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DERRICK BEING BUILT FOR TEST WELL NEAR LELIA LAKE LEASES SOAR TO \$200 PER ACRE

As predicted in these columns some weeks ago, Donley County's Oil Boom has arrived in earnest. With the driving of the peg for the test well of the Lelia Lake Oil Association, the unloading of the timbers for the derrick at the chosen spot, the shipping of the rig from Burkburnett, the "cap came off" and Donley County prosperity was given a big boost.

The geologist for the concern chose the location on the dome about 1300 yards north of Lelia Lake on the Inman farm, and electrified the whole situation by asserting that the indications show a larger pool around Lelia Lake than is now proven at Burkburnett. To further prove his faith he said he had rather have stock in the company for his pay than the cold cash. He predicted that when the well came in it would go over the derrick. So mote it be. Leases near the location have advanced from \$20 and \$30 per acre to \$200 per acre and before the week is past observers are confident that these figures will be still further enhanced.

DONLEY COUNTY BABY BEEF WINS HONORS

The first ribbon in the Senior Baby Beef Club Special at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show was awarded to "Buster," a grade shorthorn calf grown and exhibited by John Naylor, son of T. L. Naylor and a member of the Boys' and Girls Agricultural Clubs of Donley County. The blue ribbon has been placed on exhibit at the Donley County Bank, with the red ribbon captured by Frank Clark of Hedley in the Holstein Bull class.

Aside from the honor of bringing the blue ribbon back to Clarendon, Naylor realized a substantial profit from his venture in the beef production business that ought to go a long way toward influencing other boys in the county to get into the Club work this year. His net profit over his feed, labor and selling expense was \$56.75. In addition to this, he received a \$20 premium with the blue ribbon bringing his net receipts up to \$76.75.

Last fall at the Club show held in the Drew wagon yard, the calf took first prize and Naylor received a gold medal suitably engraved, contributed by Joe Goldston of Clarendon. The calf was a market topper at that time and the financial returns would probably be greater if the boy had not contracted influenza during the month of December and thereby been prevented from giving the calf the proper treatment during that month. The total feed, labor and selling expense amounted to \$107.50 and the calf sold for \$164.25 on the market. Had the calf been a purebred Hereford, \$20 more would have gone to Naylor as the Hereford Breeders Association puts up that amount if the blue ribbon goes to a Hereford. This would have meant \$40 premium money instead of \$20, and the boys who grow calves this year will do well to start with a Hereford calf and be eligible for all the money offered when they exhibit.

Mr. P. C. Bennett, the County Agent conducts the club work, and gives the members assistance in their problems, requiring that the boy or girl do the work themselves and keep an accurate record. The object is, of course to make money for the member, but they learn to care for animals properly and furnish a good demonstration of the fact that live stock production is a profitable side line to farming. This club work is practical, instructive and profitable and Mr. Bennett hopes to send a carload of Baby Beeves to the Fat

D. C. P. C. MEETING AT LELIA LAKE

The Donley County Progressive Club will meet at Lelia Lake Friday at 3 p. m. A very large attendance is expected, some special attractions will be on the program.

Miss Neal, State Agent of the Women's Demonstration work will be present and will consume a portion of the time allotted for the program.

The D. C. P. C. Band will be present with a good program which will be well worth the time and trip of any and all who attend the meeting.

Ladies are especially and urgently requested to be present. All Clarendon will meet at the Flag Pole on main street at 2 p. m. and all go together. Fall in and help make this work a success by co-operating for a more progressive Donley County. Your presence will help, your absence will hinder. If you are not already a member, you should be, so come right on and make the trip and the membership committee will get your name and dollar later.

If you won't line up in this work and boost, then please get out and knock. Anything will be better than heartless, cold-blooded indifference. We will challenge your knocking and bring things to pass, but your indifference will thwart every good effort we may put forth and ultimately bring our organization to naught. What are you doing that the town or community in which you live have reason to appreciate your citizenship? We are counting strong on the Ladies to make the trip Friday, everybody is invited to go. For details phone Harry Sitner or George Ryan, arrangement committee.

PLACE DESIGNATED FOR CLOTHING, MARCH 24-31

The building just vacated by Parson's Shoe Store, next door to T. M. Little's dry goods store has been secured for the assembly of the old clothing in the drive conducted by the local chapter of the Red Cross. This is a most worthy undertaking and our duty is plain in the furnishing of the millions of destitute victims of the world war, and the good people of Donley county will no doubt rally to their relief as they have done in times past. Remember the place—you can't forget the cause.

Stock Show next year. If your boy is not in these clubs and is between nine and eighteen years of age, see that he enrolls with Mr. Bennett during the next few weeks.

MEDICAL SOCIETY MET AT WELLINGTON

The Childress-Collingsworth-Donley-Hall County Medical Society met at Wellington in a most instructive and interesting meeting. Some interesting cases were reported and papers read.

Dr. James W. Webb of Hedley was elected to membership. Those present were: Drs. J. J. Pitman, E. F. Hamm, H. B. Worley, J. W. Gooch, W. G. Johnson, W. W. Beech, H. D. Barnes, J. A. Odom, H. L. Wilder, W. S. Miller, J. D. Michie, X. R. Hyde, J. H. Loving, E. W. Moss and E. W. Jones. Mr. C. B. Cooke of Childress was a visitor.

The medical society is organized

JIM PATMAN NOMINATED CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

At a mass meeting held this afternoon at the Odd Fellows hall, Jim Patman was nominated candidate for Mayor in the election of April 1st. He has the unanimous backing of the Citizens Association, which the leaders say will assure his election by a large majority.

for the purpose of meeting and discussing the diseases and conditions that the doctors have to treat. Every doctor should be a member of this society and attend the meetings so that his efficiency would be increased.

DONLEY COUNTY HOLSTEIN BULL WINS BLUE RIBBON AT FT. WORTH FAT STOCK SHOW

BAPTIST ENLISTMENT WORKERS HERE THIS WEEK

According to the schedule published in last week's News the workers of the Enlistment Campaign of the Panhandle Association of the Baptist Church arrived here Wednesday and held their first meeting with the Clarendon Baptist Church Wednesday night, and are in two sessions today.

The first session was devoted to the B. Y. P. U. work and after a very splendid paper on "The Value of The B. Y. P. U. To The Individual", by Miss Ruth Thompson of Memphis, delivered a stirring address on "Why Maintain a B. Y. P. U.?" The News will print Miss Thompson's paper in next week's issue, as it has an especially valuable value just at this time.

Defining religion as "the science and art of living," Rev. Morgan outlined his conception of the cause for the hesitancy of the young people in actively engaging in religious work. He said he was convinced that the real reason was timidity and a reluctance to take hold of such sacred things as church work, and not to any special antipathy to the cause. He argued that it was necessary to maintain the B. Y. P. U. as the school where training could be imparted to the youth, where standards of life could be established and where young life could have the proper machinery of asserting itself in helpful outlets.

He said he felt no fear for the reconstruction times nor of the future if the church could keep its hand on the young life, and bring it in close personal touch with Christ. The fundamental doctrines of religion would never be moved if the church did its part in preserving and conserving the faith of the young.

The speaker quoted the scriptural injunction from the 4th chapter of 1st Timothy "Let no man despise thy youth" and closed with a powerful appeal for the personal enlistment of the young life of the church in the B. Y. P. U. and every other form of church service.

Pastor Maples followed the address with comment on the work at hand and with announcements for today. At eleven o'clock, Rev. David M. Gardner preached the enlistment sermon in his characteristic mastery of the subject and this afternoon at 2 o'clock the women of the church met for the consideration of their highly important work.

The local church will profit largely by the meeting and its spiritual power given a new impetus.

Mr. M. T. Howard, one of the first men in Donley County to import pure bred Hereford bulls for improving the cattle of the country, and who has probably bought more high-priced bulls than any other man in the county, purchased the winner of the red ribbon, Johanna Parthena Paul Aagge, in the two-year-old class of Holstein bulls at the Fort Worth Stock Show. This class was some of the keenest competition of any class in the entire show, the best of the breed in the Southern and Southwestern States being in the ring. It took the judge a considerable time to pin the ribbons on the two contestants for first place, and Donley County and Mr. Howard are to be congratulated that this bull is to be returned to this place. Mr. Howard is the owner of two Holstein cows that were purchased in the North and which carry the blood lines of the breed toppers. The purchase of the bull gives him the foundation of a herd of milking Holsteins that are a credit to the county and the entire Panhandle. The bull is bred in the purple, the first dam on his sire's side produced 2318 pounds of butter in twenty-four consecutive months semi-official test, and was valued at forty thousand dollars at the time of her death.

Mr. Frank M. Clark bought the bull in Wisconsin as a calf and for the past year had him at the head of his herd of high-producing Holsteins near Hedley. The bull was fitted and exhibited by Mr. Clark. A son of the bull sold to Mr. Howard is to head Mr. Clark's herd as senior sire. This young bull's dam was Pieb-Pontiac De Rol, who produced 852 pounds of butter in twelve months when seven years old. As a four-year-old she produced 26.93 pounds of butter in seven days, official test. She died in Mr. Clark's possession last June after producing four daughters that tested over a thousand pounds of butter each in a year. In the blending of the blood of Pieb-Pontiac De Rol and Johanna Parthena Paul Aagge (Mr. Howard's bull), Mr. Clark has bred the most magnificently bred bulls south of the Mason Dixon line to head his already famous herd of high producing Holsteins.

The dairymen of the State are waking up to the fact that high producing cows are the paying kind, and they appreciate the fact that they cost money. The average price paid for Holsteins in the sale ring at the auction sale at the show was \$810. The bull that took the blue ribbon sold in the auction ring for \$2500.

Donley County, with its natural conditions of crops and climate, is peculiarly fitted for expansion in dairying and live stock industries, and it is only natural that progressive men are seizing the opportunities to found herds that will prove to be the show herds of the State. The fact that these herds are in this county will give the farmer stockmen here an opportunity to acquire cows that are better than the imported kind and save expensive trips and shipping costs. Every farm in the county should have and produce live stock, and a dairy cow of the right type has never failed to pay handsome returns to the owner. Marketing conditions will be developed when the county becomes known as a producing county and cream routes will be more numerous than the rural mail routes. When Texas cleans her ticks, as is compulsory in 1921, the market for milk cattle is going to move farther south, and Donley County should be known all over the South as a place to purchase high-producing cows.

SERGEANT HARRY WARREN NOW IN NEW YORK CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Warren received a telegram this morning announcing the arrival of their son, Sergeant Harry Warren at New York.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF	
The Donley County State Bank	
OF CLARENDON, TEXAS	
at close of business March 4, 1919, as made to the Commissioner of Banking	
RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans \$392,704.34	Capital Stock \$ 75,000.00
Banking House 13,500.00	Surplus and Profits 20,553.76
Int. in Dep. Guar. Fund 8,719.42	Deposits \$498,860.52
Cash \$179,490.42	
Total \$594,414.28	Total \$594,414.28
The Above Statement Is Correct.	F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Cashier

Coupons on the Third Liberty Loan are due and payable March 15th. Clip the coupons off your bonds, bring them to this bank and we will pay you cash for them.

—This Space Contributed by The—
The First National Bank

Insurance Protects Your Estate

It is better to stand a small loss, which is the amount that Insurance costs you, year by year, and which is the price of protection—than to stand, day by day, under the shadow of a great loss, the destruction of your home or business, which might mean your financial ruin.

If you buy Insurance, avoid trouble by having it written by those who know how.

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Checks Are Checks

on the purse strings as well as on bills that have been paid.

Cash payments are often thoughtlessly made; payment by check is inclined to influence thought as to the necessity and wisdom of the disbursement.

It is in this way that the checking Account puts a check on careless spending besides putting financial transactions on a systematic basis. Our Officers invite consultation.

The Farmers State Bank
Clarendon, Texas

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

We note from our exchanges the beginning of the spring Clean Up Days in some of our neighboring cities. It is a good plan to start early and then double the dose before summer is gone.

