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STYLE SHOW STAGED BY PATHFINDER CLUB AT OPERA HOUSE LAST THURSDAY NIGHT SCORES A FEATURE HIT

THURSDAY NIGHT'S STYLE SHOW PROVES TO BE MOST FASHIONABLE EVENT EVER STAGED IN CLARENDON. WILL BE MADE A PERMANENT AFFAIR TO BE STAGED SEMI-ANNUALLY. HEAVY ATTENDANCE.

Last Thursday evening in the Clarendon Opera House was staged Clarendon's first Style Show. It was under the auspices of the Pathfinder Club for the purpose of raising funds for the entertaining of the First District Parent-Teachers' Association which convenes here in May.

This Style Show was an event indeed as it was in our own town, by our own merchants, using our own men, maids and matrons as models. In every sense it was our own. Too much praise can not be given to the ladies who presented this pleasing spectacle. Mrs. James Trent was general manager and Miss Myrta Houk director.

Long before the opening hour seats were taken and standing room was at a premium, the house was filled to its utmost capacity. Every one eager to know just what a style show in Clarendon would be. No one was disappointed. They came, they saw and were delighted. All that is new and beautiful for spring and summer wearing apparel was displayed for their approval. Merchants had spared no expense to bring the very latest styles for this occasion and it was a success in every particular and all belonged to Clarendon.

Stage furnishings were from our local houses. Rugs and tables were from H. C. Kerbow and Son; lamps and pedestals from S. W. Tyler and Sons; the Clarendon Plant and Floral Company furnished the floral decorations. Thus the setting for the show was artistic in the extreme.

The styles were classified and arranged in groups. Mr. T. F. Connally, acting as official announcer, introduced each model and announced firm presenting. Music for the models was furnished by the high school orchestra, and between each group were some choice special—ties consisting of: Chorus by High School Choral club; Quartette from Clarendon College; Vocal Solo, James Patman assisted by chorus of girls; May Dance by Physical Culture Class, and Solo Dance by Christine Chitwood.

The show was opened by a bevy of girls dressed in white with big red letters spelling out "Style Show 1921." Immediately following was a contrasting of styles between the years 1921 and 1776. Miss Winnie Weatherly as Miss 1921, in a striking creation of up-to-dateness shown by the Clarendon Mercantile dress, indeed, a sharp contrast to Miss Lucy Noble, who in a beautiful gown of Dresden silk of the long ago with her puffed bonnet and powdered curls presented the timid and shy Miss of 1776.

In the first group were styles for the juniors; Clarendon Mercantile presented Mary Joe Chamberlain in a blue organdie frock with dainty pink hat from Mrs. Davis, also Sam Davis in sturdy uniforms with straw hat. Martha Stiner was cunning in a little play suit of yellow and white cotton crepe from Stiner's Style Shop. T. M. Little presented Ruth Little in a pretty mink suit and straw hat.

Second group consisted of coats, coat suits, street dresses and hats. Third group styles were of afternoon dresses, hats, jewelry and shoes. Fourth group were styles for elderly ladies. Fifth group presented styles for men. Sixth group consisted of evening gowns hats head-dress, jewelry and slippers. Models of youthfulness and beauty as well as dignity and grace were presented by the following firms: The Clarendon Mercantile Company;

Miss Winnie Weatherly as Miss 1921. Dress of Beige and Brown combination. Canton Crepe, with Brown Colonial pumps, Brown Hat from Mrs. Davis. Miss Neva Bourland. Coat Suit of Navy. Velvet Trim with Brown Oxfords, gloves, parasol, Hat from Mrs. Davis. Miss Jewel Bennett, Dress of Black Taffeta with embroidered organdy trim black satin pumps, hat from Mrs. Marshall.

Coat Suits and Street Dresses: Miss Lelia Burrell, dress of black taffeta with hand-painted-appliqued trim, black kid gloves and shoes, hat from Mrs. Davis. Miss Hinda Nabors; Navy tricotine coat suit with Duveline vest of tomato red, gloves, shoes and vanity in brown. Hat from Mrs. Marshall.

Afternoon Dresses: Miss Zell Ryan; dress of black gold embroidered satin, black satin pumps. Hat from Mrs. Marshall. Miss Lelia Bennett; dress of coral and white, beaded canton

crepe, Chinese blue embroidered coat, hat in colors to match from Mrs. Davis.

Styles for Men: Master Sam Davis in Khaki unionalls and straw hat.

Evening Dresses: Miss Hinda Nabors; dress of embroidered net over taffeta, shoes of satin in matching color. Hat from Mrs. Marshall.

Junior Street models: Miss Martha Stiner, gold and white cotton crepe play suit. Miss Amy J. Kutch; brown eyelet embroidery taffeta over blue dress, gold and black meline with touch of blue hat from the Vogue, shoes from Rathjen.

Junior Dress—Miss Odell Blair; Cape of silver-floss, dress of dark blue taffeta, gage hat from Vogue, shoes from Rathjen. Mrs. Harry H. Stiner; suit of navy tricotine with touch of gray embroidery, gray hat from Vogue, shoes from Rathjen. Miss Amy J. Kutch; box coat suit of navy tricotine, Gage hat of blue and silver from Vogue, and shoes from Rathjen.

Afternoon Dresses—Miss Odell Blair; dark blue canton crepe iridescent bead trimming, hat of black meline with iridescent bands and flower trimmings from the Vogue, shoes from Rathjen, jewelry from Goldston Bros. Miss Amy J. Kutch; blue cape with touch of bold black satin and lace dress, black and gold hat from the Vogue, shoes from Rathjen, jewelry from Spiller. Mrs. Harry H. Stiner; black satin and lace dress trimmed with jet, satin pumps from Rathjen, hat of black meline trimmed with jet from the Vogue, pearls from Spiller.

Evening Gowns—Mrs. Harry H. Stiner—Evening gown of turquoise blue velvet trimmed with silver lace and maline, hose to match, slippers from Rathjen, pearls from Spiller. Little Mercantile Co. Street Dresses—Miss Ray Ballew; navy blue trico suit, shoes and hat. Mrs. Ed Martin, navy blue taffeta dress, wrap coat, shoes and hat.

Afternoon dresses—Miss Lula Watts, brown canton crepe dress, shoes and hat. Mrs. Ed Martin, grey satin dress and shoes, hat by Mrs. Davis. Elder ladies styles—Mrs. Ed Martin, black crepe dress, hat, shoes. Strickland & Story—Junior Models—Miss Elsie Maxwell, showing shoes, sport skirt, jade georgette blouse and American Beauty sport coat, Jade georgette hat, with fern leaf trimmings from Mrs. Marshall. Miss Ruth Patching, a navy taffeta dress with parasol to match and black satin one-strap pumps. Hat, a roll-back poke in flame from Mrs. Marshall.

Miss Lillian Quattlebaum; A navy tricotine suit, a "blouse" coat style, with the silken embroideries of black, with a grey and tomato georgette blouse and grey suede pumps. A grey beaded georgette hat from Mrs. Marshall. Miss Alta Long braided navy tricotine suit, with navy embroidered peach georgette blouse. A black bugle Cellophane hat by Mrs. Marshall.

For Afternoon Wear—Miss Quattlebaum; a dress of navy and sunset georgette combination, with grey accessories. Grey and sunset hat by Mrs. Marshall. Jewelry by Goldston Bros. Miss Vera McGowan; showing a dress of navy taffeta and burnt-orange georgette combination. The hat, a dark brown hair braid, trimmed with bronze beads and tangerine ostrich. Carried mesh purse in gold by Goldston Bros.

Evening Gown—Miss Aileen Evans, black satin with over-dress of net, beaded in jet and flitter scales. Head-dress, of scaled jet and paradise from Mrs. Marshall.

Men's Clothes—"Society Brand" in popular patterns and correct styles were shown for Strickland-Stories by Floyd H. Lumpkin, Victor Piyatt, Eva Porgan and Carl Parsons, with shoes and other accessories from Strickland-Stories.

Harned Sister presented a street hat worn by Miss Thelma Allen, afternoon hat worn by Miss Jessie Morrison, afternoon hat worn by Miss Ruby Lee Bennett, evening hat worn by Miss Hazel Barnes, evening hat worn by Miss Willie Davis.

Miss Sarah Porter presented three different models of hats for afternoon wear, worn by Miss Carmen Ulm.

While the orchestra played the final number, the great audience filed out exchanging with each other complimentary comment on the evening's entertainment and unanimously praising the ladies who had the event in charge.

Near the door Mrs. W. H. Patrick had a flower booth and sold flowers to the happy crowd as they passed out, and the proceeds going to swell the fund for the Near-East Relief.

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EDUCATIONAL LEADER DISCUSSES SCHOOL FINANCE ON TUESDAY OF INTEREST

PRESIDENT OF LOCAL COLLEGE DISCUSSES IMPORTANCE OF BIG DRIVE FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF EDUCATION AT METHODIST CHURCH.

President George S. Slover filled the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening. He also spoke, with others at the Pastime Theatre at three o'clock in the afternoon.

His theme at the eleven o'clock hour lingered around the five great objectives set forth by the Christian Educational movement. These objectives are as follows:

First: To develop in the mind of the Church an adequate conception of the place of christian education in the life of the church, of the nation, and of the world.

Second: To promote the cause of religious education by bringing about a closer and more effective co-operation between our institutions of learning and the Sunday school, and by establishing strong departments of religious education in our colleges and Universities.

Third: To lead at least five thousand young men and women to pledge themselves to devote their lives to the ministry, to missions or to some other form of christian education as effective preparation for effective life service.

Fourth: To raise for our schools, colleges and universities at least thirty three million dollars, the minimum sum necessary to enable them to send out the constantly increasing stream of educated christian leaders required to carry forward the christian work of the world and to secure one million dollars to aid worthy students who are looking to some form of christian service in their efforts to obtain an education.

Fifth: To deepen the moral and spiritual life of our people, and to promote the spirit of christian liberality and all the efforts put forth to realize these objectives.

The church is in no way opposed to the great advance taken by the state to promote and advance the cause of education. Owing to the fact that the State must eliminate the element of religion the church

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RATE REDUCTION IS ANNOUNCED BY ELECTRIC CO.

TEXAS GAS & ELECTRIC CO. ACCEDES TO CITY'S REQUEST FOR LOWER LIGHT AND POWER RATES, EFFECTIVE MAY 1ST.

A rate reduction is announced by the local plant on both power and light rates beginning with the first of the month. The rate as announced is substantially the same as that before the last raise about the time the company was placed in the hands of the receiver. While some of our citizens are not pleased with the rates as compared with those of Lubbock and other places, the reduction is some relief and further reductions may follow as the prices of commodities entering into the cost of production come to a lower level.

The minimum charge for residence light service is again placed at two dollars. The customer will be allowed to consume ten kilowatts at that rate. After ten kilowatts have been consumed the charge for any amount up to twenty-five will be twenty cents per kilowatt. From twenty-five to fifty kilowatts, the charge per kilowatt will be eighteen cents. All over a hundred kilowatts will be charged for at the rate of 13 cents per kilowatt.

The power rate takes a minimum of \$1.25 per horsepower connected but not less than \$2.00. The first hundred will be charged for at the rate of twelve cents per kilowatt with a sliding scale up to three hundred which takes a rate of eight cents after that amount has been consumed.

In a number of places suit had been brought against the company for the purpose of securing a reduction. That no such action was taken here evidently pleased the company which is giving our town the first consideration in the matter of a reduction in rates.

This reduction is due to the efforts of the members of the City Commission and Mayor Watson, who, while their efforts were untiring, have used diplomacy in getting the matter adjusted to the advantage of our citizens. This is one more instance where it pays to be courteous even when dealing with a large corporation.

BISHOP WILL FILL PULPIT AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The pulpit of the local Episcopal church will be filled by Rt. Rev. E. A. Temple Sunday next with a special Easter sermon at 11 a. m. The rite of confirmation will be administered at the morning service. A cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

adjustment of the rate, and said that the absence of any coercion was a heavy point in favor of the city's claims. The speaker took occasion to mention that additional equipment was now being added to the plant and that in the near future the company hoped to add another power unit.

Here Miss Ryan favored the club with a piano solo of especial charm. After the transaction of routine business a motion to adjourn was heard and declared.

DONLEY COUNTY FARMERS WILL PRACTICE DIVERSIFICATION—CONDITIONS JUST RIGHT

DIVERSIFICATION AND INTENSIVE CULTIVATION ON NEW PROGRAM. HOG CROP WILL BE BIG ITEM. FARMERS AND STOCKMEN HAVE SKILLED ASSISTANCE. ADVICE IS APPRECIATED AND WILL BE FOLLOWED CLOSELY.

At this time of the year it is usual for business men of both town and country to invest a little time profitably in looking backward and criticizing conditions and management of the past year. To a small extent it is wise to take stock of our errors that we may avoid a repetition of them; however, it is also wise to remember that the first time a thing is done in the wrong way it may be an error but the second time the same thing occurs it is pure carelessness. If we have corrected our errors and done the best possible under the conditions existing there will be little reason for looking backward, for we will be masters of the situation and will be prepared to look forward.

