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## CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION MET HERE WEDNESDAY AT CLAREN- DON COLLEGE—BANQUET FOLLOWS

### BOARD OF EDUCATION OF NORTHWEST TEXAS CONFER- ENCE ASSEMBLED HERE TO CONSIDER EDUCATION- AL NEEDS—ABILENE GETS GRADE A COLLEGE.

The meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Methodist school property of the Northwest Texas conference met in Clarendon Wednesday and cleaned up the routine business to come before such a board. The faculty was elected for another year, the budgets approved and other plans endorsed, and announced, detail of which are made known in the banquet announcement.

A resolution was passed endorsing the action of the Board of Education at Abilene spoken of above and congratulating that city upon their progress and push.

The action of the Educational Board of the Methodist Church at Abilene last week, to be followed by a meeting of the Trustees of the school property of the church here Wednesday of this week has brought to light many matters of interest in these all have their bearing on the church schools of Texas. And Clarendon College, indirectly at least.

From time to time the church has established junior colleges over the state and several of these have been in the western section of the state. Notable among which are our own institution, Seth Ward at Plainview, Stamford College, a College at San Angelo and the larger Universities at Dallas and Georgetown, as well as a number of junior colleges in other sections of the state.

The College at San Angelo, from financial difficulties, was sold to the Catholics many years ago, but soon afterwards burned. Stamford and Seth Ward have both been closed for the last few years which leave Clarendon College alone in the West to represent the Methodist church. This institution, while not competing with the universities of the state as to size, has a reputation of financial responsibility and gradual growth and development not often found in the history of a church school.

It has continued to weather the financial storms and reverses for many years, due to the support of this locality, its favorable location in the heart of a dependable crop country and its worth to this town and section cannot be estimated in dollars and cents alone. It is said that at least 33 1-3 per cent of the total capital in Clarendon is a direct result of the College, and it is generally admitted that a corresponding percent of the real estate values are traceable directly to this source, but with that the worth of the col-

lege to the city cannot be measured definitely.

The state wide reputation of Clarendon as the "Athens of the West," "The Home City" of the Panhandle, and one of the most moral cities in the state is due to the influence, culture and general atmosphere of learning permeating the citizenship of our city built around the halls of such an institution.

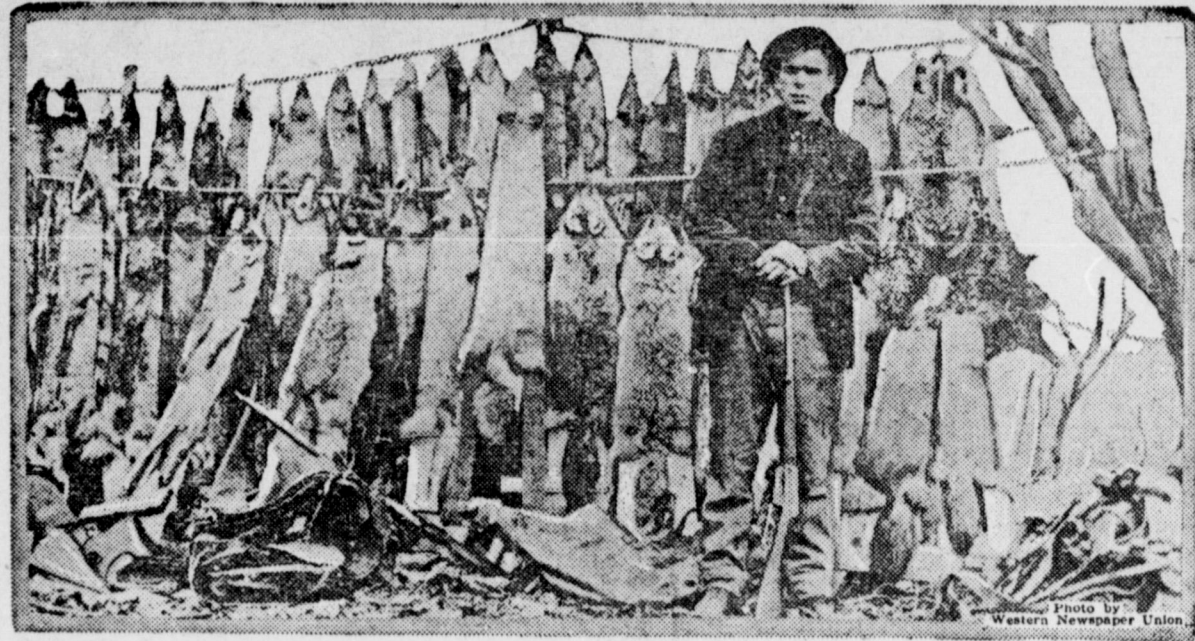
Values are deceptive things at best, but the value to any town of a center of culture and learning and progress, where young lives are trained and fitted for service and growth and progress—is even more impossible of estimate than the dollars and cents to be made upon a business venture.

The question has been asked from every side: "What effect is the locating of a Senior College at Abilene going to have on Clarendon College?" The answer, in the language of the President of this institution and of Rev. Ferguson, a member for 29 years of the Board of Education for the church and a director of Clarendon College, "Absolutely every effect will be for the good of Clarendon College. It will stimulate added interest, new life, more growth and progress to this College. Abilene has done a good thing and we congratulate her without reservation. There is ample field in the West for another College. Clarendon is growing as fast as she is able to care for and will continue to grow. The work of Abilene and Clarendon will not overlap and the addition of such an institution there will but add interest and life to the College here."

Stamford is contesting the Abilene location and the results of the move is not yet known but it is believed that the Board of Education at Abilene Meeting acted with due wisdom after careful consideration of all the facts presented and that although the position of Stamford is duly appreciated by the several members of this Board that their decision will not be reversed or changed materially. Another meeting came thru with a proposition that could not be denied. The Board realized the strength of the representation and the possibilities of such a location and gave the move their endorsement. It but remains for the General Conference at Vidor this year to make the action final and binding.

Further announcement will be made as the situation develops.

## UNCLE SAM AS A HUNTER AND TRAPPER



The government, in aid of the farmers who suffer greatly from the depredations of wild animals that destroy crops and live stock, now employs between 400 and 500 professional hunters and trappers. One of them is here shown with his month's catch in Idaho.

## STATE LECTURER ON HOME ECONOMICS VISITS CLARENDON

A large crowd was treated to a most interesting lecture on sanitation at the high school building Thursday afternoon, the occasion being a return visit of Miss Elma B. Taylor, specialist in home economics of the state A & M. College. Miss Taylor is a fluent speaker every word laden with truths of a nature that lands home and sinks deep into the memory of her audience. Her lecture on sanitation in the afternoon was illustrated with stereoscopic slides and the pictures accompanied by her simple explanations, reached the great throng of little folks every one of whom seemed to be in perfect accord with the speaker their rapt attention being a curiosity upon the part of elders present. The house fly got all that was coming to him. With the number of young converts to the cause of sanitation we will no doubt see results along this line in marked degree the coming fly season. If the grownups of Clarendon will add just a little enthusiasm to the volume already aroused by this talented young lady, the little folks—or school folks we might say—will do the rest. Start the campaign early was the slogan advanced by Miss Taylor. She is right. The fly and general cleaning campaign should begin right away—NOW.

Miss Taylor lectured at night on child welfare. While we do not wish to be any sense detract from the care and attention given to stock along lines of care and breeding—no, not even the hog—still at the same time most of our serious thinking men and women think it is about time to give the children of our land at least half as much attention as we do to a hog. The inspection of public school children from a physical standpoint according to present day methods is a farce and every one who cares to investigate and see for himself, will be surprised to be seized with some malady a state trained specialist would be called in immediately at public expense to diagnose the case and supply the treatment and that also at public cost. If a child is stricken, the caretaker of that child trust to luck for a time and in many cases turn the helpless little fellow over to an incompetent for treatment. If any one doubts this fact, the writer would be very glad to cite them to a case in our own public school.

Were it not for the eternal vigilance of our public school teachers and the kindly advice of such help as given the public by women like Miss Taylor, no telling what would happen to our younger generation. It has been said that "every dark cloud has a silver lining" and that silver streak is just now beginning to show up in the form of an awakened public protest against present conditions seriously affecting the well-being of the rising generation—the bulwark of the nation.

## FOURTH BUSINESS MEN'S LUNCHEON WELL ATTENDED

The attendance still shows splendid interest in the weekly luncheons for business and professional men of Clarendon as attested by the fourth luncheon which was held Tuesday at the Hotel Denver. After the fellowship of the table the meeting was given over to an address by Tractor Demonstrator Chenoweth, who kept the attendants in constant riot of mirth by his ready flow of wit and repartee. He praised Clarendon and showed he really felt glad to be with us.

Discussion was had as to a new schedule on closing hours for the business houses of the city and it was decided to leave the matter to a committee selected from the various vintners in town to be selected later. A larger attendance is expected every week.

## DEEP LAKE WELL CREW RESUMES DRILLING ONE DAY THIS WEEK

The crew at work on the Deep Lake well of the Home People's test well in Hall county resumed drilling since setting the casing in cement. According to a statement of Mr. Singer of Memphis, who was in town Tuesday of this week, those in authority expect to bring in the well within the next few days judging from all indications. This test has been closely watched for several weeks by geologists and oil speculators from all over the country.

## GREAT PIANIST APPEARS HERE ON APRIL 15TH

### CLARENDON IS ONLY CITY IN TEXAS TO BE FAVORED WITH ORNSTEIN PIANO RECITAL.

Mr. Leo Ornstein, the composer, pianist, who will appear at C. C. auditorium, April 15, 1920, will present the following program:

- I
- Ornstein.....Prelude
- Beethoven.....Sonata, op. 57  
(Appassionata)
- Allegro
- Adagio Con Vaniazione
- Allegro
- II
- Schumann.....Arabesque
- Ravel.....The Barque on The Ocean
- Cyril Scott.....Irish Reel
- Ornstein.....Poem of 1917
- Liszt.....Impressions of Chintatown
- Liszt.....Rhapsody No. 13
- III
- Chopin.....Nocturne, F sharp major
- Chopin.....Valse, A flat major
- Copin.....Impromptu, A flat major
- Copin.....Ballade, G minor
- IV
- Debussy.....Reflections in The Water
- Liszt.....Etude, D flat major
- Verdi-Liszt.....Rigoletto, Paraphrase

Do not forget that Clarendon enjoys the distinction of being a musical town. On April 15 we will maintain this reputation by having with us the famous pianist, Leo Ornstein. Unless you have already secured your reservations, do so at once. Tickets are on sale at the Palace Concertatory. Every seat in the house will be a reserved seat. You can make no mistake in buying early. Telegraphic communication from the Knabe Piano company states that the Knabe Grand Piano will be shipped from Atlanta, Georgia, for this one concert. Texans will be given only one chance to hear this musical wonder and that will be in Clarendon. Other places outside of the state where he will play are Denver, Colorado; Chicago, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Salt Lake City. We secured the date because we applied early. Plan to bring your out-of-town friends to this attraction.

## CONTRACTORS ANNOUNCE EARLY RESUMPTION OF STREET PAVING

Civic pride is to receive a longed for boost at an early date when street paving work begins. It will be remembered that the present work includes the paving of eight blocks west from Kearney on second street and east from Kearney on first street for a distance of eight blocks. The immediate demands are for another \$20,000 and that must be raised. Following that the church is going to endow the school for better than \$200,000 and Clarendon and adjoining country, if they get their share of constructive growing class, will add \$100,000 endowment—giving us a Class A Grade Degree Conferring College that will compete with the best in the State.

How long is it going to take us to get out of the small town class and see further than the end of our noses? With the greatest country in the world and the most prosperous condition ever known to a people are we going to fall down not only upon our moral duty and obligation, but upon our civic reputation and financial opportunity? (If we must reduce the proposition to that basis). For every dollar invested in Clarendon College on the part of any citizen of Clarendon there has been returned a dividend of 25 percent for each year of that investment in dollars and cents alone—without consideration of the satisfaction of living and having a part in the cultural, social and morally clean atmosphere of this fair city.

## COLLEGE BANQUET WAS OF GREAT INTEREST

Following the meeting of the Board of Trustees Wednesday the directors, faculty and officers of Clarendon College gave a banquet to the friends of the institution, visiting preachers and other Wednesday night in the girls' dining hall of the College. A number of interesting speeches were made by visiting friends of the college including a former presiding elder of this district, who was present at the first breaking of ground for the Clarendon College, a graduate of this institution who is now at First church of Abilene, and the directing force and organizer of the new Abilene College proposition of such interest to late, Rev. Hunt.

Their talks showed the friendly relationship, spirit of co-operation, constructive interest and mutual advantage to be derived from the construction of this other school in this conference, and the evident needs for such an institution. Dr. Slover outlined the recommendation of the Board of Trustees upon recommendations made by the local board of directors of the College for the plan of procedure for another year in Clarendon College. The situation is the same as meets the stockman when he grows from a small-patch farmer to a cattle raiser. The bigness of his growth is both his opportunity and his possible loss. Clarendon College has passed the Small School stage and is now ready and anxious to demand the Senior College First Grade Rating. It is demanding the equipment, buildings and other conditions that are a part of that growth and great endowment of growth will come from a wise investment in such—and great loss from a neglect to provide for the evident needs.

Abilene planked down in hard cash in less than six months three times as much money as the City of Clarendon and adjoining country has put into Clarendon College in ten years. That following right on the fact that they have now two other growing church colleges in that town, one of which is merging from a senior college first class to a University first class with the largest endowment of any college in the state—at least one half million of which has come from Abilene and immediately surrounding country. That is not to discredit Clarendon, for the present buying value of the dollar is much less than in the past, giving us practically the same plan as Abilene will be able to do this time, but to make Clarendon appreciate the fact that they have not done all they could do, should do and MUST DO if they are going to pretend to be in the class with growing cities of broad vision in our West.

Approximately \$25,000 has recently been raised for Clarendon College. The immediate demands are for another \$20,000 and that must be raised. Following that the church is going to endow the school for better than \$200,000 and Clarendon and adjoining country, if they get their share of constructive growing class, will add \$100,000 endowment—giving us a Class A Grade Degree Conferring College that will compete with the best in the State.

## ATTORNEY COLE TAKES THE STUMP FOR BAILEY

Attorney A. T. Cole made an address in Memphis the last of the week in the interest of the candidacy of Hon. Joseph W. Bailey. Mr. Cole is a very fluent orator and enjoys a wide acquaintance over the Panhandle. He will devote much of his time in the near future to the stump in the interest of his favorite candidate for the governor's office.

## TRADES DAY, MONDAY, APRIL 5TH PROMISES TO BE LARGELY AT- TENDED—AIRPLANES COMING

### TRADES DAY TO BE INAUGURATED WITH MANY FEAT- URES OF ENTERTAINMENT—AIRPLANES WILL MAKE FLIGHTS OVER CITY THROUGHOUT THE DAY.

The First Monday's Trades' Day is assured according to a report from Secretary Keen of the Chamber of Commerce. Several truck and tractor demonstrations are scheduled for that date and two planes will be down from Amarillo to give exhibitional flights and carry passengers. A large number of the business houses are offering special features for the day and things are looking bright for a live, interesting day with big crowds and pleasure.

"Things are working out even better than we had hoped for. Whipple of Amarillo assures me that he will have two planes here for the day if the weather is at all possible. And more than that yours truly is going to get his fingers on the stick of one of them too. It has been more than a year since I have grasped the joystick—it is a joy after you get onto the twist of it, but believe me it is a "woe-rod" when you have some hard-boiled guy in the back seat with phones over your ears so he can just bawl the life out of you and you can't say a word back. Just nod and hammer forth.