The Red Cross is calling again for cast-off clothing for the destitute thousands of the war-swept areas of Europe. Our people will answer gladly and promptly. The dates for this collection is the week running from March 24 to 31.

The report of the last grand jury soliciting the commissioner's court to give more attention to the court house lawn has already borne fruit. The grounds have already been carefully cleaned and gives promise of being a most beautiful and restful park when the joyous green of springtime springs into life. It is a good work and our people will appreciate it.

It seems that the mayor and commission of this city took backward somewhat in the paving proposition, and now propose to have the people vote on the matter. Saturday, April 1st. Very well, the challenge is accepted. It will be no harder to put over a big majority of non-interested voters than it was to secure an overwhelming majority of the property owners along the frontage of the proposed paving. Clarendon is going to have the paving and the credit for it will fall where it belongs.

In this issue there is an interesting article on the dancing question written by Pres. Slover of Clarendon College. The position of The News is well known on this subject, but whether you agree or disagree you will appreciate the fairness of the article. It isn't best always to do some things we have the right to do. The News is a newspaper. We have never failed to give reports of dances and will not fail to accord them the space their magnitude deserves. Further, if any one desires to answer any editorial or article appearing in The News, the space is here for them, whether their sentiments coincide with ours or not. We think that's fair.

The Clarendon News is heartily in favor of the proposed change in the constitution which will permit the State of Texas to issue \$75,000,000 for the purpose of constructing hard surface roads. Such states as New York, Illinois, Pennsylvania and others of the largest and most populous have blazed the way in this matter of giving their citizens a uniform road system throughout the commonwealth and it is a matter of history that no state has ever found any other method that would give the desired results. The big bond issue would not be issued all at one time but only as the work of construction could be carried on. No other move could possibly give the tax payers so great a return on their investment and certainly we people in the counties of smaller population would benefit more than the cost.

Some of our visionary brethren of the Panhandle press continue to kid themselves about the division of Texas. We think we understand their position and if we believed like they do we would argue as they do. Fact is it would be almost impossible to draw any kind of a dividing line through the state which would not increase our taxation, and the way some suggest the division the rate would be almost insupportable. When another state government is set up, when duplication in officials, commissions and eelominary institutions sets in when the dreamer is rudely awakened. If the protagonists of division are correct in their argument their position would be equally correct in every state in the union, and would become again correct in any new state which might be formed. The News doesn't feel much disposed to give the matter very much space as it is about as remote in possibility as commerce with Mars. It is a well known fact that authors of former bills and threats in the Texas legislature proposing the division of the state were only doing it as a lever to procure for this section a more just representation and other advantages which the west has a right to expect. We are willing to plead guilty to the charge of being somewhat sentimental in the matter and will go further to say that we would maintain the same position even if the tax rate could remain on the same level. Lack of sentiment is what caused Germany to overrun Belgium.

TIME TO CALL A HALT.

The Dancing Craze. Clarendon is known throughout the whole State as being a town of schools and churches. Numerous people are here now and others are looking this way because of this fact. Anything that militates against this sentiment to any appreciable degree will be of untold detriment to the town and community, from every viewpoint.

The dance as an institution has been condemned by all of the churches. Not that every one that dances goes to the bad, but that its tendency is in the wrong direction.

You may put it down as a universal fact that whatever all of the churches condemn had better be left alone. Of course there are certain individuals in the various churches and sometimes leaders in certain churches that wink at the dance, but the facts are as stated above, that all of the great churches of the land condemn it as an institution.

While an individual may have a legal right to have dances in his home and attend public dances, I deny that he has the moral right to do so and invite young people whose parents and church have put a ban on it. I submit that it is not fair play to a parent for other people to seek to lead the child away from the parental training. This I hold is especially true when it applies to moral training.

I think it is time that all folks who are engaged in such should call a halt.

I think, further, that those members of the various churches who are indulging in the dance and permitting or encouraging their children and others to do so, should investigate as to what their churches have to say about it, as certainly the church to which a person has vowed allegiance has a right to expect that its moral teaching should not be disregarded by those who pledge to support it.

Out of an observation of forty years, I have not known a single member of the Methodist church that held to the dance to be spiritually minded or a soul-winning Christian.

Clarendon College has always stood as a brick wall against such practices, and I want to assure the community and the church I delight to serve that as long as I am officially related to it as I am that this policy will be adhered to.

Now in the interest of the churches, the schools and the general welfare of the whole community, I want to appeal to those thus engaged to desist. You had better step by the churches of the town and what they stand for.

As the community knows I do not rush in print just to be writing, but it appears to me that the time has come to sound a timely warning. Should this matter not have the serious attention of those involved, I think the element in the community that stands for the sentiment of this article should organize and assert itself. This I shall expect the pastors of the town to lead in, but I assure you now that you can count on my co-operation. We can't afford to permit worldliness to engulf the churches and the town.

Respectfully yours,
GEO. S. SLOVER.

A HOPEFUL OUTLOOK.

The session of the trustees of Clarendon College, held at the college office last Tuesday, was one of the most far-reaching importance. I had planned for and thought on this meeting for months in advance.

The board now consists of representatives from all the Northwest Texas Annual Conference. Most of West Texas is included in this territory. It was decided unanimously to put all of the machinery of the church at the disposal of this school next year, in harmony with the plan of the General Board of Education, to raise something near \$300,000.00 for the further equipping and endowing of this school.

This was done without the question being raised as to location, nor do I think that question will ever be raised if Clarendon continues to do as she has always done. I will say, however, in this connection, that I think the extension of the water mains to the college property, to give it full fire protection, a prerequisite to the spending of more money and the endowing of a permanent institution. As I consider it very unwise to spend more than \$400,000.00 on equipment and endowment of an institution that is not properly protected from fire. This, I think, the city should do at the first moment possible. Considering the interest of the town only, I think this should be its first work in the way of general improvement.

At a later date I will outline what I think is going to be expected of Clarendon and Donley County. Will say now that this is the first time since I have been here that I can see outside help of any great magnitude within our grasp, and, of course, we want to make the most of it.

With this further improvement and endowment, you will have a permanent institution that will be ranked among the strong educational institutions of the State.

So far as the church is concerned, the way is clear, and full co-operation promised in working out such a plan. Every man in the meeting, both at home and abroad, so expressed himself and pledged his cooperation.

I am going to work just as diligently forming plans for the consummation of this work as I have for years to get it in this shape. I think I see now the realization of my dreams with reference to this school.

I want to close by urging the city to put fire protection on College Hill at the first possible moment.

GEO. S. SLOVER.

BATTLE CASUALTIES

TOTALED 240,197

Washington, March 8.—Battle Casualties of the American Army in France is shown by revised divisional records announced today by General March totals 240,197. These include killed in action, wounded, missing in action and prisoners. There probably will be some slight further revision as final reports are received.

The second regular division showed the greatest losses in the revised list, with 24,429. The first division came next with 23,973. The Twenty-Eighth (Pennsylvania, Delaware, District of Columbia, Virginia and Maryland) led National Guard and National Army divisions, being fourth in the list with 14,417. The Thirty-Second (Michigan and Wisconsin) was fifth with 14,268.

In the new list the Forty-Second Division (Rainbow) reported a total of battle casualties of 12,252, the Seventy-Seventh (New York Metropolitan National Army) 9,423, the Twenty-Sixth (New England) 8,955, the Twenty-Seventh (New York) 7,940, the Thirtieth (Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina) 5,893.

The battle casualty figures now announced include the totals of the wounded, which are not included in the tables of major casualties recently made public by the War Department. The new list includes:

- Nineteieth (Texas and Oklahoma), 9,710.
- Eighty-Second (Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee), 8,300.
- Thirty-Fifth (Missouri, Kansas), 7,745.
- Eighty-Ninth (Kansas, Missouri, South Dakota, Nebraska, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona), 7,093.
- Thirty-Sixth (Texas, Oklahoma), 2,397.
- Ninety-Second (Negro National Army), 1,399.
- Third (Regular), 16,355.
- Fourth (Regular), 12,948.
- Fifth (Regular), 8,280.
- Seventy-Eighth (Western New York, New Jersey, Delaware), 8,133.
- Thirty-Third (Illinois), 7,860.
- Twenty-Ninth (New Jersey, Delaware, Virginia, Maryland, District of Columbia), 5,972.
- Ninety-First (Alaska, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Nevada, Montana, Wyoming, Utah), 5,838.
- Eightieth (Virginia, West Virginia, West Pennsylvania), 5,133.
- Thirty-Seventh (Ohio), 4,303.
- Seventy-Ninth (Pennsylvania, Eastern Maryland, District of Columbia), 3,233.
- Seventh (Regular), 1,546.
- Eighty-First (North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Porto Rico), 1,062.
- Sixth (Regular), 285.
- Eighty-Eighth (North Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, West Illinois), 63.

ASHTOLA NEWS

There is a lot of sickness at this writing.

Dixie Scarborough and wife were visiting their parents here this week. Rev. J. H. Rich of Clarendon, preached two good sermons here Sunday. Good crowds gave him their best attention. He will preach here every third Sunday at eleven and four.

Mr. C. E. Audry has purchased a new Overland.

Mr. Berry has bought a car.

Sunday school is progressing nicely and much interest is manifested.

J. A. Johnson entertained the young people Sunday night with choir practice.

Bill Patchin also was on the sick list this week but is better now.

Mr. Behren has a boy real sick with pneumonia. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. O'Neal and family stayed Saturday night with J. C. Harris.

I want the people in and around Ashtola to help get the news for the Ashtola Items. Let me have this by Sunday evening so we can make a good newsy letter every week.

This community was saddened Friday morning by the passing away of Mrs. Ed O'Neal, who had been sick for three weeks. She had taken pneumonia in the last few days and was thought to be improving, but a turn for the worse was indicated shortly before she died. She leaves husband, daughters and sons and a host of friends to mourn her loss. She was a Christian and a member of the Methodist church. She taught a large class of boys and girls in the Ashtola Sunday school. The scholars of her class contributed bouquets in her honor, which was a beautiful tribute. Services was held at the Methodist church at Goodnight at one o'clock, Saturday, conducted by Rev. C. W. Foote of Amarillo. Interment was at Goodnight cemetery.

Ashtola Scribe.

U. S. EMPLOYMENT BUREAU NEEDS TO FILL POSITIONS

The United States Employment Service has Positions to fill for cooks waitresses, chambermaids, housegirls, farm hands, sod crop on shares, nurseryman, druggist, experienced tailor, meat cutter, barber, cleaner and presser, ranch hands, cowboys, auto mechanics, freighters, woman stenographer, tank builder, school teachers and salesmen and bookkeepers experienced in lumber business, and Applications for positions of truck drivers, machinists, electricians, car inspectors, water service men, shipping clerk, carpenters, auto mechanics, firemen, brakemen, typists, copyists, bookkeepers, stenographers, salesmen, salesladies, store clerk, switchboard man, call boys, messenger service, and an elderly man's watchman's job. This service is absolutely free to employer and employee alike. Rooms 332,334-336 Federal building, Room 2367, Amarillo, Texas.

NO TRAPPING

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

WILL DONLEY COUNTY FAIL TO MEASURE UP

On Thursday of last week I received this telegram from Mr. C. P. Sites of Dallas, Texas, manager of the Armenian-Syrian relief campaign, the Northwest Texas division: "How are you progressing with the campaign in Donley County? We have had no report from you. Can I be of any assistance?" Signed, C. P. Sites. I replied as follows: "I want to report Donley County over the top when reported, am still behind." Do you wonder that I do not want to report until I can report over the top, when I get a bulletin every day of the week giving the names of the counties over the state that have raised their quotas. Many of them are of the drouth-stricken counties. Think of Donley County failing to raise her quota, when we were one of the most prosperous if not the most prosperous county in, not only the Panhandle, but the entire state in the year 1918. Our quota is \$2000.00 for the county. Certain amounts have been assigned to each school district, based on the same percentage as used in the Fourth Liberty Loan. Some districts have raised their quotas in full, others much more than the quota assigned. When the drive is over the amounts assigned to, together with the amounts raised by each district, will be published. I do not expect to have published the names of individual donors, other than those that have given amounts sufficient to sustain a child for a year, namely \$60.00—some have done that. I find a disposition prevalent with our people, now that the war is over, that they should be relieved from further obligation along these lines. Friends, that must not be. The world is in a state of convalescence and needs the very best of nursing and needs you in the great army of nurses.