The outlook for the agricultural interests in Donley county for the year 1921 generally, is very promising especially where diversification is practiced and marketing conditions studied as they should be. Not only will the farmer practice a new method of crop production in variety this season, but he will also employ labor saving-no. labor-expanding-machinery to avoid being forced to employ help at a price he cannot afford to pay not knowing just what he is going to get for his product as he was caught last season.

Spring crop conditions right now are ideal. There is a deep season in the ground and small grain crops are looking better at this time than for several years according to farmers from the grain belt. Reports indicate that there will be a big reduction in the cotton acreage with a corresponding increase in grain and corn acreage. It may be easily seen from this plan that Donley county farmers are going to consume their crops mostly on the farm by feeding stock that may be butchered out or shipped when the price is right. While the farmers on the hard land this week are sowing rye, barley and oats, the farmers on the sandy land is listing his ground and getting ready to begin corn planting. Right at this juncture we might also make mention of the fact that most every farmer is preparing for a good home garden with a portion already planted. No more tin can diet for him when he can produce better stuff and cheaper stuff right at home.

The farmers in Donley county had no agricultural agent last season but that defect has been remedied this year. Roy W. Hendrix is now on the job and is a very busy man lending every assistance wherever needed. In addition to the work of Mr. Hendrix, the farmers will have the assistance of M. B. Oates, special agricultural agent of the Denver road. Both men strongly advise diversification and suggest giving more attention to sweet potatoes, melons, truck, hogs, chickens, turkeys, milk cows and other products especially adapted to this section. It is now a well known fact that some of our best farmers got more for a small bunch of hens the past season than he received for a bale of cotton. Turkeys were a scarce commodity and hundreds of dollars went out of Donley county the past season for poultry and eggs according to local business men who handle this line of trade. Local eating houses important poultry, eggs and butter amounting to over fifteen thousand dollars, during the time that our farmers were producing a cotton crop for which they later found no market. It was a mistake. The producer got caught in a trap but he won't be guilty of handing himself such a package again.

Canning and Poultry Clubs Mrs. Ida Chitwood, than whom there is no more skilled agent in the state, will continue her labors as county demonstration agent. Her sewing and poultry clubs are well organized at this time and the canning clubs will be in full swing with the ripening of the first fruit. The canning program will extend through to the last fruits and vegetables of the season. Mrs. Chitwood is always glad to render any service possible in her line of work and the service is free. That there is an awakening in the poultry line is evidenced by the number of pure bred fowls being imported at this time. General utility fowls are the favorite, size and egg laying qualities both being considered. Incubators in numbers are now to be found where they would have appeared as a curiosity to the owners a year ago. Local chicken fanciers

are disposing of their eggs at a fancy price as rapidly as produced. Mrs. Chitwood also devotes a portion of her time to instruction in butter making and it was through her efforts that Mr. Thomas of the extension department of the A. & M. college visited Hedley and gave a demonstration in handling dairy products recently.

Pig and Baby Beef Clubs In addition to his work as county farm agent in advising as to crop production, seed selection, etc., Mr. Hendrix also has charge of the Pig and Baby Beef clubs of Donley county. While very few youngsters take much interest in stock in general in this county and that line is left up to the elders largely, pig clubs are numerous and the membership runs well toward two hundred. Lelia Lake has 24 pig club members; Martin has a live club membership with more additions recently. Ashtola boasts of a live club with one hundred percent of eligibles in the public school. Hedley has a big bunch of youngsters with a nice bunch of pigs drawing inspiration from the noted Silver Crest farm and other hog farms of that section. Goldston, progressive in most everything worth while, also has a live pig club that will make history for that community this season.

Windy Valley goes Martin two better in her claims to a pig club and a baby beef club by announcing through the county agent a pig club, baby beef club and a sheep club. They go in to win in that fertile section and the other folks had better watch out for prizes at the fair this fall lest Windy Valley get the bulk of them. The feminine membership of pig clubs is now limited to four, but there will be more later. And why not? We have a number of progressive farm girls in this county who know a hog about as well as any one and take pride in producing the best animals that skill and experience can turn out. Three pig clubs were organized the past week. No report is available on corn club work this early in the season but Mr. Hendrix will have something to say about those possibly next week.

Fruit Production According to experienced fruit men, the crop escaped serious injury the past week and the bumper crop is coming right along in fine shape. A late freeze got the pitted fruit last season and much of the other due to a late freeze and poor selection of varieties when the orchard was put out. This county has had very few fair tests in the line of fruit production and pioneering in this industry is still in its infancy. Apples do well—that is some varieties. Peaches produce well but meet with disaster when late frosts occur. The seedlings bloom latest and seldom fail to make a crop. Pears grow abundantly with little blight—an enemy found in any pear section—little in evidence. Apricots hit only about two out of five years due to early blooming habits. Plums produce in a large variety with the possible exception of a few Japanese according to Mr. Bruce, who owns one of the best orchards in the Panhandle located about eight miles west of town and who furnished us with the data given in this article. Mr. Bruce has been a resident of Donley for nearly twenty years and is rightly termed the "Burbank of Donley." Cherries have never been known to fall when sour varieties are planted. The birds get the sweet ones. Grapes of several varieties do extremely well and many fine vineyards are to be found near here. Berries of all the varieties do well with the possible exception of raspberries and Mr. Bruce grows those with limited success in the black cap variety. One of the nicest strawberry patches in the county is that of Mr. SoRelle right here in town. Others have tried out this successful fruit to their entire satisfaction and more should be planted as this is our earliest fruit here. Some eleven varieties of fruits are known to do well here not counting the few juubes, persimmon, and a few others limited to a few trees. Black, dew, goose, straw and raspberries are produced all with good success when soil location is properly considered with the exception as noted above. Black walnut and pecan also grow well and produce nuts within four years. The wild fruits found in this section are limited to plums, grapes and currants. Some tame currents are

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That Spring Lassitude

Yes, nearly everybody gets to feeling lazy—like in the early spring.

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—by dropping in to our up-to-the-minute Fountain and “pepping up” on our wonderfully pure and appetizing soft drinks.

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Central time hasn't gone into effect in the Panhandle yet, and the News hopes that somebody will just forget to put it into effect. We'll come clean about it. We would hate like beeswax to have to get up at five o'clock, just to be up at six. In the afternoon it isn't so bad, but in the morning it would be "ferree."

Frank Jamison, secretary of the Panhandle Press Association, has officially authorized Editor Waggoner of the Miami Chief to shoot every absent Panhandle editor, when the association convenes in Amarillo, April 15th and 16th. The dark deed is to be done at sunrise, the victim to be shot half-way between the house and the garage with a barrel of tacks. Don't let it be you, boys.

Clarendon's Style Show staged last week by the Pathfinder's Club will go down in community history as one of the most successful events ever staged in our city. It met with so much general approval that already arrangements are being made for its repetition in the fall—thus we may expect it as a permanent semi-annual affair. Those present who have attended similar events in Kansas City, Dallas and Fort Worth, are frank to declare that except for the number of models, the local affair was in every way comparable. It is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance—

come from the institutions of higher learning. Give us Christian education in the higher universities, which will insure Christian teachers in the small colleges—then the nation is indeed safe. Without it we face a dark and dismal future which will cause dismay among the thoughtful of our land. The nation faces a crisis. We are at the cross-roads. If we fall back upon the simple faith of our fathers, Christianizing the home and our schools we may face the future undaunted and unafraid. The other alternative is too harrowing to contemplate.

The announcement of District Manager Frank Houston of the Texas Gas & Electric Company, that Clarendon had been granted a lower light and power rate on agreement between his company and the city commission of Clarendon will be received with great good will by our citizenship. Manager Houston says the fair attitude of the mayor and commissioners had much to do with granting of the lower rate and mentions instances where city governments had resorted to suits and mandamus in order to get lower rates without result. The News believes that this city has been especially fortunate in having a man like Frank Houston as district manager of its light plant, and is glad to repeat statements that the local manager, Mr. Cope, as well as his predecessors, have done everything they could do for the good of the service here. True, they have had most unusual conditions and difficulties to combat, but they have stuck steadily to the job and now in spite of the federal receivership for the company, our city has received the relief so badly needed. There is nothing, except cheap and plentiful water, more conducive to substantial city building than adequate light and power facilities at a reasonable rate. This new rate together with announcement of better equipment for the local plant is hailed with delight by every citizen who sees a brighter day ahead for Clarendon. Everything comes to those who wait—but it was fortunate for Clarendon that we had men of diplomatic ability on our city commission, and men of sympathy and understanding representing the light company. Well met, they were.

Little life By W. H. F.

"Self-denial is the Road To Self-Mastery; Self-indulgence is the Road To Slavery."

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AIN'T IT TH' TRUTH

Of all the cranks, the crankiest is the chronic pessimist. He is always whining like a half-starved dog with a tin can tied to its tail. When the sky is beautifully clear he is positively certain that everything will dry up, and there will be a scarcity. When the gentle rain begins to fall he laments and is afraid the crops will be spoiled. He is always expecting some great calamity, misfortune of some kind, or of being laid up with rheumatism. No matter how rosy the apples look or how juicy the pears, he is afraid that they are wormy at the core and can't be kept until Christmas. The country is going to the bow-wows, and everybody is a dirty and dishonest rascal. His own peaceful and progressive town is all right but he is convinced that it will never improve so very much. The high church spire is a notable landmark, but it might fall down some day and do great damage. He himself enjoys excellent health at present, but he is sure that he won't live long—and he shouldn't. The world would be much happier without such cranky pessimists.—Hale County Record.

YOUNG MAN TAKE NOTICE!

The following "news item" is reprinted from a paper published in a near-by city, through the hope that it may be of some worth to boys and young men in Clarendon and other communities:
"A brother of one of the three boys who were arrested and placed in jail here a few days ago charged with stealing an automobile — came here from a neighboring city yesterday in order to help his brother who is said to be only 15 years old, out of his trouble. It is the old time story—'Old Tray in bad company,' and failing to heed kind admonition. The brother of the boy in jail is a Sunday School teacher in one of the big Texas cities. He says he and two brothers, the one in jail here being one of the three, have for some time supported a mother and two sisters, their father having died five years ago. The boy in jail here fell into the habit of hanging around places, where idlers and sidewalk lizards congregated and it was thus that he was led away into an escapade that landed him in jail. The young man says he wants to help his brother straighten up, but will not under any circumstances uphold him in pursuing a course that would violate any of the laws of the state."—Amarillo News.

HALE COUNTY FARMERS IRRIGATE SUCCESSFULLY

At present there are 8,728 acres under irrigation in Hale county with a full water supply. At the same time, 10,162 acres will be added by the time our next planting season gets around. The irrigation of crops on the plains has proven to be a success despite all that knockers can say and do. Wheat alone made ten bushels more to the acre when irrigated. Alfalfa and wheat are the principal crops other than truck and orcharding. Both of these pay well but are not looked upon with so much favor by the farmer owing to the scarcity of skilled labor in handling the crops at the right time. A large acreage of sweet clover will be planted this season as well as the regular crops.

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Land devastated (about one-half cultivated) acres, 9,386,000.
Mines in Northern France, years required to repair 10.
Reduced production of these mines annually tons, 21,000,000.
Fifty-six billions five hundred millions of dollars makes up a huge sum of money scattered the it is over forty-two years. But 319,269 homes destroyed, 213,675 partly destroyed, 29,000 factories burned or wrecked over 4,000 townships from half to completely wiped out and the other damage Lloyd-George listed also represented a tremendous investment replacement of only part of which would be possible when the forty-two annual payments have been made.

FAKE ADVERTISEMENTS ARE REFUSED

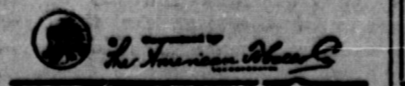
The attitude of The Plainsman management in regard to patent medicine advertising is becoming so well known among advertising agencies that it is seldom any more, but recently an agency sent us an order for some advertising for a spectacle company which proposed to fit spectacles by mail—and we turned it down.
We do not believe that it is possible to fit spectacles by mail and in so far as it is in our power, we propose to protect our readers from the seductive offerings in that line which could scarcely fail to be a disappointment. Eyesight is altogether too precious to be risk

DON'T CALL HIM OLD MAN

He may wear a last year's hat; his finger nails may need manicuring; his vest may hang a little loose and his pants may bag at the knees; his face may show the signs of a second day's growth; and the tin dinner bucket he carries may be full of dents; but don't call him "the old man." He's your father. For years and years he has been rustling around to get things together. Never once has he failed to do the right thing by you. He thinks you the greatest boy on earth, even though you plaster your hair back, wear smart clothes and fail to bring home a cent. He is the man who won the life partnership of the greatest woman on earth—your mother. Happy will you be indeed if memory recalls no word, bringing untold sorrow to your heart after his hands are folded in his last long sleep.—San Francisco Daily News.



LUCKY STRIKE cigarette. Flavor is sealed in by toasting



Prices Are Going Up

—This summer when the building season opens. Do your buying and building now when material and labor are both cheaper.

We have experts who will gladly figure your bill and help you in planning a design at any price you want to build.

