

THE CLARENDON NEWS

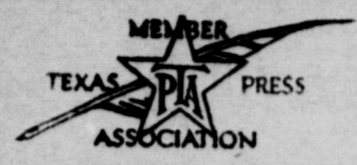
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CLARENDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
G. L. Boykin, Secretary.

The Donley County Fair was a much greater success from every standpoint than those connected with seeing it through ever expected that it would be. The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, the Fair Committees and all others connected in any way give credit for the success of the good spirit shown by the farmers of this county when they filled up all available space with exhibits of every kind grown in this county. The only regret of the Fair officials is that we did not have provisions for a livestock exhibit.

In the opinion of this writer now is the time for action and for the people of this county to form a permanent Fair Association. A fair conducted as it should be is too large a task for a Chamber of Commerce in this town to assume the entire responsibility. A body should be formed of representative citizens interested in the agricultural development of this county and the Donley County Fair made a permanent institution. This organization will sponsor and back such a move but we want the opinion of the people. You folk that are benefitted from a fair and you that believe in such a thing, if you want a Donley County Fair every year, let us hear from you. Remember we need grounds and an exhibition hall properly lighted for a place in which to hold a real fair. If you have a plan give it air and let us hear from you. Yours might be the best.

One could hardly write on the past fair and not mention the splendid co-operation and neighborly spirit manifested by our sister cities, Memphis and Amarillo. We certainly owe you much, Memphis, with your hand, and Amarillo, with your special train. Come again and let us know when you need us for we will surely be there.

In looking over an approved map of the State Highway Number 5 through this county received from the Board of City Development of Amarillo which had secured the map from the Highway Department, we notice that the highway as approved by both state and federal authorities does not miss Hedley or Lelia Lake as we were informed it did, but runs parallel with the Fort Worth and Denver on the south side of the road from the Hall County line, following as the old road runs now on the north side, through these towns. This road has the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture, according to a communication from R. A. Thompson, State Highway Engineer, and is as it stands subject to change. Donley County can get a routing that will serve the people when we are ready to pave. Anyone can see this map in this office.

The Donley County Fair of 1927 was a success. In the two days of the Fair held in Clarendon, Friday and Saturday of last week, many Donley County citizens and representatives from Amarillo and Memphis were agreeably surprised by the general excellence of the exhibits produced in Donley County. All conditions have been against the producer this year, but in spite of this, the exhibits would have made a fine showing at any fair in the state. All due credit should be extended G. L. Boykin, Secretary-Manager of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, for his untiring efforts and good will that made the fair the success it was. Miss Eula Key, in the role of Home Demonstrator for Donley County, should also be awarded her due share of praise in the assembly of the exhibits of the club work of the county. The way is open and is well paved for a bigger and better Fair for Donley County in 1928, with quarters that would be worthy of the Fair that is to be.

NEED WISER USE OF ROAD MONEY

MILLION DOLLARS DAILY FROM MOTOR TAXES POUR INTO STATE TREASURIES.

By E. E. Duffy.

Money is pouring into state treasuries from motor license fees and gas tax at the rate of more than \$1,200,000 a day, or enough to build approximately forty miles of good pavement every twenty-four hours at \$30,000 to \$35,000 a mile.

This remarkable income for state and county highway work is computed upon figures recently announced which show that total receipts from these two sources—license fee and gas—amounted to \$474,304,078 in 1926, or approximately \$400,000,000 more than is voted yearly by the national government for federal aid.

Those on the inside profess to see a warning in this vast and growing income collected from the motor car owners of the country in that it carries with it the responsibility of securing at a more rapid pace, types of road that will return to be in the form of reduced motor vehicle operating expense.

For some time it has been felt in highway circles that a point has been reached where it is not so much a matter of how-and where to get highway construction capital as it is a problem of how best to organize and use present income. In states, for example, where highway bond issues are being considered, such steps, if taken, do not mean added tax upon the people but rather a more constructive method of conserving and applying the funds now coming in. Doubt may be expressed as to the permanency of income in its present volume unless it is so used as to make it a profitable deal for road users who advance the money to get a greater mileage of cost reducing roadbeds under their wheels.

On the point that it is not so much a problem of where to get money as it is how best to use present income, Texas affords a good example. That state, as the records show, enjoys an annual automotive income around \$20,000,000 a year. If that income were to be applied wholly to the construction of the state system, ten years from now would find the people in possession of a \$200,000,000 main highway transportation plant all paid for by the automobile and motor car owners, provided they are given the right roadbed, would be out nothing. At least that is the way it has worked out in North Carolina, Illinois and other states that have taken their automotive income in

hand and applied it upon a sound banking basis to the redemption of bonds issued to get the roads now.

Oklahoma enjoys an income from this unexpected source of public wealth amounting to nearly \$12,000,000 a year. That, too, is a sizable amount of money and if applied to the construction of a state system exclusively would place the people in possession, not of a \$75,000,000 or \$80,000,000 plant as has been suggested but a \$120,000,000 plant instead. And ultimately it will take at least a \$120,000,000 state highway plant to adequately serve the needs of Oklahoma.

In Kansas automotive income from these two sources—license fee and gas tax—is above \$9,000,000 a year, but so tightly is it gripped by local sentiment which is against giving the state a freer hand on the main system that more than half of it goes back to counties for local use. But the main point is that Kansas has highway construction capital amounting to \$9,000,000 or more a year to work on, and if highway work is not progressing as it should the trouble does not lie in lack of capital so much as in lack of proper use of it, which of course can only be provided by legislation.

In Nebraska the total income, as parceled out now, does not come up to state highway needs when measured by the necessity for replacement of gravel surfacing with pavement on some heavy traffic route, notably one between Omaha and Lincoln. However, with present income augmented by a one cent increase in gasoline tax, which it appears has been wisely deferred until the next session, road construction needs are in a fair way of being met, considering the wide expanse of unsettled sections where traffic is likely to be light for some time.

But the main point in this connection is that Nebraska, along with other states, is the recipient of an unexpected income from the new vehicle on the highway, which carries with it both opportunity and responsibility—the opportunity to build up the state with capital supplied from this new source of revenue, and the responsibility of giving motor car owners the cost reducing roads to which they are entitled.

KEEPING HOME FIRES BURNING

In the conservation of "woman power" America leads the world. The Departments of Labor and Agriculture of the national government have long directed their efforts toward improving the condition of women in the home, on the farm, and in industry. The broad viewpoint of national civilization has recently been stressed from the convention platform in discussing the value of modern labor saving devices. Labor saving devices in the home have reached their culmination during the past five years in the general acceptance of automatic household heating, electric refriger-

ation, washing machines, vacuum cleaners, improved plumbing and other mechanical improvements, and discussions among industrial leaders indicate the belief on their part that the emancipation of the American woman from household drudgery and her greater freedom for work in the arts and sciences. In fact, it is believed the modern methods should double the potentialities of the American people, perhaps within the next generation.

Leaders in public life and sociologists believe that the new conditions offer true remedy for the restlessness of the modern American woman because they give her the longed-for opportunity to make practical use of the training she receives in school and college. With her home fully equipped she can now meet men on their own ground in professional and business life, satisfied that her home is not being neglected.