I fully appreciate the fact that the calls made upon you have been many, and you have not been wanting in your response; but this call is the most pathetic of all. People are dying by the thousands from hunger and exposure, in lands where they have no recognized form of government to which our government can loan money; therefore it is necessary that we give it to them.

I know that you want to enlarge your business to meet the demands of your trade. I know that you want to buy more land to make more money. I know that you want to give your children the very best education possible. I also know, at least I have information from a very reliable source, that something like \$100,000.00 has gone out of Donley County within the past twelve months for oil stock and other wildcat securities. And that only about one per cent has been returned in the way of dividends; and yet Donley County is FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS or more short of its quota of two thousand dollars, with which to buy food for starving women and children.

Mothers of Donley County! Can't you look across the seas and see and feel the sorrow of sorrows of the little Armenian-Syrian mother as she daily looks into eyes that grow larger and dimmer. Looks into faces that grow thinner, and looks upon forms which they love that are growing weaker. Does not the sad realization that there are no children in these countries under seven years of age, mean anything to you?

Uncle Sam is Big Brother to the nations of the world; therefore we are cousins to these people. Men of Donley County! Let's be Cousins and Big Cousins, at that.

As stated, we are something more than four hundred dollars short of our goal. This campaign will definitely close Sunday, March 30th. I have done all the soliciting I am going to do. Don't you ask me how much you ought to give. You know your duty, do it! W. H. Patrick at the First National Bank is treasurer. F. L. BOURLAND.

PREPAREDNESS URGED BY LEONARD WOOD

New York, March 8.—Major General Leonard Wood, commander of the Central Department, in the first public address he has made in many months, today warned the American public not to let "anything, whether a league of nations, a Hague tribunal or an international arbitration system, replace a policy of sound national preparedness" if the country is to remain in a state of peace.

The General, who spoke at the opening of the Methodist centenary movement, declared that "verbal massage, however skillfully applied, will not maintain a permanent peace."

He reiterated his well-known stand for universal military training, asserting that whatever may be said by its opponents, there was "nothing bad against it."

Referring to the period of demobilization as the most dangerous of the war, General Wood urged "practical, kindly consideration" of the problem of unemployed soldiers, stating that general dissatisfaction among the discharged troops would breed "what we do not want to see in this country. They have done their work; let us do ours."

POPULAR TEACHER RESIGNS PLACE HERE

Miss Ethel Teague resigned as teacher in the high school, and left Tuesday to take a civil service position in Washington, D. C. Miss Teague was an efficient and popular teacher, and she had endeared her teachers during her stay in Stephenville, and her departure was keenly felt by all who knew her.—Stephenville Empire.

The Vogue is featuring hats of exquisite beauty which they invite the trade to inspect.

Quality First

Marechal Neil Flour
Per hundred ----- \$6.15
Per sack ----- \$3.10
Cream meal, 25 lb sack ----- 1.25
Pearl meal, 25 lb sack ----- 1.20
Spuds, per peck ----- .35
Spuds, per hundred ----- 2.30
Seed potatoes, per peck ----- .75
Wheat shorts ----- \$3.00

Can goods in proportion. We pay highest price for eggs. Get our prices before buying elsewhere. We can save you money.

We have bulk and packages garden and flower seed.

Cash or 30 Days.

Walker & Shelton

—Phone 186—

J. E. Walker

E. P. Shelton

The Bon Ton Confectionery

Richard Wilkerson, Prop.

The place where you'll meet your friends.

Choice Cigars, Candies and Best fountain service. YOUR TRADE SOLICITED

Ed's Tailor Shop

Rear of Y. M. C. A.

Phone 27

Tailoring, Cleaning, Pressing, Alterations To the Trade Who Appreciate Good Work

All Work Guaranteed—Work Called for and Delivered

Let Me Be Your Tailor

40 Head Work Stock For Sale

24 head mules unbroke, 3 and 4 years old; 16 head horses and mares at John Lott's Barn. Will trade horse stock for younger mules or cows. See or phone

CASH OR GOOD NOTE

Logue & Black

Claude or Clarendon

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.

Letia Lake

Clarendon

To The Public--

This is to advise you that I have rented the building formerly occupied by Marquis Music Store, where I will be pleased to meet all my friends.

When you are in need of anything in the electrical line, I will appreciate your business. No matter how small the order. I shall carry a complete line of light bulbs, fuse plugs, attachment plugs, iron plugs, two way plug clusters, and a complete line of wiring material. Electric irons, washing machines, electric sewing machines and sewing machine motors. In fact, motors for any service you may require. Delco Light Plants, the complete electric light and power plant for lighting farm homes, churches, school houses, store buildings restaurants, hotels, picture shows, garages, gins, mills or any place where plenty of good safe, clean light is needed and at a cost not to exceed 5 cents per K. W. hour.

When you have light troubles call or phone

T. S. KEMP

Dealer in Delco-Light Products
Business Phone 63 Residence Phone 103

Correct Lubrication

of your Automobile Engine and chassis is necessary. It means longer life, less expense for repairs, less trouble. "Gargoyle" Mobile Oils are made in several grades to suit every condition of service. "Pennant" Oils are superior grades at the price.

Ask your garage for the grade required by your car.

Pierce Oil Corporation

A. L. CHASE, Agent
Phone 35 or 53
"Save Gasoline"

Just Received

A LIMITED NUMBER OF

"Western Electric" Electric Irons

Which we sell to our customers at the reduced price of

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Texas Gas and Electric Company At Your Service

Phone 100 C. C. Cope, Mgr.

Go To Lelia Lake With D. C. P. C.

JERICHO NEWS

M. F. McClesky was on our streets Friday.

Oscar Smith was a business visitor in Jericho Friday.

Mrs. Southern and daughter, Chloe, visited at the Helm home Sunday.

Messrs. Chase and Caraway of Clarendon were Jericho visitors on Sunday.

Miss Lucile Naylor was a very pleasant visitor at the Reeves home Saturday and Sunday.

Frank and Miss Maggie Hermes-meyer were visiting friends in Groom last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb of Sunnyview and Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Goldston were in Jericho Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slavin and son, Clyde, Jr., of Alanreed, were visiting in Jericho Sunday.

A number of the young people enjoyed a pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Osborn last Saturday.

Mr. R. T. Darnell and sons, Enoch and Leonard, and Mrs. Grady and Miss Hattie Ashmead motored to Clarendon Monday.

Mr. R. T. Darnell purchased the Southern home this week. Mr. Southern and family will move to McLean, we understand.

Messrs. Frank Hermesmeyer, J. L. Osborn, Miss Maggie Hermesmeyer and Ernestine Osborn were shopping in Clarendon Saturday.

Mr. Alex Anderson and Miss Mary Fair, Mr. Leonard Goldston and Miss Ida Barnett attended the movies in Clarendon Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Goldston, daughter, Marguerite, and Miss Ida Barnett were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Goldston Sunday.

REPORTER.

WINDY VALLEY WARBLES

School is progressing nicely. Bill and Frank Connor are sick at this writing.

Weaver Connor is home this week from Clarendon.

Bob Phelan has been sick but is some better now.

Hello, here I am again after several months absence.

Clay Inmon and Mr. Connor are owners of new cars.

A party was enjoyed at the Sam Ayer home Saturday night.

C. Stogner has returned home from a visit to Fort Worth and other points.

Mrs. Lawrence Sligar of Lelia Lake visited in the Sligar home the past week.

Clyde Atteberry and wife attended the Masquerade Ball in Clarendon Monday night.

Jim Heating spent a part of last week with his brother John, in the Goldston community.

J. J. Bills and family and Obie Rich and wife visited in the Goldston community Sunday.

Mrs. J. Phelan returned to her home at Lakeview Saturday after a visit in the Phelan home.

Mrs. Almada Barber left Sunday for Clay County, after a five month stay with her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Bills.

Mr. and Mrs. Obie Rich of Harrold, Texas, came in last week on a visit to the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bills.

BLUE EYED SUE.

Walter Clifford arrived in Clarendon Friday morning after an absence of nine months, all of which time was spent in the army. His discharge was granted him at Camp Sheridan, Alabama, at which place he was with the Ninth division assisting in the motor supply train. Shortly before getting his discharge he was doing special work connected with the same class of duties at Detroit, Mich. We hope that Walter will remain in Clarendon. Prior to his enlistment he was one of the most promising and prominent young business men in town, and it is a source of much pleasure to have him with us again.

See our line of watches. We have some very good grades. Get our prices. GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

\$2,000 GONE SAYS WILEY VESPERMAN

Spent small fortune on treatments before finding relief by taking Tanlac.

"I spent at least two thousand dollars on medicines and treatments before I finally got relief by taking Tanlac," said Wiley Vesperman, of 4418 Bowser avenue, Dallas, Texas.

"I suffered with rheumatism in my left arm and shoulder for several years," he continued, "and at times I was so badly crippled up that I would just have to give up and go to bed. I also suffered terribly with indigestion, and what little I ate formed so much gas that I would belch my sour, undigested food and would become faint from dizziness. I could hardly sleep from dizziness for the misery I was in and in the morning I would get up feeling so awful that I could hardly get around."

"But Tanlac has driven away every bit of the pain and misery. I never suffer from indigestion and can eat anything I want. My condition has improved so wonderfully since I started on Tanlac that I am able now to give all my time to my business, just like I did before that awful rheumatism got its hold on me. My wife is taking Tanlac, too, and she is just as enthusiastic about it as I am."

Tanlac is sold in Clarendon by Stocking's Store; in Hadley by J. F. Tomlinson Drug Co.; and in Jericho by O. C. Brown.



We have a large line of Display Samples to select your

Spring Suit

from. Let us take your order and you will be sure and get Fit and Satisfaction. Have had 12 years experience in taking orders. Hat Blocking Cleaning and Pressing a specialty. Carry a nice line Gents' Furnishings. Agents for Panhandle Steam Laundry at Amarillo. Call for and deliver to all parts of city. Phone 30. Your patronage appreciated.

McMillan & Johnson

O. K. Tailors

BRICE NEWS NOTES

Otis Barnes was in Brice recently.

Henry Youngblood was in Clarendon Tuesday.

Jeff Aduddell had business in Donley County Wednesday.

Farm work is progressing very nicely in this community.

Roy Heckman of Clarendon was visiting friends at Brice Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Roberson is spending several days with relatives in Clarendon.

Miss Sylvia Weaver entertained a few friends very pleasantly on Tuesday night.

Grady Herd, an over-sea casual has reached home and shows no signs of fighting the bun.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Crews of Bitter Lake Farm have gone to Burk-burnett for an extended stay.

W. H. Johnson, one of the pioneers of this country is moving near the capital of Donley County this week.

Bro. Smallwood will be here on Sunday afternoon at his regular appointment. We also have singing in the afternoon, being assisted by some of our neighboring classes.

REPORTER.

Keep the sand out of your eyes with a pair of our goggles. GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

PRINCE ALBERT



YOU can't help cutting loose joy's remarks every time you flush your smokespot with Prince Albert—it hits you so fair and square. It's a scuttle full of jimmy pipe and cigarette makin's sunshine and as satisfying as it is delightful every hour of the twenty-four!

It's never too late to hop into the Prince Albert pleasure-pasture! For, P. A. is trigger-ready to give you more tobacco fun than you ever had in your smokecareer. That's because it has the quality.

Quick as you know Prince Albert you'll write it down that P. A. did not bite your tongue or parch your throat. And, it never will! For, our exclusive patented process cuts out bite and parch. Try it for what ails your tongue!

Tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors—and—that clever, practical poured crystal glass humidors with sponge moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.