"You see a plane is driven with a little stick, slightly larger than a broom handle that sticks up right between your knees. When you are ready to creep forth into the open spaces you give your motor full speed and leave her there. The propeller gets a struggle but upon the air and begins to pull the plane forward, just like a tap on a bolt. Well take a pastebard, hold the front edge just a little higher than level with the ground. Can't you feel it lift up? Just the same way you do a plane lift up when you get enough speed, and you are off.

"Off of the ground and a plane drives just like a yeller mule. If you want him to turn to the left move your stick and paddle your foot to the left. If you want him to turn to the right move the stick and paddle your foot to the right. If you want to go up, pull back the stick. If you want to go down, push over on your stick—and that is all there is to it. Why it makes a Ford look like a knitting factory by the side of it.

"The only reason a baby cannot drive a plane is that the wind is too strong to carry its bottle along with it. It would blow the taste out of the milk.

"But seriously, you have never

lived until you have flown. It has been more than the Panhandle was organized here—the Panhandle since we have been up—but Whipple has said that I could take the bus for a little jazz about 11 in the morning of the First Monday and scatter a lot of circulars, free tickets for drinks, the show, credit on the stores and one free ride in the jazz wagon and many other attractions, and I am rearing to go.

"Now if you believe that I can't fly—come out and watch me get spattered up. If you believe that I can fly—why get out and get a handful of the tickets I drop.

"The trades day—like every thing else, the Chamber of Commerce tries to start in Clarendon, can be only what the people of the town and county make of it. No one man—or half a dozen men are able to put on a day of this kind and make it a success. It takes the whole blooming bunch kicking in right along together.

"Watch us GO."  
Complete announcements of the program, exhibitions, tickets, etc., to be put on that day will be announced next week.

## NEW REALTY FIRM ORGANIZED HERE WITH STRONG LOCAL BACKING

One of the strongest firms of realty dealers in the Panhandle was organized here the first of the week. Every man is an experienced salesman and well and favorably known to the general public. The company is composed of E. F. Bryan, Henry Williams and R. T. Brown. If skill and ability mean anything, the new company will be worth such to this section in calling the attention of monied men to the best part of the Panhandle country.

## CLARENDON'S PAVING A REAL GOOD JOB

The paving at Clarendon is a good job and shows off the business section in real city style. The work was engineered by E. G. Carraway, who makes Childress his model. The surface of the paving is level and the crown perfect. In no place could inferior workmanship be found. The sidewalks have been widened two feet more, which is all for the better, and helped to reduce the expense.—Childress Index.

## CIVILIAN-LEGION TEAMS ARE ALL SET FOR WINNING DRIVE ON V. M. C. A. BUILDING CAMPAIGN FOR \$15,000

### VERY NEARLY EVERYONE WISHES TO SEE THE Y. M. C. A. BUILDING COMPLETED—THE CIVILIAN-LEGION COMMITTEE HAS THE CAMPAIGN UNDER WAY.

Where have you been on this Y drive? From time to time almost every man in town has expressed his desire to see that building completed and this week it has given each man the opportunity to express more than talk. Practically every man has come thru and made his talk good. A few have not—as may be expected.

This is a funny old world after all. Just a little over a year ago the world was torn upside down, hundreds of our boys and men were away and the business men of the country were worrying about how we would be able to "soak" up the discharged army. Three or four million men to be turned loose within a year and practically no jobs in sight. Great concern was felt by many of us. But the army has been discharged and labor shortage was never more pronounced in the history of this country. Wages continue to soar and jobs are hunting men to fill them. Prosperity continues to sweep our every hand. Much has been said against the High Cost of Everything in general, and yet, never were a people, as a whole, living in such comfort, luxury and prosperity as in the American nation.

Immediately following the war many cities erected monuments, buildings, shrines to the memory of the boys who paid the supreme sacrifice for the future millions in the world. Clarendon has often discussed the matter, talked about doing something and continued her mad scramble for the illusive dollar. The war seems to have been forgotten—even by the service men who bore the brunt of the hardships and dangers of battle—but the aching loss remains in the home of every man who did not return and the memory of this sacrifice should point us to a high devotion to our national duty and honor.

It is our duty and our honor to have a part in the future development of the young boys and men of this city and nation. In no way can this be so assisted as in the establishment of a headquarters where every boy and young man in the town and country shall feel at home, a part of the atmosphere of the place and that the building is maintained for his use and pleasure. As a boy grows, so shall the man be. Allow the boys to run loose upon the streets at all hours of the day and night and then wonder why he turns out a crap-shooter, loafer and general disappointment!

What could be a more fitting mem-

orial to the bravery, character and manhood of the men who paid the supreme sacrifice in the late war than that this building should be completed and a bronze tablet erected therein, dedicated to the spirit and soul of true men and brave, never before at growing young of our town and county as an example of the qualities of character desirable in American manhood?

The ex-service men have waited for more than a year and nothing has been done. The boys we knew so well, who fought so true, so brave and strong by our sides and who fell with a face toward the enemy—any they forgotten? Ourselves we possibly may forget—the yellow streaker that so firmly established himself in a well-furnished nest in our absence—but what of the boys who paid the price of honor, and the boys that are to follow us? Give to the first, honor, and to the last, opportunity.

The American Legion, Aubyn E. Clark Post No. 126, named for one of our fallen comrades, has not only endorsed the movement for the completion of the Y building here, but is taking an active part in raising the money, pushing the matter along. It has been embarrassing at times to some of them, for it has seemed that they were asking something for themselves. But such is not the case. With an organization of approximately 100 members, they are in a position to establish Club Rooms in their own and such a proposition was discussed. But the opinion of the men, as a whole, was, that such a move would be a selfish one on their part—that the big, open and constructive thing to do would be to assist in the completion of this home center of all the boys and young men in the town and county—and to use building as Legion Home and to preserve the moments, souvenirs trophies of the late war for our own present pleasure and as a legacy for the boys of the future.

The plan met with the approval of the directors and the Rev. Mr. Adair and under such plan, this week's campaign being carried on a Legion Home for the ex-service men, a monument to the memory of the fallen men, and a constructive recreational center for the coming boys and young men. And as you can see there can be no such word as failure. To do so would be to discredit the efforts of our own boys returned, dishonor the memory of our own fallen, and to disregard the future of our own boys, growing.

Let us think!

## CLARENDON ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT TO HAVE NEW UNIT ADDED IN NEXT SIXTY DAYS

### RECEIVER FOR TEXAS GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY HERE MONDAY—NEW UNIT WILL BE ADDED IMMEDIATELY WITH OTHER IMPROVEMENTS TO PLANT.

Tuesday of last week S. R. Bertron, Jr., of Houston, receiver for the Texas Gas & Electric Co., who owns the light and power system for Clarendon and some twenty other cities, was here accompanied by Engineer Courser, of Houston, and Local Manager Houston of Memphis. The purpose of the visit to this city was to look over the property here, see its needs, hear a proposition from local men for the sale of the property and the retirement of the old company from the field.

It developed in conference with the local men that Mr. Bertron was not at all anxious to dispose of the property and was in position since the receivership to actually make necessary replacement of worn out machinery and put the plant up into a thoroughly modern state of efficiency. The price was not at all attractive therefore the Clarendon men declined to make any deal for the purchase of the plant.

Later in the day the representatives of the light company met the city commission and in conference made the same proposition as laid down to the prospective purchasers, with the additional agreement that in compliance with the city ordinance, they would begin the removal of all line poles on the main business street of the town and otherwise get the lines in better condition. In return for this expenditure on their part, they asked that the city commission allow them to revise their rates so that they might earn a dividend of ten percent per annum upon their capital invested, and a sinking or replacement fund of seven and one-half percent. The books of the company, under this agreement are to be subject to audit by the city commission and rates may be revised from time to time as the cost of operation rises or lowers. They also asked that the city commission give them assurance that there would be no interference from the holders of a certain franchise recently granted to local parties. The city commission agreed to this provided that the necessary and stipulated improvements to the plant be under way within a period of sixty days.

It is believed that the receivership and its successors will not meet any opposition from any local parties of local men representing outside capital provided the new machinery and other improvements are forthcoming according to agreement. There have been so many promises made by the old concern that Clarendon people

have learned to look on them with more or less suspicion, but it is hoped that through the receivership efficient service and mutual confidence will be restored.

Another result of the receiver's visit to this city has been hints in the possible transfer of local manager Fletcher to a larger field. Confirmation of this report will be given later.

## PASTIME THEATRE WILL BE REMODELLED AND ENLARGED

In keeping with the eternal fitness of things and other improvements made recently in Clarendon, Homer Mulkey, owner of the Pastime theatre, will let the contract for enlarging and remodeling his popular place of business just as soon as the plans can be made by an Amarillo architect. The balcony will be arranged with seats, the roof raised eight feet and the entire seating capacity increased to 850. The stage will be modernized and dressing rooms remodeled in keeping with the appearance of the building in general. The front of the building will also be changed, in fact when the job is complete, Clarendon will have a show house equal to those to be found in towns many times larger than ours.

## A SAMPLE OF FEED CROPS RAISED IN OLD DONLEY

The fleet of trucks under ownership and management of George Nash are busy hauling the two thousand bushel crop of threshed kafir from the farm of Frank (Dad) Harrington north of town to the Jericho elevator. When the job is completed, the same trucks will haul in the 60,000 pound crop of threshed kafir of George Dozier. The amounts represent the amount sold off the farms only and not the entire crop raised as much of it will be fed at home.

## LELIA ENTERS ON A BUILDING BOOM BEFORE OIL IS FLOWING

Work on two brick structures was begun at Lelia Monday. T. R. Moreman is the owner behind the effort. One building will be occupied by a grocery while the other will be used by himself as a hardware house. Mr. Moreman has been in the hardware business for some time and is branching out. If Lelia builds now on that scale, what will she do when the well comes in as it is likely to do any minute.



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The Dallas News is after Joe Bailey's scalp again. It has been after it for the past fifteen years and though it does take occasion to rip the president fore and aft ever anon, yet it is just as virulent against the ex-senator as in the years of his former greatness. Who knows? The Dallas News may succeed in 1920.

The president of the American Press Association from New York City, the head of the organization that has done and is doing more for the country newspapers of the country than any other force, is coming to Texas and tell Texas editors at Houston things they need to know. Mr. Courtland Smith is coming to the annual meeting of the Texas Press Association to tell the country publisher his organization needs their co-operation. He is coming to show the country editor how he can double his income, and if there is a newspaper publisher in Texas who does not want to do that, legitimately and at ease, he should stay away from the Houston meeting.—Richardson Hebe.

## Spring Time

We have Triumph and Cobbler seed potatoes, yellow and red onion sets complete line garden seed.

For the chickens we have meat scraps, oyster shells, char-coal, grit and butter-milk starter. Try this chick "dope" and see them grow.

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The Wichita Falls Times says it is remarkable just how often the critics of government extravagance are among the "outs". Well, it is like this, Brother Times Man—the "ins" are so busy covering up and evading the evidence of government extravagance that they have no time to help the "outs". This wouldn't long be a free and democratic government were it not for the "outs."

Every Texas city and town may take a lesson by the disastrous fire which recently visited Grandview. Clarendon may feel herself especially pointed out in the lesson, in that she has not an adequate supply of water and the supply is becoming more inadequate every day with the continued growth of the city. What happened in Grandview may happen in Clarendon any windy spring day, and it can be chargeable only to the indifference of the people in providing a necessary supply of water, without which no city may feel itself safe from the ravages of fire, nor justly meriting any considerable growth. This is a problem of 1920—if it isn't solved in 1920 then it becomes a greater problem in 1921.

It seems to be the opinion of the less partisan Republicans and Democrats that the defeat of the treaty is chargeable to the obstinacy of the president and the stubbornness of the Republican leaders in the senate. The very partisan leaders on each side accuse the other side of having been too stubborn to let the treaty be ratified. The News believes that both are to blame, but like many others, also believes that they may have done the nation a service, at that. There ought to be a league of nations. There ought to be a treaty of peace. But we believe they ought to have been separate documents, so that no unsatisfactory article of one might have signified the defeat of the other. The American people want peace, they want a league of nations, but they want neither that detracts one iota from the freedom of action of this nation, nor that even remotely binds us to the chariot wheels of any other nation or combination of nations.

The open shop movement is gaining momentum all over the nation. Practical and conservative business men in every city are seeing the menace that organized labor has become through the radical ideas of labor leaders, with the result that city after city is declaring itself in favor of open shop, in other words that no workman shall be discriminated against because he doesn't belong to the union of his respective trade. The movement doesn't disfavor union labor, it only renders it unable to dictate, control and impede progress by its unsound and unethical methods of putting the premium on membership instead of skill and merit. A certain contractor in San Antonio recently saved over \$700 on a single building in that city by selecting men on their skill rather than on their membership in a trades union. The fact is that organized labor has overplayed its hand, and like every combination of men who disgust the American public, are beginning to reap their reward in the general acceptance of the open shop principle. Open shop advocates defy their opponents to prove that they have ever reduced wages, but they do boast that under open shop operation that they get a day's work for the day's pay. Open shop doctrine is only a reiteration of good old American principles, hence it deserves to succeed.

One of the most successful departments as well as one of the most serviceable features of The Clarendon News is the "classified advertisements." Every week citizens of this city and Donley County are finding that the best method of getting what they want, selling what they have, finding what they have lost, renting their property, etc., is through the classified column. Very often The News has known of a 25c to 50c advertisement being the means of making a sale running from \$100 to \$500. It is almost a sure shot for finding lost articles, and the owner nearly always appears for any found article listed in the proper column. One of our readers told us recently that the classified column was one of the newest columns of the paper, and we really believe it is. The News editor, from over fifteen years experience in the newspaper game, has frequently said that the local paper was worth from \$25 to \$50 per year to every reader, and we are more convinced of the truth of the statement than ever before. There are so many bargains listed in its columns that even the casual reader will save from ten to twenty times the subscription price in twelve months time. Use the classified column, read the classified column, add to your prosperity through the classified column.

Last week the Clarendon News issued a seven-column paper for the first time, having just installed a new Babcock newspaper press. With the new front page feature of local photographs and the increased size, the Clarendon brother is puttin' on airs and his sheet looks real certified. Bro. Braswell says he is glad changing presses is a job that doesn't happen more than once or twice in a lifetime. It is claimed in his paper that he actually donned overalls and got his hands greasy. We have always regarded him as more truthful than Loomis of Canadian or "that Smith person" over at Lockney, but we suspect now that he can tell 'em even as well as we can.—McLean News.

The people of Texas will not be too much swayed by the arguments of The Fort Worth Record in the present criticism of President Wilson and certain others of his cabinet for actions that have not met with wholesale Democratic approval. The fact is that The Record is largely owned by Mr. W. H. Bagley, a near kinsman of Secretary Daniels, and it would be a ninth wonder if it didn't swallow whole the entire Wilson program. Mr. Bagley is a most excellent gentleman and a friend of The News editor, but it is well to keep in mind the inspiration behind the facile pen of the Record editor.

The front page of last week's News was devoted to the financial difficulties of the Clarendon Public Schools. This is a condition that is not confined to Clarendon alone. Practically every school board in Texas is facing precisely the same problem of meeting the increased cost of operation and the paying of adequate salaries to its teachers, with the same amount of funds available in former years. According to the constitution of Texas, only 50c on the hundred dollars valuation may be levied against the property in any school district. To this day all efforts to give the property owners the right and privilege to increase this tax vote has failed—another commentary on the principle of local self government and which we hope can be remedied at the fall elections. Until the constitution may be amended so that the limit may be raised in Clarendon Independent School District there are only two methods open to us to secure the funds we must have if we expect to keep our school up to the standard, viz, by popular subscription or else by raising the valuation on property within the district by a vigorous equalization board. We cannot expect to secure teachers for the next term as cheaply as we have this year. It isn't possible. It isn't right. Our school teachers are the most poorly of any brain workers and yet have the greatest responsibility of any—the training of the future generation upon which rests the hope of the republic. The News is strictly in favor of a higher valuation rather than the popular subscription for in this manner the extra cost may be distributed more equitably and a more certain calculation may be made as to the funds available. This fall when the opportunity presents it is the duty of every constructive citizen to cast his ballot for the raising of the tax limit for school purposes, which means that we then become really local self-governing insofar as the matter of school funds is concerned. Voting for this measure does not levy any tax at all, but merely gives any district the privilege to add to their school fund without the subterfuge of raising the property valuation, when in most cases it is already high enough. Clarendon must progress along every line and shame upon us if our educational institutions are not at the head of the procession.

