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The Fruit and Melon Crop of Donley County This Year is Immense and is Paying the Producers Very Handsomely.

Mr. Beverly's Wholesale Hospitality

Celebrates Friend's Visit By Killing the Fatted Calf
And Invites Entire Town to the Feast.

One of the most delightful occasions that has fallen to this writer, and I dare say to all who enjoyed the occasion, was the picnic and barbecue tendered on last Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Beverly at their home on the LU ranch to their friends, of whom over 200 attended. It is about 8 miles north of Clarendon to the ranch headquarters, which is located very picturesquely on the banks of Carroll creek, where clear rippling waters never fail, but like Tennessee's brook in his world famous poem "go on forever." Allow me to digress enough from the write-up of this occasion to say that one of the most attractive features of Donley county is her some 200 everflowing springs and streams of pure water.

The ride out was greatly enjoyed by the townspeople. The crops along the way were a revelation and convinced us that the reports which had reached us were like the reports to the queen of Sheba about the magnificence of the kingdom of King Solomon, "the half had not been told."

Masters Roy and Willie Beverly took charge of everybody's team, seeing that they were both watered and fed and ready again when wanted. Mr. and Mrs. Beverly and their daughter, Mrs. Walter Taylor, took charge of the guests and saw to it that they all had "the time of their lives."

All early went to the large grove where the tables and barbecue pit, which place at most any old kind of barbecue and picnic proves the most attractive place, but especially so was it on this occasion.

No epicurean could hardly do justice in description of that dinner or rather feast, which all enjoyed. It consisted of barbecued calf, the aroma of which tempted even Bro. Dodson away from fried chicken, cowboy campash or stew. Oh, how fine it was, boiled roasting ears, all kinds of vegetables, pickles, jellies, preserves, pies, fruits, a whole wagon load of watermelons, hot coffee, ice water, etc. Like myself, everyone resolved to "go all the gaits" and eat something of everything and all those who were able to do so went through the course again, always beginning and ending with

the barbecued beef. Bro. Dodson, while eating on his fourth piece of pie, said it did not taste good like it did when he began, while Editor Blake said, after going back to about his third roasting ear, that it did not taste good now "like it did when he was a boy." The eating contest for "the longest there and the most of it" is undecided between W. P. McKenzie, the Jericho hotel man, and Jim Barnett of Clarendon, with Jim Rutherford a close second. The whole occasion was one to be long remembered by everyone present.

After dinner the children waded in the creek with some grownup ones "for guides," while some of the older ones sat under the shade and talked of old times in the Panhandle and elsewhere. Some "others" stole away from the gaze of the quizzical ones, up on the mossy banks and "dealt in futures" and "eyes looked into eyes that spoke back," but, alas, the kodak had found them and all was blushes. Several kodak views were taken that will prove both pleasing and amusing in the future. The occasion was complimentary to Mr. I. A. Hart, of Oklahoma, who was visiting with Mr. Beverly. They were school boys together in old Parker county, though neither will say how many years ago nor give any other details except that they never could settle who could beat playing marbles, and to the great delight of the crowd they again played marbles in the old fashioned way and others joined in until it looked like a crowd of innocent, happy school boys. But the poet truly described it, saying,

Men are only boys grows tall,
Hearts change but little after all.

But enough. The crowd enjoyed every moment of the time to the fullest measure and none seemed happier than Mr. and Mrs. Beverly as their guests assured them of the enjoyment the occasion had afforded them, so much so that they assured one and all that not only were their doors open at all times to their friends but that they expected to repeat the same kind of an occasion next year. Their hospitality knows no bounds and their friends are legion.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

GEORGE KINCLOE.

That was the Name of the Man Found Dead in Lake Last Week.

Sheriff Patman is in receipt of a letter from the man, Shepherd, of Ladonia, stating that the description furnished him of the dead man found in the Jefferies lake last week tallies exactly with that of a man named George Kinclow who had been working for him as railroad cook, and whom he had sent up this way on account of his health, expecting him to find work with the construction gang now at work on the Denver. He had known Kinclow for a number of years but knew nothing about his relatives except that he thought they lived in St. Louis.

—Sheet music at Clower's.

Fruit Shipments.