In pioneer days, many hours of the housewife's time were consumed in keeping the home fires burning. Men cut and piled the wood, but their work ended. It was the women of the family who built the fires and kept them supplied with fuel. The utilization of coal lightened their task, but in the great majority of American homes, the women remained the furnace tenders. Automatic heating means that the home fires can be kept burning without effort, thus releasing woman power for more important constructive work.—National Industries News Service.

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NO. 42

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The County Fair

Has ended and now you may turn your attention to the many items that need repairing around the farm and home before cooler weather sets in for the winter. There is a fence that needs attention and probably some out-building that needs a new roof. The chicken house will need some repairs for the winter to make the flock produce all through the cooler days and many other items that have escaped attention during the summer.

Let us show you our materials and tell you of the prices we have to make you on all our stock. You would be surprised at the low cost of many of the improvements you would like to make.

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- Pint Plato Salad Oil and Apron.....42c
- 1 Pound Can Honey Dew Coffee.....45c
- Prunes, No. 10 Can.....48c

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Condensed Statement of

The Donley County State Bank OF CLARENDON, TEXAS

At Close of Business October 10, 1927, as Made to the Commissioner of Banking.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans	\$ 400,986.39	Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Overdrafts	7,553.27		
Real Estate	18,027.26	Surplus and Profits	31,437.86
Banking House, Fur. Fix.	15,540.62		
Int. Dep. Guaranty Fund	3,674.35		
Assessment City Fund	23,000.00		
U. S. Liberty Bonds	84,300.00		
Cash and Ex.	\$243,845.85		
Bills of Ex.	49,270.41	DEPOSITS	929,846.59
Bankers Acpt.	190,080.30		
	483,196.56		
Total Resources	\$1,086,278.45	Total Liabilities	\$1,086,278.45

The Above Statement is Correct. **HOLMAN KENNEDY, Cashier.**

THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK of Clarendon, Texas

Capital Stock \$75,000.00
OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS
WESLEY KNORPP, President
F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Vice President
J. L. McMURTRY, Vice Pres.
ROY L. CLAYTON, Asst. Cashier
HOLMAN KENNEDY, Cashier
ANNIE L. BOURLAND, Secretary
W. J. LEWIS
D. N. GRADY
C. T. McMURTRY

Now; The Home Stretch!

THE JUDGES

G. L. BOYKIN
Secretary Chamber of Commerce.

G. L. CUMMINGS
Manager Antro Hotel.

ROY CLAYTON
Asst. Cashier Donley County State Bank.

The gentlemen named above have consented to act as a committee of judges to make the final count and determine the winners. They are all well known business men who have no personal interest in the campaign whatsoever, except to see that every credit is counted as cast according to the rules of the club as published.



Promptly on the Stroke of 9
O'Clock Saturday Night, October 22, the Clarendon News Opportunity Club Will End!

THE DOOR LOCKED AND NO ONE ALLOWED TO ENTER. DON'T BE LATE!

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Positively no personal checks will be accepted through the Opportunity Club in payment for subscriptions. This rule is made in absolute fairness to all club members and will be strictly enforced.

All remittances must be in actual cash, cashier's checks, certified checks, money orders, or gold and silver. If any personal checks are found they will be thrown out and no credits issued.

Club members are instructed to have all checks made to them and cash same, and make their report in cash only.

THOUSANDS OF EYES ARE UPON YOU!

You Have Promised Your Friends, You Have Promised Yourself, That You Would Win; Now, in Justice to Those Friends Who Have Supported You and to Yourself

YOU MUST WIN!

But if You Are Not Working at Top Speed Now, and Prepared to Continue to Do So Right Up to the Very Last Minute, You Will Fail, for the Real Tug of War Is Yet to Come, Between Now and That Fatal Hour. Remember—"It's Nobody's Chrysler Yet." The Next Two Days Show the Winner!

SUCCESS - OR - FAILURE?

IT'S UP TO YOU AND TO YOU ALONE

NOW OR NEVER

Take the Risk or Take the Count!

Speed 'em Up Time Schedule

THE CLARENDON NEWS

IN DONLEY AND ADJOINING COUNTIES

NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS		OLD SUBSCRIPTIONS	
5 Years	\$10.00.....41,250 Credits	5 Years	\$10.00.....23,750 Credits
4 Years	\$ 8.00.....20,000 Credits	4 Years	\$ 8.00.....12,500 Credits
3 Years	\$ 6.00.....13,750 Credits	3 Years	\$ 6.00..... 8,750 Credits
2 Years	\$ 4.00..... 7,500 Credits	2 Years	\$ 4.00..... 5,000 Credits
1 Year	\$ 2.00..... 3,250 Credits	1 Year	\$ 2.00..... 2,250 Credits

ELSEWHERE IN TEXAS AND OTHER STATES

5 Years	\$12.50.....42,810 Credits	5 Years	\$12.50.....25,310 Credits
4 Years	\$10.00.....21,248 Credits	4 Years	\$10.00.....13,748 Credits
3 Years	\$ 7.00.....14,686 Credits	3 Years	\$ 7.50..... 9,686 Credits
2 Years	\$ 5.00..... 8,124 Credits	2 Years	\$ 5.00..... 5,629 Credits
1 Year	\$ 2.50..... 3,562 Credits	1 Year	\$ 2.50..... 2,562 Credits

NOTICE—In order to facilitate the final count, the proportionate share of 25,000 Extra Credits for each subscription payment have been added to the regular credits and the above schedule compiled without any raise.

THE END OF THE RACE

IS BUT A FEW HOURS OFF

You must put everything else under the sun aside if you intend to win and utilize every possible moment of those few precious hours to win the award of your heart's desire.

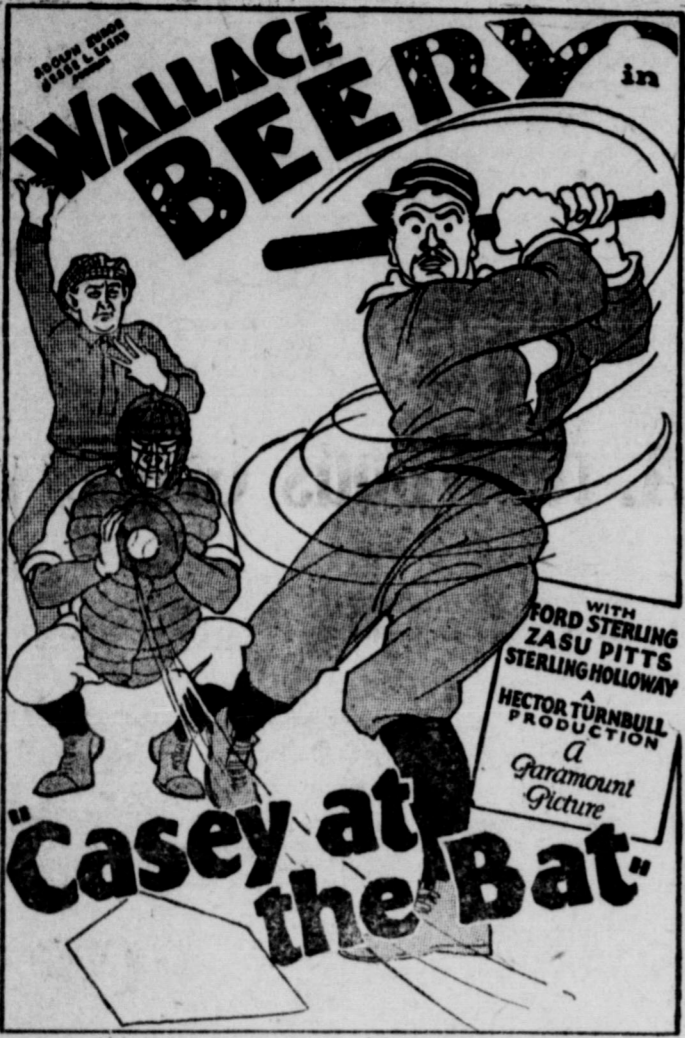
If you will do this, now, you can turn what looks like failure into success at the last moment.