Member of Clarendon Chamber of Commerce

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

PARTIAL LIST OF DAMAGE DONE BY GERMAN INVASION

In support of the allied demand for reparations, Premier Lloyd-George listed the known damage done by the Germans in their ruthless invasion of Northern France. It gives a new vision of that for which Germany is now being called on to pay and affords an insight into the tremendous sums that the allies are demanding, the bulk of it for the rehabilitation of France. The figures the British Premier gave are founded on actual surveys. Here they are:
Houses destroyed, 213,269.
Houses partly destroyed, 213,675.
Factories destroyed (metallurgical, electrical, mechanical), 21,000.
Textile factories destroyed, 4,000.
Alimentary factories destroyed or stripped, 4,000.
Townships destroyed, 1,656.
Townships, three-quarters destroyed, 777.
Townships half destroyed, 1,656.
Railways destroyed, kilometers, 8,000.
Bridges destroyed, 5,000.
Highways destroyed, kilometers, 52,000.

ed in other than professional hands and that in person. Any manufacturer can supply magnifying glasses which will help the vision, temporarily, but ultimately are likely to prove most unfortunate and expensive investments.

The human eye is very complicated and is a delicate organ and very, very often, defective. Not only do different people have totally different defects of vision but many have to have dissimilar lenses in order to correct the vision properly. How this can be done by mail it is impossible to understand and we do not believe that it can. It would be safer for people to fill their stomachs full of a variety of "careful" nostrums than to risk their eyesight to a "mail-order" concern.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that March 31st, 1921 will be the final date in which to pay 1920 School

Taxes for the Clarendon Independent School District. Those that have not paid their school taxes will please do so at once and avoid penalty.
W. W. Taylor, Secretary Clarendon Independent School District.

BULL FOR SALE

Tippecanoe 3rd, highest priced bull sold at Buyers and Sellers convention at Amarillo, 1917. Now 5 years old and suitable to head any herd of Herefords. Must be sold to avoid inbreeding. Phone 498 or see Len Ballew, Clarendon, Texas. (tfc)

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Court House on the 5th day of April 1921 for the purpose of electing four Trustees for the Clarendon Independent School District to serve a term of two years. W. T. Clifford is appointed to preside over said election.
(13c) W. W. TAYLOR, Secretary.



Easter is a most appropriate time for making gifts.

For the children Easter candies, eggs, rabbits, etc.

For those who are older, choice confections, perfumes, etc.

For those who live at a distance, dainty, appropriate Easter cards.

All your Easter requirements can be met at this store.



Down go Grocery Prices

Just like everything else, grocery prices have dropped every month in most every line. We give you every advantage in decline and the—

QUALITY IS THE SAME

—with a lower price—that's all.

Let us supply your wants for that Easter dinner.

Shelton, Watts & Sanford

Phone 186

Member Clarendon Chamber of Commerce

INTANGIBLE ASSETS

There is an item of assets which is never included in published statements of this or any other bank.

We refer to the friendship and good will of not only its own customers but of the community in which it is located.

No security in the portfolio of this bank is more jealously guarded nor more highly valued than is the friendly regard of this community—which has—in largest measure—been responsible for the success of this bank.

Officers and Directors:
Thos. S. Bugbee, Chm. of the Board.
Wesley Knorpp, Pres.
F. E. Chamberlain, Active Vice Pres.
J. L. McMurtry, Vice Pres.
F. H. Bourland, Cashier
Holman Kennedy, Asst. Cashier
Annie L. Bourland, Secy.
John C. Knorpp
W. J. Lewis
W. A. SoRelle
C. T. McMurtry.

THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK
Clarendon, Texas

Established 1906

Capital \$75,000.

Member of Clarendon Chamber of Commerce

The Foresighted Man

The growth of your business naturally requires that you look ahead at the needs of tomorrow. Your future banking requirements will be greater in the proportion that your business expands. Let us plan together.

First National Bank

Member Clarendon Chamber of Commerce

Cut Your Light Bill

—and get more light at the same time by using our light globes. Our advice is at your service. Stock in the office of the Texas Gas & Electric Company.

Cope & Chunn

—At The Light Plant

—Phone 24

Member Clarendon Chamber of Commerce

ATTENDED CALRENDON AUCTION SALE OF HOGS

Saturday W. D. Wright went up to Clarendon to attend the first hog sale ever held in that estimable city. On his return he stated that there was but a single animal that sold for anything like what a registered hog ought to bring. This was a fairly good gilt that brought \$107.50. None of the others brought anywhere near \$100.

Mr. Wright states that it was an easily observable fact that Donley county breeders are yet very far behind, both in the quality of stock offered and their ideas about what prices they are worth. As in most other parts of Texas, the people think that a hundred dollar hog is a mighty high priced one. However, it takes time to elevate ideals in the hog business just as it does in any other line of endeavor. People must learn to crawl before they do much walking and they must walk a lot before they are willing to run fast.—Childress Post.

FOR SALE—Several spans of good work mules. E. M. Oiler. (stfc.)

TEXAS MARKETING LAW NOTABLE ONE

Dallas, Texas, arch 1—The Co-operative Marketing Bill, known as House Bill No. 227, written by Aaron Sapire, California marketing expert, and signed by Governor Neff, today, is the most comprehensive marketing law ever passed in the Southern States according to Walton Petet, Director of Marketing Organizations in the Texas Farm Bureau, who was in Austin last week in the interest of the Bill. This Bill makes possible the co-operative marketing of farm products under the California plan and was written by Mr. Sapire for the Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

"This law represents the last word in rural co-operative laws in the United States and leading members of the Legislature told me that they regard it as the most important law passed by the present Legislature," Mr. Petet said.

Cockerels for Sale—S. C. Rhode Islands Reds. Only three or four left. Prices \$2.00 to \$3.50. F. A. Story. (stfc.)

INDEBTED TO GOODNIGHT

Ever since that early day when Colonel Goodnight and his good wife came to the Panhandle Country, the debt that this section owes them, has been steadily increasing. Colonel Goodnight was a prominent figure in the events of that stirring and soulstirring time and gave liberally of his time, means and influence for the good of the country.

It has been most gratifying to his friends to see this debt acknowledged and some appreciation of the great service he has rendered the Panhandle shown him while he is still with us. Even the State of Texas has finally come through tardily, to accord him some of the honors he has so richly deserved. Were it not that he belongs to the Panhandle, his name would be recorded in the history of the state along with those of Sam Houston and other illustrious pioneers. In that day, perhaps not so far distant, when the Panhandle shall be given its just due in the histories by reason of being a state by itself, Colonel Goodnight and our other Panhandle pioneers will receive the credit and honor which is justly theirs.

And now comes the Government at Washington, acknowledging that it is indebted to Colonel Goodnight for an idea by which the herds of buffalo belonging to Uncle Sam will contribute to their own support.

Most of "our" folks have seen the splendid articles made from wool which the buffalo shed in the spring. Colonel Goodnight has gathered it from the trees and bushes and had it woven into blankets and spun into yarn at considerable expense. It makes cloth that is at once very warm and very light in weight, a blanket six by seven feet weighing but a little more than four pounds. The Colonel, himself, has a sweater made from the yarn and during the war he sent General Pershing socks knit from it which were gratefully acknowledged by the World War veteran.

The spinning and weaving of the Buffalo wool is but one of the lesser services which Colonel Goodnight and his wife have rendered the Panhandle, the state, the nation and humanity. It was they who preserved for posterity the remnant of the great Southwestern herd of buffalo; it was through Colonel Goodnight's indefatigable and painstaking efforts that the cattle was developed and more recently, and as yet unnamed animals resulting from crossing the karakule sheep and the hog.

The Panhandle is proud of this redoubtable pioneer and hopes that he may yet be persuaded to lay aside his personal aversion to publicity and give to the youth of this section the story of his life. It would be an interesting and thrilling tale and put many of the modern "best sellers" in the shade.—Printed in Hartley County News.



GENUINE
"BULL"
DURHAM
tobacco makes 50
good cigarettes for
10c

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH "This May be Your Church"

"It ain't the guns nor armament, Nor 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 team-work Of every bloomin' soul."

Your friend Kipling said that. And it just as well be said here again for your church work.

A balky mule never yet sprouted wings. The services of this church are simple and invite your consideration if you like simplicity. Attendance on the hours of the worship of the Living God are good for any man; indeed they are obligatory upon any man that wants to have the best life—real life.

Sunday school 9.45 a. m. The lesson is taken from the Gospel of Matthew 28th chapter. Bring your Bible and come to Sunday School if you love God.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor.

Evening worship at 7 o'clock. The meeting in this church will begin Wednesday night with the coming of Mr. Hall, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Milford, Texas. You will be best in hearing Mr. Hall; but you will be more best if you hear him Prayingly. You are invited.

EDUCATIONAL RALLY AT PASTIME THEATRE

Sunday afternoon a mass meeting was held at the Pastime Theatre looking forward to the great Educational campaign being launched by the Methodist Church. President Slover of Clarendon College presided and made the opening statements. Before the opening of the meeting the C. C. students who seemed to be out in a body, as tho it was the biggest football game of the season, gave some rousing yells under the direction of their leader, D. M. Beights. This did much to show to the citizens of Clarendon how loyal the students are to the school.

President Slover called attention to a number of things: The junior colleges of the north are largely municipal or state owned and exist for the main purpose of Americanization or vocational training. The junior colleges of the southern states are mostly owned by the church and little of the foreign element is felt.

The graduates of Clarendon are uniformly making good out in life-filling positions of honor and responsibility. Her graduates are serving in Chinese and African mission fields—pastors, judges, bankers, etc. They stand as a body loyal and true. Clarendon is as true to C. C. as a town ever could be to a school. The books have stood back of the school in every trial. \$500,000 is needed by Clarendon College during the next five years. Donley county should and could give \$100,000 of this. With this amount a school of Business Administration, Pre-medical and Engineering could both be established, besides making the Five Arts department mean more.

Rev. C. N. Ferguson gave some interesting figures bearing on the educational problem and emphasized the need of a better equipped school.

Mr. F. E. Chamberlain, cashier of the Donley County Bank declared that 50 percent of the deposits of the Clarendon Banks could be traced to the existence of Clarendon College in Clarendon. A gift to the school was not a gift at all, but an investment, to any one who owns property in Clarendon. He also said that so long as such a business-like president as Dr. Slover was at the head of the school the banks would be solid for C. C. Because the "backbone" of Clarendon is Clarendon College.

Mr. T. F. Connally and Mr. W. T. Hayter both spoke in a very appreciative way of the school and voiced the sentiment of the people of the Panhandle to build here a school which would stand as a living memorial to this age and a moulding influence for good for succeeding generations.

WHAT A GOOD HOTEL MEANS TO A CITY

The hotel is the foremost public utility of any town. It is the organized host of the town's visitors.

A town without a good hotel is like a private house without a spare room for company.

As we travel over the country all of us remember those cities with good hotels, just as we remember those friends whose hospitality affords us comfort and pleasure.

There is a more certain profit for any town in encouraging a bad hotel to become good, and a good hotel to become better, than in any other line of effort.

At some time or other every town that wants to grow organizes a booster's committee which goes through the motions of trying to interest outside capital to the point of making the town the site of the new industrial enterprises.

Free land, exemption from taxes, and even capital, are offered these outsiders.

The trouble with this method of boosting is that it starts at the wrong place.

The first essential improvement is self improvement and the proper place to begin improving is right at home—with the hotel.

Of course, many hotels are better than their towns, but in that case the town ought to pinch itself and encourage the hotel, and take advantage of the facilities it offers for helping the town to grow.

In other instances, where the hotel needs improving, the trouble is usually lack of capital.

No town can afford not to advance capital to enable its hotel or hotels to clean up, brush up, and spruce up.

The cost of modernizing a hotel is not a matter of consideration. The question is: What will be the cost if we don't?

With an up-to-date hotel, a town can think of inviting outside capital. Until then its efforts are wasted. One night and meal in a backsliding hotel will drive away more prospective capital than the booster's committee can dig up in a month.

Then, too, every town should remember that it isn't so much what citizens say as what outsiders say, that makes the best advertisement.

A traveling man in a Pullman smoker does a lot of talking, and if he is grouchy because of a bad night in a bad hotel he will leave nothing unsaid. The same man, pleased with a town because of a good hotel is a walking advertisement of it.

But it is not alone in its influence on outsiders that a good hotel is important to a town. Of even greater concern is a

Thrift---The Antidote for Worry

The practice of thrift and saving would prevent nine-tenths of all our financial troubles.

This bank offers its help to thrifty people. Any financial advice that we can give; any service that we can render is yours for the asking.

We are here to serve to the limit of sound banking principles—for, we know that our success depends upon your success. It is our desire to make money with our customers—not out of our customers.

The Farmers State Bank

Guaranty Fund Bank. Clarendon, Texas

good hotel's influence on those in the town.

The hotel is the common meeting ground—the one place where all sects, creeds and groups can get together.

A good hotel is the first aid to democracy—it is one of democracy's strongholds.

The social, political and business life of any progressive community center around its hotel. In the ballroom are held the social functions; around the banquet table men meet and get to know each other better, smoothing out their differences; in the meeting rooms gather and crystallize their ideas groups of all shades of opinion into action—all for the town's improvement and advancement.

As people come better to understand the true function of the hotel in the community life, there will be more and better hotels, and the pleasures and comforts of life will be multiplied many times.