TALC Monteel
25¢

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

BRYAN & SON
The Rexall Store

Why Suffer?

Mrs. J. A. Cox, of Alderson, W. Va., writes: "My daughter . . . suffered terribly. She could not turn in bed . . . the doctors gave her up, and we brought her home to die. She had suffered so much at . . . time. Having heard of Cardui, we got it for her."

CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

"In a few days, she began to improve," Mrs. Cox continues, "and had no trouble at . . . Cardui cured her, and we sing its praises everywhere. We receive many thousands of similar letters every year, telling of the good Cardui has done for women who suffer from complaints so common to their sex. It should do you good, too. Try Cardui. E-77"

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the first Tuesday in April, the same being the First day of April, 1919, for the election of a Mayor for the City of Clarendon for the ensuing year. By order of the Board of Commissioners this the 3rd. day of March 1919.
W. A. SoRelle, Mayor.

THANKS

We wish to thank our many patrons for their liberal patronage for the first few days of our new business and hope to merit a continuance of the same.

Our steak, pork, sausage, pork chops and cured meats are the best to be had.

COME TO SEE US.

Parson's Market
M. S. PARSONS, Prop.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

For Sale

FOR SALE—A VICTROLA, in good condition. Will sell at a bargain. See Barcus Antrobus. 12tc.

FOR SALE—Fifty tons of silage. Will feed on the place. See F. P. Dunkle, Lelia Lake. 12tf

FOR SALE—Sudan grass seed, clear of Johnson grass. Phone 210 1L IS G. W. Kemp, Clarendon. 12p.

FOR SALE—Some bundle feed. See E. A. Thompson. 11c.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island eggs, \$1.50 for setting of 15. A. A. Walker, Clarendon, Texas. Phone 307-14p

FARM TO TRADE—For town property. Erwin and Bain. 48tf

For Rent

FOR RENT—Three partly furnished rooms, to parties without children. Apply Mrs. Bennett Kerbow.

Wanted

WANTED—5 women and girls to work at the Laundry, as hand-ironers hours from 7 to 5:30 and will pay \$9 to \$12 per week according to ability. Apply at Clarendon Steam Laundry, or phone 75. 11c.

WANTED—Man with small family wants job in town or on farm or ranch for the year. Write Walter Roberson, Clovis, New Mexico. 12pd

Lost

LOST—Monday afternoon, small diamond ear screw. Finder return to Ed Peltzel's tailor shop and receive reward. 12c

LOST—Somewhere in Clarendon, a hub for the Franklin car, with the word Franklin printed thereon. Finder return to C. T. McMurry or The News office. 12p

FOUND—At Stockings Drug Store, some money. Owner can claim same and pay for this ad.

BUSINESS LOCALS

COLORITE at Bryan & Son's.

Avicol saves the baby chick. Sold at Stockings Drug Store.

We make a specialty of trading farms for town property and vice versa. Come to see us. Erwin and Bain. 49tf

Aladdin's dye in all shades at Stockings Drug Store.

COLORITE—All the new colors at Bryan & Son's.

A new shipment of modern copyrights at Stockings Drug Store. Interesting books for all ages.

ALADDIN DYE—At Bryan & Son's. Bring your hides to us for highest prices. Whipple Produce Company.

COLORITE—14 Colors at Bryan & Son's.

ALADDIN DYE—17 Colors. Just wash the gods and **ALADDIN DYE** will do the rest. Bryan & Son.

Take your prescriptions to Stockings Drug Store.

See the attractive commencement Memory Books at Stockings Drug Store.

COLORITE colors old and new hats, satin, silk and canvas slippers, Bryan & Sons.

Cows called for and delivered to the Williams pasture for \$3.25 per month. See or phone, C. A. Wright. 42c.

For birthday presents, give Fountain Pens or Ever-Sharp pencils. See our line. **GOLDSTON** the Jeweler. Obie Rich gets the tickets.

Order your spring suit from McMillan & Johnson, O. K. Tailors. We are exclusive agents for M. Born and Lamm Company.

MASQUERADE BALL ST. PATRICK'S DAY WELL ATTENDED

St. Patrick's Day was a gala one with the Elite Dancing Club. Means or time were not spared to make of the Masquerade Ball that night a success and a happy occasion.

About nine o'clock almost a hundred members and guests had assembled, all but a few masked beyond recognition. Guests from Amarillo, Vernon and Childress were among the number.

The color scheme of green and white was artistically carried out in all of the decorations, favors, programs and refreshments.

The Grand March was unusually attractive and gracefully executed. Perhaps the most striking dance and waltz of the evening were "The Star Spangled Banner," a tableaux effect being used, displaying Old Glory so magnificently. And the "Moonlight Waltz" during which number the lighting so charmingly giving the appearance of moonlight.

An elaborate display of costumes and disguises were without a doubt the most interesting and appealing feature of the whole scene. Prizes were awarded those who were the best masked, and those who were the most comical. Among the costumes worn were Spanish, Gypsy, Shepherdess, Red Cross Nurse, Clown, Nun, Perette, Policeman, Mephisto, George Washington, Sunflowers, Soldier and Officers, Scotch Highlander, Matador, Hollander, Irishman, Japanese, Chinese, Carmen, Turkish, Shamrock, Uncle Sam, Red Riding Hood.

Punch was served throughout the evening from a three hundred pound block of ice.

At a late hour these merry masqueraders enjoyed delicious brick ice cream and cake, soon departing bidding adieu and expressing thanks to those who made for them a joyful evening.

A FALSE IMPRESSION IS CORRECTED

The News representative is authorized by Drs. Hamm and Wilder to announce to the public that the T. M. Little store and the force of said place are immune from the small pox. As well as the building vacated by them a few days ago, as it was calcemized by the Clarendon Drug Store.

The employees of the Little Store who now have this disease contracted it immediately after moving, and were at once quarantined and have not yet been released. Though the cases are not severe they have not been allowed to be out, and will not be until completely recovered, and not then until all danger of contagion is past. There is some uneasiness manifested among the people in town and country to avoid entering this place of business because of fear of becoming a victim of this loathsome disease. The above named doctors state there is absolutely no danger.

Those working at the Little store have not come in contact with those who have the small pox, rather they are and have taken every precaution obtainable, and as announced above the doctors inform us that they are immune as all vaccinations have taken.

Drs. Hamm and Wilder in making these statements feel that they are due Mr. Little as well as the public. Apparently there has been some misapprehension as to the existing conditions, and these aforementioned paragraphs should eliminate all fear that might be predominant among some people. These should be observed, and recognized, as some are of the opinion that it is dangerous to enter Mr. Little's store, and justice to this business which will naturally show a decrease when such is prevalent, they wish the public not to believe anything to the contrary than what these doctors have said.

SEED SWEET POTATOES

We will have a car load of Tennessee Hall seed sweet potatoes here about the middle of March and will sell 200 bushels. Are now booking orders. Are also booking orders for Nancy Hall potato slips for early May delivery. T. Jones & Co. 9c

Potato slips, Nancy Hall and Porto Rico and Dooley Yam. Government inspected and grown from No. 1 cured potatoes \$5.00 per thousand. 500 \$3.00, 100 75c. Tomatoes and cabbage plants \$2.50 per thousand, 500 for \$1.50, 100 for 50cts. Hot Sweet Pepper and Egg Plants 75cts. per hundred. All plants delivered and guaranteed to arrive in good conditions. Write for our Catalogue. 13pd. Milano Plant Co., Milano.

BID WANTED

I want to contract for removal of 4 to 600 yards dirt and three hundred and thirty feet 20 to 24 inch retaining wall built. I have 80 acres land to lease, sell or exchange. two miles out. G. S. Patterson. 12p.

I am now with The Clarendon Grocery Co., known as the Blanchard Grocery Store, on the Southeast corner. Will be pleased to have my friends call and see us. Phone No. 4. A. C. Brock.

EGGS

My Barred Rocks are better than ever. I can fill orders for a few more settings at \$2.50 per setting of 15 or \$1.00 per setting incubator lots. See L. H. Skelton at Ozier's. 15p.

Received this week a large shipment of Eastman's Kodaks, kodak films and albums, at Stockings Drug Store.

Colorite makes the old hat new sold at Stockings Drug Store.

OIL LEASES-- Near The Well

Well

The Lelia Lake Oil Association has located their well and drilling will commence at once. The oil leases shown above are within a mile and a quarter of the well to be drilled. Every indication shows the same oil strata extending right through this tract, which will make these tracts very valuable in a short time. Oil leases within one mile of this tract are selling from \$150 to \$200 per acre, and in great demand at that price. These tracts have been surveyed and a copy of the blue print placed on file at the County Clerk's office.

For a short time a part of this acreage is offered to the public at Forty Dollars (\$40.00) per acre and considering its ideal location is worth the money.

F. P. Dunkle
LELIA LAKE, TEXAS

On The Dome Of The Burkburnett Field

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Gentlemen: Enclosed is my check (bond) (money order) for \$..... for which enter my application for _____ shares in the Burk Long Oil Co., at \$1.00 par Value-fully paid and non-assessable.

Name _____
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MISS ROSA A. MARQUIS
Agent for Donley, Hall and Armstrong Counties

Biggest Cash Raising Sale

on Men and Youth's Suits. The reason for this Sale. Every Sale that is staged there are usually several reasons, some of which may be true, but many of which are not. For this Money-Raising Sale there is but one reason. We must have money to pay our bills. We are heavily loaded with Mens' Suits. We have gone through our stock carefully and selected ninety five suits we are now offering at the remarkable

Low Price of \$15.00

These suits sold for \$25.00 to \$30.00 a suit. The \$15.00 price we have put on them will stay until every Suit is sold. We do not pay for alteration. Come early or you may be too late. Think of buying an all wool serge or worsted Suit for \$15.00, a saving to you of \$10.00 to \$15.00 a Suit.

IT TAKES THE CASH

Why pay 35c and 40c for gingham when you can buy the best that is made for

—25c

Why pay 40c yard for yard wide percale when you can buy for

—25c

Why pay 25c yard wide Bleaching, you can buy for

—15c

Why pay \$2.50 for Mens' Overalls, when you can buy the best for

—\$1.75

Why pay \$1.50 for Mens' blue work shirts, when you can buy them for

—\$1.00

Pay Cash And Save The Difference.

Right Store
Right Price
Right Goods

T. M. Little

The Store
Where Most
People Trade

MOTHER--

Have You Had Baby Photographed?

This a duty that you owe to your child, and will bring sorrow to your heart if you put it off too late.
Bring the baby down and we will do the rest.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
PHONE 46

Bartlett's Art Studio

GROCERIES

Light Crust Flour, per sack	-\$3.10
Pearl meal, 25 lb	-\$1.25
White Swan Oats	-.30
National Oats	-.30
Search-Light Matches, 6 boxes	-.35
Crescent matches, 5 boxes	-.25
Pet milk, 4 cans	25c
Bordens milk, 4 cans	25c
White Ribbon compound, large size	-\$2.45
small size	1.25
Swift Jewel, small size	\$1.25
Swift Jewell, large size	2.45
Spuds, per peck	-.35
Spuds, per hundred	-.230
Sugar, 25 pounds	2.85

Awtrey & Dean

Cash and Carry Grocery Store

MARTIN ITEMS

Mrs. C. M. Peabody is quite ill at present.

Drew Smith spent Saturday night with Clarence May.

Conda Jones went to Brice Saturday, returning Sunday.

M. W. Kemp and children made a trip to Amarillo Sunday.

Will Weston attended to business on his farm north of town part of last week.

Mrs. Sowell spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Reg Hillman in Windy Valley.

The singing at Conda Jones Sunday night was very much enjoyed by all present.

Clifton Henderson and Excel McFarling were Clarendon visitors the last of the week.

John Moreland and family of Alarced spent the week-end in the W. W. Moreland house.

Misses Bessie and Essie Bishop of Kirkland are visiting their sister, Mrs. Alderson, this week.