Local Freight and Express Agent Baldwin reports the demand good for Donley county fruits and vegetables and says he is loading out lots of stuff every day. He says he can handle all the good stuff that the people may have for sale. He has orders now for 1000 pounds of grapes at 2c per pound net. There is being shipped now a great many cantaloupes for which the growers are realizing 25c per dozen. Mr. L. K. Egerton is doing the heaviest shipping of this fruit and claims to be entirely satisfied with results.

C. A. Wright was here this week with a wagon load of new threshed wheat which he had sold at \$1 per bushel. He reports an average yield of 12 1-2 bushels to the acre. The field was pastured all winter up until late in the spring.

Big Peaches—Fine Peaches.

Donley county's peach crop this year is par excellence. Some of the largest and finest specimens of this fruit have been marketed this week we have ever seen in any country. A. M. Beville has on display a plate of large yellow fellows grown by Juan Roderiquez which can hardly be beaten for size, color and flavor. Mr. Hatchett on Wednesday brought in a wagon load of the Chinese Cling peaches which at first sight looked like a load of cantaloupes. One specimen left by him at this office weighed 11 ounces and measured 10 1/2 inches in circumference, and he had secured some even larger than that. Mr. Hatchett is from Alvord and said he thought he knew all about fine peaches but that this was an eye-opener to him. He says that he now knows that this county cannot be beat for raising peaches.

Goodnight Rate.

A rate of one and a third fare for round trip to Goodnight on account of camp meeting. Tickets will be on sale August 18th, 20th, 23rd, 26th, 27th and 30th, and September 2nd and 3rd. The college rooms will be open to campers and meals can be had on the grounds at reasonable rates.

\$10 per Acre.

A trade was consummated this week whereby Capt. E. E. McGee sold his half-section improved place near Lelia to a Mr. Cook, from Erath county. The consideration was \$16 per acre, purchaser to take the crop and all improvements. In reply to the expressed regrets that he had seen fit to sell out and maybe leave us the jolly Captain offered the consolation that the population of the county was increased to the number of twelve by the trade as he only had three children while Mr. Cook was the happy father of fifteen. The Banner-Stockman is not informed of Capt. McGee's future movements, but trusts that he will stay with us, and we believe he will, for if ever a man was married to a country it is E. E. McGee to Donley county. He has been a citizen with us for several years and numbers his friends only by the scope of his acquaintance. No better citizen ever lived among us than Capt. McGee.

Jerusalem Drawn Work.

See our special window display of Jerusalem Drawn Work which will be on "Special Sale" Friday and Saturday.

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Farewell Dance.

At the Chamberlain farm on Tuesday night W. J. Lewis tendered a farewell dance to a large party of friends in honor of Miss Franc Johnson who left next day for her home in Sioux City, Iowa, after a visit of several weeks' duration with her cousin, Miss Bessie Chamberlain. The occasion was perhaps the most widely attended social function of the season, and the host did himself proud in his manner of entertaining. Elegant refreshments, consisting of cake, cream and punch were served, Mrs. F. D. Martini presiding at the punch bowl. Dancing was the order of the evening and the hour was late when the guests reluctantly departed for their homes.

Saturday, while returning from the Beverly ranch the team to R. S. Kimberlin's surrey ran away. The carriage was occupied by A. M. Beville and some of the lady members of the family. The accident was caused by the coupling of the carriage breaking, allowing the vehicle to come in two, the team running off with the front wheels. Mr. Beville was the only occupant of the carriage hurt, suffering bruises about the head and face.

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Clarendon, Tex., Aug. 18, 1905

THE Hico Review comes to our office this week clothed in gala habiliments with souvenir edition trimmings. It is an honor to its publisher.

AN anti-onion club has been organized by the women of Portsmouth, Ohio. Those who eat onions are now expected to raise a stink over the matter.

WE notice that the name of D. M. Norwood is at the masthead of the Baylor County Banner. Mr. Norwood established the Banner ten years ago but retired from the newspaper business about three years ago. It is with pleasure we welcome him back into the fold.

THE Childress Index has reduced subscription price from \$1.50 to \$1.00 per year. The Index is worth the extra fifty cents it had getting but the \$1 price has seemingly become a fixture in Texas and one by one the higher priced papers are reducing their terms.