ROSS D. ROGERS, Chairman Industrial Committee, Amarillo Board of City Development.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott and Mrs. J. R. Griggs of Vernon spent the week end at the C. E. Griggs home in this city.

DONLEY COUNTY SOWS ARE MORTGAGE LIFTERS

The old saying that a sow will lift a mortgage quicker than any other one thing is pretty true. If she does not lift a mortgage she will enable her owner to buy more property which amounts to practically the same thing. W. L. Butler, owner of the famous Silver Crest farm herd reports some production in the hog line this week that is above the average and is mute testimony to the fact that every farmer should own a few good hogs. Eight sows farrowed sixty-eight pigs. Of that number the famous sow, "Princess Wonder" farrowed eight lively youngsters that averaged a bit over five pounds each five hours after birth.

"Orange Beauty" went her famous contender for honors one better by giving birth to eight that tipped the scales at five and fourth pounds five hours after birth. These pigs were sired by "Franklin's Big Bob" which means that these hogs will some day sell for several hundred dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. Wooten of Shamrock visited at the home of their cousin, J. C. Estlack, for the week end.

Groceries That Satisfy

We have rearranged our stock and fixtures and now have the cleanest, most sanitary grocery stock in the city, and our prices are as cheap as Business will justify. Come in and look over our stock and get prices.

Hay and Chicken Feed.

Bennett Grocery

Telephone No. 4

Our Work Pleases

—because all of it is done by workmen who know and who take a pride in—
DYEING, CLEANING AND PRESSING
—in a manner that will bring repeat orders

Lovell's Tailor Shop

PLANTS—millions large, hardy plants. Leading varieties cabbage, bermuda onions, Acme, Redfield, Stone, Swarf, Champion and McGee tomato plants.

100 for .50 500 for 1.50.
300 for 1.00 1000 for \$2.75

Sweet and hot peppers, Porti Rico, Nancy Hall and Bunch Dooly potato slips.

100 for \$.75 500 for 3.00
300 for 2.00 1000 for 5.00

All above prices prepaid. Satisfaction guaranteed. It pays to get the best.

E. C. SMITH PLANT FARM.
MILANO, TEXAS

SATURDAY SPECIALS

For Saturday only we offer the goods listed below for the following prices:

Early June Peas, 2 for-----25c
Chum Salmon, 2 for-----25c
Sockeye Salmon, 3 for-----\$1.00
Dee Co. Corn-----15c

No use quoting long list. We have it for you at the right price, come and see.

Central Grocery

Phone 18

S. W. Lowe, Prop.

Member Clarendon Chamber of Commerce

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Clarendon, Texas, March 16, 1921. Letters remaining unclaimed in this office for the week ending March 12th, 1921 as follows:

Adams, H. H.
Baker, Mrs. A. R.
Brooks, Claude
Cash, Ellis
Chenualy, Miss Sibyl
Dewey, F. E.
Flowers, Mrs. Minnie
Harrison, Essick
Harlan, Miss Marjorie
Jones, O. L.
Lewis, E. L.
Marquez, Sr. Luis
McCarley, Rev. J. B.
Miller, L. T.
Morrison, Ray L.
Moorse, Rev. C. E.
Nichols, W. P.
Page, Miss Kathryn
Park, Mrs. M. S.
Pierce Bros. and Cooyer.
Ross, C. L.
Ross, Mrs. J. T.
Russell, G. H.
Seymour, W. L.
Shepherd, Albert M.
Silba, Madalena
Smith, Mrs. Frank E.
Smith, T.
Stort, Miss Maud
Wallace, Jesse L.
Williams, Mrs. Eddie
Woods, Bunyon.
C. C. FOWELL P. M.

CHOICE TRADES FOR CLARENDON HOMES

120 acres of land, close to good neighboring town, 90 acres in cultivation, level, good sandy loam soil, on public highway, some improvements. Price \$35.00 per acre. Want small home in Clarendon.

320 acres unimproved plains land \$30.00 per acre. \$4,500 encumbrance. Want Clarendon Home. Practically new five room bungalow in Lelie Lake to trade for home in Clarendon.

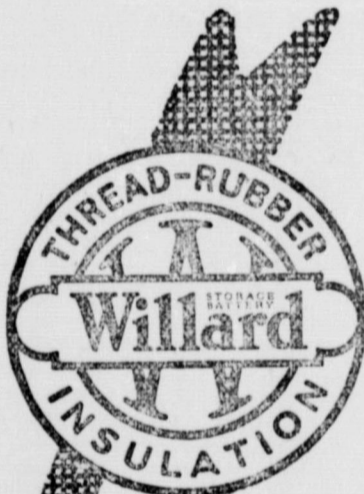
30 acres of land with good two story home, splendid barn and out buildings, orchard, good well and mill, located in neighboring town. Price only \$5,000.00. Want good home near college or rooming house in Clarendon.

CLEVELAND HAYTER. (11c)

POSTED NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned against hunting, wood hauling and trapping in the C. T. Word & Son pasture in Hall and Donley counties. All violations will be prosecuted promptly.

(3-10) C. T. Word & Son.
Thirty or forty Rhode Island pullets at a sacrifice. Phone 113. (9cfc)



Service

Yours is a Willard Threaded Rubber Battery?

Fine! Then you're free from separator expense and trouble, because Threaded Rubber Insulation outlasts the plates.

But you need Willard Service just the same.

Our service is here for you to use, and when you do make full use of it you'll find your battery not only lasts longer but serves better.

Drop in. Ask about Willard Threaded Rubber Insulation, and why it means so much to car users.

CLARENDON BATTERY & ELECTRIC CO.
Phone No. 63.

Willard Batteries



Easter Styles In Men's Wear

Our store is filled with the new things for EASTER—the latest patterns in shirts, neckwear, furnishings, suits, shoes, etc. We want you to come in and look around while our stocks are in perfect shape.

Prices are Lower Than They Have Been for Four Years

Hayter Bros.

The Home of Good Clothes
CLARENDON, TEXAS

AN APPRECIATION

S. L. Matlock, who lost all of his belongings when the rent house on the O. C. Hill farm burned last week is deeply grateful to the citizens of this section who so kindly remembered him with gifts that he might get started again.

LELIA LAKE NEWS

Most everyone is starting another crop by either cutting stalks or turning mother earth.

The good shower that fell Tuesday night was quite a benefit to gardens.

Bro. Rich has returned from the Dallas sanitarium. Glad to see him back as the church surely missed him.

Eld. Milholland preached Saturday, Sunday and Sunday night at the Church of Christ.

Bro. Kennedy preached Sunday and Sunday night. Several were baptised at night, whose names we failed to learn.

The post office has been moved to the Cook & Lewis building. Mr. Shutz is now our post master.

Miss Vera Taylor visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

June Taylor was in Clarendon Friday.

L. A. Byrd had business in Childress Friday.

Mr. Eledge who spent the winter here left for Denton county, his old home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaton of Adra visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. Tom Kennedy of Clarendon spent Friday night in the E. L. Kennedy home.

Mr. Kemp of Clarendon was in Lelia demonstrating the Delco Light System.

The Jazz Band, the fourth series of the Lycum course will be here April 4th.

A. V. Clark and family, also Grandmother spent Sunday in the Bob Conner home.

W. L. Butler had business in Clarendon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brinson of Hedley spent Tuesday with the ladies' sister, Mrs. Knowles.

Mrs. Von Cook and children of Mexico are visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Conner.

One of the best times in the history of the forty-two club was enjoyed in the E. L. Kennedy home Friday night, after several interesting games of forty-two dainty refreshments consisting of sandwiches, fruit salad, olives, coffee and cake was served by the hostess. At a late hour the club departed saying another evening of pleasure had been spent in this good home.

T. J. Conner and wife motored to Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Braswell of Okina spent Saturday night at the H. D. Burries home on their way to Amarillo, where they will make their future home.

BIDS WANTED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners' court of Donley County, Texas at its regular term to be held in Clarendon, on the second Monday in April, A. D. 1921, same being the 11th day of April, A. D. 1921, will receive bids from any banking corporation in said county desiring to be selected as county depository for the ensuing two years.

All such bids must be accompanied by a statement of the interest such banking corporation offers to pay an average daily balances for such funds, and by a certified check for at least one half of one per cent of the county revenue for the preceding year.

The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids made.

It is ordered that this notice be posted at the court house door of Donley county for at least 20 days before said second Monday in April, 1921, and that the same be published in three successive issues of the Clarendon News and the Hedley Informer prior to said second Monday in April, 1921.

All such bids should be delivered to the County Judge in open court on or before 10 o'clock A. M. April 11th, 1921.

Witness my hand officially this March 14th, 1921.
W. T. LINK, County Judge, Donley County, Texas. (13c)

Joe F. Craig of Dalhart invested in a building site here the past week, and will begin erecting a nice home on the C. L. Benson lots in the early spring.

TRADE—Town property in Claude for small acreage near Clarendon. J. H. Weaver, Claude, Texas. (12p)

LOST—A black suit case on Lelia Lake road containing little girl's clothing and shoes. Finder please return to News office or Adam's store at Lelia Lake. Joe Lafon. Phone 232-5R. (12p)

FOR SALE—Good registered Mammoth jack of five years and about 15 hands high. Might trade him. I. N. Bowers, Phone 223-2R, Clarendon. (12p)

FOR SALE

My farm consisting of 42 acres Good 6 room house, sheds, fine well of water and other improvements. 3-4 mile from Clarendon College. One mile due west of Clarendon High school, Clarendon, Texas. No better location for a dairy. A bargain if sold at once. Write or see me 201A North Buchanan St., Amarillo, Texas. (13p) F. W. SAUNDERS.

LEGISLATURE APPROVES ENABLING ACT AFFECTING SCHOOLS

The state legislature passed upon and enabling act the past week putting into effect the educational amendment to the constitution under which common school districts may vote a tax for maintenance purposes of not to exceed one dollar, and for bond purposes, not to exceed fifty cents. In case both are voted, the total tax shall not exceed the sum of one dollar, that amount being the maximum. This act is in effect at the present time. If a district is to take advantage of this new law, action must be taken before the new rolls are made out.

At the same time, the law relating to the amount of interest school bonds may draw was changed from five to six percent. This will better facilitate the sale of school bonds which have often been a slow sale due to the low interest rate. An increase of one percent only is a big inducement to the man or firm having money to invest in large quantities.

BOOSTERS CLASS COMMITTEES REPORTS INDICATE ACTIVITY

Judging from the reports of the various committees of the Boosters Bible class of the Christian church made at their meeting held at the Lloyd Blackwell home Tuesday night, indicates that the work of the class is "peppy" and doing good. The flower and sick committees are especially active at this time and no favoritism is shown any one. In some instances, where more good may be done, fruits are substituted for flowers.

The attendance at this meeting was good with the usual number of visitors. The subject of "Prayer" received respectful attention from all the members of the class present. Lloyd Blackwell, assisted by Homer Mulkey, led in the meeting and each member had something to say, a prayer to offer or an experience to relate. It is the intention of the class to give each member something to do at each of the meetings and this plan was definitely followed out Tuesday night.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Lloyd Blackwell and other ladies who came in to assist her, all of whom are deeply interested in the success of the class. The Amarillo News of its issue of Tuesday had the following to say concerning the class:

"The Loyal Boosters" is the gracious and "peppy" name of an organization in Clarendon. Every community could doubtless use an organization whose actions would warrant the application of such a title. This country has a place for every live, active, optimistic, hopeful, earnest, honest man and woman. The dead, inactive, pessimistic, hopeless, indifferent, dishonest, parasitical, hanger on who seeks to take everything out and put nothing into the community, is a hindrance to the community, and should be so informed, and permitted to move on to some "hookworm" area, where such fit in."

LOCAL BALL PLAYERS BEGIN WITH WINNINGS

The Clarendon college baseball team defeated the high school team of Childress on the local diamond Saturday, the score being 4 to 5. A close margin fellows. The return game will be played on the Childress diamond next Saturday. The College team is scheduled to play Shamrock Friday of this week.

Some fast work is being done, muscles hardened and legs limbered up on College hill the past two weeks and we may expect to hear some good reports from the local squad this season. If they come up to the standard set by the football boys, we will have a team of which any town could boast. Local business men have been very liberal in encouraging the boys by contributing to a fund for the purchase of suits and other equipment, all of which is appreciated by the boys who are going to beat the Panhandle or make some crack team break all baseball records.

MISS CARHART ENTERTAINS

Miss Gladys Carhart delightfully entertained with an informal dance Saturday night. Those who enjoyed the affair were: Misses Lelia Rorex, Ina Benson, Thelma Allen, Jessie Morrison, Hazel Barnes and Edyth Antrobus and Messrs Chas. Bell, Winks Adams, Jack SoRelle, James Noble, Eska Forry Minor Sims and Thomas A. Ballew of Amarillo.

E. R. Dawson of Dallas is doing relief duty at the Western Union telegraph office this week in the absence of Mr. Welch who, with his family is visiting relatives at Lubbock and taking a much needed vacation. Mr. Welch is popular with the Clarendon public and his friends wish him all the usual joys of a vacation trip.

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The public is hereby warned that hunting and wood hauling is forbidden in the R. O. pture. All trespassers will be vigorously prosecuted.