#### HOW TO HELP YOUR EDITOR

First, all give him the news. He wants it. Give it to him, even though sometimes it does not get in the paper. He hasn't time always to tell you why some piece of news is not used. But ten to one he has a good reason. Give him the news even though you may not be especially interested in it. Some people never think to give the editor news except when they are concerned in it some way or another.

Second, don't give him a piece of news and tell him you want it printed just as it is written. There's a right and wrong way to do even such a simple thing as writing an article for a newspaper. And I heard of one man who had to leave town because he printed every piece of news just as it was handed in, spelling, punctuation, and all, and printed it with the name of the person who gave it to him.

Third, don't try to play a joke through the paper unless you explain it to the editor. A thing in cold type looks a lot different and sounds different from a thing repeated by word of mouth, when the voice, the facial expression, and a gesture, perhaps, helps show its meaning.

Fourth, don't worry for fear the editor is making too much money. Yes, he ought to want him to be prosperous. He can and will give you a better paper. He will be less likely to have to compromise with his conscience over certain kinds of advertising. And anyhow, he can't make a big fortune out of his paper. He will be lucky if he can keep it going.

Fifth, get your copy to him just as early as you can. Take it in for the next week the day after publication day if you can. It takes time to set type and make a paper. Did you ever wonder what the editor did all the time between publication days? If so, go in several times during the day, and you will have more of a realization of what a job it is to make a newspaper.

Sixth, be ready to tell your editor when something in the paper pleases you. Once in a while you tell your preacher he had a good sermon. Tell the editor the same about his paper. Seventh, remember that, while the function of the newspaper is to serve it must also make its publisher a living, yes, and something for his old age. There are no pensions for worn out editors.—Mangum Star.

**THE SUCCESS FAMILY**  
The father of Success is Work.  
The mother of Success is Ambition.  
The oldest son is Common sense.  
Some of the other boys are Perseverance, Honesty, Thoroughness, Foresight, Enthusiasm, Co-operation.

The oldest daughter is Character.  
Some of her sisters are Cheerfulness, Loyalty, Care, Economy, Sincerity, Harmony.  
The baby is Opportunity.  
Get acquainted with the "old man" and you will be able to go along pretty well with the rest of the family.—The Observer.

PAINTING—See C. H. Tozer for painting and paper hanging. Can save you money on your paint and wall paper. All work guaranteed. Phone Parson's Market. 13 pd.

## Not Mere Materials

When you purchase building materials of us, you get a great deal more than just so many feet of lumber—bundles of shingles—or panels of beaver board.

You get the benefit of our building service that helps you get the right results at the least expenditure. Service in planning the work, service in selecting the materials, more service in prompt delivery of goods.

Wm. Cameron & Company, Inc.  
PHONE NO. 8 CLARENDON, TEXAS

## Who is Winner?

The man who acts when he should, or he who acts when forced to?

We are calling your attention to the fact that we can give you the best farm loan you can find anywhere and we can do it at the old rates. Money rates are going to advance. You may think this is a case of the fellow hollering "Wolf" but ask your banker—He can tell you.

Don't wait until you are forced to seek a loan. Anticipate your needs and get your loans now.

We offer you prompt inspection and the best service. Call in and see us.

## RYAN BROS.

#### ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the first Saturday in April, 1920, an election will be held for the purpose of electing one county trustee for the county at large, and one county school trustee from Commissioners' precinct numbers 2 and 3, said county.

The election will be held by the election officers of each school district at the school house therein, at which all qualified voters of said

#### NOTICE

county and precinct will be permitted to vote.

Witness my hand officially this 7th day of February, 1920.

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

#### POSTED

My lands in Briscoe county, known as Sink Lake and Timber Lake pastures are posted according to law and any hunting or trespassing will be vigorously prosecuted. M. E. Bell.

The public is hereby notified that on and after April 1, 1920, the ordinance prohibiting the keeping of hogs within the corporate limits will be rigidly enforced. Make disposition of your hogs and avoid payment of the penalty. O. C. Watson, Mayor.

Walter Butler has succeeded John Butler as carrier of the Brice mail route. John will turn his attention to farming.

### Announcement Of

## The DALION

It isn't a prehistoric animal or a new disease but a sensation in phonographs. It's just one and a half years old in development but has already reached sixth place in point of sales among 295 makes now being offered the public.

It is a popular priced machine, plays any record, and among other points of superior merit its motor and needles make less noise than those of any other machine made.

It is the machine that you will want in your home if you are a discriminating buyer. It is the one you will eventually buy if you now have a machine of some other make.

We have the machines and some of the latest records that we would like to demonstrate to you.

## City Drug Store

Phone 1

F. C. Quarles, Mgr.



**OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS**  
 HOMER GLASCOE, Pres.; J. W. MORRISON, V.-P.; J. D. SWIFT, Cashier  
 W. B. QUIGLEY, C. R. SKINNER, G. F. LEATHERS, J. B. McLELLAND

Consent Statement of the Condition of

**FARMERS STATE BANK**  
 CLARENDON, TEXAS

At the close of business February 28th, 1920.

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$237,651.87	Capital.....\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....2,200.54	Surplus and Profits.....15,352.74
U. S. Bonds.....7,800.00	Deposits.....284,289.93
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....13,474.87	
Int. in Dep. Guar. Fund.....1,868.34	
Bills of Exchange, Cotton and Grain.....\$33,548.94	
Cash & Sight Ex. 53,098.11 86,647.05	
<b>TOTAL.....\$349,642.67</b>	<b>TOTAL.....\$349,642.67</b>

The Above Statement is Correct.

J. D. SWIFT, Cashier.

**THE BANK THAT BACKS THE FARMER**

**THE FARMERS STATE BANK**  
 CLARENDON, TEXAS.

HOMER GLASCOE, PRES.  
 J. W. MORRISON, VICE PRES.  
 J. D. SWIFT, CASHIER

GUARANTY FUND BANK

**NASH CARS**

- A Limited number of Superb NASH CARS will be on our Sales Floor from time to time this Spring.
- We can show you more car for less money, backed by a Company guaranteeing service on every car. The Strongest Engine ever put in a car of like price.
- We have the very latest and most comfortable 4 Passenger Coupe ever offered. It is something out of the ordinary—Long Wheel Base—Easy Riding.

**Auto Service Station**

A. V. Clark      W. C. McDonald

**CLASSIFIED COLUMN**

- For Sale**
- FOR SALE—Lots 6 and 7, block 67, very desirable. For information write Mrs. Mary A. Carhart, box 105, Goodnight, Texas. 13 pd.
- TO TRADE—Two residences in Claude and a 245 acre farm one mile east of Claude to trade for farm near Clarendon. J. H. Weaver, Claude, Texas. Box 64. 13 pd.
- FOR SALE—or trade, good, first class garage equipment, also large grist mill and engines. Lots of storage space, good location, cheap rent. Priced to sell, see or write, D. H. Sorrell, Hedley, Texas. 13 c.
- FOR SALE—Brown and white leg-horn baby chicks. April and May delivery at \$15 per 100. Address Mrs. J. H. Irwin, Clarendon 16 pd.
- FOR SALE—Four wheel P. & O. lister—been used one year. See Byron Alexander. 13c.
- FOR SALE—An extra good registered Hereford bull. E. M. Ozier, tf.
- FOR SALE—A new Ford truck, one span of six year old mules, nine head of registered Hereford bull calves, five coming twos, four yearlings. Will sell for cash or give terms at 10 per cent interest on approved notes. A. D. Majors, Ashtola, or phone 208 1L-1S. 14 pd.
- FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Dork Cornish Inian game eggs at \$1.50 per setting. A. Womack, Care Hogland Mercantile Co., Memphis, Texas. 13c.
- FOR SALE—Buick four in good mechanical condition. Ed Peltzell. 10tf.
- FOR SALE—Lessing piano good as new and in perfect tune. Must be sold. See it at T. J. Ramsey's one mile east and 3 miles south near Chamberlain school house. 14 pd.
- FOR SALE—A block of land in Clarendon for sale or trade. Close in. Make a bid. Write or wire C. D. Pipkin, Matador, Texas. 14 pd.
- FOR SALE—Black Spanish jack, 3 steer calves, 2 highly bred boar pigs, sired by Mac's Big Chief, the hog that took second prize at the Dallas fair last fall. See Leon Henderson, 5 miles southwest of Clarendon. 13p.
- BARRED Rocks and Rhode Island Reds full blooded baby chicks, 3 to 5 days old 15 cents; 6 to 10 days, 20 cents; 11 to 14 days old, 25 cents. Phone 101. W. E. Bray 10 tf.
- FOR SALE—Pair large, 3 year old mules, cash or terms. W. E. Bray.
- FOR SALE—Four counter show cases 6 to 8 feet long at very attractive prices. See Clarendon Mercantile Co. tf.
- FOR SALE—Horses, mules and cattle. Phone 489 or see C. A. Wright, tf.
- FOR SALE—Work mules. Four iron gray mules medium size ages 4 to 6. All broke. Three miles northeast of Clarendon. Phone 229 4-rings. W. R. Hardin.
- For Rent**
- ROOM—Good room to rent, phone No. 134. 13 pd.
- WANTED**
- WANTED—Young lady to act as cashier at the Owl cafe. 13c.
- WANTED—Hogs of any age or size. J. Cobb Harris. tf.
- Lost**
- LOST—One brown mare branded ITI, one bay pony and iron gray colt. Reward of \$10 for recovery. Notify R. W. Othran, Quail, Texas. 13pd.
- LOST—Between town and the college, ladies' gold watch Waltham make. Finder leave at the News office for reward. 13 pd.
- FOUND—Hartford casing 34x4 on rim. Found between gin and town. Owner can have same by paying for ad at this office.

**ELECTION NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Court house on Tuesday, April 6th, 1920 for the purpose of electing three trustees for the Clarendon Independent School District to serve for a term of two years.

J. G. Teel, appointed presiding officer.

W. W. Taylor, Secretary.

We are agents for the wonderful Sudan lands. No better in the West. Price \$30 per acre; \$3 down and \$3 per acre each year at 6 percent. This will make you a home you will be proud of. Clarendon Commission Company. 14c.

WE MAKE two trips to the Sudan country each week and pay your expenses if you buy. Clarendon Commission Company. 14c.

SWEET—Milk delivered every day in any reasonable quantity. Phone 380 3-rings. J. R. Bulls 14 pd.

If you want good used cars, you can get them from Jim Sherman at Cantelou building. tf.

Fancy line of embossed Easter greeting cards in envelopes at Stocking's Drug Store.

**LOCAL & PERSONAL**

F. G. Patching returned to his ranch near Tulla Sunday.

Clayton G. Goodnight spent Saturday in Clarendon.

Will Bell of Goodnight talked trade with local men Tuesday.

Hughes Quattlebaum spent Sunday with home folks in McLean.

S. N. Clark was in from the Blocker ranch after supplies Tuesday.

Floyd Pizgott of Childress spent a few hours in our city Sunday.

Miss Floy Silvey of Pampa visited with Miss Olive Martin over Sunday.

Miss Lucile Douglas of Waco is visiting in the Wiley Mavis home this week.

Mrs. C. W. Taylor and Mrs. J. S. Ulm shopped in Amarillo the last of the week.

C. D. Hoover of Amarillo was in town this week looking after his special line.

Dr. G. S. Slover, president of Clarendon College, attended to business in Abilene the last of the week.

Ed Burkhead of Houston spent some time the last of the week visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary B. Adams.

Hon. Grady Goggins, of Dallas, attorney for the Panhandle Construction Company, was here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Womack of Memphis visited their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Roberts and family in this city over Sunday.

Misses Wilma McLean and Eva Patching spent the week end at home returning to Amarillo Tuesday where they are teaching.

Mrs. J. L. Freeman returned to her home at Boaz, Alabama, Friday after spending several days visiting the family of J. C. Harris.

Mrs. S. L. Joekel returned to her home in Waxahachie Friday night after a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. Robert Turner.

E. A. Teague is taking the scholastic census this week. He will not be able to get his report ready before publication day next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beck are down from Dalhart for a visit with Mrs. Beck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Warren, and other relatives and friends.

D. P. Ross, father of Mrs. R. H. Beville, returned from Randall county the last of the week after spending some three weeks in that section looking after property interests.

J. A. Dixon, member of the firm of which the local Mercantile company is a branch, was in town the first of the week and was well pleased with the business outlook of our city.

Rev. Leon Henderson, a newcomer residing five miles southwest of town was in for supplies Tuesday and informed us that he liked the country fine. He came to this section for his health and found it just like ninety per cent of the folks do who come to this section of the Panhandle.

Miss Maud Clark returned Tuesday from a visit to Fort Worth.

J. T. Warren is having a barn built at his home on east first street.

Floyd Summerhour returned to Dalhart Monday after a sojourn in this city for some time.

Mrs. Adamson of Hedley was among the large number of out of town shoppers this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Looney left the first of the week to make their home in Norwalk, California.

A seven pound girl arrived Tuesday the 25th to make happier the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lynch.

A. M. Beville and son, Allan, made a trip to Lelia Wednesday to ascertain the fire loss of the day before.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones of Wichita Falls are visiting at the Dick Allen home. Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Jones are sisters.

J. H. Davis is able to be up again after a severe spell of illness. Mr. Davis had two attacks of pneumonia and one of flu the past winter.

T. M. Pyle, Jr., has let a contract for a building that will be an almost exact duplicate of the beautiful Homer Mulkey home. She will be a daisy boy, sure as you live.

E. J. Oldham of south of Lelia purchased supplies here Tuesday. Mr. Oldham has one hundred acres listed ready for planting and of course will get busy with the first chance of a rain.

The erection of the Church of Christ is going right up. The building will be of re-inforced concrete and the work will be done by Speed Bros. who make a specialty of that line of work.

His many friends will learn with much regret that Judge W. J. Parsons, secretary of the county mutual insurance society, is ill with the flu. He is getting along as well as could be expected.

Frank M. Clark, one of the owners of the noted Silver Crest farm near Hedley, was here Tuesday and is very enthusiastic about the extra fine bunch of stock on the farm as he has a right to be.

J. J. Johnson was in from his farm north of town Wednesday and stated that farming operations on a large scale would begin with the next rain. The rain fell while he was here so our farmer friends will likely get busy with the crop right away.

O. D. Leisberg is receiving the congratulations of his many friends this week owing to the fact that he became grandpa for the second time Tuesday of this week when a seven pound girl arrived at the Bob Lynch home. Mr. Leisberg is only thirty nine years of age and he feels much younger.

County Attorney, E. H. Beville and family visited the Judge's farm in Randall county south of Canyon the last of the week. The Judge had about decided to sell his holdings, but upon inspection decided to build a new house and otherwise improve the farm and hold it. Land is increasing in value at a rapid rate in Randall as it is down this way.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dishman were in town on a shopping tour Monday from Hedley.

Milton B. Franklin of Verden, Oklahoma, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. M. Luxa of this place.

W. R. Frazier of Estelline is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Houston Miller here this week.

Miss Julia Weidman, who is teaching a school near Claude, spent Sunday with homefolks.