C. C. Bell and Mr. Castleberry from near Wellington were visitors here Sunday night and Monday.

Miss Jessie Morgan-visited her sister, Mrs. Chaston Walls, near Conway, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Eula Rhodes visited in the home of her uncle near Groom on Tuesday night and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood entertained the youngsters Saturday night with a party. All report a glorious time.

Mr. and Mrs. Owens from Memphis and Mr. Miller and family from Clarendon visited at M. W. Moseley's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fielding Johnson and little daughter, Adeline, were visitors in the Austin Rhodes home Thursday night and Friday.

The Lone Star Literary Society rendered a short but interesting program Friday afternoon. Quite a number of visitors were present.

J. F. Cannon and family, Mrs. Cannon and children, W. E. Hodges and family and Edwin Baley and family were visitors in the J. A. Pool home Sunday.

Misses Ocie and Ruby and Paul and Clarence May, Tilden McKensie, Drew Smith, George Bulman and Curtis Billingsley were guests of Richard and the Misses Cannon Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Chitwood, county demonstrator, came out Tuesday afternoon and gave the Club members their first sewing lesson. Quite a number of new members were secured. Much enthusiasm was shown and everyone is anxious to get the next lesson.

After the lesson the following officers were elected: Ruby Jones, President; Ruby May, Vice-President Eula Rhodes, Secretary; and Jessie Morgan, Treasurer.

See our line of diamonds. We have some good values. GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

Get the Big Ben habit; be on time. We sell them. GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

DONLEY COUNTY RED CROSS TO ASSIST IN CLOTHING DRIVE

From March 24th to March 31st the Red Cross will conduct a campaign for used clothing. Ten thousand tons of clothing are needed. Of this amount one thousand tons are allotted as the quota of the Southwestern Division. This is just double the quota allotted this division during the Belgium clothing campaign.

The need for this clothing is so acute that the actual lives of the men, women and children in our Allied countries depend upon a prompt shipment. This war has proven that American people will give, if they know the reason why they are called upon to give.

To get this message across depends upon the publicity we can attain. The division office clearly recognizes that to make such publicity effective it must be given a local angle.

We are, therefore, asking you to make the publicity in connection with this campaign your special responsibility during the month of March. Articles will be sent you direct from this office.

Let us pull together once again, for the Southwestern Division never stops at filling a quota. They always go beyond it.

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Phone No. 11.

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Clarendon, Texas.
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Office Phone 245. Residence 233

F. A. BUNTIN

UNDERTAKER
Clarendon, Texas.

DR. M. B. McDANIEL

Veterinary Surgeon
Calls answered day or night
Office at John Lott's Livery Barn
Phone 264. Residence 270.

Beginning Saturday, March 8th, the ladies of the Episcopal Guild will have a "Saturday Market" for five Saturdays. Home made cakes, pies, bread, candies, etc., will be on sale at the Palace No. 1, at 2:00 p. m. 3tc

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Court House in Clarendon on the first Saturday in April, same being the 5th day of the month, for the purpose of electing four (4) trustees for the Clarendon Independent School District of Clarendon, Texas, to serve two years.*

I. W. Carhart has been appointed to hold said election.

Whitfield Carhart,
Secretary of the Board.

Poultry, Eggs, Produce.

Mattress renovator, new Mattresses.

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Everything TO BUILD Anything

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select Fisk and Elzee Hats. May we not have the pleasure of showing our latest styles to you?

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CLARENDON, - TEXAS

INTERESTING ITEMS ABOUT OURSELVES AND OUR CITY

Miss Letha Warren, Local Editor

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

Walter McAdams was over from McLean Tuesday.

C. B. Williams visited his wife in Memphis Sunday.

Ralph Andis was in Memphis Sunday visiting friends.

Bill Smith and wife were up from Memphis Tuesday.

Jack Mann was in our city Sunday from Wichita Falls.

Bert Smith made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Archie Clower of Memphis was a Clarendon visitor Sunday.

Carl Parsons and Cheo Andis were Memphis visitors Sunday evening.

Captain Westmoreland of Vernon was visiting friends here Sunday.

John Wall made a business trip to Kansas City the last of the week.

C. N. Headrick of Burkburnett was visiting his parents and children Sunday.

Derwood McCord and C. L. Sloan were recent Clarendon guests from Memphis.

G. N. Hamm and wife of Hereford stopped off enroute to Vernon and visited with their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Awtry.

The kitchen and dining rooms of the Charles Baldwin home were considerably damaged last Saturday when they were caught on fire by the oil stove in the kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Formwalt, who have been visiting G. W. Medley and wife, in Fort Worth and attending the Fat Stock Show stopped off enroute to their home at Alnear and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fenn Bourland.

"Nig" a black Canadian horse owned by Dr. Shoffit, died last week from old age. His inability to masticate food thoroughly hastened his death. Dr. Shoffit says he used a fitting ceremony and buried him in the sand hills at potters field with the other good horses. The animal was twenty six years old.

In the Star-Telegram of yesterday, Wednesday, there is a photograph of Sergeant T. B. Byron, Blevins, and a short paragraph: "T. B. Blevins, sergeant in Company H, One Hundred and Forty Second Infantry, cabled his wife in Fort Worth on the first anniversary of their marriage. She is living at 1917 South Adams Street."

R. L. Johnston, a popular Leila Lake boy returned home from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, last Tuesday with his honorable discharge from the 57th Field Artillery, with which outfit he had served four months. A short time was spent at Camp Bowie. He was visiting friends in Clarendon Tuesday, all of whom were very glad to see him.

Wallace Weatherly returned home Friday morning from Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, with his honorable discharge. He is another one of Clarendon's boys who went into service early and has made for himself a remarkable record. While in the army he was with the quartermaster's department. Friends are pleased to see him at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sitner were in Amarillo Sunday.

R. G. Dye and son were visitors in Clarendon Tuesday.

Rit sold in fourteen different colors at Stockings Drug Store.

Miss Louise Bell is visiting with her father at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Hahn of Brice were shopping here Wednesday.

Van Earl Steed and Miss Lillian Steed were here Sunday from Groom.

J. H. O'Neal and wife were in town Wednesday from his farm near Happy.

Miss Orville Headrick spent Saturday and Sunday at home with her parents.

Grover C. Cunningham, abstractor of Amarillo, was the guest of friends in town Sunday.

J. W. Murphy of Shoe Bar ranch spent a few days this week visiting Jim Casey and family.

Mrs. George Butler left Tuesday night for Grady, Arkansas, where she will join her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Sayre are expected home this week from Corpus Christi, where they have spent the winter.

W. H. Grounds was down from his farm at Washburn the first of the week. He says that the wheat crop there is looking fine.

O. E. Dever has returned from Altus, Oklahoma, where he assisted Bob and E. A. Kizzar, in placing a new stock of groceries.

Drs. Hamm, Wilder and Strickland attended the District Medical Association which was held in Amarillo Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. E. Russell who is in charge of the Y. M. C. A. work at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, is at home on a fifteen day furlough visiting his family.

The D. C. P. C. Band will give a short concert on the streets of Clarendon Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Give the boys a good audience.

A. L. Chase has returned from Fort Worth, where he attended a meeting of the salesmen and agents of the Pierce Oil Corporation, and reports it as a most profitable one. This is one of a series at which lectures are given on automobile and tractor lubrication. M. F. Lackey, who has been salesmen for this corporation in this district, with headquarters at Amarillo, and a frequent visitor in Clarendon, was appointed assistant manager of North Texas with offices at Fort Worth.

Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins have returned from a very delightful visit to their sons, Oscar, who is attending the State Medical College at Galveston, and B. L., at College Station. The boys are doing excellent work and are in fine health. The day Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins arrived at Galveston Oscar received a message stating that he had been accepted as an intern in the Metropolitan Hospital, New York. He will graduate from the State School in June and will go to New York about July 1.

AS THE DERRICK GOES UP

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GAS MASK

M. W. HEADRICK & SON

Roy Moore was in from the JA's Wednesday.

Mrs. Mell Davis, Misses Olive Cole and Beatrice Sloan of Pampa have been the guests of Mrs. Eugene Noland the past week.

Mrs. R. Deane Shure received the sad news this week stating the sudden death of her sister, Miss Caroline Towne. She had only been ill two days with the influenza.

The Pathfinder Club met at the home of Mrs. Trent March 14, with Mesdames Trent and Adams as hostesses. The study for the afternoon, "Tennyson's Idylls of the King," proved very interesting, as was the round table on current events. After refreshments were served to a large percent of the members and a number of visitors, the club adjourned to meet March 28 with Mesdames McCreary and McKillop, at the home of the former.

LUTHERANS LAUNCH A GREAT DRIVE FOR FUNDS

Missouri River Lutherans all over the country are engaged in a great drive to raise a \$3,000,000 fund, the proceeds of which are to be used for and otherwise incapacitated ministers, professors, teachers, and their widows and orphans.

The drive was planned some two months ago, and the organizing began immediately. On March 4th the ministers and one lay-delegate from the support of their superannuated each congregation of the Panhandle District met in conference at Vernon, and discussed ways and means how best to raise their portion. This being principally a movement by the laymen of the church, the clergy took the back seats and left the main discussion to the lay representatives. In general enthusiasm ran high, and it was the view of the great majority that we would have no trouble in raising the desired amount. One even ventured the prediction that we would go over the top, and that by a great margin. And if the successful beginning may be taken as a basis of calculating the final outcome, the present goal will appear to have been only the starting point. The drive will close April 12.

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In the main Liberty Bonds are to be given to this cause. It is understood that the cash donations will be converted into Liberty Bonds, as no other investment is as safe as that which is backed by our dear old Uncle Sammie.

The Lutherans in and around Clarendon are giving this worthy cause their heartiest support. In a congregational meeting of March 9th a committee of two men, Mr. F. Rathjen and Mr. H. Niemtschk, was elected to approach every member personally and solicit their subscriptions. Their report so far is very gratifying, and we certainly wish them continued success.

May God bless all of our efforts in such a noble cause!

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Donley County State Bank

at Clarendon, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1919, published in the Clarendon News, a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, state of Texas, on the 20th day of March, 1919.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$317,030.99
Loans, real estate	18,000.00
Overdrafts	1,676.02
Bonds and stocks	1,600.00
Real estate, (banking house)	10,000.00
Items in Transit	4,767.34
Furniture and Fixtures	3,500.00
Due from approved reserve agents, net	133,040.73
Cash Items	8,796.64
Currency	22,626.75
Specie	10,263.06
Interest and assessment depositors' guaranty fund	8,719.42
Other Resources, Advance on Cotton	54,393.33
TOTAL	\$594,414.28
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$75,000.00
Surplus fund	16,000.00
Undivided profits, net	4,629.70
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check, net	4,143.99
Individual deposits, subject to check	453,859.17
Time certificates of deposit	6,338.94
Demand certificates of deposit	8,910.40
Cashier's checks	13,550.02
Other Liabilities margin on Cotton	11,982.06
TOTAL	\$594,414.28

State of Texas,
County of Donley
We, J. L. McMurtry, as vice-pres. and F. E. Chamberlain, as cashier, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. L. McMURTRY,
Vice-President.
F. E. CHAMBERLAIN,
Cashier.

CORRECT ATTEST:
C. T. McMurtry,
W. A. SoRelle, Directors.
(SEAL)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 13th day of March, A. D. 1919.

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REPORT FOR FIFTH MONTH IN SCHOOL WORK IS GOOD ONE

Last Friday marked the completion of the fifth full month of school. Report cards are out and interested pupils are eagerly comparing grades. The Banner Contest has created considerable interest between the various rooms and this indicates a healthy school. Parents are urged to read carefully the report cards of their children. Remember that if your child has an average monthly grade of below 75 per cent in the grammar grades he is a failure for that month, or in the high school a grade of below 70 in any subject is a failure in that subject. Parents are urged to co-operate with the teachers in seeing that these failures are removed. If your child is not doing any home study and is failing, the probable cause is lack of application, and you can remove the cause by seeing that the child puts in an hour or two of home study.