W. J. Lewis. (14)

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Clarendon Country Club.



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SPECIAL PROGRAM RENDERED FRIDAY NIGHT AT HEDLEY

A special program consisting of music, readings, vocal music and other features of a special nature was rendered at Hedley Friday night under the direction of Miss Myrta Houk. Local talent from here furnished all the numbers of the program. The music was furnished by the High school orchestra assisted by Mr. Anis. Several cars were necessary to accommodate the large number going from here. The people of Hedley appreciated the efforts of our local people by turning out in numbers. The program was given under the direction of the Parent-Teachers association.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible school 9:45 a. m., J. R. Tucker, superintendent. Preaching 10:50 a. m., subject: "The Man of Galilee." Preaching 6:45 p. m., subject "The Coming of the Messiah." Everybody welcome at all services. No meeting longer. There will be an Easter program rendered at the Bible school hour Sunday morning and the pastor will speak on the subject of the "Man of Galilee." Strangers are from here. The people of Hedley made to feel at home. This is expected to be a banner day with the church. The public is cordially invited.
Sam J. White, Pastor.

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Dr. Hardcastle of Bray was here on business Monday.

W. A. Thompson of Memphis had business here Tuesday.

C. L. Kinsey of Hedley was in town Monday on personal business.

Frank White, claim agent of the Denver road, spent the week end with homefolks.

W. P. Cagle, Jr. of near Hedley spent the most of the week visiting with home folks.

Mrs. Ida Chitwood and daughter, Miss Christeen, were shopping in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blankenship of Hedley were shopping with local merchants Friday.

Miss Mayme Harrington and father "Dad" Harrington, spent Saturday in Amarillo.

Go—praying—to the meeting at the Presbyterian church beginning Wednesday, March 30th.

Miss Reda Clay, student of Clarendon College, spent the week with home folks at Wellington.

Harry Weatherly returned home the first of the week after spending several days in Ft. Worth.

J. C. Finley spent the front end of the week in Wheeler county looking after business interests.

We shall hear the Gospel in simplicity at the meeting at the Presbyterian church next week.

R. M. Webb and N. C. Duggins of Bray were in our city attending to business the first of the week.

Thomas A. Ballew of Amarillo spent a few days in Clarendon the first of the week visiting friends.

The Pathfinder club will meet with Mrs. G. S. Slover, March 25. The lesson will be "The Melting Pot."

Mrs. H. Harrison of Memphis and sister, Miss Robb, visited with Mrs. Clint Phillips the first of the week.

Elmo Buntin of Hedley spent several days here this week as a guest of his uncle, P. A. Buntin, and family.

Hereford is to have an eighty-five thousand dollar sanitarium, work on which will begin during the month of April.

The message of salvation is the message you will hear in the meeting at the Presbyterian Church. You are invited.

Grover Howe, who has been beating the brush around Claude for the past two weeks, returned to the metropolis of old Donley Monday.

Mrs. Dick Walker entertained at "500" Friday afternoon. Several members of the 500 Club were present and a very pleasant time was had.

R. C. Gilcrease of Wichita Falls and H. C. Morrison of Frederick, Oklahoma are visiting at the Gilcrease home east of town for the week.

Amarillo is in the midst of a two-week rat drive. Wouldn't be a bad idea to clean up on our own stock of rodents right here at home.

C. A. Pierson and J. E. Nolan, expert tree surgeons, are devoting their attention to local landscape beauties in the "City Beautiful" this week.

C. B. Williams of Amarillo visited homefolks over Sunday. C. B. is in the employ of a wholesale grocery firm looking after the town trade.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sherwood were guests of their nephew, J. C. Estlack, Saturday on their way to Wells for a vacation, leaving that night.

A hupmobile belonging to Mrs. Clint Phillips burned Sunday night near her home in the northeast part of town. The cause of the fire is unknown.

C. A. Hicks, I. J. Spurlin, W. A. Chatman and Judge Hoggard were up from Hedley on court business Monday, being interested in a civil case before Judge Link.

Ed Boliver of Hedley was up here Tuesday seeing the sights and attending to business. Ed reports business good in the newspaper line in the live little city.

Alvis Moreman of Lelia Lake has entered the hog growing list of more progressive farmers of Donley county with a nice bunch of big bone polands as foundation stock.

The Country Club estate has been further beautified the past two weeks by a planting of a nice lot of elm and sycamore trees, the Dubbs brothers having the work in charge.

Farmers of the coast country are writing commercial club secretaries of the Panhandle for addresses of farmers who would likely want to trade maize for rice in car lots.

Mrs. John Beverly returned home the first of the week after an extended visit with relatives and friends after leaving Houston where she went as a delegate to the Circle convention.

D. S. Truman, former football star of the state university was in town this week looking after business for his firm, he being a representative of a school book publishing company in this district.

Mrs. Ralph Kerbow returned home Monday after an absence of several weeks spent in a sanitarium at Ft. Worth. Her many friends will be pleased to know that she returns much benefited in health.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Smith have returned home after a visit with relatives at Glendale, Arizona consuming several months. Mr. Smith saw pretty near all of that noted state and yet frankly admits that old Donley is the best country yet.

The more energetic members of the Baptist church have set out a nice lot of shrubbery on the church lawn and this with the addition of new concrete curbing and walks in front of the church door gives the stranger an insight into what real live church folks are doing in the "City Beautiful."

Pastime Theatre March 30th



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CATTLEMEN ARE BENEFITTED BY RATE REDUCTION

THE EFFORTS OF PANHANDLE PLAINS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN RATE FIGHT RESULTS IN VICTORY FOR STOCKMEN OF PANHANDLE.

A temporary reduction of 35 percent in freight rates affecting cattle shipments is announced by A. S. Stinnett, secretary of the Buyers and Sellers association. This fight for a rate reduction had the backing of the B & S association and the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce and were ably assisted by Hon. Marvin Jones, congressman for this district. A history of this fight will no doubt be interesting showing the effectiveness of organization and what may be accomplished when good team work is brought into play.

The cattle men of the Southwest and the owners of grazing lands and pastures in the Northwest, are now more hopeful over the outlook for the future than they have been for many months. On March 17 a conference was held between the representatives of livestock associations which had petitioned for a reduction of rates for the transportation of livestock from the breeding grounds of the Southwest to the feeding grounds of Kansas and the northwestern states, and the Northwest, on the one hand, and officials of the railroads

which would be affected, on the other. This hearing was held by the Interstate Commerce Commission with Edgar E. Clark, chairman of that body, presiding. After the condition of the cattle industry had been thoroughly gone into, and the fact established that the present rates for the movement of livestock are so high that the usual spring movement would be much restricted if not almost entirely prevented, it was decided to grant the emergency reduction of thirty-five percent requested by the cattlemen, and to make that reduction effective between the dates of April 1 and July 15. Many telegrams of congratulation have been received by the I. C. C. since the hearing, thanking Mr. Clark for his assistance in securing the reduction, and saying that it will prove a life saver for the cattle and sheep industry of the Southwest, and a great help to the range owners of the Northwest in restoring their depleted ranges.

The hearing granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission, and the action taken in granting the reduction, both resulted from a set of resolutions drawn up on the final day of the Convention of the Buyers and Sellers Livestock Association, which was held in Amarillo on February 22-23-24. These resolutions recited the handicaps which cattle raisers are now laboring under, the necessity of shipping their cattle to the feeding grounds of the blue stem grassregions of Kansas and the northwestern states, and the impossibility of doing this under the prohibitive rates then in

effect. These resolutions were drawn up by A. S. Stinnett, who is president of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce and secretary of the Buyers and Sellers Association. Mr. Stinnett forwarded copies of them to Congressman Marvin Jones and to Senator Kendrick (Wyoming) with a request that they get together and sound out the Interstate Commerce Commission with regard to an early hearing and a possible granting of the thirty-five percent reduction in rates which the resolution requested. It was not an easy matter to arrange for this hearing for the reason that practically every industry in the country has petitions pending before the commission for similar hearings and reductions. But Jones and Kendrick kept constantly after it there in Washington, and Stinnett was equally busy in Amarillo communicating with various livestock and cattle organizations and lining them up in support of the reduction. In this he was entirely successful, and the assistance and influence of some twelve or fifteen such bodies were placed at his disposal. He then prepared a petition for a hearing before the commission on the proposed reduction, and largely through the efforts of Representative Marvin Jones and Senator Kendrick (who himself is president of a livestock association and early hearing was secured, the date being set for March 17.

The vice presidents and general managers of the Missouri Pacific, P. & S. F., M. K. & T., Rock Island, Burlington, the Milwaukee and the Oregon Short Lines railroads answered the summons of the Interstate Commerce Commission and presented themselves at the hearing. These officials, with but one exception (Vice-president Hale of the M. K. & T.), showed a desire from the start to get together with the cattlemen, and listened to Mr. Stinnett's presentation of his case with the closest attention. Mr. Hale was disposed to question the necessity for the reduction, but Stinnett shot facts and figures at him so fast that his objections were over-ruled by his associates.

Among other points brought out by the petitioner (Stinnett), was the fact that if the reduction should be granted, the banks everywhere in the cattle country would be disposed to finance the movement of cattle; that he has assurances from many bankers that they would not only extend further time on credits already granted, but would loan more money; and that Judge Ramsey, of the Federal Bank at Dallas, had declared that that institution would do everything it could to help, if the railroads would but do their part in relieving the critical situation. The speaker then went on to show that if the reductions were not granted the movement of cattle this spring would be almost entirely prevented, and that not only would many cattlemen be forced out of business, but the industry would be dealt a blow which would cripple it that recovery would be impossible for many years; that the confidence of hundreds of those engaged in the business would be so shaken that they would not only withdraw from it now, but never again engage in it. He emphasized the fact that this would not injure the cattle industry alone,

but would also work hardship on the meat-eating public, be reason of the greatly decreased supply and the consequent higher prices; upon the range owners of the northwestern states, whose ranges are almost denuded of cattle but who would be able to restock if the reductions were granted, and upon the railroads themselves by reason of the smaller tonnage.

Mr. Stinnett's plea for the reduction was strongly supported by the vice presidents of the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul and of the Oregon Short Line, who said that under the proposed reduction there would be no direct profit to the railroads in transporting the cattle, but that indirectly the profit would be very large, for the movement of 1,500,000 cattle, sheep and other livestock into their territory would contribute greatly to its prosperity and whatever served to make their territory more prosperous would react favorably upon the railroads.

It was estimated by the president of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce Mr. Stinnett, after the hearing, that more than a million dollars would be saved to cattlemen of the Panhandle and Plains section this spring in railroad rates alone, and that the indirect benefit to the industry in that section would be much greater than that.

Others at the meeting and who urged favorable action on the petition were Judge Sam Cowan, of Fort Worth, who is general counsel for the American National Livestock Association, and T. W. Tomlinson, of Denver, secretary of the same organization.

CLEANUP PROGRAM RESULTS IN IMPROVED APPEARANCE

The cleanup campaign of the past week was generally observed by those who take a pride in cleanliness. Big loads of trash have been seen headed for the dump grounds north of town every day this week. Most of the trash was collected by the younger set eager to win at least one of the many prizes offered by the Chamber of Commerce.

Inspection of the piles Monday by the committee composed of Dr. Wilder, Mrs. Ida Chitwood and Miss Yeager was made under difficulty owing to inclement weather. The prize winners were: Marion Bedwell first prize of \$5; second prize went to Wm. Wilder with a cash gift of \$4; the third prize was awarded to Ross H. Beville and amounted to \$3; J. C. Guest won fourth prize and thus gained \$2; the fifth prize of \$1 was given to Stencil Garnard.

PANHANDLE GETS FIRST OIL PRODUCER WEDNESDAY

The first oil producing sand encountered in any of the numerous tests made in the Panhandle was found Wednesday afternoon of this week in Gulf No. 2 well in the northern part of Carson county. The sand was found at a depth of 2900 feet and the amount is not known except to those on the inside. Drilling is going steadily on which indicates that the top of the sand has just been reached. A similar condition exists at the test six miles north of Wellington where an oil sand was found some two weeks ago.



Old U. Tellem sez:

"This is a day of Specialists—If my child is sick, do I call a Plumber? No sire! I send for the best Doctor I can get. Likewise, when I want a Prescription compounded, I want it done by someone that makes a Specialty of filling Prescriptions and where I can be sure the proper care is being used."

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LOCAL JAIL EMPTY FOR MORE THAN TWO WEEKS

The local jail has been empty for more than two weeks. This condition is due to improved conditions in general according to a statement made Tuesday by Sheriff Rutherford. Most of those to take up residence at the local bastille during the winter were transients, who were of the opinion that it was easier to steal than to work. There has been very little scarcity of jobs during the past winter if a fellow wanted to work. At this time help is more in demand and this demand will increase rapidly as the farms draw on the towns for farm labor to help plant the crops. There is no excuse for officials who know conditions as they exist locally.

T. M. Little is having a dike thrown up on his farm that will back that big duck pond off the map according to T. R. Crabtree who has been moving dirt for the past three weeks. This levee will reclaim about seventy acres of the richest alfalfa land to be found in the state. Mr. Little expects to sow it down and reap to the tune of three cutting each season.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 21, 1912.