The terrible disappointment, and the sting of defeat some elses and—

The Chrysler Yours!

Coming Pastime

Monday and Tuesday, 24th and 25th
Admission 10c-40c



HIS bat struck nothing but the air. The ball? It was, he knew not where!
Beery as baseball's prime blunderer and Sterling, the big league "scout!"

DOUBLE HEADER PLAYED FRIDAY

BOTH LOCAL TEAMS TO PLAY MATCHED GAMES HERE FRIDAY IN COLLEGE PARK.

The football fans of the city of Clarendon are certain to receive their money's worth Friday afternoon of this week when the Bronchos and the Bulldogs each take a team and play for the honors of the day. The Clarendon Junior College Bulldogs will have a new opponent in the Cameron Aggies from Lawton, Oklahoma. This team comes to Clarendon for the first time in the history of the college and appears

to be something of a dark horse in the race. The Bronchos of the Clarendon High School will tackle one of their old time adversaries, the Cyclone from Memphis. This team was beaten by Pampa to the tune of 6 to 0 last week. Some time past, the Broncho team held the Pampa delegation to a scoreless tie on their home field, which would indicate that the boys would be due for a win in Clarendon.

Due to the two games being played in the same afternoon, the opener will be started at 2:00 p. m., giving ample time for both of them to be played before it is too dark to see what is going on.

Placards have been distributed and give all other details of the game. Jerome Stocking is visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. George Stocking at Austin this week. He attended the Dallas Fair during the weekend.

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Before your Battery Troubles commence. We are now selling the well known Philco Batteries and as they cost you no more, why not use the best?

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Society

T. E. L. Class Entertained in Home of Mrs. W. B. Sims

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Sunday School was entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. W. B. Sims and Mrs. John Draffen. An interesting Bible study was led by Mrs. Curtis Thompson, after which the meeting became social, the guests spending the afternoon in needle work. Delicious refreshments were served.

Those present were the following: Mrs. Ed Barnes, Mrs. Ed Speed, Mrs. Cap Lane, Mrs. W. A. Land, Mrs. T. M. Couch, Mrs. Elmo Shofitt, Mrs. Curtis Thompson, Mrs. A. T. Cole, Mrs. H. T. Burton, Mrs. E. M. Lindsey, Mrs. Kimbell, Mrs. W. Z. Borron, and Mrs. Joe McClearen.

Needle Club Members Attend House Party

Eleven matrons of this city are among the guests at a house party which Mrs. Letitia Swearingen is giving this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Barrett of Childress. Most of this number are members of a needle club which Mrs. Swearingen organized several years ago, when she was a resident of Clarendon. They are as follows: Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain, Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. G. B. Bagby, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. Crockett Taylor, Mrs. J. T. Patman, Mrs. E. L. Jenkins, Mrs. Homer Glascoe, Mrs. Frank McCrary, Mrs. James Trent, and Mrs. W. T. Hayter. They went to Childress Tuesday and will return this afternoon.

Mesdames Shelton and Hutchins Entertain Sunday School Class

Mrs. Paul Shelton and Mrs. Walter Hutchins gave a very delightful party Tuesday afternoon for members of the Young Matrons' Harmony Class of the Methodist Sunday School and a number of other friends. Dahlias and other late garden flowers gave a charming note of color to Mrs. Shelton's home, where the affair was given. Various games and contests furnished diversion from three to six o'clock, when a dainty ice course was served. The following were guests: Mrs. H. T. Burton, Mrs. J. G. Sherman, Mrs. James Hailo, Mrs. Ben Andis, Mrs. J. M. Harrington, Mrs. Walter Wilson, Mrs. V. J. Drew of Clinton, Okla., Mrs. C. W. Galloway, Mrs. G. L. Cummings, Mrs. John W. Butler, and Mrs. Y. E. McAdams.

Win One Class Has Social Meeting Monday Afternoon

The Win One Class of the Methodist Sunday School had a most enjoyable social meeting Monday afternoon, with Mrs. J. L. McMurtry and Mrs. W. L. Crain entertaining in the former's home. A short business session was held. The new officers, Mrs. U. J. Boston, president; Mrs. Ralph Kerbow, secretary, and Mrs. H. B. Kerbow, treasurer, assumed their duties. The remainder of the afternoon was pleasantly spent in needle work and conversation. Twenty-six members were present.

The dainty refreshments which were served in the late afternoon carried out the Halloween decorative idea. Lovely bouquets of nasturtiums decorated the rooms and the blossoms were used as favors.

Mrs. W. H. Patrick Entertains Saturday Bridge Club, 15th

Elaborate decorations in the Halloween suggestion made Mrs. W. H. Patrick's home very gay when she entertained the Saturday Bridge Club on the afternoon of the fifteenth. Tallies and score cards carried the motif, and the table where luncheon was served at the conclusion of the game was decorated with amusing little black cat favors, witches, and fortune telling devices. The centerpiece was a large bouquet of nasturtiums. The guest list included the following names of club members and special guests: Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. James Trent, Mrs. Charles Bugbee, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Mrs. Allen Jefferies, Mrs. A. R. Letts, Mrs. Homer Glascoe, Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. W. H. Cooke, Mrs. George Ryan, Mrs. J. B. McClelland, Miss Mary Howren and Miss Frances Cooke. High score favor for club members went to Mrs. McClelland, while the score prize for special guests went to Mrs. Trent. Mrs. Bugbee drew the consolation.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Skelton and family left Wednesday morning to spend a few days at various towns on the South Plains.

PHIL REEVES DIES SUNDAY MORNING

DEATH OF HIGH SCHOOL BOY FOLLOWS INJURY IN FOOTBALL GAME.

Phil Reeves, seventeen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Reeves of Jericho, and a Junior in Clarendon High School, died at a local sanitarium shortly before seven o'clock Sunday morning, his death resulting from internal injuries received in the football game between the Clarendon High School and Wellington High School teams Friday afternoon. The extent of his injuries was not known until a few hours before his death, and news of his passing came as a great shock to the entire town.

The funeral service, which was held at the First Baptist Church at 10 o'clock Monday morning, was attended by one of the largest crowds ever to attend a funeral in Clarendon. The student bodies and faculties of Clarendon Junior College, Clarendon High School, and the Junior High School formed part of the huge concourse, which included friends and relatives from all parts of the Panhandle. A larger or more beautiful floral offering was never seen here.

