. Bowling, Rev. W. J. Brown, Mrs. Ella. Brown, Jim. Butler, Mrs. Stella. Butler, Floyd. Cary, Mr. and Mrs. John. Cody, T. B. Cooper, Miss Flora. Edison, Eddy, Greer, Mrs. Billie. Hansard, Rev. V. Holman, W. B. Holman, Mrs. Lillie. Holdren, E. D. Kimbrough, P. P.

Kirks, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Marques, Don Segunda. Nelson, D. Palmer, J. J. Roberts, Mrs. J. R Savage, Mrs. J. R. Stephens, Mrs. George. Tomlinson, S. R. Upton, Mrs. Ethel. Vickery, Harold

POSTED

The Robt. Sawyer and E. W. Bromley pastures controlled by us are posted. Hunters and passers will be vigorously

Let me collect the accounts you will be unable to give your personal attention. Jim Sherman.

The following clipping from newspaper account of the deepest Donley County State Bank well known up to two years ago, is one of the keepsakes of A. P. Yar-brough, who is an old time oil lease man now operating in this field, with Clarendon News, a newspaper offices in the Hines building.

Upper Silesia, in the German empire. It is a diamond drill hole in a coal field and is 7,350 feet deep. A well in the United States which may go deeper, according to the United States Geological Survey is four miles northwest of McDonald, Pa., and about fifteen miles west of Pittsburgh. This well, which is being sunk in the Medina sandstone—a bed that elsewhere contains oil and -is now 7,174 feet deep.

"Some gas and oil were struck in the upper part of the well. Between the depth of 6,830 feet, rocks bear-ing rock salt and salt water were encountered. These are regarded as of Silana age, the same as those carrying rock salt in western New

"The temperature in this well a the depth of 6,775 feet, as recently determined with great accuracy, is 1,458 degrees Fahrenheit

"At Derrick City, McKean, Pa near Bradford, there is a well 5,820 feet deep, which is probably the second deepest in the United States. Another deep well is on Slaughter Capital stock paid in ___\$
Creek, Kanawaha County, W. Va., it is 5,595 feet deep. It penetrated a sandstone at 5,030 to 5,050 feet, Due to banks and bankers, and from this depth to the bottom, subject to check, net.__a distance of 545 feet, the well is a Individual deposits, subthere is another well 5,575 feet beneath the surface penetrating into a black shale. Another deep mall a posit subblack shale. Another deep well is Demand certificates of de-being drilled at Gaines, Pa. This has already reached a depth of 5,500 Cashier's checks

"Deep well drillers in this country, of course, employ the most approved and effective rigs, but one of the remarkable wells, reaching a depth of 3,600 feet, was drilled for petroleum in Western China by of said bank, each of us, do solemnmeans of such crude appliances as ly swear that the above statement

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Following is the new time table for the Fort Worth & Denver and the Rock Island trains:

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North	bound,	No.	7		9:40	a.	m.
North	bound,	No.	3		8:00	p.	m.
Here	e is the	he s	ch	edule	for	tra	ins

leaving Jericho: Rock Island 8:56 a. m. East bound, No. 42, __ East bound, No. 44 8:25 p. m. West bound ,No. 43

WELLS IN WORLD Official Statement of the Financial

ffices in the Hines building.

"The deepest well in the world is state of Texas, on the 16th day of

RESOURCES	
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sonal or collateral8	308.760.24
Loans, real estate	18,000.00
Overdrafts	5,362.63
Bonds and stocks	1,600.00
Real estate, (banking	1,000.00
house	10,000.00
Transit acct.	1,715.63
Furniture and fixtures	4,299.00
Due from approved reserve	4,200.00
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agents, net	89,544.71
War Savings Account	1,596.98
Cash items	1,036.80
Currency	20,303.00
Specie	10,458.05
Interest and assessment	
depositors' guaranty	
fund	7,525.61
Assessment Guaranty fund	1,226.23
Other Resources, Revenue	-,
Stamps	5.94
Bills of acceptances, on	0.04
cotton and grain	95,206.53

\$576,641.35

LIABALITIES Capital stock paid in ___\$ 75,000.00 4.101.60 425,538.49 12,910.40

3.905.16 22,012,41 State of Texas. County of Donley

a cable made of twisted strands of is true to the best of our knowledge ratan."—Wichita News-Tribune.