Of Clarendon News published weekly at Clarendon, Texas for April, 1921.

Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Sam M. Braswell, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the owner of the Clarendon News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption required by the Act of August 21, 1912, embodied in section 413, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are:
Sam M. Braswell, Clarendon, Texas.
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3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 percent as much of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are:

Mergenthaler Linotype Company, New York City, and Joe M. Warren, Clarendon, Texas.
SAM M. BRASWELL.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of March, 1921.
J. C. ESTLACK, Notary Public, Donley County, Texas.

RECITAL AT METHODIST CHURCH MONDAY EVENING

Miss Mabel Clair Betts at the organ assisted by Roy Beights, tenor, and a quartette composed of Cleora Brummett, Ora McDaniel, Roy Beights and Victor Pyaett will appear in a recital at the Methodist church Monday evening, March 27th, at 7 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM FOR MARCH 27TH

Missionary Meeting.
"Dr. Robt. J. Willingham."
Leader, Fannie Lowe. Scripture Lesson Psalm I by leader. Early life of Dr. Willingham, Robt. Tatum. Called to preach, and foreign missions discussed by Ethel Gammons. The foreign mission burden will be discussed by Valona Black. The period of expansion is assigned to Naomi Allison for discussion. The burden of a lost world will be discussed by Lora Mae Harvey. Last days and His message to us, the closing number of the program will be discussed by Nera Bourland.

CHAMBERLAIN ITEMS

A light shower of rain fell over part of our community Monday night which will help to bring on the new crop of grass which is springing up every where. It was accompanied by some small hail which did a little damage to the fruit crop.
A good crowd enjoyed the singing Sunday night at Mr. Huffstutler's home.
A party was enjoyed by a very good crowd Saturday night at Sol Pierce's.
Fred Martin and wife from Brice were visitors at the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Huffstutler Sunday.
Mrs. N. Dingler is still pretty sick, but is slowly improving at this writing. We are all anxious to see her up and doing.
N. Dingler returned home Friday from a business trip to Headrick, Okla.
Mrs. Gammons from Goldston and daughter ulia spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Dingler, returning home Sunday evening.
Miss Ethel Gammons from Clarendon spent Saturday night with the W. T. Bell family returning home Sunday morning.
Mrs. C. N. Dozier spent the front end of the week with mother Dozier.
Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blackman spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Weatherall Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Emmons spent Sunday night with E. E. Smith and family.
Lois Huffstutler spent Sunday with the Reid sisters.
We are having some regular spring weather this week.
A Chamberlain Reporter.

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HOW JENKINS TURN.
ED DOLLSHEVIST

There was a man named Jenkins, who had a home, a job, seven sons and a grouch. He was a good provider. In his home he was boss. His wife cooked the dishes he preferred, chose her clothing to win his approval, and asked his advice concerning everything. She did not question his authority. His sons accepted his word as the law and stirred their feet to a lively pace when he called.

Jenkins had a grouch because the foreman in the plant where he worked wore a white collar and spent most of his time at a desk, and yet received a wage larger than his own; and because the man who owned the plant rode in a limousine and carried a walking stick.

When the whistle blew for quitting time, Jenkins would join a group of his fellows on the street corner and talk about the rights of the workers. The more he talked and the more he listened, the stronger became his conviction that he was oppressed, and he learned to pronounce the word "capitalist" so that it hissed like a serpent.

When he went home at night and sat down to supper, he entertained his wife and his sons by lecturing to them concerning the new day that would bring the underdog to the top. His wife and his sons listened open-mouthed, for they considered him a great man.

"The day of liberty is at hand," he declared. "The greedy capitalists have kept us in line with the whip of poverty, but we shall not long be poor. We shall rise and in our might take for ourselves the tools and machines and buildings, and we shall seize the raw material and the means of transportation, and therefore we shall have the whole profit of our labor. Unfair rules have given our bosses power to take; now we shall have power to take what we desire—and if we have the power who shall deny us the right?"

"We shall abolish law. What is law but the will of the people? Well, we are the people. Each will be a law to himself, choosing his own course, permitting his own soul to develop without hindrance or restraint. There will be no scheme to get wealth, for the world will belong to all. There will be no anxious thought for the morrow, for there will be assurance of plenty tomorrow.

"No man will be a slave, and none will labor except when he so desires. We shall be brothers and one man's authority shall be equal to that of another."

The youngest Jenkins boy, aged ten, dared a question. "Daddy," he asked, "are you sure that is the right way? If it is, wouldn't it be a good idea for us to learn it now while we are young?"

"Yes, I'm sure," replied Jenkins. "We have groped in darkness, but we are near the light. I would be proud to have my sons learn this great doctrine while it is yet new."

When Jenkins came home the following evening he saw a red flag tacked to his front porch. For some reason he did not attempt to analyze, he felt a touch of shame and glanced furtively up and down the street to see if the flag had attracted attention. Then his face set into hard lines, and he said to himself: "What matter? Someone must be the pioneer. The boys have caught the spirit and I am glad."

The living-room did not appear as neat as usual, and as he passed through the dining-room he noticed that the dinner dishes were yet unwashed. He found his wife in the kitchen, smiling to herself and humming as she went about the preparation for supper.

"What's the matter?" he asked. "Been down town all day?" "Nothing wrong," she replied. "We have turned Bolsheviki, and I didn't feel in a humor to work this afternoon. I finished that book Mrs. Stallings loaned me."

Jenkins started to speak, but thought better of it, and went into the bathroom to wash up.

As he came out, he noticed that the wood-box was empty and called his son Will. "Billy," he said, "get your mother some more wood, and while you are about it bring in enough to get breakfast."

The boy grinned and shook his head. "Like fun I will," he replied. "We are all Bolsheviki here. None of us are slaves, and one has just as much authority as another. I have no desire to bring in wood."

Jenkins turned to his wife. "I want to know—" he demanded hotly and then his eyes fell on the teapot and he stopped short. "What's the big idea?" he asked. "You know I detest tea. If we are out of coffee send one of the boys for some."

"We are not out," she replied. "But I really prefer tea. Making it instead of coffee is my little way of letting my soul develop without hindrance. If you prefer coffee, you may make some."

Jenkins glared and strode out of the kitchen.

Supper was a very unsatisfactory meal. The boys were in high spirits and talked incessantly of the new day and its freedoms.

"After supper," declared Bob, aged fourteen, "I am going down town and wander around until bedtime. I've always wanted to."

"You'll stay inside this house," growled Jenkins, "and study your lessons. I'm going to make something of you boys, and I can't do

it if you loaf on the streets. The idea!"

"That's nonsense, dad," the boy protested. "There's lots of jobs a fellow can handle if he hasn't got a bit of education and if the workers are to own everything, what's the use of wasting time trying to learn something? If I study like as not I'll grow up to be a lawyer or a manufacturer or some kind of a capitalist, and then you would be ashamed of me."

Jenkins got to his feet. He started to speak, but his glance was caught by a sparkle of light that came from the necktie worn by his son.

"Ralph," he asked, coldly, "where did you get that diamond?"

"Jewelry store," answered Ralph. "I've warned you boys against the folly of buying on the installment plan," Jenkins growled. "The morning you will take that silly thing back and get the money you paid."

"I didn't buy it, dad," the boy explained. "I took it."

"You what?"

"Just took it," replied the boy. "The jeweler wasn't looking. To quote your own admirable expression: 'If we have the power, who shall deny us the right?'"

Jenkins kicked his chair over and strode to the front door. When he returned he held a tattered red flag in one hand and a picket from the fence in the other. His face was white and there was a steady light in his eye.

"I've had a plenty," he announced. "I started this thing, and I take the blame. But what I start I finish. Either this family, here and now, severally, individually, renounces its allegiance to any doctrine, creed or folly that is now or hereafter may be associated with the color of red and here and now pledges itself to honor and respect the decent Americanism that has made us a nation, or I shall consider it my duty as a man and a citizen of this glorious republic to lick hell out of everybody present."

And then the Jenkins family rose and fell on his neck and wept and explained away the things that had frightened him, and there was great joy in that household.

The following morning as Jenkins approached the factory a hairy little man whose name ended in "vitch" took him by the arm and said:

"Ah, comrades, the day of our deliverance is near. Last night I began work on a bomb."

And Jenkins, new-born American, swung a good American hip and kicked the embryo murderer seventeen feet to a gutter—Robert Quillen, in Saturday Evening Post.

UNION SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT FT. WORTH

Sunday School workers of all denominations are expected from all parts of Texas to attend the 17th annual session of the Texas Sunday School Association which will be called to order in the First Baptist Church, Fort Worth on Thursday night, March 31st and running through Sunday night, April 3rd.

Some of the chief speakers will be Dr. William A. Brown of Chicago, Director of Evangelism in the Sunday Schools of North America; Dr. Charles R. Goodell of New York, one of the most successful soul winning pastors of the Methodist Episcopal Church; H. C. Crisland, General Secretary of Arkansas; Van Carter, General Secretary of Louisiana; Clarence N. Wright, State Young People's Superintendent of Colorado, and a host of Texas best leaders in various denominations.

Discussion of systematic simultaneous Campaign and in every community of Texas for doubling Sunday School enrollment and attendance in all Sunday School enrollment and attendance in all Sunday Schools. Many cities and towns and communities are doing marvelous work in this direction. Schools have doubled and some quadrupled their attendance of two years ago. This convention will give added inspiration towards the larger goals of increased membership, attendance, efficiency and soul winning.

Delegates are expected from every Sunday School in Texas. Each school is urged to send one or more delegates and pay their way if necessary. Classes of men and women, young men and women, boys and girls are urged to send delegates, at expense of class.

In addition to the fine program of addresses, instructions, conferences, and such helpfulness, delegates will have the double privilege of also attending some of the finest Sunday Schools in the South, and among them the largest in the world, in which the Convention sessions will be held. The privilege of seeing the Sunday School in session, and enjoying great feasts on Sunday morning, afternoon and night.

The local Fort Worth committees and the Chamber of Commerce will do all they can to make the convention a success. They will have lists of hotels and boarding houses where delegates can find accommodations at reasonable rates.

Miss Pauline Ozier is expected to spend the week end with home-folks this week. Miss Pauline is a student of S. M. U. this season and is taking advantage of a short interim at the close of the mid-winter term to spend a few days at home with relatives and friends.

MODERATE DECLINE IN LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS ARE FAIRLY LIBERAL

Demand for all classes of live stock was fairly active, but increased receipts gave buyers the advantage and prices were slightly lower. Fat cattle were quoted down 15 to 25 cents, compared with last week's close. Stockers Cows sold at \$5.50 to \$7.50, with feeders held steady. Sharp drop in Chicago and eastern markets set hog prices here down 15 to 25 cents. Offerings were cared for readily. Sheep and lambs were 25 cents lower, top lambs \$9.50, and eyes \$5.75.

Today's Receipts
Receipts today were 13,500 cattle, 12,500 hogs, and 12,500 sheep, compared with 11,000 cattle, 12,000 hogs and 17,000 sheep a week ago, and 10,150 cattle, 44,795 hogs, and 12,200 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle
Chicago reported a liberal supply of beef cattle and lower prices and the decline there weakened the market elsewhere. Here some again today, by a run of 61,000

sales were 25 cents lower, but the bulk of the offerings sold down only 15 cents. At the lower prices demand was sufficient to effect a good clearance. Average quality was sufficient to effect a good clearance. Average quality of the offerings was not as low.

Stockers and Feeders
In proportion to total receipts of cattle the supply of stockers and feeders were small, and last week's prices were well maintained. In some cases selected feeders were stronger. Most of the thin steers came from New Mexico and Texas. Feeders sold up to \$9.00 and stockers up to \$8.75.

Hogs
Hog prices which reached the highest level of the winter pack and the decline there weakened the market elsewhere. Here some again today, by a run of 61,000

in Chicago, or nearly twice as many at the Lake market as a year ago. Here prices were down 15 to 25 cents, top \$10.15, and the bulk of sales \$9.25 to \$10.00, pigs sold up to \$11.00. The offerings were sold out by noon.

Sheep and Lambs
Sheep and lambs declined 25 cents. Choice lambs sold at \$9.25 to \$9.50, and heavy lambs \$8.50 to 9.00. Ewes sold up to \$5.75. Yearlings and wethers were lacking. There was some inquiry for shearing lambs and breeding ewes. No sales were reported.

Horses and Mules
Inquiry for farm horse and mules was reported as slightly improved. There was small demand from other sources. Prices were unchanged.

Charles M. Pipkin, Market Correspondent.

LOST—Wrist watch, last Sunday afternoon, somewhere between Pastime confectionery and Palace confectionery. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward. (12p.)

Following our next meter reading, commencing March 1st, the following REVISED SCALE OF ELECTRIC RATES will be put into effect:

LIGHTING		
1st	25 K. W. H.	20c
Next	25 K. W. H.	18c
Next	50 K. W. H.	16c
All over	100 K. W. H.	13c

Minimum charge per month for residence, for which customer will be allowed 10 K. W. H. \$2.00.

Minimum charge per month for commercial or business installation, for which customer will be allowed 11 K. W. H. \$2.50.