Robert Phillip Reeves was born at Jericho, August 10, 1910, the son of pioneer citizens of Donley County. He attended school in Jericho for a short time, but received most of his education in the public schools of Clarendon. He had been a student in this city more than six school terms, living most of the time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Darnell. Through all those years, Phil numbered his friends by his acquaintances. He was possessed of a lovable disposition and a trustworthy character that made him popular with students and teachers alike. He was a member of the Boy Scouts of America and of the Hi Y organization. He was a member of both basketball and football teams of the High School last year, and was Sophomore Editor of "The Broncho," year book of the school. He was elected Advertising Manager of that publication for this term. He was a star player on the Broncho football team this season.

Phil is survived by his parents; one sister, Mrs. Edward Gardner of Panhandle, and two brothers, Paul Reeves of Dumas, and Rex Reeves, who is superintendent of the public school at Lelia Lake.

The funeral service was conducted by the Reverend S. R. McClung, pastor of the First Baptist Church, assisted by the Reverend E. R. Darnell of Shamrock. Interment was made in the Citizens Cemetery. The pallbearers and honorary pallbearers were intimate friends, most of whom were members of the Broncho football squad. They were as follows: Pallbearers, Leonard Darnell, George Eschle, Billie Dillard, Elvis French, Arthur Arnold, and Travis McClung; honorary, Jerry Hayter, Marshal Crabtree, J. L. Bain, Hoyt Jones, Gene Chamberlain, Clarence Jackson, J. P. Rhode, Ross Beville, William Wilder, Joe Noble, Kenneth Kerbow, Everett Johnson, Lloyd Johnson, Phifer Estlack, Eugene Estlack, Royce Hall, Lebert Miller, Benton Smith, and Abe Cole.

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Final Rules On Close of Race

The closing rules of the Opportunity Club are herewith published for the benefit of all club members, especially those who are anxious to make their qualifications so they will be in line to receive the prize for which they have worked, and so that each club member may take advantage and secure all possible credits due for their work.

Following are the closing rules which the Club Manager urges all members of the Opportunity Club to read carefully and observe.

1. The campaign will close promptly on the stroke of 9 o'clock Saturday night, October 22, 1937.

2. All club members who are in The News office at that hour will be waited on and allowed to deposit their secret ballot reports in the locked and sealed ballot box, regardless of the time consumed and not until each and every club member has deposited their ballots will the judges place their official seal on the box, and declare the balloting at an end. All club members who are in the office at 9 p. m. will be given ample time to turn in all their subscription sales reports and not until then will balloting stop. However, once a club member has entered the office to report, that club member may leave and return again for another report any time up to 9 o'clock.

3. Club members will not be allowed to leave The News office after 9 p. m. to later return with another report.

4. After the balloting has ceased the ballot box will be turned over to the judges for the official count of the credits to determine the winners.

5. All club members are requested to be at The News office by 9 o'clock on Saturday night to make their final sales reports and to cast their ballots.

6. No club member will be allowed to enter The News office after 9 p. m. to make a report or to cast their ballots.

7. Positively no personal checks will be accepted from club members in payment for subscriptions. This rule is made in fairness to all members of the Opportunity Club and will be strictly enforced. All remittances must be in actual cash, or cashier's checks, certified checks, gold and silver, or money orders. If any personal checks are found they will be thrown out and no credits issued. Club members are requested to have all checks made out to them personally and cash same, then make their report in currency.

8. No money will be accepted without subscription stubs and no subscription stubs will be accepted without money.

9. Positively no money will be refunded under any circumstances.

10. No prize or prizes will be exchanged for a cash commission.

11. All prizes will be awarded immediately after the judges have completed final count and determined the winners, and will be delivered to the winners in front of The News office on Saturday night. Of course it is a fact that it will require some little time to receive all reports and verify the mass of new and old subscriptions but it is estimated that the count and announcement of the winners will be forthcoming at the latest within an hour and a half after the close of the campaign.

Checks for the cash commissions will be mailed out or given to those qualifying for same on Monday as it will require some little time to figure these amounts due.

The Chrysler "52" two-door sedan will be awaiting its new owner in front of The News office on Saturday night and all the other prizes ready for delivery.

The result of the judges' official count of the ballots and the winners will be published in the issue of October 27 of The Clarendon News. Every one is invited to attend the final count and the announcement of the winners which will be made from The News office on Saturday night.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE, 29TH

The Womens Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will hold a Rummage Sale Saturday, October 29, in front of the Church. (42c)

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A home talent production of an hour and a half of Comic scenes from a typical Union Station.

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College Auditorium

Thursday Evening, Oct. 27, 8:00 o'clock

See Our Home Folks in a Hundred Laughs and Screams

Admission - - - - 20c and 35c

RUMMAGE SALE AND BAZAAR

The Methodist Missionary Society will hold a rummage sale, bazaar and market on Saturday before Thanksgiving. Place announced later. (42c)

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY ANNOUNCES ANNUAL BAZAAR

The Womens Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will hold their annual bazaar the first Saturday in December, as has been their custom for years. An unique family bazaar where you will find useful gifts for your friends. The funds go to help the orphans. (42c)

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Specials For Friday and Saturday Only

SPUDS	Per Peck 15 Pounds	.30
HAMS	Puritan Whole Per Pound	.25
BACON	Sugar Cured Per Pound	.28
BACON	Dry Salt Plates Per Pound	.17
Coffee	BULK Per Pound	.20
Candy	Plain Stick Per Box	.25
Grapes	TOKAYS Per Pound	.09
Cabbage	Nice Firm Heads Per Pound	.03
Catsup	White Swan 14 1/2 Ounce Bottles Ea.	.19
Mustard	PREPARED QUARTS EACH	.19
Sugar	PURE CANE 25 Pound Bags	\$1.75

Every item is a bargain at the "M System". Our buying power and low overhead enables us to sell merchandise at a great saving to our customers.

WHY PAY MORE?

TEACH CHILDREN TO SAVE

No lesson the child can learn is more important than that. Saving nickels and dimes in childhood will lead to dollar-saving in later years.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK THE OLD RELIABLE

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Odorless Dry Cleaning. One Day Service. Clothes Made to Order.

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Coal Notice!

These cold, wet days should remind you that you need a ton of coal.

STALLINGS THE COAL MAN

Has the Coal Phone 316.

THE WORLD IS NOT ALL WRONG

People whose mental twist causes them to view everything with alarm, every now and then have their turn. They exclaim vehemently: "Look at the murders; the robberies; the conduct of the younger people."

Now, for our part, we can't see that the world is on a toboggan of any sort. We may at times get an impression that we are in a backwash. Every age, it is true, has slight recessions. But these are so weak and ineffectual, compared with the great good that there is always working, that in the end we find life is always on the upgrade.

Those who cry so down to a lower level usually have no clear idea of what the living, moving forces of life are. Vague ideas, hazy knowledge of the value of things, will flood a soul with unrest.

Official Statement of Financial Condition

Donley County State Bank

At Clarendon, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 10th day of October, 1927, published in the Clarendon News, a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, State of Texas, on the 20th day of October, 1927.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Capital Stock, and Grand Total.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY. We, Wesley Knorrp, as President, and Holman Kennedy, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

West Texas Chamber of Commerce

Haskell.—Marked improvement in quantity and quality of agricultural exhibits all over West Texas was noted by Exhibit Manager B. M. Whiteaker in his visits to fairs and regional expositions of the section this fall.