W. C. Watkins was a Hedley visitor in this city the first of the week on a business errand.

Caraway & Chase are installing a 16,000 gallon capacity gas tank near their warehouse this week.

Roy Guffey, banker and capitalist of Lelia was in this city Monday giving very optimistic reports of his part of the county.

Art Clark of the firm of Clark & McDonald is in Fort Worth to be present when an operation is performed on a relative.

Thomas T. Wagoner, general manager of the Claude News, was in town for a few minutes Sunday evening. What's your hurry, Tom?

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Dishman came up from Hedley Monday. Mrs. Dishman did some shopping while P. V. looked over the situation and talked with the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Finley returned from Fort Worth Saturday morning. Mr. Finley attended grand lodge of the I. O. O. F. order while there, he being a delegate from the local lodge.

R. L. Biggers, local Magnolia man, is this week installing a 16,000 gallon gas tank near the track. A new engine and gas pump will also be put in right away and fenced and painted right up to now.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Parker accompanied by Miss Ruth Conwell and Ray Luper, were here Monday. Both gentlemen were here looking for a business location. They are making their home temporarily in Amarillo.

J. W. Morrison came down from his Pampa ranch to spend Sunday with his family. J. W. gets lonely some on the ranch and naturally wants to see the folks and long for the sights of a real live city.

G. F. Lane and son, Vernon, were in town Monday. Mr. Lane is a prosperous farmer on the Mahaffey place southeast of town and informed us that he already had two hundred and forty acres ready to plant. That kind of a man never fails to raise a crop.

J. A. Scoggins has sold his grocery business at Lelia, purchased a part of the W. B. Webb farm, rented it out and will move here with the intention of entering the real estate and insurance business. Mr. Scoggins has resided in this section for about thirty years and knows the country and her possibilities.

A truck passed through here Monday loaded with casing loaded at Dayton and bound for the Virginia-Texas well that will spud in on the Arthur Letts ranch Thursday of this week. The truck was in charge of G. S. Sigler and O. B. Jones and is kept by the company at Memphis for general hauling purposes.

**Fresh Vegetables From Your Own Garden**

Here is an excellent plan to lower the H. C. of L. Plant a little garden plot now, give it a few minutes attention each day and you are assured of fresh vegetables all season. But when you buy the seeds be sure that they are fresh and fertile. And the best way to be sure of this, is to select your seeds from our large assortment of garden seeds, onion sets and seed potatoes.

**BALED HAY**

We have a quantity of exceptionally good Millet, Alfalfa and Johnson Grass hay on hand that we are offering our customers at attractive prices. Special prices on ten-bale lots.

**E. M. OZIER**  
 The Leading Grocer Phone 5

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

**The Donley County State Bank**  
 OF CLARENDON, TEXAS

At close of business, Feb. 28, 1920, as made to the Commissioner of Banking

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans.....\$738,613.57	Capital Stock.....\$ 75,000.00
Banking House.....13,000.00	Surplus and Profits.....21,020.17
Int. Dep. Guar. Fund.....8,446.51	
U. S. Bonds.....80,650.00	DEPOSITS.....\$1,235,903.98
CASH.....\$491,020.07	
Total Resources.....\$1,331,924.15	Total Liabilities.....\$1,331,924.15

The Above Statement is Correct.

F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Cashier

**OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS**

THOS. S. BUGBEE, President  
 WESLEY KNORPP, Active Vice President  
 F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Cashier

**J. L. McMURTRY, Vice Pres.**

F. H. BOURLAND, Assistant Cashier  
 JNO. C. KNORPP  
 W. J. LOREL  
 W. A. SORRELLE  
 C. T. McMURTRY

**The Easiest Way**

to become the possessor of wealth is to conserve one's resources through the aid of a bank account. The gateway from wages to independence is the bank. There are many ways to earn money, there are many ways to spend money, but there is only one way to save money and that is to deposit it in the bank.

**First National Bank**

**Weatherproof is expense-proof**  
 Trinidad Lake asphalt makes roofing lastingly tight against rain, sun, wind, snow, heat and cold. This is the everlasting weatherproof of Nature. We use it to make

**Genasco THE TRINIDAD LAKE ASPHALT Ready Roofing**

Because it gives lasting protection Genasco is economical roofing—it costs less in the end. Call and get samples.

WM. CLARON & CO., INC.  
 CLARENDON, TEXAS

**They're Always Fresh**

Our candies are always fresh because we order in small quantities and the candy is shipped by express, direct from the factory.

Our fountain menu is complete and a visit here will convince you that our confectionery goods and our service cannot be improved on.

**Palace Confectionery**

**ELECTRIC SEARCH LIGHT ONE BILLION CANDLEPOWER**

Up at the Delco-Light convention at Dayton, Ohio this week, writes T. S. Kemp, the local Delco-Light dealer, they have a search light of one billion candlepower, mounted on the roof of one of the Delco-Light buildings.

This search light, he states will throw a bright light on clouds seven miles high. These lighted clouds, he adds are visible for a good many miles from Dayton and some of the Delco-Light dealers on their trip to the Dayton Convention said they could see this light on the clouds at night, almost three-hundred miles away.

Many dealers who had been notified to look out for this tremendous light on their way in, stayed on late on the night they neared Dayton and watched this weird streak of light playing across the sky miles ahead of them, marking their destination.

This, said Mr. Kemp, is only one of the interesting features that members of the Convention are witnessing this week.

At the theatre party given for the visiting Delco-Light men Thursday night, he says the play presented was produced exclusively for the Delco-Light organization, and while it contained some features of special interest to Delco-Light men, it was in the nature of a musical comedy, with theatrical talent, costumes and scenery all brought on from New York especially for the entertainment of the visiting Delco-Light men.

Plans outlined at the Convention on Friday, says Mr. Kemp, indicate a greater activity and advancement in the field of electricity for use in the country than has ever been experienced in any previous years.

**TO THE FRIENDS OF THE SILVER CREST FARM**

It is with regret that I announce my separation from the Silver Crest Farm. I am not quitting the Hog Game but since the death of my wife the needs of my children must be my first consideration for a year or two, hence in justice to them, myself and the Silver Crest Farm I am selling outright to my former co-worker, Frank M. Clark.

I still believe that the Silver Crest line is the best string of hogs in the South and that the Farm will continue to grow in favor and reputation as their hogs are shown and known among hog men. As a breeder and exhibitor Clark is already known and I have all the confidence in the world in him.

My many friends will appreciate my motives in this move and the regret with which I temporarily leave the hog business. I shall continue to follow the shows, the progress of the breeders and keep in touch with the old bunch as closely as I can under the conditions.

R. O. McFarling, Hedley, Texas.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**

By request of the board of deacons there will be a call conference at the Baptist church Sunday morning the 28th, at eleven o'clock for the purpose of considering the call of a pastor, all members are urgently requested to be present.

Clarendon Commission Company has sold over \$60,000 worth of real estate during the past thirty days. 14c.

Easter Cards at Stocking's Drug Store.

**LITTLE LIFE LINES**

W. H. F.

"You take old Beck and Jack; I always figured that them two could do more work than any other two teams we ever had; and it was all because we could count on 'em pullin' together; sometimes when we'd get in a tight place, old Beck could go to work and just leave old standing there sorter, maybe a count of his havin' a leetle sorrier, but that kinda thing wasn't the thing that counts most is together." Co-operation is a big word, in every phase of life. Co-operation is the main matter in the Interchurch Movement. It is, to say it thus, to get Beck and Jack and 'Pete' and old Sorrel and that old Bay, to pull together and not to make one mule out of the whole push. Indeed it is getting further away from the mule."

Interchurch—Co-operation. What words!!!

Watch it grow.

Kipling said:  
 "It ain't the guns or armament,  
 Nor the funds that they can pay;  
 But the close co-operation that makes them win the day.  
 It ain't the individuals, nor the army as a whole  
 But the everlasting teamwork,  
 Of every blomin' soul!"

**THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

"This May Be Your Church"

Go to church!

We are glad to join the effort for special church attendance on April fourth, Easter Sunday, and the effort for the bringing of "undecided" men to Christ. The notice is given elsewhere in this issue of The News of the Interchurch Committee's suggestion that April 4th be Go-To-Church-Sunday in Clarendon and Donley County.

It is hoped that we will have a large attendance on the coming Sabbath, also, at all the services. With few exceptions, there is no reasonable excuse why people shouldn't be at the house of God, at the appointed hours. Your indifference, if you have such, will bring your own soul and church, at the same time hurting your church. If you realize the truth of either assertion you would wake up. Your Sunday School is waiting for you. Your church services are ready for you. It's up to you. "Yes, Me." Sunday School at 9:45 every Sabbath. W. M. Montgomery, Superintendent. Morning services at 11 o'clock—Special music. Sermon by the pastor, on "Evangelism." Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Wednesday Women's Society, Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. W. H. Foster.

**WILL LECTURE AT LELIA**

Elder A. A. Hensler of Coalinga, Texas, will deliver a series of lectures on the second coming of Christ and current events at the second Missionary Baptist church of Lelia Lake, beginning Friday night before the first Sunday in April. Everybody invited to attend. Lectures at night only.

Something altogether new in Easter cards at Stocking's Drug Store.



# It's Time that Every Woman and Young Woman in Clarendon and Vicinity Were Getting Their NEW APPAREL FOR EASTER

—And as long as every woman and young woman is going to get new Easter apparel, and as long as the time is ripe it will be greatly to her advantage to see our line. It will be greatly to her advantage, because we bought a larger collection of Garments this season than ever before, and by so doing get the prices down to bedrock. Its a big advantage to you. It will be to her advantage because we have marked the prices closer to costs than the average store is marking merchandise. We intend to make this month's business one of the largest we have ever done, and we believe that having lower prices than other stores will do the trick.

—It is to her advantage because every garment is smart and right down to the minute. More than half the garments in this store have come within the last 3 weeks.

## Spring Suits

Materials, such as Tricotine, Men's Wear Serge, and Silver beautifully tailored and silk lined. These garments have arrived this week and are new and up to the minute styles.

—Special Prices for Easter.

## Millinery

Beautiful Hats, in the new spring shades and materials. Small as well as large shapes. Tailored as well as dressy models.

—Popular Prices.

## Rompers

The prettiest line made, colors pink and light blue solid colors, also in checks.

\$1.85

## Waists For Spring

We are showing the largest line of waists in Georgette, Crepe de Chine, and Cotton Voile. Every Spring shade is represented. Some plain tailored, others beautifully beaded and embroidered.

—Special Prices for Easter.

## Coats

Materials and shades the newest for Spring. Some have leather belts, others have belts of the same materials. Very smart and clever models.

## Gloves For Easter

Just received a large shipment of the celebrated Centimeri gloves imported from France. Colors, black, white, brown and gray.

## Petticoats

Just received a new shipment of "Her Majesty" Petticoats in Messaline, Pussy Willow and Silk Jersey. All new Spring shades.

## Veils

We are showing a complete line of hat and face veils in all of the Spring shades.

75c to \$4.50

## Dresses

Taffeta takes the lead in Spring materials, however Georgette and Satin run a close second. All colors and sizes. You will be delighted with this showing.

—Special Prices for Easter.

## Hose For Easter

We are showing a complete line of Silk Hose, in black, white, gray and cordovan. Our prices are lower, as we bought a big line last fall and selling them on last fall prices.

—Special Prices for Easter.

## Children's Hats

The most complete line shown. All the newest straws, latest styles. All sizes suitable for children age to 2 to 14.

—Special Prices for Easter.

## Cover-alls

For the little tots, size 2 to 7. Good grade Khaki material trimmed in blue and red

\$1.95



Dove Underwear. Just received a big shipment of Dove Underwear in Silk as well as Cotton in Gowns, Teds, Petticoats and Pajamas. White Flesh and Flowered effects. Special prices. See them.

# SITNER'S STYLE SHOP

## Paramount Pictures

THURSDAY, MARCH 25 FRIDAY, MARCH 26  
Hawaiian players and dancers—seven people. The manager at Memphis says this is a good, clean act—2 days—2 matinees—2 nights. In order to avoid the large crowds, come to Matinees same music. Admission 30c and 55c

SATURDAY, MARCH 27 METRO & FOX PICTURES  
Matinee: May Allison in "CASTLES IN THE AIR". If you are missing these Saturday matinee pictures, you are missing something. 10c and 20c  
Night: Madeline Traverse in "WHAT WOULD YOU DO." Another good one, also 1 reel comedy. 10c and 20c

MONDAY, MARCH 29 METRO PICTURES  
The Great NAZIMOVA in her first picture to be shown in Clarendon in "EYE FOR EYE". This is one of the greatest actresses of the screen and the enormous big price asked for her productions, is why we never played her before—See ad in another part of this paper. Also Pathe Review. 15c and 30c

TUESDAY, MARCH 30 PARAMOUNT  
TITLE NOT ANNOUNCED.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31  
TITLE NOT ANNOUNCED.

THURSDAY, APRIL 1 APRIL FOOL  
TITLE NOT ANNOUNCED.

—Cut This Out Now and Save For Future Use.

## Pastime Theatre

VS farm to rent, 160 acres in SEED POTATOES—We still have ion, good improvements; near seed sweet potatoes for sale. T. See Tom Zeigler. 13 pd. Jones & Co. 13c

## Amarillo Daily Tribune

The latest addition to the ranks of Texas' great daily newspapers, will issue its initial number on next Sunday, March 28th. We are exclusive local agents for this publication and Sunday's edition will be on sale Sunday morning.

## Bon Ton Confectionery

RICHARD WILKERSON, Prop.

## DONLEY COUNTY SCHOOL FAIR WILL BE HELD HERE IN APRIL

At the time of the holding of the teacher's institute at Memphis, it was agreed that each county represented should hold a county fair. The fair to be held on the 9th and 10th of April is therefore a result of the efforts of all the teachers of Donley county. Twenty four prizes will be offered. The premiums to be offered will be well worth the effort and it is to be hoped that each pupil in the county will make an effort for at least one prize. The list of exhibits is as follows:

### PRIMARY DEPARTMENT

1. Best specimen of penmanship from each grade.
2. Best specimen of drawing, 1st grade.
3. Best pencil drawing from each grade.
4. Best specimen paper cutting, 1st and 2nd grades.
5. Best specimen paper cutting, 3rd and 4th grades.
6. Best poster illustrating story, 1st and 2nd grades.
7. Best poster illustrating story, 3rd and 4th grades.
8. Best cardboard construction work.
9. Best language containing short stories, 2nd and 3rd grades.
10. Best clay modelling.
11. Best specimen of painting in water colors.
12. Best salt map in third grade.
13. Best illustrated story, 3rd, 4th and 5th grades.
14. Best specimen in woodwork.

### INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT

1. Best specimen of penmanship, for each grade.
2. Best pen drawing for each grade.
3. Best poster illustrating story for each grade.
4. Best illustrated story for each grade.
5. Best salt map, fourth and fifth grades.
6. Best salt map, sixth and seventh grades.
7. Best product map, fifth, sixth and seventh grades.
8. Best geography notebook for each grade.
9. Best history work display for each grade.
10. Best story about "A Fishing Trip," fourth and fifth grades.
11. Best story about, "The Adventures of a Penny" 6th and 7th grades.

### 12. Four best analyzed problems in arithmetic for each grade. Prize for each grade.

13. Best general display.
14. Miscellaneous (Intermediate Grades)
15. Best embroidery.
16. Best crochet.
17. Best tatting.
18. Best loaf cake.
19. Best plain gingham dress.
20. Best display Donley County soil.
21. Best design for note-book cover.