An honor roll pupil is one that has an average grade above 90 percent for the month in his studies and a grade in department of 95 percent. Following is a report by rooms of the results of the past month. The ninth grade room has the best attendance record for the month with a percentage of 97.4. In the high school the eighth grade room won the Banner for the month. In the grammar grades of the high school building Miss Bates room won the Banner, and in the central ward building Miss Cooke's room. Erma Russell has the highest average, with 95.2 percent for the entire high school; while Miss Ruth Dean of the seventh grade has the highest average with 96.6 percent for the grammar school department. The Honor Roll report by grades follows:

Eleventh Grade. First in scholarship for the month, Erma Russell, average 95.2; second in scholarship, Harry Weatherly, average 89.1 percent. Honor Roll, Erma Russell.

Tenth grade. First in scholarship, Mary Cagle, average 91 percent; second,

ond, Oma Griggs, average 86. Honor roll, Mary Cagle.

Ninth grade. First in scholarship, Ruth Rutherford, average 92.7; second, Mittie Cole, average 92.5. Honor roll, Ruth Rutherford, Mittie Cole, Bessie Alexander, Delta Kemp.

Eighth grade. (Science section.) First in scholarship, Genoa Doshier, average 90.5; second, Stephen Russell, average 90.2. Honor roll, Stephen Russell.

Eighth grade (Latin section.) First in scholarship, Elma Miller, average 92.7; second, Carmen Ulm, average 92.5. Honor roll, Elma Miller, Carmen Ulm, Alice Robinson.

Seventh grade (Miss Thompson's section.) First in scholarship, Mat-Gladys Dauer, average 93.6; second, Bernice Roland, average 92.4. Honor roll, Gladys Dauer, Bernice Roland, Ila Mae Hastings, Marie Stevens.

Seventh grade (Miss Connally's section.) First in scholarship, Mattie Ruth Dean, average 96.6; second, Margaret McMurtry, average 94.1. Honor roll, Mattie Ruth Dean, Margaret McMurtry, Leo Cornelius, Cleo Cornelius, Kate Talley.

Sixth grade (Miss Connally's section.) First in scholarship, Cleo Woods, average 91.6; second, Julia Dean, average 91.5. Honor roll, Cleo Woods, Julia Dean, Lois Williams, Tam Bugee, Oliver McElyna, Lillian McKinley.

Sixth grade (Miss Miller's section.) First in scholarship, Thelma Parsons, average 94.5; second, Mable Briscoe, 94.1. Honor roll, Thelma Parsons, Mable Briscoe, Angelina Dubbs, Gwendel Couch, Mildred Huckleberry, Lucile Murphy, Rena Rutherford, Berta Walker, Carl Miller.

Fifth grade (Miss Bates section.) First in scholarship, Marion Gatlin, second, Mildred Letts 93.6. Honor roll, Marion Gatlin, Mildred Letts, Thelma Weatherly, Gladys Wright, Ada Benson, Lotta Bourland, Margaret Letts, Whit Carhart, Cora Lee Richards, Kelly Chamberlain.

Fifth grade (Miss Stevens.) First in scholarship, Loren Christeen Chitwood average 95; second, Vio Woodring, Monnette Chase, Rhoden Chase, Zora Chunn, Lorena Groom, Minta Johns, Nancy Cole, Herman Henderson, Athlyn Taylor, Eva Lee Morrison.

Fourth grade (Miss Baird.) First in scholarship, Fannie Gussie Story, 91.8; second, Irene Woodring, 91. Honor roll, Fannie Gussie Story, Irene Woodring, Rose Ella Chambers, Gilbert Johnson, Hazel Coleman, Olive Crabtree, Bess Weatherly, Gladys Goodyear, Lucile Burlee, Charles Summers.

Miss Lane's room, low fourth grade. First in scholarship, Naomi West, average 97.7; second, Willie Mae Stewart 97.5. Honor roll, Naomi West, Willie Mae Stewart, Albert Bourland, Opal Johns, Mildred Slaughter, High third grade. First in scholarship, Mary Katherine Headrick average 97.7; second, Johnnie Mae Dunn, 95.4. Honor roll, Mary Katherine Headrick, Johnnie Mae Dunn.

Miss Cooke's room, low third grade. First in scholarship, Lorediah Chunn, average 96; second, Lucille Park, 94. Honor roll: Lorediah Chunn, Lucile Park, Carmen Banner, Ozella Brock, Ruby Watkins, Hettie Finley, Lola Mae Miller. High Second Grade: First in scholarship, Mary Joe Chamberlain, average 99; second, Russell Benedict, average 96. Honor Roll: Mary Joe Chamberlain, Russell Benedict, Clair Hinton, Lebert Miller, Eula Johns, Tom Murphy, Jack Goldston, Jerry Hayter, Alfred Taylor, Delia Barnes.

Miss Clifford's Room, High Second Grade: First scholarship, Ross Harwood Beville, average 95; second, Richard Glass, average 94. Honor Roll: Ross Harwood Beville, Richard Glass, Elvis French, Lois Alexander, William Grainger, Joe Bourland, Sam D. Parks. Low Second Grade: First in scholarship, Blanche Bowling, average 96; second, Lloyd Johnson, average 94. Honor Roll: Blanche Bowling, Lloyd Johnson, Carl Stobb, J. L. Bain, Jr., Ruby Hahn, Hallie Slaughter, Andrew Cooper.

Miss McLean's Room, High First Grade: First in scholarship, Zell Rodgers, average 95.6; second, Ethel Crane, average 92.4. Honor Roll: Zell Rodgers, Ethel Crane, Edna Crane, Susie Richards. Low First Grade: First in scholarship, Glynn Allison, average 92.5; second, J. W. Lyons, average 90.3. Honor Roll: Glynn Allison, J. W. Lyons.

The following parents have visited the school this month: Mesdames F. B. Letts, C. W. Taylor, Cooke, A. L. Chase, A. T. Cole, J. D. Stocking, Goodgion, M. T. Crabtree, and Miss Nora Headrick. We invite others to do likewise.

CANTATA PLEASURES A LARGE AUDIENCE

Those who heard the remarkably delightful cantata, so worthily produced by the Thursday Musical Matinee Club, under the direction of Mrs. M. B. Adams, expressed a unanimity of opinion with respect to its direct appeal, tuneful brightness, and finish in presentation.

All who took part are to be heartily congratulated, and the smoothness with which the event was prepared and presented is merely additional proof of the harmony which has always existed in things musical in Clarendon. Mrs. Adams is contributing no small amount as her share of a better musical city, and each year she adds to her ever increasing laurels, a well directed, and much earned compliment. The amount contributed by our music-loving public, was most gratifying. But then, Clarendon always responds to its musical activities, as to all other forms of communal advancement. Mrs. Adams, and Clarendon, are both to be complimented.

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On Thursday March 27

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All bred to a Jack.
1 black driving horse 8 years old
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1 black mare coming 3
1 black horse colt coming 2
1 black horse coming 4
2 fillies coming 3
2 spotted ponies
2 weaning colts
1 span mules 3 - 4 years old 15 hands high
1 coming 2 year old mare mule
1 milk cow and calf
15 head of 1 and 2 year old heifers

1 Spanish Jack
1 P. and O. lister good as new
1 Case planter
1 Case lister in good shape
1 Deering mower
1 hay rake
1 Cultivator
1 two row go-devil
1 three section harrow
1 Oliver cultivator
1 riding-plow
1 row grain drill
4 wagons
1 single buggy nearly new
1 set single harness nearly new
1 set double driving harness
3 sets heavy harness
1 galvanized water tank
and other articles too numerous to mention.

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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.

G. S. Patterson went to Kasota last week.

E. C. Brittan of Amarillo was visiting here this week.

A. T. Cole went to Amarillo Friday morning on business.

Miss Mary Caldwell of the Word ranch visited in town Saturday.

Leon Montgomery of Shamrock was in town on business this week.

Sam Huggins of Wichita Falls was in Clarendon the past week.

John Allen of Quail was visiting with Dick Allen this week.

Mrs. Munsay of Hedley was shopping here this week.

Miss Grace Meyers of Hedley was visiting friends in town Monday.

G. O. Walker of Canyon visited in Clarendon this week with his family.

Mrs. W. H. Youngblood of Brice was shopping in Clarendon Tuesday.

Glenn Johnson, who has been assisting at the depot, has gone to Estelline to act as operator.

R. J. Parson, representing Bernard's Stationery House at Amarillo, was visiting in Clarendon Friday.

C. C. Bell, a former Donley County farmer, but now of Wellington, was in our town the first of the week.

Bob Turner, F. E. Chamberlain and Jack Wofford attended the convention at Dallas this week.

Gus Buck and Alvin Caldwell of Childress came up Monday to be present at the Masquerade ball.

Miss Minnie Moore has accepted a position with the Harned Sisters Millinery.

Marriage license was issued Saturday to Ezra Garrison and Miss Essie Brown, both of Lelia Lake.

Mrs. J. T. Patman and children motored to Goodnight Sunday afternoon.

S. W. Norwood and daughter of Shamrock were visiting with Mrs. S. W. Norwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howard were in from the ranch Monday on a shopping tour.

J. Moran, roadmaster of the Denver, was in Clarendon Tuesday on official business.

J. M. Peabody and little grandson Allen Howard Underwood, returned this week from Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. D. Swift of Hedley was in our city the first of the week shopping.

Mrs. Nuebill Ferguson of Amarillo came down Monday night for a visit with her mother and friends.

Miss Lara Brown of Henrietta who has been visiting in the Walter Taylor home has returned.

W. T. Likens, Overland man of Amarillo, was in our city last of the week.

Mrs. R. W. Baker and daughter left Friday morning for Miami, Arizona to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Adams have gone to Tennessee to visit his father and to prospect.

Miss Lois Reavis of Lelia Lake, was visiting in town the latter part of the week.

Misses Anne Neeley and Minnie Ferebee visited several days the past week with friends.

Mrs. Fannie Powell went to Amarillo Saturday morning to visit with relatives.

Mrs. Jim Hopkins and children of Pampa are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Beverly.

Miss Lucile Hopkins of Pampa is visiting here with her friend, Miss Minnie Moore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Barron of Wichita Falls spent Saturday and Sunday in the J. C. Finley home.

Olive Davidson, Dr. W. Wilson and Port Craven of Memphis were in our city this week on business.

Grandmother Harrington fell Monday afternoon sustaining a very painful injury. A hip was fractured but at present she is resting nicely.

Allen Bryan went to Amarillo the first of the week to accept a position with the Bon Ton Confectionery owned by Frank Tresise.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patchin of Ashola were visiting his parents and transacting business here the first of the week.

Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jimmie D. Browder, the past week at Memphis.

G. M. Bass of Memphis was visiting in Clarendon Sunday.

John Blocker is attending the Cattlemen's Convention at Dallas this week.

J. W. Kent, wife, and sons Ernest and Fayne, went to Dallas this week.

T. E. Major has sold his store at McLean and will go to Amarillo, where he has accepted a position with the Magnolia Oil Company.

J. E. Walker has bought the R. Deane Shure residence and will occupy same when the College term is closed.

Mesdames C. C. Carter and W. R. Baker and daughter Miss Lola of Hedley, were shoppers in town Friday.

Derrell Hansard, former C. C. student, came from Chillicothe this week and visited with his friends on College Hill.

J. C. Finley, son J. C. Jr. and daughter, Jewel, visited several days this week with relatives at Erick, Oklahoma.

J. Q. Sewell sold the City Drug Store this week to Dr. Powell of Miami, who will assume the management of same soon.

Robert Brown, who has been visiting his mother at Clayton, N. M., returned Friday night. He says his mother is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Jordan of Tulsa returned home Saturday morning after a delightful visit with Mrs. Gordon Jordan and little daughter.

Mrs. W. H. Carlton of Hobart, Oklahoma and Mrs. George Bass of Memphis enjoyed several days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bain.