POWER		
1st	100 K. W. H.	12c
Next	100 K. W. H.	10c
Next	100 K. W. H.	9c
All over	300 K. W. H.	8c

Minimum charge \$1.25 per HP. connected but not less than \$2.00.

All bills for March service due April 1st, will be figured at the old rate. Bills for April service due May 1st, will be figured at the revised scale.

Receiver Texas Gas And Electric Co.

FRANK HOUSTON, Division Manager

Blackleg News

Reduction in price of

O. M. Franklin Blackleg Aggressin
New price is 25c per dose. Effective March 15th.
The same high standard of quality will be rigidly maintained as in the past.

This trade mark is your Protection

The Kansas Blackleg Serum Co. Amarillo, Texas

ALLEN JEFFERIES
Local Distributor
CLARENDON, TEXAS.

NOTES FROM THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Last week I attended an assembly of preachers and teachers, editors, singers, etc., at Tipton, Okla. The assembly was held in the beautiful commodious new brick house built by the Church of Christ under the leadership of brother Bob Whitaker. It was indeed a very pleasant profitable and enjoyable affair. This trip accounts for the absence of these notes last week. I am told that both here and at Lelia Lake the young men did themselves honor in leading my Bible Training Classes Wednesday and Thursday nights. Fine! I'll try them again some time. Next Sunday we will begin a series of meetings in the church at the corner of Carhart and 3rd Street with Prof. T. Park Burt as song director.

These meetings will be conducted for the glory of God, the honor of Christ, and the salvation of souls, but Christ Jesus the Lord. We shall not preach ourselves and ourselves your servants for Christ sake. We may not preach what many 'think', but we shall preach what God has said. Paul said: "If I sought to please men I would not be the servant of Christ." Some one may say to me as did Paul's brethren: "We neither received letters from Denison concerning thee, nor did any of the brethren come hither and report or speak any harm of thee, but we desire to hear of thee what thou thinkest; for as concerning this rect it is known to us that everywhere it is spoken against." Acts, 28:21-22. There are too many people to day like Joseph's disciples, but secretly for fear of the Jews. They loved the praise of men more than the praise of God. Nevertheless even of the rulers many believed on Him; because of the Pharisees they did not confess Him lest they should be put out of the synagogue. Try it brother? Come over and hear us. They will not turn you out of the synagogue in Clarendon, you see it was the Jews—a very prejudiced people—that did that. Use your own thinker a while. Be free. Act free. Tell us just what you think. Speak it out! You won't make us nervous. If you are right I'll thank you. If you are wrong quit it and help us. Remember we begin next Sunday. Thos. E. Mitholland.

The Delphin club met at the home of Mrs. Rorex Monday.

You are invited to Hear

REVEREND W. R. HALL

at the Presbyterian Church

in the Meeting Beginning

Wednesday, March

30th.



Use Black Silk Stove Polish

"A Shine in Every Drop"

Get a can today from your hardware or grocery dealer.

FACTS ABOUT COTTON

Production of cotton in Russia is confined almost exclusively to the Asiatic provinces of Turkestan and Transcaucasia. Since the outbreak of the Great War in 1914 production of cotton in Russia has averaged about 750,000 bales annually.

World carry-over at July 31, 1920, of cotton grown outside of the United States was 2,100,000 bales greater than it was at the end of the previous year.

World carry-over at July 31, 1920, of cotton grown in the United States, according to Hester, was 6,086,000 bales.

During the year 1919 the proportion of the world's mill supply of cotton contributed by each country was as follows: United States 56.7 per cent. British India 22.4 per cent. Egypt 5.9 per cent. Brazil 2.8 per cent. All other 4.3 per cent.

World production of cotton for factory consumption in 1919 is indicated by U. S. Census figures to have been 19,260,000 bales not including 582,000 bales of linters in the United States.

World production of cotton for factory consumption in 1919 was 1,100,000 bales greater than the amount consumed.

World consumption of American cotton is running 25 percent below what it did last year, but the estimated production, government figures, is 1,662,000 bales greater.

There is now enough cotton in the world, unspun, to last nearly two years.

Cotton is produced extensively in many sections of China. Most of it is spun by hand in the homes of the people, but reliable estimates place the quantity of Chinese cotton from the crop of 1919 which reached commercial channels at 1,100,000 bales.

During the years 1862 and 1863 total production in the United States averaged less than 375,000 bales of cotton annually. The world managed to get along.

First cotton seed were planted in Virginia at Jamestown in 1607. Cotton was introduced into all the southern colonies by the first settlers.

The Spanish invader in 1519 found cotton clothing in common use in Mexico, and Cortez received gifts of fine cotton fabrics from the hand of the great Montezuma. Statements to the effect that Egyptian mummies were wrapped in cotton fabrics have been disproved.

Mrs. J. G. Blanks, whose home is in the Sunnyview community, was brought to the hospital Monday undergoing an operation the same day. She is reported as much improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McCordell left Frederick, Maryland the first of the week to make their home at Kemp Kort, Wichita Falls, according to information, received here Wednesday.

CENTS Make DOLLARS

Cents grow into dollars when you spend a few cents for paint. That time is here when you should paint up and make your property look its best. It will sell for more, is worth more to you in knowing that it looks better. We have a complete stock of paints, oils and varnishes at a reasonable price—cheaper now than they will be later.

If it's lumber—we have it.

Galbraith - Foxworth Lumber Co.

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Member Clarendon Chamber of Commerce

\$250,000.00 LOANED

—The past six months—did you get yours?
There is no red tape about our loans.

INSURANCE

—in all its phases—fire, life, etc.
"Be safe rather than sorry."

Ryan Brothers

Phone No. 454

MEMBER CLARENDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

COUNTY CLERK'S ANNUAL REPORT OF COUNTY FUNDS

FOR YEAR BEGINNING FEBRUARY 1ST,
1920 AND ENDING JANUARY 31, 1921.

JURY FUND	
Receipts.	
February 1st, 1920, Balance	\$ 1338.39
Receipts for year	10367.99
Total	\$11706.38
Disbursements.	
District Court Jurors	\$2208.50
County Court Jurors	414.50
Board Prisoners	299.00
Transferred to R & B Fund	7500.00
Total Disbursements	\$10422.00
Balance Feb. 1st, 1921	1284.38
GENERAL FUND	
Receipts.	
Balance Feb. 1st, 1920	\$ 7188.99
Receipts for year	17382.31
Total	\$24571.30
Disbursements.	
Salaries, Fees etc paid officers	\$6741.44
Stationer, Postage, Telephone, Telegraph and Printing	1000.60
Expense Court House and Jail (including Janitor, Fuel, Light and Repairs).	1881.25
Court House and Jail Fixtures	144.59
Demonstration work	1358.20
Pauper Expenses	468.51
Sheriff's Expenses (prisoners)	149.50
Commissioners Court per diem	550.50
Interest Jail Bonds	360.00
Health Department	126.75
County School Trustees Per Diem	85.00
Elections	250.00
Transferred to R & B Fund	6500.00
Miscellaneous, Inquests, Insanity, Hearing, etc	210.78
Total Disbursements	\$20418.12
Balance February 1st, 1921	4153.18

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND	
Receipts.	
Balance Feb. 1st, 1920	\$36740.77
Receipts for year	1505.50
Total	\$38246.27
Disbursements.	
Precinct No. 1.	
Amount expended on road work	\$1505.50
Amount expended on Machinery	252.00
Commissioners Salary	\$76.00
Total amount expended	\$1833.50
Precinct No. 2.	
Amount expended on road work	\$4706.04
Amount expended on Machinery	1483.81
Commissioners Salary	\$76.00
Total amount expended	\$6265.85
Precinct No. 3.	
Amount expended on road work	\$6761.10
Amount expended on Machinery	690.02
Commissioners Salary	\$76.00
Total amount expended	\$7527.12
Precinct No. 4.	
Amount expended on Road Work	\$1098.12
Amount expended on Machinery	93.45
Commissioners Salary	\$76.00
Total amount expended	\$1267.57
Interest and Principal Road Warrants Overdrawn February 1st, 1920	9531.81
Total Disbursements	\$3333.27
Balance Overdrawn February 1st, 1921	\$7529.00
Total	\$789.23

STATE HIGHWAY FUND	
Receipts.	
Balance Feb. 1st, 1920	\$2418.24
Receipts for year	2692.57
Total Receipts	\$5110.81
Disbursements.	
Precinct No. 1, Road Work	\$ 840.65
Precinct No. 2, Road Work	1899.24
Precinct No. 3, Road Work	3347.36
Precinct No. 4, Road Work	30.10
Total Disbursements	\$6080.88
Balance overdrawn, February 1st, 1921	810.07
Total	\$1097.93

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND	
Balance February 1st, 1920	\$ 64.33
Receipts for year	2631.16
Balance Feb. 1st, 1921	\$2695.49

JAIL SINKING FUND	
Balance Cash on hand, Feb. 1st, 1921	\$2134.50
Ashtola School Bonds	250.00
Chamberlain School Bonds	250.00
U. S. Victory Bonds	1100.00
Total	\$4234.50

Given under my hand and seal of office this 12th day of March A. D. 1921.
W. E. BRAY, County Clerk.
Sworn to and subscribed before me by W. E. Bray, this March 14th, 1921.
W. T. LINK, County Judge, Donley County, Tex.

Jeffries showed some real ability by striking out sixteen of Clarendon's batters and allowing only seven hits. Smalley kept a cool head during the entire game, striking out fifteen men and allowing eight hits. Smalley proved himself a very dependable pitcher, ready to take a regular place on the staff. Score by innings, R H C. C.—0 0 0 0 1 0 2 1 4 8 C. C.—0 2 2 0 0 1 0 3 8 7 Batteries: Childress—Jeffries and Norris. Clarendon—Smalley and Meads.

C. C. VS. SHAMROCK RESULTS, FOURTEEN INNING TIE

LONG PITCHERS BATTLE CALLED BECAUSE OF APPROACHING DARKNESS.

One of the longest and fastest games of baseball ever witnessed on C. C.'s diamond was played Friday afternoon, March 18. The well reputed Shamrock team came over and locked horns with the college team for a fourteen inning battle, which, because of darkness, was forced to end a 3 to 3 tie.

Walker pitched a strong game throughout the entire period. His work in the box was largely responsible for the no-defeat game. Paul Messer, a former student of Clarendon College, twirled the ball, with his left, for Shamrock. Much could be said about his baseball record, but is needless, as he demonstrated it well.

The game was opened in the first of the second when Shamrock scored three men, largely due to errors on Clarendon's part. Each of the following scored: Abbot, Mes-

They Are Here

WHO? Thos. E. Millholland and Prof. T. Park Burt.

WHERE? At the Church of Christ, Cor. Carhart and 3rd St., Clarendon, Texas. Beginning March 27

WHY? To preach and sing the old-time songs and Gospel of Christ

COME AND HEAR THEM

Services at 10 a. m., and 7 p. m.

Excerpts From The Clarco

STUDENTS OF- FER RECITAL

Last Monday evening at seven o'clock the Fine Art Department of Clarendon College again entertained the student body with another of its combination music and expression recitals.

The ability with which every number was rendered calls for individual mention, but the ample length of the program only speaks better for the Conservatory of Music and the expression. Most of the students appearing on the recital this time were those who have not been on recitals for some time or not at all for the year. Promises for commencement program in the form of student music, voice, violin, piano, orations and readings, only appears brighter for every student recital. To enjoy good music, it is not necessary to leave Clarendon College.

JUNIORS ENJOY RECEPTION

Last Saturday evening the juniors came out of the kinks and had a regular time, entertained at the home of Allen Bryan, a junior.

The good time began about seven o'clock, a few minutes later, progressive conversation pushed in for its share of time, two large rooms were filled with forty-two players, and rook. After satisfaction of this, a somewhat humorous program was started; several noted personages in the institution were very comically imitated by all except the original Mr. So and So. Babe Garner gave a short vision of his trip into southern seas and very soon after, brick cream in junior colors was served. Animal favors distributed make fine decorations, and help to bring back into

memory the happy time. At ten o'clock the long line of juniors, was wending its way back "home," resolved upon each heart, to set a precedence between now and commencement.

SECOND TEAM GAMES

The baseball second team has played a brace of games with the local high school. The two games were divided, the second string men capturing the first and the high school lads making off with the second.

Many of these fellows showed real baseball talent, and will step on somebody's heels or get a regular berth on the first string, before the season closes.

CLARENDON AGAIN BEATS CHILDRESS

C. C. DEFEATS FAST HIGH TEAM, SECOND TIME BY FASTER FIELDING.

The Clarendon College swatters went down to Childress Saturday and defeated their fast High team for the second time, in a well played game, by the score of 8 to 4.

The first inning neither side scored, the pitchers mainly responsible. In the second inning Verner let out a three bagger, and came in on a double by Lewis, who was in turn scored by Meads' single. In the third inning Cooke and Doshier scored for Clarendon. Noble registered a hit in this inning. The fourth and fifth were scoreless. In the sixth Childress opened up and scored their first run by Pryar. In the seventh Joplin scored for Clarendon but no hits were registered. Childress got two hits in this inning but failed to score while Childress circled the bases twice on two hits and an error. In the ninth Clarendon opened up and scored three runs on hits by Joplin, Doshier and Smalley. Childress again crossed the plate for their fourth score on three hits.