### HIGH SCHOOL

1. Best story on, "The Future of Donley County."
2. Best original poem.
3. Best English note-book.
4. Best note-book in letter writing.
5. Best original short story.
6. Best essay on, "Why I Am Glad I Am An American."
7. Best illustrated fable.
8. Best placard illustrating "School Boy English."
9. Best placard of "Health Don'ts."
10. Best diagrammed sentence illustrating all the parts of speech.
11. Best imitative specimen in biology.
12. Best salt flower.
13. Best drawing of microscopic flower.
14. Best chorus by rural school.
15. Best chorus by urban school.

### MISCELLANEOUS

16. Best gingham dress.
17. Best tatting.
18. Best crochet.
19. Best embroidery.
20. Best angel food cake.
21. Best loaf white bread.
22. Best school lunch.
23. Best original cartoon.
24. Best home canning display.

### STRICKLAND-MASTERSON

A marriage of unusual interest was performed at the parsonage Tuesday of this week by Rev. C. N. Ferguson when R. C. Strickland and Miss Lavonia Masterson embarked on the matrimonial sea. Mr. Strickland is a hustling young business man and a valued employe of the postoffice department of Dallas. Mrs. Masterson is the daughter of J. P. Masterson of the firm of Masterson-Moreman Mercantile Company of Hedley and is a young lady of unusual talents and enjoys the friendship of a wide circle of acquaintances in her home town.

Easter Greeting cards at Stocking's.

Jim Sherman buys and sells used cars.

### JIM MULKEY MAKES GOOD IN MANY LINES OF EFFORT

An article in the Daily Ardmore published at Ardmore, Okla. and dated March 1st, recounts many interesting things in connection with the business dealing of Jim Mulkey, formerly a resident here and a brother of Homer Mulkey. The article states that Jim landed some ten miles north-east of there some sixteen years ago with \$450 as his sole capital. (Of course that nest egg was made right here and we feel sure that Jim will credit old Donley with having been the direct cause of his fortune.) Jim started a city on a small scale in the form of a postoffice and a small stock of goods. While his wife ran the store, Jim raised five cent cotton and invested in land. As his cash account grew he bought more land. Later Jim got tired of the sordid country life and moved to town—to Ardmore. Jim's first venture in the big town consisted of a lady's ready-to-wear store that ranked right up with the top notchers. This year Jim bought out a hardware stock and is now getting into shape to put in the largest retail stock of hardware in southern Oklahoma. Jim has done well with his ranch and mercantile interests and his old friends in Clarendon are glad to know that he has made good, though we all feel sure that he would have done far better had he applied his talents in a sure enough good country.

The ability to corral the elusive dollar seems to run in the Mulkey family since Homer Mulkey, a brother of the above mentioned gentleman, landed in Clarendon some twelve years ago with \$35 which he had borrowed in order to get here. Homer now owns two of the principal business buildings on the main street of the city, a flourishing business and lives in a fourteen thousand dollar home.

### CLARENDON COMMISSION COMPANY BRANCHES OUT IN A NEW LOCATION

The Clarendon Commission Company composed of L. McMillan, Fred Johnson and B. F. Crawford, has opened up offices in the pool hall building. The office is neatly and systematically arranged according to up-to-date methods of handling the realty line in the most accurate manner. The new firm has been very successful and will not only deal in local lands, but has branched out to other counties thus increasing greatly the volume of business and the standing of the firm. All of the men behind the company are well and favorably known in the business world of Donley, two of them being formerly in the mercantile business here.

If you want good used cars, you can get them from Jim Sherman at Cantelou building.

## Free Advice

Before next week's paper is read you will have started a grocery bill for a new month.

Our advice is to call 18 and let your wants be known.

Fresh vegetables almost daily, can goods of every description.

Let us help you to help yourself.

—Buy your groceries of

## Central Grocery

Phone 18

New line embossed Easter cards at Stocking's Store. Jim Sherman buys and sells used cars.

## After the Winter Months

You naturally feel inclined to brighten things up. Your buildings are probably in need of repair and perhaps you are planning a sleeping porch, garage or barn. See us for estimates. Our building service is unequalled and costs you nothing.

## Galbraith - Foxworth Lumber Co.

Lelia Lake

Clarendon



# PRINCE ALBERT



the national joy smoke makes a whale of a cigarette!

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YOU certainly get yours when you lay your smokecards on the table, call for a tidy red tin or a toppy red bag of Prince Albert and roll a makin's cigarette! You'll want to hire a statistical bureau to keep count of your smokestunts! Why, you never dreamed of the sport that lies awaiting your call in a home rolled cigarette when it's P. A. for the packing!

Talk about flavor! Man, man, you haven't got the listen of half your smokecareer until you know what rolling 'em with P. A. can do for your contentment! And, back of P. A.'s flavor, and rare fragrance—proofs of Prince Albert's quality—stands our exclusive patented process that cuts out bite and parch! With P. A. your smokegone in a makin's cigarette will outlast any phonograph record you ever heard! Prince Albert is a cinch to roll. It's crimp cut and stays put like a regular pal!

Prince Albert upsets any notion you ever had as to how delightful a jimmy pipe can be! It is the tobacco that has made three men smoke pipes where one was smoked before. It has won men all over the nation to the joys of smoking.

Awaiting your say-so, you'll find toppy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tins, humidors—and—practical pound crystal glass humidors with springs, stainless top that keeps Prince Albert in such perfect condition!



R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY, Winston-Salem, N. C.

## INTERESTING COLLEGE ITEMS AS GLEANED FROM THE CLARCO

### COLLEGE ENJOYS RECITAL OF MRS. EDYTH CAMERON

Clarendon lovers of music were afforded the opportunity of enjoying the piano recital of Mrs. Edythe Bryan Cameron on last Monday evening, March 15th. It is gratifying to those interested in the musical growth of a city to watch the appreciation of the people increase toward a desire for works of the larger form; and in this Clarendon is to be complimented for her growing support of such events as the above mentioned recital. This was shown by the eager attention of the audience and the interest manifested by the audience in the excellent work of the artist.

The program opened with "Ballade, in form of variations," by Greig. This number was rendered in an artistic manner which displayed the characteristics of a talented pianist. The second group which consisted of "Valse, op 64, No. 2" and "Nocturne op 16, No. 2" by Chopin "Das Abends op 12" and "Vogel Als Prophet op 82" by Schumann, was rendered along the most technical and emotional lines.

Rendered with equal brilliance and skill was the third group. Both compositions of Debussy, "Arabesque," nos. 1 and 2, demonstrated her masterful command of touch and tone. This interesting group ended with Brahms "Rhapsody" op 79.

The audience made up in keen appreciation what it lacked in size. The flowers which were given Mrs. Cameron during the intermissions of the program were proof of her many appreciative admirers.

Mrs. Cameron was for two years a student of Oberlin College and is a present pupil of Mr. Frank E. Marsh, Jr., Director of the Conservatory of Music of Clarendon College.

That result of, and also forerunner of, the Dramatic Club of Clarendon College, in other words, "Thompson of The Varsity", was presented in McLean Thursday evening. Miss Gailey with a handful of faithful followers was the forerunner of this dramatic movement, and left Clarendon about nine o'clock that morning, and judging from her attitude later in the day, her car was attended by no trouble save by Miss Mickle and Mr. Quattlebaum. About three that afternoon the rest of the cars, three in number, carrying some more able dramatists and the orchestra, which was destined to play while the settings for the different acts were being prepared. At exactly six miles out of Clarendon one car stopped and refused to run until the hind wheels were taken off and rolled backwards a long time, but finally some one took the car by the crank, while Ches. Skeen turned the car around and around, and it finally started. Excepting this there was no trouble going to McLean, other than approximately seventeen tires had to be changed, and we had to stop once to tell a fellow driving a car which appeared stubborn that he would have to pour some gasoline in the tank before he would drive the car up the hill, but he said he had put two whole gallons in it that very morning. Somebody poured a little gasoline in it, and we started and forgot to look back. Maybe you have guessed it, but we arrived.

"Oh, land of my dreams!" and then followed an especially attractive amount and quality of Western hospitality, and College efficiency, but of the latter there was not enough and—sad sight—there was even much left on the tables. That cake, that pie, that chicken and dressing, that delicious salad, hot chocolate, made a fellow want to sing "Home Sweet Home, on Christmas Day". But there is a limit to human endurance and human—yea animal—appetites, and we finally advanced to the stage.

Thirty minutes later, we were engaged in the pleasant pastime of having our lips painted (with a pencil) and eyes were blackened a few minutes later (with another pencil). Finally, everything was ready for the first act, and the large building was packed with people, every seat was occupied. The people of McLean certainly kept up their rep, by giving full and undivided support.

But remember, affectionate reader, I was one of the characters and was there, consequently cannot give an account of the play.

The "College Comedy" was presented though, and finished. Then the gallant troupe began its return home, at about 9:45 o'clock, and had only one tire to change, and—lamentably—to pump up. We got back about twelve o'clock, striking a general average, feeling like returning heroes.

The play was very fairly staged, considering the conditions, and was well carried through. The orchestra under Miss Loeffler doing splendid work. The people of McLean cannot be too sincerely thanked for their kindness and support. They have our deepest gratitude.

Clarendon College went down in defeat Friday, in their first exhibition game of the season—losing to the town "Outlaws" by an overwhelming score of 13 to 5. The bunch of ex-leaguers found the untempered youngsters easy opponents for the cool headed playing, and the one-sided score can be accounted for by "bunched" hits and a few "bone-head" plays in a pinch. But look out! Every man being honored by the privilege of wearing a C. C. U. uniform declares vengeance and want to play the town team again in April. They are determined to have a different outcome of the next game, with the College supporting the big end of the figures.

Coach's Burton and Dudley were not exactly pleased with the first showing, but they realize that it being the first appearance, that a part of the play—or rather the not playing—can be accounted for by a little "stage fright." Both coaches still maintain that Clarendon College is sure of putting out a winning team. "They must win and they will win." The boys are going to work harder than ever and will uphold the good names of the competent coaches they are working under. Yes—Clarendon College is going to have a ball club that both the school and town will be proud of. Watch them go!

"Shake" Davis was in town Friday night and declared his intentions of entering school here this week. This will be welcomed, as glad tidings, by all the school and base ball fans of the town, for "Shake" is known as one of the best pitchers in this section of the state. He is a man of baseball experience, having spent several years under good coaches, and will greatly strengthen the College pitching staff.

The next game (the first real game of the season) will be on the 31st of this month at Shamrock. On the first and second of April, Wayland College of Plainview are scheduled for two defeats in Clarendon College Park.

Now just a word in regard to these first two games on home grounds. If Clarendon College is to ever be successful in College athletics, as she should, she must have the support of the school. Foremost in this support stands finances. Let's all turn out and make these games a financial success. Every student enrolled in school should be present at these games and make the gate receipts "go over the top". Let's all be there.

Clarendon College is showing a great amount of that lazy epidemic called "Spring Fever". Everywhere there is a lack of activity that belongs to a school body. The cows stand, half in the shade and half in the sun, contentedly chewing their cuds. The ole mule, with his head out of his stall, his eyes closed, is so lazy that he don't even fan himself with his ears.

Wake up! Get some pep! If Teddy Roosevelt were going to school here, would he sit around with his head in his hands and wish school were out? No! He would "Start something" that would pass away the time.

Of course we have baseball and an occasional party but—we—are—dead! Now, wake up—do something—get some pep.

After feeling the spirit of God upon them at the prayer meeting last Wednesday evening, the Ministerial students came to the College and met in their regular session of the Ministerial Association. In this meeting it seemed that every one renewed their covenant with God and determined to go forward in the work as they had never done before.

After a short song service and prayer. The scripture was read and Brother Norcross gave a short talk on "The path between man and God." This was not only interesting, but it was very beneficial to every one present.

Then the President gave everyone a chance to say a few words, Bishop Wentz got up and said that he was always ready to say a word for his Lord, and then he gave a report on the service at Chamberlain last Sunday afternoon. When he had finished Carter added that Wentz preached a real enough sermon at that time.

Some way it seemed that every one had something good to say and some good plans were made for the future, being proposed by Jones.

After a chain of prayers we were dismissed by Brother L. K. Bones.

Miss Arlen McKenney, Mezzo-Contralto, who is to be one of our visiting artists for Music Day, is to appear with Miss Alla Wright, pianist, April 16, 1920, in one of the Spring Faculty Concerts given at T. C. U. Miss McKenney has made a great name for herself since coming to Ft. Worth.

Clarendon College Conservatory of Music, Mr. Frank E. Marsh, Jr., Director, will present eight Juniors in recital Monday evening, March 29 at 7 p. m. This is the first of the series of recitals to be given by members of the class of 1921.

Mrs. Stallcup of Dalhart visited her son, Harley Campbell, here Friday.

### THE A. B. C. OF SAFER STREETS

#### Motorists

Always be considerate. Drive right.

First—Save the children. When passing children drive slowly; they do the unexpected thing. In their play they are liable to dash suddenly in front of an automobile or street car, and the only way you can save them is by having your machine under control. Drive right.

Second—Stop behind street cars taking on or discharging passengers.

Third—Give wide clearance to safety zones.

Fourth—Give warning signal when turning or stopping.

Fifth—Use legal headlights.

Sixth—Remember the sick when passing hospitals.

Seventh—Be sure your brakes are in good working order. Inspect them frequently.

Eighth—Have your car under perfect control for a quick stop at all times.

Always be considerate—drive right!

#### Pedestrians—Walk Right

First—Don't forget to keep to the right—it is the universal rule.

Second—Don't cross the street before looking both ways. Your immediate danger is from the left.

Third—Don't read or let your mind wander when standing where vehicles pass. Keep your face toward approaching traffic.

Fourth—Don't fail to get the number of any machines which are exceeding the speed limit, driving care-

lessly or passing street cars in unlawful manner. (Look directly at the number of the approaching machine, repeat the number to yourself three times, put it down in your note book and go at once to the nearest telephone and inform the police of the circumstances.)

Fifth—Don't cross the streets except at crossings, and then go straight across, not diagonally. Don't jay walk.

Sixth—Don't run across, behind or in front of a car, automobile or wagon. Wait and see what is on the other side, then move at a fast walk. Don't run.

Seventh—Don't block others on the sidewalk.

Eighth—Don't resent traffic officers' directions. He is doing his best to protect you and to prevent accidents.

Ninth—Don't overlook the other fellows' viewpoint—co-operation will mean safety.

#### For Children

First—Do not play on the roadway.

Second—Play on the sidewalks or on the nearest playgrounds.

Third—Never chase a ball across the street.

Fourth—Don't hitch on autos, wagons, or street cars.

Fifth—Don't coast where street cars or autos go.

Sixth—Don't play around autos.

Seventh—Never run behind a standing street car; there may be another car or auto approaching on the other side.

Eighth—Do not fear the policemen.

They will help and protect you. Ninth—Stop, look and listen at every cross street.

#### ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed and uncalled for in this office for the week ending March 20, 1920, as follows:

Allison, Roy  
Bumgarner, Miss Grace  
Darnell, R. T.  
Goodnight, Mrs. Will  
Houston, Lizzie  
Johnson, Earnest  
Kemp, Miss Mollie  
Lemmon, Mrs. Frances  
Parker, J. C.  
Rogers, L. E.  
Sewell, J. I.  
Scott, L. F.  
Tyler, A. L.  
Warnecke, L. R.  
Wells, Lum  
Wood, Irvin.  
C. C. Powell, P. M.

#### WHY NOT CLARENDON?

At a cost of \$700,000 Oklahoma will build a great Memorial Arch at Oklahoma City to her dead heroes in the World War—News Item.

Hats off to Oklahoma, words of praise on every hand. Kind thoughts from sorrowful kindred with dead in a foreign land. She has not forgotten her heroes, who for country suffered and died. All honor the Pearl of the Southland that remembers to honor her dead.