FIRE GREATEST ENEMY TO REFORESTATION—FORESTER

With forest fires taking an annual toll of more than twenty million dollars damage to timber and young growth in the wooded areas of the United States, the problem of keeping the "Red Menace" out of the woods deserves a considerable part of the attention being given to Fire Prevention Week, now being observed, Col. William B. Greeley, chief of the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture, said today.

Direct damage caused by forest fires reported during 1926 amounted to approximately \$26,000,000, according to latest compilations by the Forest Service. This was exclusive of damage to watersheds, stream flow, grasslands, and recreational facilities, the money value of which cannot be estimated.

"Special attention should be devoted to the prevention of fires in rural districts and in our forests," said President Coolidge, in proclaiming the week of October 9 to 15 as National Fire Prevention Week.

"Because of their limited facilities they are often at the mercy of the flames when fire originates," said the forester, "the rural districts are heavy sufferers from forest fire."

Fire is the greatest enemy to reforestation, according to Chief Forester Greeley. When the woods burn, in addition to the damage done by killing or weakening the larger trees, valuable young growth is destroyed, the natural reproduction of trees is prevented.

1. Matches.—Be sure your match is dry. Break it in two before you throw it away.

2. Tobacco.—Be sure that pipe ashes and cigar or cigarette stubs are dead before throwing them away. Never throw them into brush, leaves or needles.

3. Making Camp.—Before building a fire scrape away all inflammable material from a spot five feet in diameter. Dig a hole in the center and in it build your camp fire. Keep your fire small. Never build it against logs or near brush.

4. Breaking Camp.—Never break camp until your fire is out—dead out.

5. Brush Burning.—Never burn slash or brush in windy weather or while there is the slightest danger that the fire will get away.

6. How to put out a camp fire.—Stir the coals while soaking them with water. Turn small sticks and drench both sides. Wet the ground around the fire. If you can't get water stir in dirt and tread it down until it is packed tight over and around the fire. Be sure the last spark is dead.

Farmers State Bank

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STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY. We, W. P. Cagle, as President, and J. E. Swift, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

THE FARMERS STATE BANK

STATEMENT OF CONDITION AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, OCTOBER 10, 1927.

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and Discounts, Capital Stock, and Grand Total.

The Above Statement is Correct. J. D. SWIFT, Cashier.

trict convention of the new Trans-Canadian District of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will meet here in 1928. Dalhart withdrew its application for the meet October 10 at the Perryton first convention, in favor of Sparman.

Canadian.—Publicity Manager E. H. Whitehead of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was here last week on the last lap of a ten-day tour through the Trans-Canadian District of the organization, the purpose of which was to collect publicity data. Material obtained by Whitehead will be prepared by the publicity department of the West Texas Chamber for use in the official magazine and for release to leading papers of the state.

Clean heat



No black kettles to scour!

How much pleasanter cooking is, when there are no black pots and pans to scour afterward! Every woman who cooks with a Perfection Oil Stove is spared that horrid nuisance.

There is never a speck of soot. For in the long chimneys, every drop of oil is completely burned before the heat reaches the cooking.

Soot, as you know, is half-burned kerosene—just wasted heat. With Perfections you have real fuel economy, as all the oil is changed into cooking heat. They burn only kerosene, the safe household fuel.

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120,000 PONTIAC SIXES IN NINE MONTHS

—43,000 more than were produced in all of 1926, when this brilliant General Motors product set a world record for a new make of car!

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New lower prices on all body types (Effective July 1926)



Landau Sedan - \$345 DeLuxe Landau Sedan \$355

Miss Allen says—"Utensil bottoms are free from soot when cooking is done on the Perfection Stove."

With Perfection you will have wonderful cooking results, and your utensils will stay shiny as new.

WARNING: Use only genuine Perfection kerosene with Perfection Stoves. They are marked with red triangles. Oils will cause trouble.

IT WON'T BE LONG NOW!

GAS WILL SOON BE TURNED INTO THE MAINS IN CLARENDON

Have you selected your Stoves and had your house piped for Gas? Avoid the Rush by attending to these matters now.

EXPERIENCED GAS FITTERS QUAD STOVES

Watson & Antrobus

Phone 3 Clarendon

TESTED RECIPES

Published The News through Courtesy of Miss Ella Key, Home Demonstrator for Donley County.

White Nut Bread

- 4 cups white flour
- 7 teaspoons baking powder
- 1-2 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup nut meats
- 2 cups milk
- 2 eggs.

Method: Mix same as above recipe, but do not let rise before baking.

Cocunut Macaroons

- 3 egg whites
- Pinch of salt
- 1-2 teaspoon vanilla
- 2-3 cup sugar
- 1-2 cup flour
- 1-2 cup cocconut.

Method: Beat egg whites until stiff, add sugar, gradually beating in; fold in flour and cocconut, vanilla and salt. Drop by spoonfuls on oiled paper; brown in medium oven. Slip paper onto a wet towel; let cool then remove. Wet towel in hot water.

Corn Flake Dainties

- 3 egg whites
- Pinch of salt
- 1-2 teaspoon vanilla
- 2-3 cup sugar
- 2 cups corn flakes
- 1-2 cup chopped nut meats
- 1-4 cup flour

Method: Beat egg whites until stiff, add sugar, gradually beating in; mix same as for macaroons. Any puff cereals may be used. Marguerites
2 egg whites
1-2 cup cocconut
4 tablespoons sugar
1-4 teaspoon vanilla
Beat egg whites stiff, add sugar,

vanilla and cocconut. File on crackers and brown in slow oven. EULA KEY, County Home Dem. Agent.

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS MAY HAVE REAL, LIVE LONGHORN

The army has its mule and the navy, not to be outdone, has its goat, and the University of Texas may soon have its longhorn, if present plans of the University Cowboys materialize. The Cowboys, a selected pep squad of men students which has taken an active part in all campus activities since its organization in 1921, has decided to accept the offer of a longhorn steer, made by Walker White of Moore, provided means of caring for the animal can be provided.

MORE THAN 1,000 STUDENTS AT TEXAS TECH FIRST TERM

Lubbock, Oct. 12. — The second week of this term found 1383 students enrolled in Texas Technological College. Of this number 861 are men and 522 are women. The percent of women is larger this year than last. There are 687 freshmen, 408 sophomores, 209 juniors, and 81 seniors and graduate students.

Double discing corn ground for fall-sown oats in the South produces high yields as plowing, with the advantage of a decided decrease in the cost of production. Where the land has been well cultivated and is reasonably free from grass, weeds, and crop residue, discing is to be strongly recommended. Plowing should be resorted to only when the land is in such condition that a satisfactory seedbed cannot be prepared by discing.

The United States produced two billion dozen eggs last year. This at the rate of about 750 eggs each second.

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Party Goods For Hallowe'en
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Our store and entire force is kept with the one idea in view of rendering better service to our growing number of customers. Remember, with us, there is no additional cost for delivery service—and you can use your phone and be as well pleased as if you had made your own selections.