A mighty funny man who won't say anything hard about the Panhandle now.—Silverton Enterprise.

Can't see anything so excruciatingly funny about it. Such a person would either be a fit subject for the foolish factory or a colossal liar.

NICKIE No. 2, chief bottle washer for the kingdom of nihilists, gave away \$10,000 in tips on the occasion of his visit to Cowes, and yet refuses to back his hand in the peace conference game now being played between his representatives and the diplomats of the flowery kingdom. Japan's four flush beats Nickie's pair of aces, Linevitch and whiskevitch, so bad that the bear that walks like a man will find that he is in a game of freeze-out with no openers.

THE Banner-Stockman premium contest is beginning to warm up and a big interest is manifested. The terms of the contest have been stated plainly and we will endeavor to live up to those terms. For the benefit of some who have misunderstood them, however, we will state that no votes will be given on money paid us for advertising or job work. This is strictly a subscription contest and nothing but subscription money will count. A coupon will be found in every paper good for five votes. Every cent paid on subscription entitles the party paying to one vote. It matters not whether the payment is made for subscription in advance or arrears.

The handle has got ahead of the pan. Sure the bottom rail has gotten on the top and Hall county is now shipping melons to that good county of Ellis. John Stewart is now at Waxahachie and has orders for several cars of the fine Upper Red River Valley melons, the first car going out Tuesday.—Hall County Herald.

EACH GETS ONE.

Amarillo and Clarendon Break Even in Two Excellent Ball Games.

Amarillo, Texas, Aug. 14.
Special to Banner-Stockman:
The Clarendon baseball team came to town Saturday, for two games, and they made things extremely interesting both that day and the next. The first game they won by a score of 7 to 5, owing chiefly to unfortunate errors on the part of the locals.

At the second game there was an attendance of about 400 people, and barring the inexcusable delay in calling the game, the patrons were well satisfied. The new ball park is handy for everybody, and the attendance proves clearly that the people are pleased with the change.

There was a stiffening up in this second day game that moved things. Fowler pitched and was there with the goods, striking out ten men and batting a few. Kerbow pitched a good game, too, but the locals simply had their batting clothes on and would not be denied. Kerbow gave way to Atteberry in the seventh, but it did not make much difference to the Amarillos. Following is the detailed score:

Clarendon—	AB	H	R	PO	A	E
E. Kerbo, p.	5	1	2	0	1	0
Cooke, 2b.	5	3	0	1	1	1
Hildebrand, et al, 3b.	5	0	2	1	0	0
Atteberry, et al, ss.	5	0	0	1	1	0
Wilson, et al, 3b.	5	1	1	3	3	1
Adams, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wells, cf.	4	0	0	3	0	0
F. Kerbo, lf.	4	1	0	0	1	2
Crawford, 1b.	4	0	0	8	3	1
Totals	41	6	5	24	10	5

Amarillo—	AB	H	R	PO	A	E
Davis, 2b.	4	1	1	2	2	0
H. Trollinger, 1b.	4	3	1	10	0	2
Tepe, 3b.	4	1	1	2	0	3
Harris, lf.	4	1	0	1	0	0
J. Trollinger, c.	4	2	0	1	1	0
Anderson, rf.	4	1	0	0	0	1
Bivins, et al, 2f.	4	2	1	0	2	3
Fowler, p.	4	1	2	0	2	0
Mallard, et al ss.	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	36	13	7	27	9	9

By innings—
Clarendon.....0 0 1 0 0 1 1 1 1—5
Amarillo.....0 0 6 0 0 1 0 0—7

SUMMARY—Struck out by Fowler 10, by Kerbow 8; stolen bases, Bivins, Tepe, Hildebrand, H. Trollinger; earned runs, Amarillo 2; Two-base hits, Cooke 2, E. Kerbow; hit by pitcher, Fowler; double play, Hildebrand to Crawford, Atteberry to Crawford to Hildebrand; time 1:40; umpire, A. McKnight.

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"You can't most always sometimes tell."

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The hunter answered that the birds were not too fat, and that he had only seen four plover that day but was answered, that there were lots of plover, and that they were fat and offensive.