T. Jones, Clarendon, Texas.

## NEW PERFECTION Oil Cook Stoves



### Best Cooking Results

YOU get best cooking results with the Speedy, Steady, Clean, Intense heat from a New Perfection Stove burning Magnolia Safety Oil. The Long Blue Chimney burner drives heat, from the high white-tipped, blue medium or the low simmering flame, directly against the utensil. No smoke, soot or disagreeable odor. Get a New Perfection Oven, too—it bakes perfectly.

Both sold by good dealers everywhere. Ask for a demonstration or write for the New Perfection booklet.



THE CLEVELAND METAL PRODUCTS CO.  
7600 Platt Avenue  
Cleveland, Ohio

Dealers Note:—The Magnolia Petroleum Company distributes the New Perfection in your territory. Complete stock is available at convenient points.

## Good Things To Eat

—Are Specialties With Us.

Every Food product we offer you is of Real Quality. For your baking, we offer you Heliotrope Flour, the very highest grade of flour on the market.

Let us fill your next grocery order with the best groceries you have ever been able to secure at any price.

## Clayton & Dean

Cash and Carry Grocery Store  
CLARENDON, TEXAS

E. B. Reeves of east of Jericho and a prominent rancher of that section was in town Wednesday and gave a very optimistic report of both range and cattle conditions on the plains.

Joe W. Hastings was down from Canyon the last of the week. Mr. Hastings purchased a fine residence home there a short time ago and expects to make his home in Canyon.

## Easter Hats of a delightful fashion

We have anticipated your wants in the Millinery line and our display of Hats is of such beautiful and varied designs, that you are sure of finding the exact pattern you most desire.

Descriptions are inadequate—you must see the hats and try them on to realize the becoming effects and the splendid values.

## THE VOGUE

## Genuine Victor Victrolas PORTABLE MODELS Play All Victor Records



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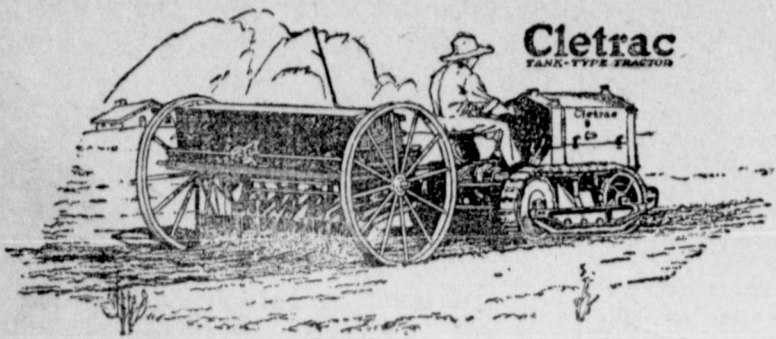
## Goldston Bros.



# CLETRAC

## TANK TYPE, TRACTOR

LAYS IT'S OWN TRACK



THE CLETRAC MAKES FARMING PAY

Corn and cotton middle busting. The Cletrac travels on top of the mound, not in the furrow. The Cletrac does not pack the soil. The Cletrac will do everything to be done on the farm, plowing, seeding, harvesting, hauling, threshing—The Cletrac, the universal tractor.

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## Never Have Voiles Been More In Fashion than this Spring

Some of us probably felt last Spring that the fancy of Fashion for voile would fail with the approach of another Spring Season—but not so. And naturally, for the textile qualities of voile lent themselves so well to the art of the designer and printer of patterns, and to their artistic draping by decorator and dressmaker that it is still the very strongest in demand of all the cotton cloths. And, in obedience to Fashions dictates we have a very large stock of fancy and plain voiles, at living prices. Furthermore, we like to show them, even though you do not buy.

—Our Dress Goods Section Abounds in The Choicest and Largest Collection of Wanted Materials We Have Ever Shown.



### Petticoats and Pettibockers

A new shipment of Petticoats has just arrived, which enables us to show a very large and varied assortment of petticoats, in Jersey, Taffeta and Sateen, at a range of prices to suit every one.

—Up to \$15.00



### "PETTIBOCKERS"

are new, but are not so new as to be untried. They have displaced petticoats in favor of those who have tried them. We are showing some very attractive ones in Jersey of Silk.

Priced @ \$10.50.

### "Tom Sawyer" Wash Waists

For The Youngster

We count ourselves as fortunate in being able to offer the

Mothers of this section such really good, Play-clothes, wash-wear, etc., as the widely known

### "TOM SAWYER" WASH-WEAR

Have you had your hands on any of the many styles on display on our tables? See for yourself how well made they are, and of what good material. We know we are offering Mothers a line of garments of the kind they have wanted. And we ask your verdict on them. Reasonable in price, very.



### "Jean Castle" Middies

An unusually well-made middy line, of excellent cloth and stylish design. Ask for "Jean Castle."

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### MATT BENNETT NARROWLY ESCAPES SERIOUS INJURY

While repairing his windmill last of the week, Matt Bennett left a scantling on the mill platform and forgot all about. Later while shaking the tower near the ground, the scantling was dislodged. Hearing the noise, Mr. Bennett looked up just in time to be struck in the forehead by the end of the scantling. Had the timber struck him on the top of the head, death would have no doubt resulted. The victim is receiving the congratulations and kindly admonitions of his many friends because of his narrow escape, who feel that he is telling the facts in the case and that the recent homecoming of Mrs. B. had nothing whatever to do with the accident.

### FARMERS STATE BANK INVESTS IN LATEST IN OFFICE HELP

The Farmers State Bank has installed the latest in the line of up to the minute office help in the form of an electrically driven Burroughs adding machine. Being electrically driven, all the strain is taken off the operator and the old style of "finger tab" is done away with. While the machine is quite expensive, the investment means a saving in time and labor and is well worth the price. Banks in the large cities use the machine to advantage and the machine became a necessity due to increased business at the local bank.

### AMARILLO SHRINERS VISIT THE CITY

A dozen Amarillo Shriners, including some of the leading business men, bankers and professional men of that city visited Clarendon in interest of the Shrine Temple to be asked for Amarillo at the Portland Meeting in June.

They were tendered a luncheon at the Denver Hotel by local Shriners, and Masons with the Shrine Ambition for the near future. Clarendon fully appreciates the advantages and benefits to be had from the location of a Shrine Temple at Amarillo to serve the great number of Masons of this section of the state whose nearest Temple at the present is Ft. Worth.

### W. M. S. NOTES

Wednesday afternoon March 31st at 3:00 o'clock the women of the Methodist church are invited to meet at the home of Mrs. Richards for a social meeting of the Women's Missionary Society. The honor guests for the afternoon will be the babies of the cradle roll and their mothers. They will have the first mite box opening for the year. If there are any little ones of the church not enrolled we especially invite them and their mothers to be present and join us.

It has been some time since we have had a barrel opening, so it is hoped all who have barrels will bring them so that our local treasury may be replenished.

Mesdames Ross and Davis will assist Mrs. Richards and a cordial invitation is extended you.

Reporter.  
On Saturday, March 27th, 1920 a demonstration of the Cletrac, Tank Type Tractor will be held in Clarendon, Texas—Plowing and Street Grading. Be on hand to see this exhibition of farm-power efficiency. Farm Power Implement Co., Distributors for Donley, Hall, Armstrong and Gray counties, with headquarters at Clarendon, Texas. See ad on page six this issue.

### PARENT-TEACHERS' ASSN.

The next meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be Thursday, April 1, with the following program:

Piano solo.....Bessie Alexander  
Declamation.....Oswald Coleman  
Piano solo.....Mittie Cole  
Round table: "Individual Needs of Each School-room."

The refreshment committee will be:

Mrs. W. H. Patrick, chairman; Mesdames: J. E. Nelson, E. M. Ozier, J. A. Potts, M. S. Parsons, W. L. Phillips, J. T. Patman, F. G. Patching, Sarah Parker and J. T. Parker.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to our neighbors and friends our heartfelt thanks for the kind words and kindness shown by them to us in our great loss of our darling Inez. And the sweet flowers given by the teachers and her classmates, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Leathers and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chrystal, for without such words and kindness, we could not of have our loss. May the Savior that Inez tried to serve, bless and guide each of you in our prayer.

D. L. Robison, wife and children.

### LADIES AID MET WEDNESDAY WITH MRS. CARLISLE

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church met with Mrs. Carlisle Wednesday the 17th, Mrs. Casey acting as leader. The twenty-second chapter of Acts was read and discussed. Delicious fruit was served by the hostess. The Aid will meet at the church Wednesday of this week.

Call 28 and ask for Woodie. He will give Service in your hauling. tf.

Martin & So Belle are selling the Word ranch and farm lands.

The Delphians will meet with Mrs. A. T. Cole Monday the 29th.

SERVICE—In your hauling. Call 28 and ask for Woodie. tf.

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### EASTER MILLINERY

—How Becoming! Yes, and How Stylish!

These two words, with originality and quality added, sum up the reason for the popularity of Harned Sisters millinery.

Our selection of models is large; our prices moderate; your satisfaction sure.

Harned Sisters

A. D. Majors of Ashtola was a business visitor in the county seat Monday.

B. F. Wallin spent most of the week at Childress and other places down the Denver.

**BREEDEN'S RHEUMATIC COMPOUND**  
FOR RHEUMATISM SOLD EVERYWHERE  
PEOPLE'S PHARMACY

**For Sale**  
100 coming 5 year old cows. 30 with calves. Price spring delivery, \$90.00.  
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Car troubles should be corrected at once. Delay only causes more trouble and greater expense.

Bring it to us at the first sign. We will put it in first-class condition and fill it full of pep.

Don't delay. A small job at the beginning of trouble is less expensive than a large one later on.

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Both appropriate for Easter

—An Easter Card—Your photograph.

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## SPRING HATS

Paris is Queen again in the reigning vogue for decidedly French effects in Spring Millinery, and the wonderfully beautiful array of attractive Hats we are showing offer the choice of the prettiest Parisian models. You'll find a style just suited to your own personality and at a price that will please you too.

Located on balcony of the T. M. Little Store.

**Mrs. C. S. Marshall**

Clarendon, Texas.

## When You Place Your Order

With us for tailoring you get something more than ordinary good tailoring. You get the best work of the finest organization of skilled tailors and designers in America.

Let us show you our new woollens, styles and values for Spring. You will never regret placing an order with us.

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### DONLEY COUNTY CHAPTER A. R. C. TO OPEN CLASS IN HOME NURSING SOON

The News is authorized to announce that the Donley County Chapter, American Red Cross, has arranged with headquarters for the services of a graduate nurse and instructor who will open classes here in Elementary Hygiene and Home Care of the sick. This is a real constructive service on the part of the Red Cross organization and should meet with instant favor with the women and young ladies of this vicinity. The instructor will arrive here in a few days and begin the work, and the Chapter officials ask that all ladies interested will please call and enroll for these courses.

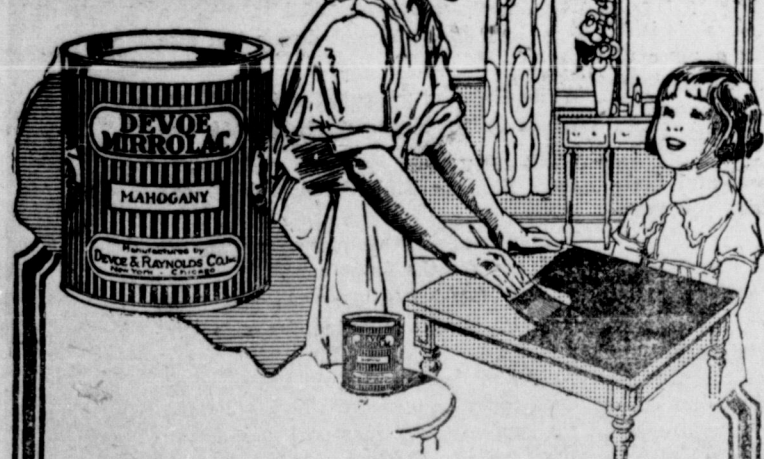
The nurse will be assisted by a local committee composed of the following women: Mrs. J. N. Eddins, chairman; Misses McLean and How-

the High School and Mesdames McKillop and White from the town. The total cost for the course will be \$1.00 which will include the cost of the textbook and registration fee. The last two years have shown how greatly needed are such courses as the Red Cross is suffering practically without cost. It is hoped that a large number of women and girls will avail themselves of the opportunity to take this work. The time and place will be announced later.

### LADIES OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH TO GIVE BAZAAR

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church will give an Easter bazaar Saturday, April 3. Easter eggs, both candy and colored, aprons, bonnets and other things will be for sale. The ladies solicit each and every one of Clarendon to help in this good work. Thanks. Press Reporters from the College, Miss Scott from 14c.

## DEVOE MIRROLAC



**THE Finish on Floor—Furniture—  
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gradually wears off. The home is then unattractive.

The use of DEVOE MIRROLAC will correct this condition. Start today.

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## First Monday Is Trades Day

For this first Trades Day we are offering some exceptional bargains in two lines.

\$1.45 Brooms, standard weight, Trades Day, \$1.25.  
1.25 Brooms, standard weight, Trades Day, \$1.00.  
LACES—We have just received a new line of Cluny, Val, Crochet and Baby Irish Laces and Insertions, for Trades Day Only—Very Low Prices.

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# Your Suit For Easter

If you want the best clothes you can buy, we think you will come to us. When we say "best you can buy" we mean best for you. We mean that for every dollar you pay, you'll get value that will last. We feature

—Hart Schaffner & Marx  
Style Plus  
Langham High

clothes and recommend them to you—all-wool fabrics, the best Tailoring and liveliest style, the shape-keeping quality—these clothes are economy.

\$25, \$30, \$35, \$40, \$50, \$60, \$75



## Silk Shirts For Easter



See the new arrivals in white and colored Silk Shirts in your favorite weaves. A comprehensive showing in Crepe de Chines, Radiums, Kably Crepes and others.

\$10 to \$15

## A New Easter Hat to Go With Your Suit

You may select here your Easter Hat in the newest blocks and colors and the quality of course you will not question. Stetsons and No Name Novelty and staple styles.

\$5 to \$35



Make your plans now to come to Clarendon on First Monday in April—Trades Day—Something Doing.

## Hayter Bros.

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

### FRATERNAL ORDER MAKES A CLEANUP AT CEMETERY

The loyal members of that order gathered at the L. O. O. F. cemetery early Wednesday morning armed with the necessary implements to make a thorough job of cleaning up the grounds. The cemetery now presents a clean, well-kept appearance much to the credit of those who are loyal to the memory of loved ones who were buried there.

W. L. Flake, formerly of the Flake drug company in Canadian and a registered pharmacist in four states, arrived Wednesday of this week to accept a position with the City Drug Store.

### WIND PLAYS PRANKS NEAR TOWN DURING RECENT RAIN

High wind played havoc with several windmills near the Bain place Wednesday just before the rain. R. B. and Jim Darnell and Misses Lillie and Lydia came along in a car and were forced to seek shelter in a shed on the Ben Chamberlain farm. The car top was torn off and R. B. sustained some painful hail cuts on the hands and above the right eye, and was otherwise bruised and skinned when he attempted to close the gate which blew down on him.

Miss Will Nell Richards has accepted a position with the jewelry firm of Goldston brothers.

## Have You a Car?

If so now is the time to bring it in and have it put in first class mechanical condition. You will need it to get full benefit of the pretty days of Spring.

—IF YOU HAVEN'T A CAR

We have a number of slightly used cars of various makes, very reasonably priced. New cars are expensive and deliveries slow. Come in and look over our stock.

**McEwen & Riddle**

## WHEN YOU ARE LOOKING

for merchandise of merit sold under money-back guarantee at live and let live prices. Just follow the crowd to

**Baldwin Bros. Store**

You must get good values when buying of us, as we are not satisfied unless you are. New Coats, Suits and Dresses arrived this week. We take pleasure in showing you through our stock.