Ask For Your Green Stamps

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BETTER PRICES FOR COTTON

"The general market was \$7.50 higher per bale on account of community standardization in a number of places," is the comment of one of our largest cotton firms upon the movement for one variety communities, which are being developed by the Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas, in Collin, Ellis, Nolan, Lubbock, Runnels, Nueces, San Patricio, Dawson, Williamson, Caldwell, Hays, El Paso, Red River, Bosque, Johnson and Eastland counties, a few of which are quite well established.

It is generally conceded that business houses know what they want when they want it, and where such may be found in quantities, they are generally willing to pay a premium for same.

As compared with the usual conditions of mixed variety production, each individual farmer of a one variety community is able to raise more cotton and of better quality which can be sold at a higher price. Manufacturers are willing to pay more for dependable supplies of uniform fibre, because the spinning and weaving are less expensive and the resulting fabrics are better.

The necessity for one variety communities has been emphasized by the haphazard cotton production system which has brought the market to its present non-profit status.

Statistics reveal that Texas cotton yielded 131 pounds per acre during the past eight years in Texas. This is 33 pounds less than the preceding eight years and 21 pounds less than the average for all cotton states. As the yield has been receding, the acreage has advanced, thus increasing labor and expense of production. The value of Texas cotton per acre has averaged the lowest of all states over a period of seven years according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture statistics, which places the average value for Texas cotton at \$21.83 per acre, and the average value of all states at \$30.90 per acre; and also in 1924 our average yield would have cost twenty cents per pound for production. The increase in yield of forty pounds per acre would lower the cost two cents a pound and eighty pounds would lower it four cents, according to the estimates of expert statisticians. In order to overcome these conditions, 137 county agents in Texas conducted 4387 demonstrations on 38,374 acres for cotton farmers who were endeavoring to reduce cost by increasing their yields. The average increase yield per acre was 295 pounds of seed cotton, which greatly emphasizes the importance of proper culture in increased cotton production.

Realizing the importance of superior varieties and one variety communities, wider utilization of superior varieties is going forward more rapidly through a plan of organizing one variety cotton communities as centers of seed supplies, where pure seed are grown for sufficient planting and where uniform quality cotton is produced in the commercial quantities that manufacturers require.

Demonstrations in cotton production greatly emphasize the importance of increased yields through proper cultural methods, growing superior varieties and organizing one variety communities. Under these conditions farmers may expect better returns for their investment.

Some of the oil used for lubricating watches, clocks and other delicate instruments is obtained from the head of the porpoise. The better grades of neat's foot oil are also used similarly.

W. E. JAMES ANNOUNCES FOR STATE SUPERINTENDENT

Austin, Oct. 15.—W. E. James of Travis County stated Saturday that he will be a candidate in the 1928 campaign for the office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

W. E. James is a native Texan and was reared on a farm. He first attended a rural school in his community and later the Edgewood High School. He is a graduate of the North Texas State Teachers College, B. A. graduate of Baylor University and M. A. Graduate of the University of Texas. He has practically completed the courses required for the Ph. D. degree in the University of Texas.

Except for the past eighteen months, during which time he has directed the activities of the Texas Council of Safety, Mr. James has been engaged in school work in the state since 1909. He has taught in the rural schools of his native county, in the North Texas State Teachers College and in each of the universities of which he is a graduate. He was connected with the State Department of Education as rural school supervisor for four years. As a school man and a public speaker Mr. James is well known. He has delivered many addresses before teachers, institutes, educational associations, civic clubs, farmers' organizations, commercial clubs, law enforcement bodies, churches, public health associations and other important organizations.

With reference to the coming campaign Mr. James said:

"I am going to make the race for the important office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction because I want to be State Superintendent, and because I sincerely believe that the office will give me an opportunity to render a greater service to the state than I can possibly render in my present position. I believe that Texas needs and desires a constructive educational program—a program that will give to every child the educational opportunity to which he is justly entitled, and to every taxpayer a just return for the money he pays the schools."

"I am convinced that the State Department of Education can be made to render its greatest service to the people by securing and maintaining the co-operation of the educational forces in the state.

"I believe that Texas needs and practice economy, but I believe in genuine efficiency and progress also. The principles upon which my campaign will be based will be announced at a later date."

TEXAS TECH HAS BEST FOOTBALL FIELD IN PANHANDLE

Lubbock, Oct. 18.—Texas Technological College now boasts of one of the best football fields in the State. The playing field is in the shape of a semi-circle, thickly set with bermuda, thus insuring against a sloppy field even during a heavy rain.

A seven-foot cyclone fence around the entire athletic field has just been completed. The new section of steel stands with a capacity of 4,000 seats is also practically complete.

In recent years many grain farmers, recognizing the feeding value of dockage, are taking a greater interest in cleaning their grain on the farm or in having it cleaned at the country elevator and utilizing the screenings as feed for livestock. Country elevator operators, recognizing this demand for screenings, are making a greater effort to clean the grain before shipping it to market.

Charter No. 5463. Reserve District No. 11.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Clarendon, in the State of Texas, at the close of Business on October 10, 1927.

RESOURCES

1. Loans and discounts, including redemptions, acceptances of other banks and foreign bills discounted, drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in Item 1-b)	\$177,224.69
2. Acceptances of other banks discounted, excluding those sold with indorsement reported in Item 1-a.	136,978.74
3. Overdrafts, secured, \$85.62; unsecured, \$1,846.04	\$1,931.66
4. U. S. Government securities owned: a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value) \$ 50,000.00 b All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any)	100.00
Total	50,100.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc., owned	2,500.00
6. Banking House, \$2,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, none.	2,500.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	2,500.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	15,812.04
9. Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection	1,582.80
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	75,323.08
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, and 10)	2,057.70
12. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 15)	2,275.02
Total of Items 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$1,415.60
14. a Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town as reporting bank	5,756.00
b Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
Total	\$481,241.73

LIABILITIES

19. Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
20. Surplus fund	30,000.00
21. A Undivided profits	\$16,888.69
22. Less current expenses	\$ 3,552.91
23. Circulating notes outstanding	49,600.00
24. A Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States	\$ 11,440.11
B Certified checks outstanding	100.00
C Cashier's checks outstanding	1,850.00
Total of Items 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28	\$ 12,900.11
25. Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days)	\$11,811.64
26. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	624.33
27. Dividends unpaid	520.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve	\$12,956.97
28. Time deposits subject to Reserve (deposits other than 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice and postal savings)	\$12,940.87
29. Savings deposits (including time certificates of deposit other than for money borrowed)	\$ 12,940.87
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32	\$ 12,940.87
Total	\$481,241.73

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY, ss:
I, W. W. Taylor, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. W. TAYLOR, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of October, 1927.
C. G. POWELL, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
W. W. TAYLOR,
ODOS CARAWAY,
Directors.

MRS. M. C. REED BURIED FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14

Mrs. M. C. Reed, resident of Donley County for nearly twenty-five years, died at her home Thursday, October 13, and was buried in the Citizens Cemetery Friday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted at the family home, with the Reverend S. R. McClung, pastor of the First Baptist Church, in charge of the last rites. A host of friends from all parts of the county attended the funeral, and there was a profuse floral offering.