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headache, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms poisonous-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, the cleansing, sweetening and breaking effect upon the system.

Jump from Bed in Morning and Drink Hot Water

Tells why everyone should drink hot water each morning before breakfast.

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Some washers lift and dip — Other washers rock and toss — But the A B C does both!

Have Your Washing Done at Home

Then you know that your clothes are not mixed with those of others; that they are not washed under insanitary conditions; things don't get "lost"; there is no delay over their return. And if you use an A B C Electric Laundress, no scrubs or rubs on a hard washboard will wear out your clothes.

Furthermore, this nationally famous washer that is guaranteed by old, large and successful makers, pioneers in the industry, praised by hosts of users, and long approved by Good Housekeeping Institute, by its swift double process, enables both washing and ironing to be completed the same day under sanitary conditions, at home, at a great saving.

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EASTER TIME

EGGS—RABBITS
NOVELTIES

Everything to make Easter an enjoyable affair. Watch for the real live rabbits in the window.

Finley's Variety Store
PHONE 322

USE SULPHUR TO HEAL YOUR SKIN

Broken Out Skin and Itching Eczema Helped Over Night

For unsightly skin eruptions, rash or blotches on face, neck, arms or body, you do not have to wait for relief from torture or embarrassment, declares a noted skin specialist. Apply a little Mentho-Sulphur and improvement shows next day.

Because of its germ destroying properties, nothing has ever been found to take the place of this sulphur preparation. The moment you apply it itching begins. Only those who have had unsightly skin troubles can know the delight this Mentho-Sulphur brings. Even fiery, itching eczema is dried right up.

Get a small jar from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.

are now working towards the rehabilitation of their lands. Business in this country is not done in the rapid and cold blooded manner that we of the United States pursue. In order to build up a lasting business with them it is necessary to cultivate their friendship and then to ship them what they want. The trade trip being planned will cover a great territory of the range section of northern Mexico and while in Mexico City investigations will be made as to the financial ability of the country.

For the cattlemen of West Texas this offers a market almost unlimited, for the grain producer, especially sorghums, there is the possibility of developing a large export business and for the manufacturers market nearby where the demand is great providing he will manufacture the style of goods desired.

THE HARDING POLICIES

Following are the principal points from President Harding's inaugural address upon his assuming the oath of office at Washington last Friday:

- No direction of old world policies.
- No permanent military alliance, political commitments or economic obligations which will subject our decisions to foreign authority.
- Formulation of an association of nations for conference.
- Recommendations looking toward approximate disarmament.
- Creation of machinery for mediation, conciliation and arbitration of international disputes.
- Clarification of international laws.
- Creation of a world court.
- Resistance of assaults on civilization.
- Promotion of international trade.
- Reduction of abnormal expenditures.
- Administration efficiency.
- Lightened tax burdens, sound commercial practices and adequate credit facilities.
- Sympathetic concern for agricultural problems.
- Abolition of government experiments in business.
- Industrial peace.

Misses Ringgold and Hood of Hedley visited at the C. E. Williams home Sunday.

Red Picket Fence

See us before you buy.
Our price is right.

C. D. Shamburger

ROBERT T. WILSON, Mgr. Phone 264

Where a Dollar Is Worth More

MEMBER CLARENDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Paramount Pictures

FRIDAY, 25 OUR SERIAL NIGHT
4th Episode RUTH OF THE ROCKIES, and take it from me Ruth Roland can not be beat. Also 2 Reel Comedy and Pathe News.

SATURDAY 26 TRIANGLE AND FOX PICTURES
Matinee, Frank Keenan, Chas. Ray and Louise Glaum in HOWS THY NAME, and with this trio of stars they could not fall down. Also RUTH OF THE ROCKIES.
Night—Shirley Mason in WING TOY, our little favorite in a Japanese story, and I am expecting it to be good, as she is always, also 1 Reel Comedy the best on the market.

MONDAY 28, FOX SPECIAL
Pearl White the most popular star ever played in Clarendon in her first Big Production shown here, KNOW YOUR MEN, (not a serial) a story a woman's weakness and strength. She did not know and paid the price until she learned.

TUESDAY 29 PARAMOUNT PICTURE
Douglas McLean and Doris May make another big hit in MARY'S ANKLE. You enjoyed them in 23-1-2 Hours Leave and What your Husband Doing, now enjoy them in this as good as either of the other two.

WEDNESDAY 30 FIRST NATIONAL ATTRACTION
Elsie Ferguson in THE WOMEN GIVES, and she never made a bad one yet. We can not have her as often as we would like so do not miss this one.

THURSDAY 31 PARAMOUNT PICTURE
Elsie Ferguson in HIS HOUSE IN ORDER, the most beautiful woman on the screen and a story you will remember.

—Cut This Out Now and Save For Future Use.

MATINEE EVERY DAY 2:00 O'CLOCK

Pastime Theatre

MEMBER CLARENDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Clarendon, Texas will hold an election on the First Tuesday in April 1921, same being the 5th day of the month, for the election of a Mayor and one Commissioner, the Mayor to be elected for the regular term of two years and commissioner to be elected to fill an unexpired term of one year. Said Election to be held at the County Court House and J. T. Patman is appointed Judge of same.

By order of the City Commission this the 2nd day of March 1921.

CITY OF CLARENDON,
By Claude McAllister, Clerk.

Frank Simmons of Hedley was in town Thursday of this week bringing his son of about ten years for treatment, he having suffered serious injury to his back some days ago. A younger son, "Buster," came along to do the talking for the crowd.

Mrs. G. C. Davis of Amarillo spent the week here a guest of friends. J. H. Weaver of Claude and daughter Maxine and two nieces, Misses Dema and Lillian Crews, visited here on their way to Hedley Thursday.

Gene Nolan visited relatives and friends in the Pampa country the first of the week being and bound for three days.

Mrs. Gordon Jordan daughter of Mr. and Mrs. SoRelle, and babies, who have been visiting here, left Saturday night to visit relatives down the Denver.

Rev. J. B. McCarley of Manzano, Colorado purchased the J. W. L. Schull home in town the first of the week and will move his family here for the benefit of our good schools.

MARTIN NEWS

Miss Ruby Mosley visited with friends in Wellington from Saturday until Monday.

Lee and Oswald Jones spent the last part of the week with their sister at Brice.

Miss Ruth Talley spent the week end with relatives in Clarendon.

Miss Bessie Rhodes of Jericho visited Mable Sibley Saturday night and Sunday.

W. W. Marcelar and family of Sunnyview were visitors in the Edwin Bailey home Sunday.

Miss Hulda Cannon of the Adair hospital spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon.

Misses Ruby and Edith May from Goldston visited Polly and Corda Sowell Saturday night.

Odell Williams of the Sunnyview community visited Aubrey and Chester Talley Sunday.

Albert Bruce has recovered from a case of the measles.

A "42" party at J. F. Cannon's Saturday night was greatly enjoyed by all present. Refreshments of punch and cake were served.

Mrs. C. J. Talley visited her mother, Mrs. Warren in Clarendon Saturday night and Sunday.

Several from this community attended the style show Thursday night.

Glen Adkins visited Archie Thomas Sunday.

Maud Parson spent Sunday with Polly Sowell.

Little Misses Hulda Joe and Marie Cauthen of Clarendon spent Friday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon.

Misses Willie Hodges and Vernis Pool visited Kate Talley Saturday night.

The M. W. Mosley and W. E. Hodges families planned a fishing trip to Lelia Lake Friday night but owing to the contrariness of a "Tin Lizzie" lacked a few miles of reaching their destination.

The singing at J. A. Pool's Sunday night was enjoyed by quite a crowd.

Richard Cannon, Clarence Peabody and Misses Minnie Pool, Josie Cannon and Ocie May spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bulman at the Grogan Ranch.

Clarence May of the Goldston community and Pud Morgan of Brice visited Saturday night and Sunday with George Brand.

MEMPHIS COMMANDERY WILL HAVE PROGRAM SUNDAY

Invitations have been sent out by the Memphis Commandery of the Knight Templars announcing the annual Easter Service for this district at that place next Sunday. This special service will be held in the Methodist church at 3 p. m., and is for the special benefit of the Knights and their ladies. After the church service, the members will gather at the Masonic hall where a special program will be rendered followed by refreshments. All Knights are asked to meet at the Masonic hall at 2:30 p. m., to enter the parade from the hall to the church.

CLARENDON REALTY SALES AGAIN BECOME ACTIVE

With the coming of the building season that occurs here every spring local real estate is again becoming active. The firm of Martin & Son reporting the sales of over four thousand dollars worth of vacant lots Saturday alone. Many other sales have been made the past week and this means that many new buildings of a substantial nature will be erected in the early spring and summer. Improved property is also moving but owing to the present low prices of building material, most of the new home builders prefer to erect new homes suited to their own ideas rather than purchase one already for occupancy. Clarendon's reputation as a desirable residence town is widespread. Our schools are nationally known and this coupled with the fact that we have a citizenship second to none brings a desirable class of people to our city in numbers each year.

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL GETS READY FOR COUNTY MEET

The county school fair will be held here at the High school building on April 2nd, this year. Preparations are constantly going on among the pupils of all the grades in preparation for the exhibits and various contests that are usually held at that time.

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DONLEY COUNTY FARMERS PRACTICE DIVERSIFICATION

grown but most of these found in the orchard are wild varieties collected locally. Grapes were the only fruit produced locally offered on the home market the past season. The growing of fruits offers an excellent opportunity for the more energetic farmers.

Road Building
Donley is charged with having the sorriest roads in the Panhandle section of Texas. To those who have been initiated, we have to plead guilty to the most of the charge. This is one of the most valuable assets of any county and the farmer is more vitally affected than any other class of folks. He uses the road more and is forced to transport most of his product over the road at a little cost and waste of time as possible. Some road work has been done and some of the road is in fairly good condition. This important element entering into the prosperity of our section will have more attention this season than in the past to secure about two hundred thousand dollars federal road construction this season if this opportunity is accepted before the first of June. In fact the application must be made in time to get to headquarters by that time. Other counties of the Panhandle, both east and west of us are spending thousands to build roads with no better material than we have right here and some of the counties are not near so rich in natural resources as Donley county known as the "Cream of the Panhandle."

The rural citizen deserves a good road both from a standpoint of pleasure and profit. He must have an outlet to market. The town dwellers and business men cannot afford to neglect these arteries of commerce. Donley needs some real constructive road work and will get it—we are progressive and know the value of a good investment.

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EDUCATIONAL LEADER DISCUSSES SCHOOL FINANCE

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America is today the world's hope for educated leaders, teachers, and educational ideals. Our colleges both public and private are working overtime to meet the demands being made upon them. Only one percent of the population of the United States ever attends College through graduation. From this 1 percent, 65 percent of the nation's leaders, statesmen, ministers, etc., are drawn. Including those who have had some college training 73 percent of our leaders are college men. This certainly proves that a College education pays. Statistics also show that State Unions furnish only 7 percent of the christian ministers and missionaries of the nation, and yet the State schools have a much greater enrollment than do church schools. One great school alone having 21,000 students and \$32,000,000 productive endowment. Texas is at this time planning to make our own University a school of the first rank.

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Suffice it to say the neat cottage was practically finished by early afternoon, Noble Hill was overcome with happiness at this kindly act of his fellow sons of the desert, and every one who lent a hand came away happy over the deeds and fellowship of the day.

Masonry and the teachings of the Shrine mean something to members of the Clarendon Shrine Club, the following members of which were present and active:

Nobles J. J. Taylor, Dick Walker, Allan Beville, E. T. Pope, Henry Youngblood, "Doc" Howard, W. P. Cagle, O. C. Hawk, John Clark, J. H. Rutherford, J. L. Bain, Henry Parker, Harry Warren, C. W. Bennett, C. W. Wisdom, A. T. Miller, C. H. Bugbee, Harry Sitner, Tom F. Connally and Sam M. Brasswell. Sir Knight J. H. Hurn was also in the party as was some of Mr. Hill's neighbors of the community.

INTEREST GROWING IN REVIVAL AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The attendance on the revival being held at the Christian church by the pastor, Rev. Sam J. White, is constantly increasing and the interest is more manifest. The pastor is generally popular with the public and many people of other denominations honor him with their presence that they may hear the truths of the gospel eloquently and yet simply told. Services are being held at night only this week.

LEGAL PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, KNOW YE: That, whereas, pursuant to a judgment in the District Court of Donley County, Texas, in Cause No. 1110 wherein Wm. Gray was plaintiff and L. F. Gregory, Ida L. Gregory, W. D. Johnson and Geo. W. Sitter were defendants, wherein the said Gray recovered a judgment of and from the defendant, L. F. Gregory, in the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Seven and 97-100 Dollars, together with the foreclosure of the vendor's lien on all of the W. 1-2 and the S. W. 1-4 of Section No. 14, in Donley County, Texas, said premises containing 480 acres of land, and lying about 7 miles northeast

of the town of Clarendon and being known as Hootenmyle Place. The Clerk of said Court did, on the 9th day of January, 1921, issue an order of sale directed and delivered to me as Sheriff of Donley County, Texas, authorizing and requiring me to seize and sell said premises as under execution, as the law in such cases provides.

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