The poor hunter faltered, but reminded his friend that there was a lady visitor at his house who might like the birds and was again answered that the lady was gone.

The next morning when at breakfast the hunter's wife asked him what he was smiling at, to himself, and he replied, "I was thinking that all birds are not plover. I tried to give these birds away yesterday and got snubbed for my generosity."

MORAL: The meat of the plover is dark, the meat of the prairie chicken is dark, the meat of the quail is white; all are good to eat. Accept a small favor if offered unsolicited and give thanks and don't be too particular and jump at conclusions.

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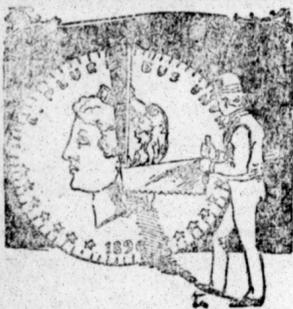
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A TRIP TO SILVERTON.

Being a History of the Trials and Tribulations, also an Account of a Royal Good Time with Hospitable People.

The party started from Clarendon on Thursday July 27, at about 7:10 a. m., all quite happy as they knew they were going into a country where sociability and hospitality were practiced by all. Along the road they amused themselves by singing and joking, each one trying to tell the scariest tale, having a good time in general. (Better than you have when you go for a drive with your best.) As they drove through Mrs. Adair's beautiful pastures and gazed on the fine-bred, fat cattle they decided to buy JA cattle after this.

They found the shady grove near the windmill at J. O. Donnel's a very pleasant place to noon and stopped here for about an hour. After dinner Joe amused himself by telling what a bad road they yet had to cross; how they would look after they would swim Red River and climb the Cap Rock; their mother would not know them; and how many people had been drowned while trying to cross that terrible river; how many hack and buggy and automobile loads had, after a toilsome journey of tugging up that Cap Rock, slid all the way back down the rocky road on their bald heads and not until they had tried the third time reached the top and then not safely, for they would all have broken bones. We believe he succeeded in arousing the peculiar nervous feelings of his "frau," for these words grew to be quite common: "Joe you will have to stop and let me walk awhile. I am so nervous I can't sit in this buggy any longer." As for the girls they had been all over the rocky roads and sand hills of New Mexico and had crossed Pike's Peak a few times so Joe's words did not take effect. They drove along even jollier than ever telling their experience of crossing worse roads than the Cap Rock. Well, they crossed the river all right but from the grip the "frau" had on the side of the buggy, we believe she thought it was going to jump a fence.

Oh, that windmill on the other side of the river! We believe that gyp water is a healthful beverage, that it relieves fatigue and physical exhaustion and is just the thing for professional travelers, but oh, if you ever feel despondent and home sick and want to see papa and mama leave it alone.

The goal was at last won; they had no trouble climbing the Cap Rock—really enjoyed it. However, they could not truthfully say they were not overjoyed to see the rolling plains once more and to know they were nearing their destination. Not a sign board escaped their eyes and when at a distance they saw Silverton they were happier than ever. Who would not have had a light heart knowing such a good time was theirs? They at last came to a gate opening into a broad field and fine fat cattle could be seen on all sides grazing on the beautiful pastures. In the distance could be seen the residence of the far famed Capt. D. H. Sweeney. Here is where this jolly crowd were to stop and they were received as if they had been a long lost brother. When they reached Capt. Sweeney's it was about 8:30 p. m. They retired early for they had to drive into Silverton the next morning for the barbecue. At 9 o'clock the 28th they were at Silverton, highly enjoying themselves listening to the fine speaking shaking (continued on page 7)

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Our Country Correspondents

McLean Minnows.

McLEAN, TEXAS, Aug. 15.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN.

We have been visited by fine rains and everything looks promising. Have watermelons and cantaloupes in great abundance.

Some new buildings are going up almost every week.

One car of lumber for the Methodist church has arrived and has been unloaded expecting the other daily work will begin on it as soon as possible the contract has not been let yet.

Rev. Lusk, pastor of the Baptist church here, assisted by Rev. Wesson of Hereford are carrying a very successful meeting here. Bro. Wesson is a power in the pulpit.

Bro. Harris is this week holding a meeting at the Gardenhire school house.