Anna Eliza Varnell was born in Whitfield County, Georgia, December 4, 1854. She became a member of the Baptist Church when she was fifteen years old and remained a member throughout her life. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, also, having joined when she was eighteen years of age. On December 26, 1876, she was married to M. C. Reed. To them were born seven children, three of whom survive their mother. The family moved to Donley County in 1903. Mr. and Mrs. Reed have lived in Clarendon the past eight years. Mrs. Reed had been in failing health for several months, but had been confined to her bed only a week.

PATHFINDER CLUB STUDIES AN O'NEILL DRAMA FRIDAY

The Pathfinder Club, meeting Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. P. Patman with Mrs. O. T. Smith as associate hostess, had an interesting program on Eugene O'Neill's "Beyond the Horizon." Miss Sarah Thompson was leader in the discussion and was assisted by Mrs. J. D. Stocking, Mrs. W. B. Sims, Mrs. Nathan Cox, Mrs. J. R. Porter, Mrs. C. A. Burton, and Miss Lillian Abbott.

Mrs. J. G. Sherman and Miss Ineva Headrick were special guests of the afternoon, and nineteen members were present. At the conclusion of the program, the hostesses served dainty refreshments.

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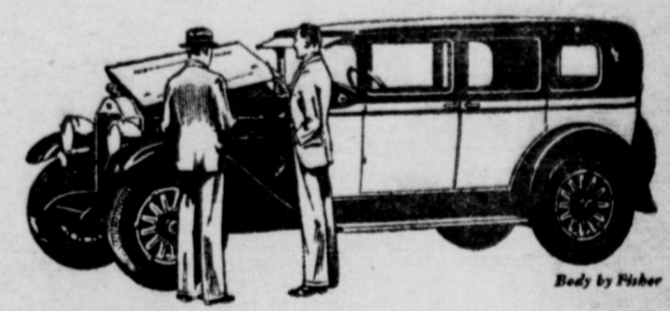
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BIG FALL OPENING SALE

Beginning Thursday, Oct. 20th, 8 a. m.

On next Thursday we will open our doors to a world of Remarkable Values. They will crowd our fine store to overflowing, for the savings offered are met up with only once in a lifetime. The reductions are so extremely liberal that you may buy an entire year's supply and go back home with a whole big lot of money left in your pocket. Come with the crowds! Little's sales have been criterions for other merchants for eighteen years. No one ever dared to say that Little's values could be surpassed and they were seldom equalled. Now no one will even attempt to come anywhere near the values that we offer for our Fall Opening Sale. People for hundreds of miles will flock to this Fall Opening Sale of the old reliable store known for eighteen years as the leading bargain-givers of this part of the State. People can rely on getting the greatest of all bargains now!

Our Loss Is Your Gain

Little Mercantile Company

The Home of Hart Schaffner and Marx Good Clothes

Premium Lists

(Continued From Page One.)

Sweepstakes, corn, all varieties—Elba Ballew.
Seed cotton, 5 pounds—W. P. Howard.
Cotton, 20 open bolls—W. P. Howard, M. L. Pittman, B. F. Williams.
Cotton, best 3 stalks—W. P. Howard, Sam Hill, T. A. Maxey.
Cucumbers—Major Hudson.
Peaches—W. H. Grey, Miss Kate Meaders, W. G. Grey.
Winners of the poultry prizes were as follows:
Ruffed Grouse
Cock—M. C. Rampey.
Young Pen—M. C. Rampey, Virginia Davis.
Cockerel—Virginia Davis.
Single Comb Rhode Island Red—Cock—E. V. Quattlebaum, first

and third; Stroud-Croft Farm, second.
Hen—E. V. Quattlebaum, first and third; Stroud-Croft Farm, second.
Cockerel—E. V. Quattlebaum, W. P. Howard, W. P. Howard.
Pullet—E. V. Quattlebaum, first and second; Miss Katie Meaders.
Young Pen—E. V. Quattlebaum.
White Leghorns, Exhibition
First, second and third prizes on cocks, hens and pullets—E. V. Quattlebaum.
White Leghorns, Production
Cock—E. V. Quattlebaum.
Pullet—E. V. Quattlebaum, first and second; W. Z. Borron, Stroud-Croft Farm.
Young Pen—Miss Katie Meaders.
Buff Orpingtons
Cockerel—Three prizes to N. H. Hornsby.
Hen—N. H. Hornsby, first and second; Mrs. J. H. McMurtry, third.
Pullet—Mrs. J. H. McMurtry, N. H. Hornsby, second and third.

Young Pen—Mrs. J. H. McMurtry, N. H. Hornsby.
White Cornish
Young Pen—G. A. Anderson.
Buff Leghorn
Cockerel—G. W. Bural.
Young Pen—G. W. Bural.
Silver Spangled Hamburg
Cockerel—Marvin Lindsey.
Young Pen—Mrs. O. C. Hill.
Houdans
Cockerel—Mrs. O. C. Hill.
Pullet—Mrs. O. C. Hill, first and second.
Sweepstakes
Best cock in show, S. C. Rhode Island Red—E. V. Quattlebaum.
Best cockerel in show, S. C. Rhode Island Red—E. V. Quattlebaum.
Best pen in show, S. C. Rhode Island Red—E. V. Quattlebaum.
Best pullet in show, White Leghorn—E. V. Quattlebaum.
Best hen in show, Buff Orpington—N. H. Hornsby.
Turkeys, All Bronze
Young Tom—M. C. Rampey, W. P. Holley.
Pullets—M. C. Rampey, first, second and third; W. P. Holley, fourth.
Hen—M. C. Rampey.
Old Tom—M. C. Rampey.
Club and Community prizes were awarded to the following:
Community—First, Martin; second, Ashtola; third, Chamberlain.
Club—First, Lelia Lake; second, Martin; third, Ashtola.
Girls—Clubs—First, Ashtola; second, Martin; third, Lelia Lake.
White Embroidery
Pillow Cases, Crochet—Miss Katie Meaders, Mrs. O. C. Watson, Mrs. Van Eaton.
Pillow Cases, Embroidered—Mrs. H. C. Kerbow, Mrs. Jim Patman, Fannie Florence Sims.
Lunch Cloth and Napkins—Lucille Goldston, Mrs. H. C. Kerbow.
Lunch Set—Katie Meaders, Mrs. Eva Rhodes.
Centerpiece—Mrs. Bennett Kerbow, Mrs. H. Mulkey.
Scarf—Mrs. Eva Rhodes.
Guest Towel—Mrs. Eva Rhodes.
Sheet—Mrs. C. R. Skinner, Mrs. Eva Rhodes.
Drawn-work Set—Mrs. L. Caraway.
Colored Embroidery
Centerpiece—Mrs. J. M. Acord, Mrs. L. L. Timms, Mrs. J. Beverley.
Scarf—Miss Mamie Wood, Miss Katie Meaders, Mrs. Inez Bryant.
Vanity Set—Lucille Goldston, Mrs. J. D. McAdams, Mrs. Otis Barnes.
Tea Set—Mrs. Y. E. McAdams, Mrs. J. W. Bailey, Lucille Goldston.
Sheets—Norma Rhodes, Mrs. Eva Rhodes, Mrs. C. A. Burton.
Pillow Cases—Mrs. J. Beverley, Lucille Goldston, Mrs. J. D. McAdams.
House Dress—Mrs. W. Spitzer.
Kitchen Apron—Mrs. J. D. McAdams.
Braided Rugs—Boydston Club, Naylor Club.
Hooked Rugs—Mrs. B. W. Moreman, Mrs. G. W. Antrobus, Mrs. Sam Dyer.
Home-made Furniture—Mrs. G. W. Antrobus.
Culinary
Peaches—Mrs. H. M. Corbin, Mrs. W. R. Holder, Mrs. Catlett.
Plums—Mrs. Catlett, Mrs. John Chamberlain, Mrs. Catlett.
Cherries—Mrs. Corbin, Mrs. W. A. Pool, Miss Katie Meaders.
Tomatoes—Mrs. J. M. Acord, Mrs. H. Skinner, Edith Williams.
Beans—Mrs. J. M. Acord.
Peas—Mrs. J. M. Acord.