Yours for fair dealings,

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"THE ONE PRICE STORE"





## In Smaller Sizes, Too

You Ford, Chevrolet, Maxwell and Dort car owners need not buy tires of lesser quality and worth than

## Goodyears

The same quality, the same material and the same workmanship which have made GOODYEAR—



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is found in Clincher tires built for the smaller cars.

Why not use the Best. It costs no more.

All sizes in stock. Our Service Will Increase Your Tire Mileage.

## Allen's Garage

A Full Line of Accessories

—We Have Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes Too

### McCAUSLAND-RICHARDS

Miss Mable Richards was married to Mr. Cecil McCausland at the Henry Gould home in Amarillo Saturday evening the 20th of this month. Miss Mable is the handsome, accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Richards of this city and has a wide circle of friends who admire her for her admirable traits and many accomplishments. Mr. McCausland is head man of the Pittman-Page Motor Company of Amarillo and is a

young business man with a brilliant future. The happy couple spent Sunday with the parents of the bride here after which they returned to Amarillo where they will make their home in the future.

R. M. Gibbs returned from Fort Worth Saturday where he has been for the past few weeks for treatment. Mr. Gibbs became insane during an attack of the flu and we all rejoice to know that he is to be with us again a well man.

## LOCAL & PERSONAL

R. S. Moss had business in Claude Monday.

Elmer Jones had business in Memphis Sunday.

B. F. Wallin had business in Memphis the first of the week.

O. C. Brown, merchandise man of Jericho, was in the city Monday.

Mr. Bell of Goodnight looked after personal business in this city Saturday.

J. D. Harvey and family visited friends in Goodnight the last of the week.

Henry Parker of Brice is another good farmer to make this his trading point.

Alex Henderson was a Jericho man to attend to business here the last of the week.

W. A. Darnell of Tifton, Georgia is visiting his brother R. T. Darnell near Jericho.

Mont Noel, McLean banker was here Monday in connection with his line of business.

J. J. Goldston and son, Walter, of the prosperous section across the river were here Saturday.

Harvey Strickland of Goodnight made the metropolis of old Donley in his rounds the last of the week.

Jim Hinkle, Will C. McDonald and J. F. Oller were in Amarillo on a business mission the last of the week.

A. J. Baker, former resident of this section but now living near Claude attended to business here Saturday.

F. L. Goldston, county commissioner of the tribe that is making better roads, was in from his farm near Jericho Saturday.

G. R. Grant is a good farmer of the country across the river, makes this place his trading point, and talks good roads. Whoop'er up, boys.

Otis and Floyd Shannon from up Jericho way bought the necessities of life that make the young men happy and left town in a good humor Saturday.

Dick Eichelberger of the Goldston community met the folks from the forks of the creek on our streets Saturday. Everybody was here including the dogs.

Guy Taylor, former stockman and grain dealer of Lelia was in town the last of the week and gave a very optimistic report of oil and crop conditions for his section.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haakett of Childress visited at the home of Ed Bailey the last of the week. Fred is the main "squeeze" on the Index force of his city.

Barcus Query of Brice purchased supplies of local merchants Saturday.

J. M. Eldridge made his usual call at the county seat the last of the week.

Wade Anthony visited his brother, Ross and family at Childress, over Sunday.

Paul Murff of Brice mixed with the younger set in Clarendon the last of the week.

Miss Zula Rundell of Ashtola visited friends and did some shopping in our city Saturday.

Ed Blankenship of Goodnight was in our city the last of the week on personal business.

George Fletcher Rhoads and lady of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sitner.

Leonard Goldston of the Goldston community paid the younger set a visit the last of the week.

Troy Lane, son of J. T. Lane, who has been visiting here, has returned to his home in Kim, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kent returned the last of the week from the stockmen's convention at Houston.

Jim T. Patman is laid up with a badly injured knee, an accident he sustained the last of the week.

Mrs. Matt Bennett returned from an extended visit in a number of Texas towns the last of the week.

G. W. Page, prosperous farmer of near Brice, bought a fine car Friday and left town in the best of spirits.

V. C. Kersey, hustling real estate man of Claude, was here Monday talking up trades with local realty men.

G. H. Dean of the Cash and Carry grocery firm, was in Vernon the first of the week looking after property interests.

Wade Murff who fills the position of manager of the Brice gin, was here Saturday to close up the season's business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnson of Amarillo visited with Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ryan over Sunday.

Our old friend G. W. Antrobus is again out on the streets after a siege of illness that kept him confined for several days.

Bertie Mays of Goodnight traded the Traywick section north of town to M. L. Pultman for his farm near Ashtola Monday.

W. C. Stewart of the busy plumbing firm, is visiting relatives and friends in Alvarado, Cleburne and Ft. Worth this week.

Joe Chambers is a valuable adjunct of the new cafe opened this week by J. A. Cook. Joe knows everybody and is a good mixer.

A. B. Bynum of Lelia Lake is a live realty man and of course had business in our city in the course of his transactions last week.

Clyde Gilbert of Claude was in town for a short time Monday but was forced to return immediately owing to urgent business.

Mrs. Condie Jones of the Martin community was a shopper in throng that filled the stores of local dry-goods merchants Saturday.

H. M. Stewart, farmer residing northwest of town, bought supplies and talked better stock to the other folks on our streets Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chunn left Friday night for a visit with their son at Tolar and their daughter at Baird, to be away for several days.

Lindsey Taylor, Edith Antrobus, Audrey Nelson, Brite Tucker composed the party of young folks to visit relatives in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. Dempsey of Lampasas county is visiting Elias Hiley of Brice and expects to locate in that section, or some other part of the Panhandle.

E. L. Lewis, all the law at Lelia and her first justice of the peace, put in his appearance here Saturday. His friends are always glad to have him come around.

John Blankenship of Hedley had business in the county capitol the last of the week meeting his brother here and attending to other affairs of interest to kinsmen.

Arthur A. Ledbetter was in from Ashtola the first of the week stocking up with farm supplies. Arthur informed us that the folks up that way were going in for cotton strong this season.

A party of Pampa folks visited here over Sunday. Chas. Dean, principal of the schools there, Miss Floy Silvey and Rufus Thompson, a business man of that thriving burg, made up the party.

M. A. Wisdom, public spirited and east of town was here the last of the an all round good citizen farmer out good crop prospects and the price of week in the best of spirits owing to the one just sold.

Mrs. Ed R. Wallace of near Shamrock is visiting the J. B. Anthony family. The husband of Mrs. Wallace performed the ceremony that united Mr. and Mrs. Anthony in marriage some twenty-eight years ago.

F. P. Dunkle of Lelia and an agriculturist of the first-class, was in town the last of the week talking farmer sense and passing around the glad hand. If we had more farmers like Mr. Dunkle, the country would be far better off.

Odos Garaway, local Buick man, unloaded two carloads of that make at Jericho Friday. Eight of them stoppe there and the other half taken to Memphis. Odos stated that all of them had been sold long before they arrived.

J. R. Mays, who claims to be the daddy of all that is done for the well being of his community, was in from Lelia Saturday. The other folks substantiate his claims too, when it comes to doing things they leave it up to Mr. Mays to take the lead.

Uncle Ed Walls, a resident of this section of the Panhandle for the past thirty or forty years—so long he has forgotten the number of years—was in town the last of the week from his home in Brice and stated that this is the best going from his personal experience.

R. T. Darnell, one of the biggest farmers near Ashtola, was in town the first of the week. Mr. Darnell owns some three thousand acres all told and has about half that amount under cultivation. He raises wheat, oats, barley and feed stuff on top and cotton under the breaks. The plowing is done 30 to 40 acre a day rate with a tractor.

## For the Continued and Accumulated Patronage and Good Will of Five Years, WE THANK YOU

Having sold the Rexall Drug Store to Mr. R. A. Long of Plainview, who has moved to our city, we desire to publicly express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the continued friendship, patronage and good will of the people of Clarendon and Donley County for the past five pleasant and profitable years we have owned and conducted the business. Business relations could scarcely be more pleasant and we want one and all to feel that we retire from the business with grateful appreciation of each and every one who has contributed to our success.

We recommend the new management to all our friends and customers without any reserve. Mr. Long comes to us with the best credentials as a business man, citizen and neighbor, and we bespeak for him unstinted success.

## Bryan & Son

THE REXALL STORE

## Easter is Just Around the Corner, but the Fashion Fixers Helped Us to be Ready

Fashion Without Extravagance—Charming Things—American Designers Have Out Done Themselves

In buying of really worth while things—whether for household adornments or of garments wherein correctness of fashion is the test—bear in mind this store leads in value-giving—Quality and Fashion void of freakishness.

Our whole efforts center around wearable things, and not for garish modes.

The best fashions in Suits (\$29.50 to \$200.00) may be had at prices ranging from \$59.50 to \$125.00, and of fine serge, poret, twill, Tricotine, and there are some handsome suits of Novelty Vigereaux—all splendidly tailored into the leading styles of the season. And in such variety that no woman need fail to find among these a becoming garment.

### THE NEW DRESSES—SPLENDIDLY READY FOR EASTER

—And these at \$49.50 show wonderfully beautiful styles at a low price.

—Good taste, good styles, good fabrics, and fine needle work. Scarcely two garments alike and all so wearable. You may spend more for an Easter frock and oftentimes not get as much as is offered in these pretty Dresses at \$49.50.

—Make the most of your store—it isn't just a place to trade, it is a place to study the beautiful and keep up with the world's progress. For instance:

### DRESSES AT \$59.50 TO \$200.00

Did you ever see such wonderful fashions—most any one of which you yourself can wear?

It isn't often—outside the larger trade centers—that you may see so many really wearable fashions.

These are substantial facts, backed up by the goods and plenty of the goods—all of which you are welcome to come and see and all of which you will enjoy.

### The New Blouses—Right and True in Fashion and Genuine in Value.

Coton Blouses, Voile, Organdie, Silk Blouses, mostly of Georgette.

There really seems no ending of pretty fashions conceits—too many to try to tell of them in detail. Suffice it to say they all follow sane, sensible lines to the exclusion of freakishness but not of novelty, and we will be glad to have you see every one of them.

### HATS THAT BRIGHTEN THE ENTIRE COSTUME.

—And brightens it through fabric (like cellophane) or finish (like the shining mesh hat) or in color like those temple greens and high reds and the wonderful embroideries!

Some of the sauciest, smartest, have whole tailored brims, or crowns, made of flowers, or flower petals.

Hundreds and hundreds ready to put right on, or, expert milliners to design one expressly for you.

—Early as you can, Easter is near and needles are flying.

### WHITE COUNTERPANES

Snow white—some with delicate color-lines running through embossed or brocade designs.

The finest values we've had in many a day—and in the largest double bed size or sizes for single beds.

White Krinkled Spreads \$4.25 and \$4.75. White Crepe Weave Spreads \$5.00 and \$6.50.

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White Spreads at all prices ranging up to \$15.00 for the finest ones.

36-inch CRETONS 50c, 75c and \$1.00 Fine in decorative value for side draperies, for spreads, for upholstery.

Light airy designs in floral effects. Subdued tones in tapestry effects—the fabric supreme for summer home decorations. 50c to \$3.00.

### KAYSER SILK UNDIEN—MERODE UNIONS AND TEDDIES

These are the world's foremost brands of Women's Underwear and Merode—the world's best for women and children. New shipments make it almost sure the kind you want is here in plenty.

Pretty Pumps and Oxfords Keep Right On Coming In.

A new pump of genuine buckskin in camel color has just come. High Louis heels, square edge hand turn soles, a one-eyel tie, \$15.00.

Other pretty pumps with high or low Louis heels. Plain or one-eyel tie or Colonial, \$12.50, \$12.85 and \$13.50.

Oxfords, Cuban or Military heels, \$7.50 \$8.50, \$9.00 and \$10.00.

The new Easter Slippers for children are here Neat, sensible styles for service as well as for dress wear.

## White & Kirk

Amarillo, Texas—The Place to Buy Shoes—502 Polk St.

## First Appearance of the Great

# NAZIMOVA

In This City

Heretofore this world-famous star has been too expensive to bring to a town no larger than Clarendon. So anxious are we to give Clarendon people the best in pictures, we are taking the risk of the expense for your approval. Nazimova is the greatest of emotional actresses. If you love art you can't afford to miss this picture.



NAZIMOVA in "EYE FOR EYE"

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## "Eye For Eye"

Are the Orientals more passionate lovers—more vindictive haters than those of the Occident? See the vast difference of character between the two peoples in "EYE FOR EYE", with the great NAZIMOVA as the star at

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**No Other Light Car Offers So Much**

Unusual power and control, quick pick-up and extraordinary acceleration to real speed, are features inherent in the Cleveland Six and features with which Cleveland owners are delighted.

Many a Cleveland Six owner has said, "It would be hard to tell you what a good car the Cleveland honestly is. It's wonderful."

The Cleveland is wonderful because it is a splendidly developed and finished product, not a car rushed into the market. Three years ago the plans for production of this car were far advanced. But, with war approaching, production and marketing were delayed though experimental and engineering work were continued and test cars kept on the road. When war ended, came the Cleveland.

Conditions and equipment assuring the very best of manufacture, and built by men whose successful experience had been wholly in the production of fine cars, the Cleveland Six began rolling out to the world last August. Since then thousands have gone to delighted owners, and thousands more are going every month.

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**"MONEY, MONEY, EVERYWHERE AND I AIN'T GOT A CENT."**

This was the wall of Secretary Keen of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night after he had finished reading the exchange papers on the Clarendon News desk. Following the March 28th call of the Bank Examiners all the banks in the state published a statement of their accounts in all of the papers over the state as is required by law and there were some interesting figures brought to light according to Secretary Keen, who was busy with note paper, pencil and scissors when a News reporter caught him in the News office about 9:30 Tuesday night.

"Instead of counting the towns that have over a million dollars on deposit in the Panhandle now you count the towns that have one or more individual banks in the town with more than a million dollars. Why to look over these figures where every little jerk-water station in the Panhandle has from one to three million dollars on deposit you would think that the bank surely must be joking when they send you the little 'Your account seems to be overdrawn' slip so regularly after the 15th of the month. Looks like with so blooming much money on their hands they wouldn't notice that I spend thirty cents more than I make about every hour of the month.

"For example Plainview has two banks with more than a million (say how much money is that anyway? I'd just like to know—in a general way at least.) and a total for the city of \$3,567,220.00—at least that much reported in this paper and they may have two papers in that town for all I know Childress has two banks with more than a million dollars on deposit with a grand total of \$2,793,281.91—and I know they have two papers. Clarendon comes in with \$2,053,012.11 plus enough at Hedley to make \$2,684,819.93 in Donley County. I believe we need another paper.

Collinsworth county has 2 1-3 million—or an increase of a million or so (note the contemptible familiarity with millions—I always was that way—a million dollars or so—what's the difference). Canadian has more than a million and McLean—and by the way McLean has some Donley county money too—out of one corner at least—has \$623,109.37—just about double what they had last year and a steady increase on every call this year.

"And yet a hundred miles south, east or north of the Panhandle of Texas they still believe that this is a howling wilderness of cactus bushes long-horned cows and perpetual sand storms where folks carry guns, pick their teeth with Bowie knives and sleep inside a hair rope to keep the rattlers from keeping them awake at nights. My stupidity is most embarrassing to me until I compare it to the mental make-up of the folks that can't be convinced of the wonders of West Texas—and then I feel absolutely bright at times. But on the other hand I feel fairly able to afford a new necktie for Easter until I begin to read about the great piles of cash everybody else seems to have all over the Panhandle—guess they will move me out to the 'Pore Farm' pretty soon."