J. C. Finley has purchased the Wade Willis residence. He will at once begin to remodel and make of it one of the most attractive homes in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMurtry and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurtry are attending the Cattlemen's Convention, which is being held at Dallas this week.

Mrs. R. R. Stevens of Minneapolis, stopped off a few days this week to be with her father-in-law, W. M. Stevens and Miss Elizabeth Stevens, enroute to San Francisco to visit.

Mrs. Roy Leveritt of Memphis is happy over the arrival of a baby girl. The young lady's father is at present in France. Mrs. Leveritt was formerly Miss Ruby Baldwin, and has visited in Clarendon many times.

S. W. Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Butler, has received his discharge from Camp Travis, where he was stationed with the 165th Infantry. His parents reside in the Martin community.

Rev. E. F. Hassler and wife have come to Clarendon to make their home for a short while. They will be remembered as former residents of this place, and friends are glad to have them return.

Rev. Leon O. Lewis and wife went to Goodnight Sunday, where Rev. Lewis preached at the Methodist church in the absence of Rev. L. A. Reavis. Rev. Lewis says it is the first time he has preached in a long time, and that it was truly a genuine pleasure to have the privilege of once again being in a pulpit. He lauds highly the splendid and attentive audience and the many courtesies extended he and his good wife during their brief stay in their midst.

SCHOOL NEWS
—By Bessie Alexander

Under the leadership of the efficient and considerate Miss Houk, the High School and Glee Club has progressed very nicely since its organization and expects to do still better work when the song books come.

At chapel exercises Monday morning, the Debating Society, consisting of Ivan Hudgins, Harry Weatherly, Charlie Barfield, Oswald Coleman and Leon Lewis, rendered a very interesting and enlightening debate on whether the United States should adopt the military system similar to that of the Swiss Republic. The judges consisting of the High School Faculty, were to consider the delivery, material for debate and the rebuttal. The judges made their decision about the debaters by giving the third place in the contest to Harry Weatherly, the second place to Oswald Coleman and the first place to Leon Lewis.

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Phone 18

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

Whereas, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1919, petitions containing more than 200 names of qualified property tax paying voters in Donley County, Texas, were presented to the Commissioner's Court of said county at a regular term of said court, petitioning said court to call an election for the purpose of determining whether a special tax of 15 cents on the \$100.00 valuation of property in said county should be levied and collected, and the commissioner's court having ordered said election for each and every voting precinct in Donley county, Texas, to be held on the first Saturday in April, A. D. 1919, the same being the 5th day of April, A. D. 1919, NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. T. LINK, county judge of Donley County, Texas, do hereby notify all persons in said county that an election will be held in each of the voting places in

said county on the first Saturday in April, 1919, the same being the 5th day of April, 1919, for the purpose of determining whether the Commissioner's court of said county shall levy and collect a special road tax of 15 cents upon the \$100.00 of property valuation in said county, as provided in Chapter 11, Title 119 Revised Statutes of Texas.

It is further ordered that this notice be published in four consecutive issues of The Clarendon News, and the Hedley Informer.

Witness my hand officially this 17th day of February, A. D. 1919.

W. T. LINK,
County Judge,
Donley County, Texas.

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TURN CLOCKS AHEAD ON MARCH 30TH

Washington, March 18.—The nation will turn forward its clocks an hour on March 30th because the daylight saving law is not affected by the coming peace.

While passed as a measure to conserve fuel, the daylight saving law is on the statute books to stay as a permanent national policy, unless Congress repeals it. Thus far there has been no agitation whatever for the repeal of the law, and while there are bills pending to repeal nearly every other war measure, this one stands. The last Congress which adjourned March 4, and it is certain an extra session will not meet before the 30th. So there is no chance of the law being repealed for this year, at any rate. The general impression is that the people are pretty well satisfied with the daylight saving law.

The bill provides for the clocks to be changed the last Sunday of March. That day this year is the 30th.

If your eyes trouble you, let us end all that with a pair of our glasses. Satisfaction guaranteed.
GOLDSTON the Jeweler.



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FRIDAY, MARCH 21 **POLO NIGHT**
Eddy Polo in our Big Circus story "THE LURE OF THE CIRCUS" Billie West in a good comedy 10c - 15c

SATURDAY, MARCH 22 **FOX FILMS**
Two Complete Programs—
Matinee, Wm. Desmond in a corking good Western Play "HELL'S END" 10c and 15c
Night, Tom Mix everybody's favorite in a Western Play "FAME AND FORTUNE" also Mutt and Jeff 10c - 20c

MONDAY, MARCH 24 **SELECT PICTURES**
Norma Talmadge in "THE FORBIDDEN CITY"
These Monday pictures are growing in popularity more each Monday, also good Tom Mix 2 reel comedy. Don't miss these Monday programs 10c and 20c

TUESDAY, MARCH 25 **UNITED PICTURES**
Dustin Farnum in "THE MAN IN THE OPEN"
another Zane Gray story, also Ford Educational Weekly 10c and 20c

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26 **GOLDWYN PICTURES**
Mary Garden in "SPLENDID SINNER" a picture you will be carried away with 10c and 15c

THURSDAY, MARCH 27 **ART CRAFT**
Dorothy Dalton in "GREEN EYES." She is bewitching them in this great play. Also Pathe News. 10c and 20c

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PAINT THE OLD CAR
If you want to trade it—it will trade better. If you want to sell it—it will sell better. If you want to keep it—it will look better. See
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Clarendon, Texas

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One 200 acre farm, 2 1-2 miles from McLean, 320 acres 8 miles, 320 acres 10 miles. I will take good residence property as part payment on either of these farms.
J. O. Quattlebaum,
McLean, Texas.

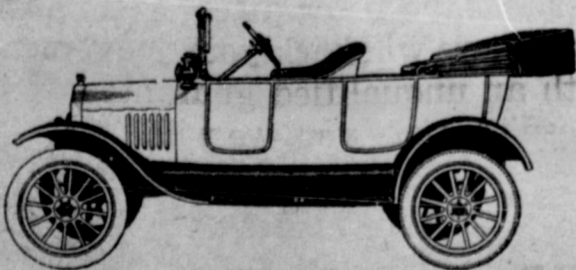


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We have three Touring Cars ready for immediate delivery. See us at once if you are interested in a new "Ford Car."

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Clarendon Motor Co.

AUTHORIZED SALES AND SERVICE

Charter No. 5463 Reserve District No. 11

Report of the Condition of

The First National Bank

at Clarendon, Texas in the State of Texas, at the close of business on March 4th, 1919.

RESOURCES

1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts (except those shown in b and c).....	\$163,973.40
b Cotton and grain acceptances, advances B L drafts.....	54,027.63
*Total loans.....	\$218,001.03
2. Overdrafts, secured, \$3,987.88; unsecured, \$173.67.....	4,161.55
5. a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value).....	50,000.00
f U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged.....	5,000.00
Total U. S. Bonds.....	55,000.00
6. a Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2, 4, and 4 1/4 per cent, unpledged.....	3,033.20
7 b Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits.....	1,000.00
e Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged.....	4,840.37
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.....	5,840.37
9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription).....	2,409.00
10. a Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered.....	2,150.00
11. Furniture and fixtures.....	198.37
13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	16,675.63
15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks.....	65,442.75
16. Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14, or 15.....	442.95
18. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17).....	1,927.64
19. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items.....	20.00
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	2,500.00
21. Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due.....	2,390.46
22. War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned.....	106.09
23. Other assets, if any, advance on 4th Lib. Loan Bonds.....	25.41
Total.....	\$380,315.45

LIABILITIES

24. Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000.00
25. Surplus fund.....	30,000.00
26. a Undivided profits.....	\$ 6,646.56
b Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid.....	2,131.21
27. Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate).....	586.92
28. Amount reserved for taxes accrued.....	913.77
30. Circulating notes outstanding.....	50,000.00
33. Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in items 31 or 32).....	745.83
35. Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding.....	1,990.75
36. Individual deposits subject to check.....	220,945.14
37. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed).....	309.08
42. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	2,683.10
44. Postal savings deposits.....	108.89
46. United States deposits (other than postal savings).....	4,500.00
56. Liabilities other than those above stated, Grain B-L drafts.....	13,016.62
Total.....	\$380,315.45

Total State of Texas, County of Donley, ss:
I, W. W. Taylor, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. W. TAYLOR, Cashier
H. W. TAYLOR,
W. H. PATRICK,
R. I. PATRICK, Directors.
A. M. BEVILLE, Notary Public.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13.
A resolution to amend Section 5 of Article IV. of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as follows: Strike out the words "Four Thousands," found in the third line of Section 5, and insert in lieu thereof the words "Ten Thousand," and adding after the word "furniture" the words, "and this clause shall be self-enacting," and making an appropriation to pay necessary expenses hereof.

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

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

All voters favoring such amendment shall erase, by making a mark through the words "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV. of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the governor of the State of Texas," and all voters opposing such amendment shall erase by making a mark through the words "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV. of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the governor of the State of Texas."

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in Lelia Lake on the first Saturday in April, same being the 5th day of the month, for the purpose of electing four (4) trustees for the Lelia Lake Independent School District of Lelia Lake, Texas, to serve two years.
C. L. Cook has been appointed to hold said election.
C. H. Ellis, Secretary of the Board.

S. S. Montgomery, president of the First National Bank, of Memphis, transacted business here the first of the week.

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Over 800,000 went to the scrap heap in 1917



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KEEP the car on the job, and "fighting fit." It has given you loyal service. It is capable of giving you lots more.

Show your appreciation. Fit it out with a new battery and it will romp through 1919 as happy as a two-year old.

The Eveready is the battery for you, and the 1 1/2 year guarantee means shelving all worry onto our broad shoulders.

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It is the ideal paint for inside work. It may be applied direct to woodwork, plaster, wall-board, wall paper, canvas, burlap, radiators pipes, etc.

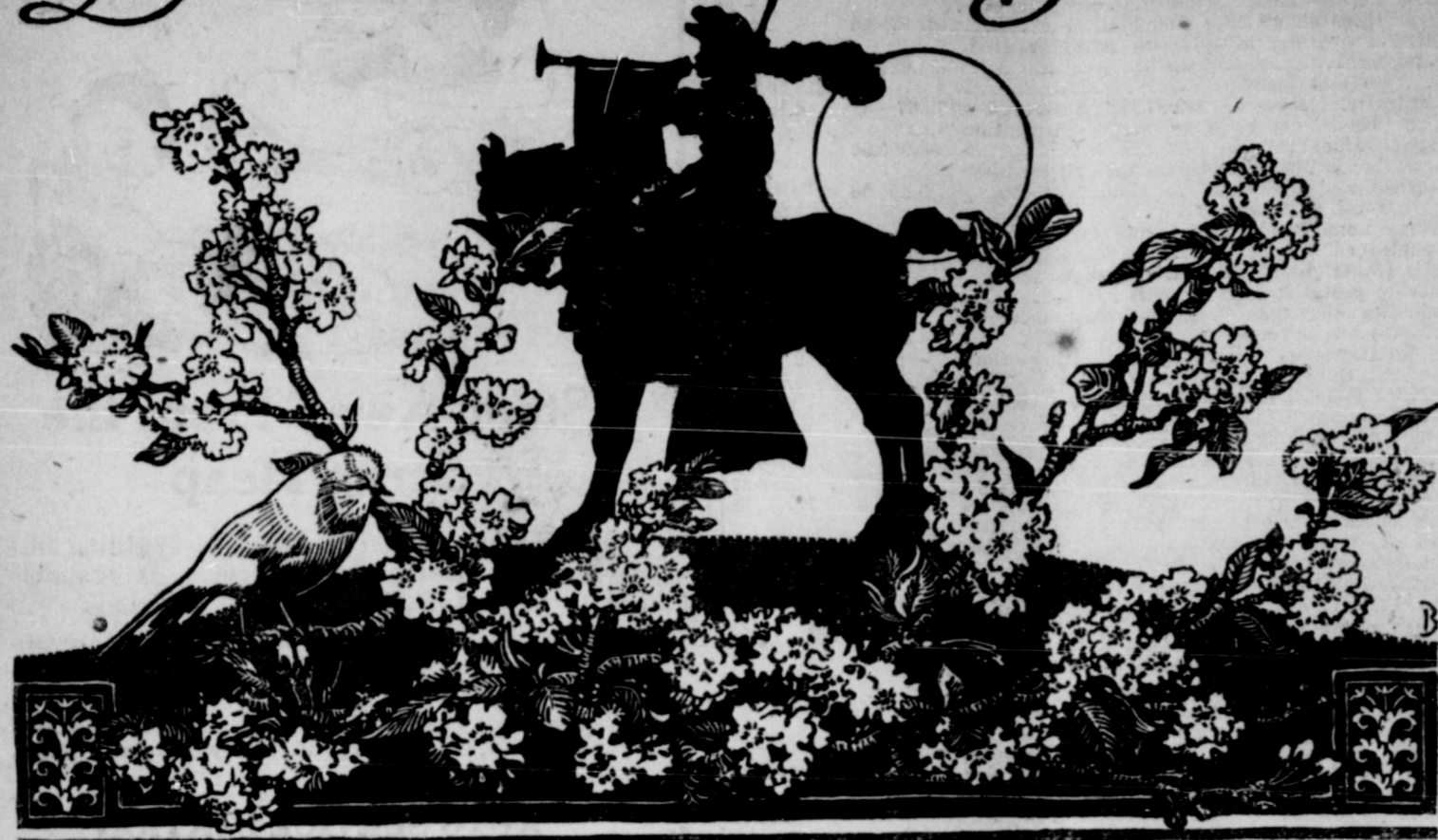
The booklet—"Harmony in the Home"—shows the many attractive tints that make any color scheme possible. We guarantee your satisfaction. Call or write for card.