Pickles—Mrs. W. M. Emmons, Mrs. J. M. Acord.
Pickled Peaches—Mrs. J. A. Howard, Edith Williams, Mrs. M. M. Henderson.
Mixed Pickles—Mrs. J. Chamberlain, Mrs. J. M. Acord, Mrs. W. H. Corbin.
Relish—Mrs. E. V. Quattlebaum.
Chili Sauce—Mrs. W. A. Poovey, Mrs. W. W. Taylor, Mrs. J. M. Acord.
Pear Preserves—Mrs. Y. E. McAdams, Mrs. Bill Green, Mrs. M. M. Henderson.
Peach Preserves—Mrs. E. V. Quattlebaum, Mrs. W. H. Corbin.
Tomato Preserves—Mrs. W. H. Corbin, Mrs. J. C. Estlack.
Peach Jam—Edith Williams, Mrs. W. R. Holder.
Grape Jam—Mrs. W. L. Crane.
Apple Butter—Mrs. Horace Reed.
Jelly
Plum—Mrs. Bill Green, Mrs. W. M. Emmons, Lola Cook.
Apple—Mrs. W. M. Emmons, Mrs. W. R. Holder.
Grape—Mrs. W. R. Holder, Mrs. W. R. Holder.
Cakes
Angel Food—Mrs. H. Skinner, Mrs. G. W. Antrobus, Mrs. R. Andis.
Layer Cake—Mrs. M. A. Hahn, Mrs. W. M. Emmons.
Devil Food—Mrs. M. A. Hahn.
Loaf Cake—Mrs. Womack.
Potato Cake—Nettie Sims.
White Bread—Mrs. Bill Greene, Mrs. C. Johnson.
Whole Wheat Bread—Mrs. B. Greene.
Floral
Dahlias—Mrs. C. G. Speed.
Bouquet Roses, any variety—Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton.
Bouquet Rosebuds, one variety—Mrs. R. Kerbow.
Lace Fern—Mrs. Bill Greene.
Springer Fern—Mrs. B. Greene.
Boston Fern—Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton.
Maiden Hair Fern—Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton.
Begonia—Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton.
Flowering Pot Plant—Mrs. C. R. Skinner.
Non-flowering Pot Plant—Mrs. J. D. Stocking.
Artistic Bouquet—Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton.
Fine Arts
Landscape—Mrs. John Orr, Ruth Little, Ann Davis.
Head or Figure—Mrs. C. Whitlock, Mrs. C. Whitlock.
Painting from Nature—Mrs. C. Whitlock.
Animal—Mrs. Crabtree.
Watercolor
Landscape—Agnis Caraway, Walter Parker, Martha Blackman.
Head or Figure—Virgil Merchant, Martha Blackman, Walter Parker.
Flowers—Walter Parker.
Painting from Nature—Ann Davis.
Decorative Art
Lamp Shade—Mrs. C. R. Skinner, Mrs. Ben Andis, Mrs. J. W. Bailey.
Reed or Basket—Katie Meaders, Lorena Steagall.
Plaque—Mrs. J. Beverley, Mrs. Y. E. McAdams.
Juvenile Department—Water Color
Landscape—Alfred McMurtry.
Head or Figure—Alfred McMurtry.
Animal—Alfred McMurtry.
Women's Home Demonstration Club—Lelia Lake, Martin, Ashtola.
Girls' Home Demonstration Club—Lavera Poovey, Beatrice Randal, Maude Howard.
Individual exhibit of club women

ASHTOLA
Sunday School was well attended Sunday morning. Rev. Fulgham delivered a very interesting sermon.
A number of people attended the fair at Clarendon. The community won second prize in their booth. Miss Lovera Poovey also won six first prizes.
Miss Onata Hayter spent Sunday with Miss Minnie Lee Armstrong.
Mrs. J. F. Scarborough of Petersburg spent the weekend with relatives here.
Miss Agatha Taylor of Clarendon spent the weekend with Miss Oleta Swinburn.
Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Randal and daughter visited relatives and friends in Amarillo Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hester spent Sunday with N. L. Jones.
Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin of Oklahoma visited their son, Lee Nowlin, the past week.
Miss Merle Hart spent Sunday with Miss Margaret Swinburn.
Mr. Armstrong and family of Hedley visited his parents Sunday.
Miss Vera Johnson spent Monday night with Miss Beatrice Randal.
Stanley Johnson visited H. W. Lovell Sunday.
Miss Helen Parker spent Sunday night with Miss Jewell McGovern.
The Ashtola Builders met in the home of W. A. Poovey Friday night, for their class meeting. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed by all.

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Leo Underwood of Amarillo attended the Donley County Fair and transacted business matters in this city Friday.

J. W. Mode, division superintendent of the Fort Worth and Denver Road, was down from Amarillo to attend the fair Friday.

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Friday and Saturday Specials

Honey in Comb, 5 lbs. for.....	80c
Gallon Blackberries, per can.....	55c
Spuds, per peck.....	35c
Sweet Potatoes, per peck.....	28c
Sugar, 25 lbs. for.....	\$1.75
Tokay Grapes, per lb.....	10c

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UNCLAIMED LETTERS
Clarendon, Texas, Oct. 18, 1927.
Letters remaining in this office unclaimed for the week ending October 18, 1927.
Barnett, Arillar.
Brown, J. D.
Blair, Charlie.
Evans, J. L.
Gierd, Walter.
Griffin, Hugh.
Henson, E. N.
Ingeam, G. W. (3).
Miller, J. M.
Romo, Tito.
Reed, Jim.
Romo, Candido.
Simpson, Gertrude.
Smith, E. (2).
Spikes, Iris.
Shugart, Frankie.
Skelly, Mrs.
Shelton, J. R.
Williams, E. T.
HOMER GLASCOE, P. M.,
Clarendon, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express appreciation and thanks for the many acts of kindness shown us in our recent bereavement over the passing of our dear father, and especially for the beautiful floral offerings.
Mrs. Lula B. Oltorf.
Mrs. Mary B. Adams.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkhead.
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mack of Amarillo were in Clarendon to attend the fair Friday. Mr. Mack is trainmaster for the Fort Worth and Denver Railway.
of fifteen jars fruits and vegetables—Mrs. J. C. Estlack, Mrs. J. Chamberlain.