But that is another thing greatly in favor of West Texas—The News does not know of a single Poor Farm in the whole Panhandle. That is the result of several things. First, of the fact that the folks in West Texas are not that sort of folks. They might starve to death, be blown away and their bones bleach upon the hills—but there is a little something inside of them born of the great, open spaces, the strength and wonder of the West that simply won't let them go to a Poor House if there were ever so many handy. The other reason is simply that there is so much more work to be done in the Panhandle than there are folks to do it that no one need ever go without a job and at a price that will even meet the present high cost of beans and bacon. Positions may get scarce now and then but there are always jobs enough for every man wanting one.

"The year just passed has been the most remarkable ever recorded in this country of remarkable histories. The prosperity, growth and development of the West, particularly the Panhandle is on a scale entirely too great for any given locality to grasp. It is not confined to Clarendon and Donley county—although we get so enthusiastic sometimes that we are wont to believe that such is the case. But everywhere you go over the Panhandle, every paper you read and every man you talk with has the same story to tell. New land is opened up. New homes are being built. New contracts for paving that have been let. Great and growing bank deposits. Constructive loans and credit extensions. Growth, Expansion, Progress, Development—truly this is the Young Man's Country and the Country of Young Men. For our Old Men are Young, with the vim and vigor resulting from a life spent in the open, in action, and with wide views, big ideals and marvelous results toward the realization of these of these ideals."

**MARTIN NEWS**

—By special correspondent.  
The farmers are taking advantage of this pretty weather, fixing for another year crop.

Rev. Finley held services Sunday morning, and there was a large attendance.

There was Sunday school Sunday evening, which was largely attended.

Mrs. J. F. Cannon is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Canthen and family in Clarendon this week.

The young people enjoyed a social at Mr. Brandt's Saturday night.

S. T. Rogers and family of Chamberlain community visited in the home of S. J. May Sunday.

Missie and Vernie Pool and Richard and Joe Cannon took dinner at W. W. Moreland's Sunday.

The young people enjoyed a singing Sunday night at Mr. H. M. Stewart's.

Ruth and Kate Talley and Ruby Mosley visited Gertrude and Thelma Bain Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Pool and family visited in the home of T. N. Nichols Sunday. Little Ruth Nichols is getting along just fine from over her accident.

The new bank will be ready for business at Lelia April 8rd. Watch the little town grow to a city—oil or no oil, she is bound to grow because they have the country to make it go.

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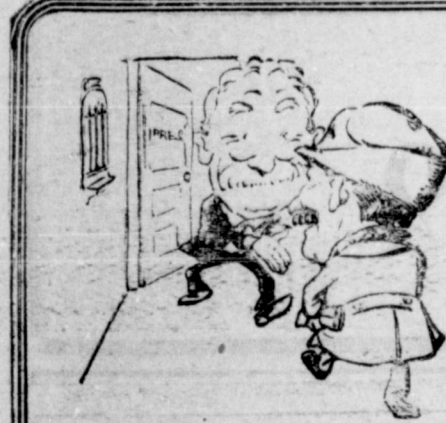
**2--BIG DAYS--2**

**CHAMBERLAIN NEWS**

There was Sunday School and Church Sunday at the usual time.  
Miss Annie Lou Richards was at the Reid home Saturday night.  
There was a singing at Mr. J. N. Neely's Sunday. Everybody had a nice time.  
Mrs. Huffstutler was called away last week to the bedside of her

brother near Estelline.  
Mrs. R. E. Mace spent Saturday and Sunday with her husband in Amarillo.  
There was a fruit supper at Mr. Reids Saturday night.  
There was a ball game last Friday afternoon here with the Martin boys the score being thirty-five to thirteen in our favor. We have a ball team this year and they are not afraid

to tackle any school. There is nothing like trying.  
Misses Genash Dasher and Rena Rutherford of Clarendon were in our community Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin of Brice were here the latter part of last week.  
Miss Lola Mahaffey of Clarendon visited our school one day last week. Everybody is farming now.



**We Mean It!**

For about four months this bank has been urging the farmers hereabouts to read THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. We have done it because we believe in THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. This Great National Farm Weekly offers actual money-making helps to those farmers who read it regularly and follow its advice. Its subscribers have in the main become the most prosperous farmers in their counties the Nation over. And that is why we should like to see it in every farm home in our county. We mean it when we say: Read

**The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN**

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**GOLDSTON ITEMS**

We are needing rain out this way.  
Most of the farmers are plowing for another crop.  
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Thompson and Miss Mable Hanson and brother of Ashtola were visiting at the Roberts home last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell were visiting at Mr. Morgan's last Sunday.  
George Churchwell was here from Memphis last week visiting with his sister, Mrs. G. R. Grant and family.  
Rev. Hansard and family were visiting at Goodnight last week.  
The machinery has arrived for putting down the test oil well on Mr. Harrington's place.  
C. T. Pearce and family have moved on the McAdams place.  
J. J. Goldston is making some improvement on his rent houses.  
Quite a number of relatives of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Veazy from Childress were visiting with them Saturday night and Sunday.  
Rev. Hansard preached at the schoolhouse Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leck Goldston were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Aleck Anderson last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Zeigler were visiting at J A ranch Saturday night and Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zeigler.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gray had relatives from Clarendon visiting with them last Sunday.  
Grandma Churchwell left last Sunday for Wheeler for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Meek.  
Mr. Elmore built an addition to his rent house last week.  
Mr. Scott organized a singing class here last Sunday afternoon.  
Quite a crowd were entertained with a party at the Shannon home Saturday night. Cake and chocolate were served and all report a nice time. Several of the girls accompanied Miss Dorothy Boardman to her boarding place, the Zeigler home, where they were entertained the remainder of the night with a slumber party. Lunch was served at midnight and the girls declare Miss Boardman a royal entertainer. Those present

were Misses Sada Gray, Dorothy Boardman, Jewel Owen, Savola Roberts, Lela Shannon and Vena Grant. Reporter.  
**ELECTION NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the First Tuesday in April, 1920, for the election of two members of the City Commission of the City of Clarendon for the ensuing term. By order of the Board of Commissioners this 1st day of March, 1920.  
O. C. Watson, Mayor.  
**NO TRAPPING**  
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If you are looking for the best service in your hauling, call Woody at 28. tf

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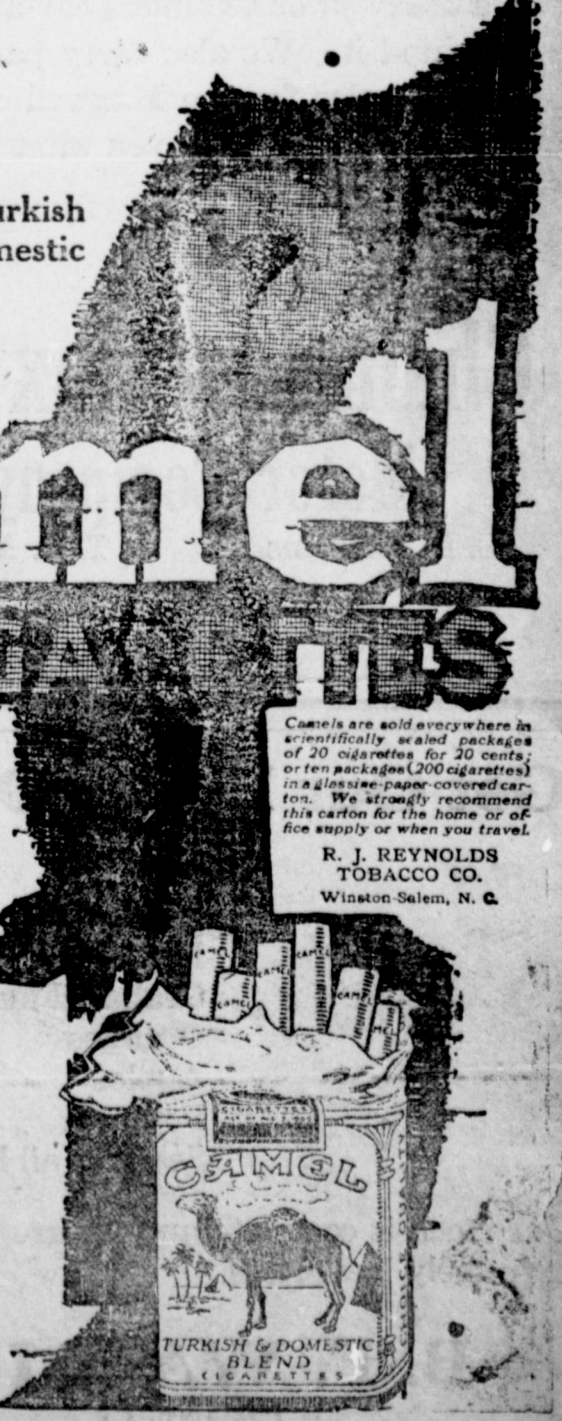
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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to present the names of the following as candidates for nomination for their respective designated offices in the Democratic primary in July, 1920:

For Legislature:  
H. B. HILL

County Judge:  
W. T. LINK

For Sheriff:  
J. H. RUTHERFORD

County and District Clerk:  
W. E. BRAY

County Treasurer:  
MRS WILLIE GOLDSTON

County Assessor:  
B. F. NAYLOR

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:  
W. C. VEAZEY  
F. L. GOLDSTON (Re-election)

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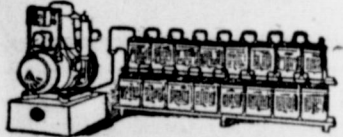
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## CLARENDON COLLEGE SUMMER SCHOOL

Clarendon College has already arranged for a summer school. There was a time when the school plant was shut down three and a half months during the year. That day is past. Beginning on May 25 immediately following the regular term the summer school will open for business. Dean S. H. Condron has been chosen as director and arranged for a strong teaching staff.

Students who have missed some during the year on account of sickness or other reasons will thus be given a chance to make up for this time lost and enter their regular classes next fall. Or students from the surrounding country will be given a chance to come and make up some slight deficiency if their school does not give certain courses or if their school does not have affiliation.

A full course will be given covering the following subjects: English, History, Mathematics, Latin, Spanish, Science, Economics, Education. In the Fine Arts an equally wide field will be offered: Piano, Voice, Violin, Expression, and the new subject not offered the past year—China painting. This last subject should be welcomed by many who may desire to complete the furnishing of their homes with the most desirable of all—hand painted china ware.

These subjects cover such a wide field that any one ought ordinarily to find something that would appeal to his or her nature. With so many things crowding in upon us these days a person cannot neglect every opportunity of self improvement. Students, Clarendon is a delightful town and you will find a warm welcome here. Plan now to make the most of this opportunity.

The College plans hereafter to run four terms in place of three. By this means a student may complete a three year course in two years and a smumer or a four year course in three years.

This year we will only run six weeks but hereafter it will run twelve weeks. By state law regular summer normals must continue in session for a term of eleven weeks. This is good because it is difficult for teachers to cover the wide field demanded in six weeks. But for the high school or College student who wants to complete only one subject the six weeks term is more desirable in many ways.

A circular of information will shortly be mailed out to all prospective students. Director Condron wants to bring as large a student body here this summer as possible. Business men, citizens of Clarendon help the College make this possible. We appreciate the students of our schools and the town seems rather dull when they have all gone home. We have a great community project let's make the most of it. Boost for a summer school that will be the mecca of the entire Panhandle.

Frank Whitlock says it is all bunk about him selling out his barber shop. He says to tell the people he expects to barber in Clarendon the rest of his days.

# New Styles For Easter Wear

The charm and allure of spring apparel is more in evidence this season than ever before. Arrivals the past week have given us a complete stock of all that is new and worth while in Women's apparel for spring and Easter time. Cordially and confidently we invite your inspection.

## New Suits for Easter and Spring

are appreciated by women of fashion for their

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Whatever your taste in the various coat fashions in the new Tailored Suits, and there is a great diversity of styles, all equally good—the Eton, Bolera Coats, dashing Pony models, Ripple Peplums, as well as the straight line coat a little longer—all are here.

Navy Tricotine is the leading material, yet there are a host of others that are having a large following. Priced at from \$29.75 up to \$110.00

## Handsome Frocks of Eastertime

TAFFETA FROCKS with bouffant panniers and quaint surplice bodices, as well as others that are a veritable mass of pleatings, frills and ruffles.

EASTER FROCKS of Plain and Printed Georgettes, of Foulard Silks, of Meteor and other of the favored materials for the new season, shown in distinctivetypes.

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## Easter Blouses

From the very simplest Batiste and Voile Blouses on up to the newest novelties in Georgette Blouses, all the most desirable styles are here. Georgette Blouses in White and Flesh, with the new neck line finishes—plain tailored and some elaborately trimmed.

## Exquisite Undersilks

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Envelope chemise, bodices and gowns presenting new and distinctivetypes.



## Spring Coats

Material of Velour Scotch tweeds and Novelty cloaking—in models that have pleased the eyes of the most critical. Colors of Pekin, Leather, China Blue, Tan and Silvertones.

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PHONE 15

## INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE CONTESTS WILL BE HELD THIS WEEK AND NEXT

The contests to decide who shall represent the Clarendon Public school in the county interscholastic meet will be held in our public schools during the next few days. There will be preliminary contests in debate, declamation, and in spelling and the winners in these preliminaries will then enter the finals to decide the winners. Sixteen students have entered the debating contest, this number being made up of fourteen boys and two girls. There are something like two hundred who have learned declamations, and every one who was ten years of age the first day of September will enter the spelling contest. The interest in the contests is increasing, partly due to the fact that cash prizes are to be given to the first second and third places in most of the different contests. The patriotic and generous business men and citizens of Clarendon have responded willingly with cash prizes for the winners in these events and the appreciation and gratitude of the pupils, teachers, and school authorities, is beyond expression. The time and places for these different contests will be given out through the school and the public is cordially invited to attend any or all of them. The list of prizes together with the names of the donors is given as follows:

Debate:  
1st prize, \$7.50, Donley County State Bank; 2nd prize, \$7.50, First National Bank; 3rd prize, \$5.00, Farmers' State Bank.  
Senior Boy's Declamation:  
1st prize, \$5.00, Taylor & Sons, Hardware; 2nd prize, \$3.00, Stockings Drug Store; 3rd prize, \$2.00, Hayter Brothers.  
Senior Girls' Declamation:  
1st prize, \$5.00, H. Mulkey, Pastime Theatre; 2nd prize, \$3.00, City Drug Store; 3rd prize, \$2.00, Bon Ton Confectionery.  
Junior Boys' Declamation:  
1st prize, \$5.00, Clarendon Mercantile Company; 2nd prize, \$3.00, Pastime Confectionery; 3rd prize, \$2.00, H. C. Kerbow and Sons, Hardware.  
Junior Girls' Declamation:  
1st prize, \$5.00

Drygoods; 2nd prize, \$3.00, Goldston Brothers' Jewelry; 3rd prize, \$2.00, School Board.

Spelling contest:  
1st prize, \$5.00, Chamber of Commerce; 2nd prize, \$3.00, Parent-Teachers' Association; 3rd prize, \$2.00, Mr. Matt Bennett.

Essay contest for high school:  
1st prize, \$3.00, Palace Confectionery; 2nd prize, \$2.00, Rev. W. H. Foster; 3rd prize, \$1.00, Finley's Variety Store.

There will also be prizes given for the winners of first, second and third places in the essay contest for the juniors, the amounts and the names of the donors of these last mentioned prizes will be published next week. All of these contests except the essay contests are contests between pupils

of Clarendon Public Schools only. In the essay contests there will be representatives from other schools of Donley County who want to enter and these essay contests will be held during the Donley County meet of the University Interscholastic League to be held in Clarendon the 9th and 10th of next month.

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