F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, CORRECT ATTEST:

J. L. McMurtry, C. T. McMurtry, SoRelle, Directors. (SEAL) Subscribed and sworn to before

me this 9th day of January, A. C. A. BURTON, Notary Public, Donley County, Texas.

NO. 819 Official Statement of the Financial

Farmers State Bank

at Clarendon, State of Texas, at the bclose of business on the 31st day of December, 1918, published in the Clarendon News, a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, state of Texas, on the 16th day of January, 1919. RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, per-		-
sonal or collateral	\$ 98,806.67	
Overdrafts	1,740.29	
Real estate, (banking		
house)	10.600.00	
Furniture and fixtures	2,479.57	
Due from approved reserve		
agents, net	13,525.19	
Due from other banks and		
bankers, subject to		
check, net	551.24	
Cash items	842.05	
Currency	7,659.00	
Specie	7,924.35	
Interest and assessment		
depositors' guaranty		
fund	1,906.43	
Other resources	3,821.01	
TOTAL	\$149.855.80	

Capital stock paid in ___ Surplus fund 19,195.44 Undivided profits, net 75,087.10 Time certificates of de-TOTAL

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

WHITFIELD CARHART,

CORRECT ATTEST J. W. Morrison, C. R. Skinner, D. W. Clampitt, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before

me this 9th day of January, A. LEON O. LEWIS, JR. Ex-Officio. A Notary Public in and for Donley County, Texas.

NO TRESPASSING.

The public is hereby notified to keep out of the Bugbee pastures under lease to Benson and Singleton, as, hunters, trappers, fishermen, picnicers wood haulers and others will be prosecuted according to law. 8pd-1919. T. B. Preston, Mgr

TAKE NOTICE

Positively no hunting or wood-hauling allowed on the Word ranch Violators will be prosecuted to the

C. T. WORD& SON.

Buy Burkburnett Oil & Development Co. Stock

Owns 10 acres in Burkburnett field within quarter of a mile of Burkburnett Oil and Refining Co.'s refinery. Has net ownership of a sixteenth in four other wells.

Stock at par value of \$100.

This stock is now selling on the Fort Worth Oil Exchange at 105.

One well is on the sand and is expected to come in next

Last Friday, within two hundred and fifty feet of this well the Wewona people brought in a thousand-barrel

Our other well which started last Sunday is an offset to the Wichita Southern well, only three hundred feet away. What remaining treasury stock is left will be sold at \$100 per share.

Among our Clarendon stock holders are Messrs. French and Smith, who have visited this property and know its worth.

See J. M. Erwin who has charge of the sale of the remaining shares in this territory. Liberty bonds accept-

Burkburnett Oil & Development Company

NO TRAPPING

the JA pastures. If you want to avoid prosecution, observe the above. Positively no trapping in any of J. W. Kent, Superintendent.



LOOK for the sealed package, but have an eye out also for the name

That name is your protection against inferior imitations, just as the sealed package is pro-

tection against impurity.

The Greatest Name in Goody-Land -



Friday Jan. 17, 1919

Begins promptly at 12:30 p.m. at T. J. Cothran's farm just southeast of Lelia Lake.

Extra good pair young mares

Nine head good horse stock, some nice fillies Several head of nice Jersey cattle

16 head nice Poland China shoats

Four head stock hogs

One registered Poland China brood sow

1 pair big mules, wt. 1200 lbs, 5 years old 1 pair mules, wt. 900 lbs, coming 3 years old

1 8-year-old horse, 1150 lbs.

1 brood mare, 4 years old, 1100 lbs.