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For It's Springtime And The Boys From Overseas Are Coming Home. The Old Suit Is No Longer A Sign Of Patriotism—Discard It And Dress Up.

You can't wait until Easter before you get your Spring clothes this year. The Spring season will be well under way before the holiday is scheduled. That's why we are displaying our Spring clothes earlier than usual—then you will want to be 'Dressed Up' when our Boys come home.

The new Spring Clothes are here and you had better get yours now.

Men's Spring Suits

Hart Schaffner and Marx	\$25.00
The Collegian	to
Styleplus	\$50.00

Men's Spring Shoes

Edwin Clapp and Sons	\$5.00
Bion-F. Reynolds	to
Walk-Overs	\$12.50

Men's Spring Hats

John B. Stetson's	\$4.00
No Name Hats	to
Blum and Koch	\$15.00

Men's Spring Shirts

Cluett's	\$1.25
Wilson Bros'	to
Emperor	\$10.00

Men's Hosiery

Everwear	.25
Interwoven	to
Wilson Bros'	\$1.50

Spring Neckwear

Regals	.25
Keisers'	to
Wilson Bros'	\$3.50

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The home of good clothes for men and boys—nothing else

Store closes 5 p. m. week days, 9 p. m. Saturdays.

No Charge Accounts

VESPER SERVICE AT METHODIST CHURCH

"Every number, a number everybody knows," is the slogan for the vesper to be given in the Methodist church next Sunday at four. The program follows:

Processional Choir, Abide With Me.
Gounod March Romaine
Greig To Spring
Mr. Shure

Evening Hymn Number 38
Choir and congregation

Nevin Narcissus
Mascagni Intermezzo
Mr. Shure

Handel (Samson)
Then Shall They Know
Choir

Shure (Violin) Adagio
Miss Loeffler

Old Familiar Melodies:
Annie Laurie
Last Rose of Summer
Flow Gently Sweet Afton
Drink To Me Only
Mr. Shure

Welsh Air All Thru The Night
Choir

Large Handel
Mr. Shure

Recessional Now The Day Is Over
Choir

J. B. (BELAR) MARTIN ARRIVES AT NEWPORT NEWS

Private J. B. (Belar) Martin who went into the service about a year ago, going to Camp Travis where he remained but a few days before sailing for France with the Ninetieth Division, 358 Infantry, has wired his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Hatchett of his safe arrival at Newport News, Va., reaching there last Thursday.

We take this method of thanking our neighbors and the fire department for services rendered in saving our home from fire.

Baldwin and family.

For sale, Jersey cow, fresh, also surrey good as new.
Mrs. Victor Smith, phone 249, 3r-13p.
For success with your incubator, purchase your kerosene where quality is first consideration. We sell it by the barrel @ 15 cents.
Baldwin Bros.

Marvin Blair and wife of Electra are visiting Mrs. R. M. Morris this week. Mr. Blair formerly lived in Donley county and is very well-known here.

For highly refined kerosene by the barrel, buy it of
Baldwin Bros.

MR. SPILLER BACK IN BUSINESS

We are very glad indeed to announce to the general public that we have secured the services of Mr. H. B. Spiller as jeweler and optician. To most of the people Mr. Spiller needs no introduction, he is known as one of the best jewelry repairers and engravers in this section of the country. He is known also as holding the degree of Doctor of Optics and has had splendid success in eye testing and fitting. Mr. Spiller will be very glad to welcome his friends, old and new, to his department of work at Stockings Drug Store. Come in and see him.

If your watches and clocks need repairing, bring them to Mr. Spiller at Stockings Drug Store.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking our friends for all the help and sympathy so kindly rendered unto us through the sickness and death of our sweet little baby.
P. M. Woodring and family,
A. G. Woodring and wife.

Read our display ad, it may help you solve your wearing apparel problem.
Baldwin Bros.

DELPHIAN CLUB

Mrs. C. W. Taylor was the delightful hostess to the Delphian Club last Monday afternoon, at which time sixteen members were present, and an interesting review lesson on Egypt was conducted by Mrs. Taylor. At the conclusion of the lesson beautiful piano solos were given by Miss Luene Taylor.

April the seventh, Mrs. Homer Glasco will entertain the Club. The following program will be rendered:

Babylonia and Assyria, Mrs. Geo. Ryan.
Mesopotamia, Mrs. John Beverly.
Medo-Persians, Mrs. C. C. Powell.
Contributions of Babylonia, Assyria, Persia and Phoenicia to the future nations, Miss D'Laurel Beville.
Babylonia, Assyria, Persia and Phoenicia today, Mrs. Frank Letts.

FOR SALE

4 horses, 2 mares, leather harness, 2 farm wagons, 1 two-row lister, 1 one-row lister, 1 two-row go-devil, 20 tons rough feed, 700 bushels kaffir and maize, no. camp house 12x18 one feed room. This stuff is located one mile west of Kasota at Camp Richards and can be had for cash or time.
G. S. Patterson,
Clarendon, Texas.

PAGEANT WILL BE BRILLIANT PRODUCTION

Watch for the big street parade on April Fool's Day. Elephants, tigers, lions bears and hippos will not be in it. Neither will there be any monkeys. A real circus parade, staged by the cast for the big pageant which will be produced at the Pastime on April 1. Without doubt this will be the biggest event ever put on in Clarendon by local talent. The American children dancing on the lawn, and directed by Miss Hauk, will be seen. The Belgian children directed by Miss Vaughan, will be observed dancing and singing while they are over-run by that monster "Dance of Death." One of the clearest acts of the season will be Miss Faun Crane in this wonderfully difficult dance. All agree that this dance alone is worth the price of admission, which will be 50 cents. The proceeds to go to the Boy's Dormitory fund.

Columbia, Joan of Arc, Belgium, and in fact, every one of the countries which were allied with us in the world war, will appear. 120 people will be included in the cast, national anthem will be sung. The soldiers as each nation appears, its mardiers will be there, and some of the best posters incident to the war will be produced in living pictures, presented by the most experienced actors of our city. Watch for the announcement in next week's issue of the News. The names of the entire cast will appear, and further announcements concerning the time of the street parade, and other important issues.

The band will head the street parade, and will also play a few numbers before the show starts.

Mr. Mulkey, director of the Pastime, has generously offered the use of his popular play-house for the staging of this wonderful pageant, and the authorities hereby express a deep gratitude for this consideration.

Watch for the posters painted by Harold Bugbee. They are real works of art and the skill with which this young man draws is astounding.

B. Y. P. U. ENTERTAIN

The members of the B. Y. P. U. and a number of their friends responded to invitations to meet the B. Y. P. U. Friday night "A wearin' o' the green", and had a most enjoyable time in the Baptist church parlors. The near approach of St. Patrick's day was made use of in numerous games and contests suggestive of the Irish saint and of green, while the records of points in the different contests were kept on Shmrock tally cards. At the close of the evening light refreshments were served to about forty-five guests.

Some well headed bundle kaffir for sale.
Z. E. Doshier, 12p.
Phone 313-3 rings.

ELECTION ORDER

City of Clarendon State of Texas, March 17th, 1919.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Clarendon, State of Texas deems it advisable for the said City to adopt the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the revised statutes of 1911, governing street improvements.

Therefore, it is hereby ordered by the City Council of said City that an election be held on the First day of April, 1919, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

Shall the city of Clarendon State of Texas, adopt the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, governing street improvements.

Said election shall be held at Court House, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, W. P. Blake, G. J. Teel and G. M. Richards.

Said election shall be held in the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas, regulating General Elections and by the provisions of Article 1016 of the Revised Statutes of 1911, and only qualified voters, who are property tax payers of said city, shall be allowed to vote and all voters desiring to support the proposition shall have printed on their ballot the words:

"For the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, governing street improvements."

and those opposed shall have printed on their ballot the words:

"Against the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the revised statutes of 1911, governing street improvements."

A copy of this order signed by the Mayor of said city shall serve as a proper notice of said election and the Mayor is directed to cause notice of the election to be posted up at the place or places designated for holding said election.

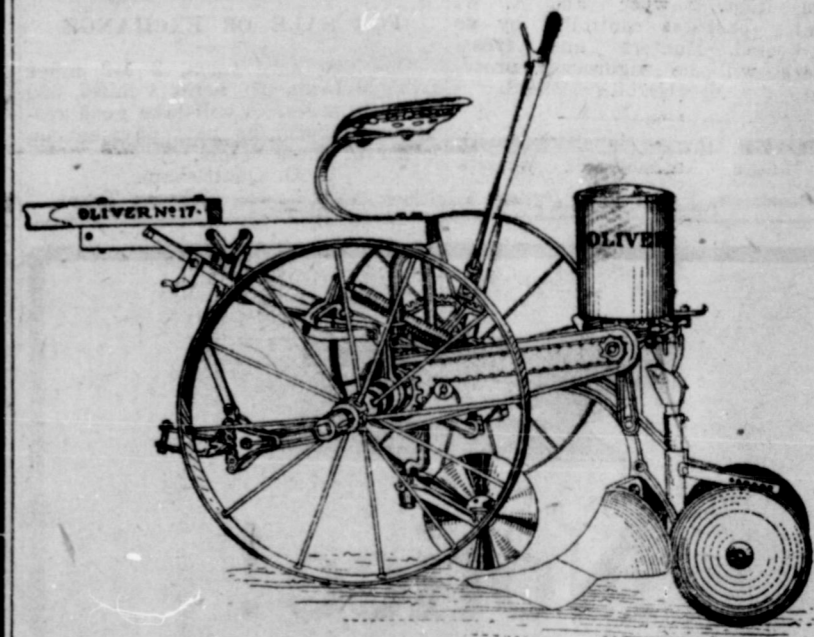
W. A. SoRelle, Mayor,
City of Clarendon.

LADIES AID PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MET WITH MRS. R. E. WILLIAMS

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. R. E. Williams. Numerous business matters were dispensed with and an interesting Bible lesson was led by Mrs. Williams.

Lovely refreshments were served. Mrs. C. Y. McDonald will entertain next Wednesday at 3 o'clock. It is hoped all members will be present as there will be the annual election of officers.

For sale or trade, span of work mules. E. M. Ozier, 12 tf.
There's no competition on insurance except in service, try mine.
Geo. A. Ryan, Phone 454.



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