One wagon

One set leather harness

One horse-power feed grinder

One go-devil

One saddle and numerous other farm imple-

One Excelsior twin-cylinder, 3-speed motoreycle, with side car, practically good as new

Large collection of household goods, including one South Bend malleable range almost new, one 4-burner oil stove with built-in oven, used one summer; one mahogany bedroom set and numerous other articles.

Ten choice Mammoth Bronze turkey hens.

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 or less, cash; all sums over \$10.00 a credit of ten months will be given, purchaser to give bankable note drawing 8 per cent interest. A discount of 5 per cent for cash on all sums over \$10.

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R. L. Ligon accompanied by his daughter, Miss Anne, are in Claren-don, guests of E. W. Grogan. Miss Anne came to enter Clarendon College for the remainder of the term.

MAE MARSH

"The Glorious

Adventure"

Goldwyn Feature plus this popular -WEDNESDAY NIGHT, JAN. 22WHICH LOVES THE MORE?

The other day in Baltimore a man was put on trial in federal court charged with a violation of the white slave law.

There was another man in court, the husband of the woman who was the government's principal witness. And, too, there was another woman in court, the wife of the accused

man.

him.

That was her verdict.

"The love of a wife for her husband is a wonderful thing," observed the judge. The chief witness for the state

Mrs. Anderson had. Foster-Milburn story as has sprinkled the land with divorce court orphans. But as she walked from the wit-

ness chair she came into the arms of her husband. He did not shrink rooms, reception hall, trunk room

"I forgive," he said. "And, so, too, is the love of a husband for his wife a wonderful thing," added the judge.

What do you say? Is the love of wife who clings to an erring husband as great as that of the husband who reaches down and lifts up the wife who fell?

The records of our courts are filled with stories of forgiving wives, whose hearts welled high with love for husbands accused and convicted of wrongs, which, most of all wronged the wives. There are few husbands whose love at the moment of the wrong's discovery, forgives .-Claude News.

A BATTLE PRAYER

Alone upon a hill I stand, O'erlooking trench and no man's land, In night's black skies like northern

Pale flashes rise to mark the heights Where death's dark angles

The souls of men who died today.

And scream in pain and anguish

dread, In no man's land, among the dead. Have pity for the wounds they bear, Jesus of Nazareth, hear my prayer.

On Calvary, as the hours dragged, From cruel nails Thy body swayed— Yet in that agony, O Lord, Thou didst bless and comfort t'ward One suff'ring soul who with Thee

He, who for sin was cricified

Out there lie men who die for right, O Christ be merciful tonight. Wilt Thou, who stilled the troubled Stretch forth Thy hand their pair

to ease
Thy son, whose feet so bravely trod
Earth's battlefields, O Son of God?
A SOLDIER BOY, A. E. F. wages.

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FOR SALE—I have a few more nice Plymouth Rock Cockerels for sale; also eggs for hatching. See L. H. Skelton at Ozier's Store. FOR SALE-A1 span

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Horse phaeton buggy and set of harness. Will trade for milk cow. Phone 295.

FOR SALE-Three mares, buggy and harness, wagon, spring wagon and section harrow, cheap. See Har-old Smith, Phone 249 3R. 3tp

FARM TO TRADE-For town erty. Erwin and Bain

FOR SALE—Good work mares, horses and mules. Co approved note. Phone 110 11-2s. A. A. Walker. 4pd

For Rent

FOR RENT-Extra good house to Jesus of Nazareth from Thy cross outhouses. See Martin & SoRelle.

Lost

LOST—Fifty dollar Liberty Bond Fourth issue. Fifty dollars War Savings Stamps. Ten Dollar reward. Finder return to News Office.

LOST—Mexican opal pin between T. M. Pyle's and Sitner's Style Shop. Return to T. M. Pyle for reward.

LOST-Sheltex frame large lens glasses in case with Joe Goldston stamped on it. Finder return to this office, for reward. 3pd

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