Homer Crabtree is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Willingham returned home this week after a very pleasant visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Crabtree.

Now is the time to sow turnip seed and I think almost all are availing themselves of the opportunity.

L. M. Haynes is unloading a car of wagons and implements this week.

There has been some real estate sales the past week but failed to learn all the contracting parties. F. A. Cousins sold 50 head of steers to Judge Davidson last week for \$10.50 around; also Johnie Sugg sold some the same week for \$19 and some cows and heifers for \$14.

Mr. Easterwood sold his house and lot this week to Mr. Vanderberg.

BETSY.

Giles Glimmerings.

GILES, TEXAS, Aug. 15

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Mrs. T. C. Ranson spent Monday in Memphis.

W. J. Thaxton made a business trip to Childress Friday.

Mrs. Homer Ring took the train here Wednesday for a trip to Cottle county to see her mother.

Arthur Ranson left Tuesday for Amarillo.

W. A. Wylie section foreman at this place went down to Ft. Worth Sunday night.

Dayton and Tom Shelton shipped cattle from here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson of Roswell, N. M. and Mrs. Gus Gary of Greenville are visiting P. C. Johnson and family this week.

Quite a crowd of Memphis people attended church at this place Monday night.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Thaxton has been real sick for some weeks but is better at this writing.

Mrs. F. L. Mevis left Monday night for Amarillo where she will visit for a while then she will spend some two months visiting in Chicago and Michigan.

R. H. Matthews passed through Giles Monday night on his way to Amarillo.

The post office has been moved to the residence of J. S. Young during the absence of Mrs. Mevis.

It is Up to the Light Company.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Referring to your notice of last week in which you say that the city fathers should have located a street light between the double bridges on First street will say that Alderman Taylor, of the Street and Alley Committee, gave an order for a light at this place some three or four months ago. The delay, I suppose, on the part of the electric light company is because they have no line near this particular place, but they assured me some two weeks ago that it would be put up at once—though I do not see it as yet.

Very truly,
A. M. BEVILLE,
Mayor.

T. J. Davis and wife left Tuesday for a visit to Ft. Worth.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS AT KANSAS CITY.

THE WEEK'S TRADE REPORTED BY CLAY, ROBINSON & COMPANY, LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

OFFICES AT CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, OMAHA, SIOUX CITY, ST. JOSEPH AND DENVER.

Special to BANNER-STOCKMAN.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 15.

Receipts of cattle thus far this week are 31,200; last week 32,400; last year, 20,500. The supply of choice cornfed steers was small Monday, wintered and grass westerns predominated. The market was steady to strong for cornfed offerings but slow for other kinds, at steady to low lower rates. Cornfed cows and heifers were scarce and steady. Good grass cows ranged from steady to low lower; medium grades steady and canners to higher. Bulls were slow but were slow but steady; veals to 25c lower. Stocker and feeders were dull at steady to low off. Cornfed beef steers were again scarce today. Competition was good for them at steady to low higher figures. For grassers the demand was dull and trade slow at steady to irregularly lower rates. Fed cows and heifers sold quickly and steady but grassers closed low off. Bulls and veals were unchanged. Stockers and feeders were steady to weak, best demand being for heavy feeders; common stockers dead dull. The following table gives quotations now ruling:

Extra prime cornfed steers	\$5.20 to 5.55
Good	4.85 to 5.20
Ordinary	4.25 to 4.75
Choice cornfed heifers	4.60 to 5.00
Good	4.10 to 4.60
Medium	3.50 to 4.10
Choice cornfed cows, heavy	4.00 to 4.25
Good	3.25 to 3.85
Medium	2.75 to 3.25
Canners	1.50 to 2.50
Choice stags	4.25 to 4.75
Choice fed bulls	3.50 to 4.00
Good	3.25 to 3.50
Bologna bulls	2.00 to 2.50
Veal calves	5.25 to 5.75
Good to choice native or western stockers	3.60 to 4.00
Fair	3.25 to 3.60
Common	2.75 to 3.25
Good to choice heavy native feeders	4.00 to 4.25
Fair	3.50 to 4.00
Good to choice heavy branded horned feeders	3.40 to 3.65
Fair	3.25 to 3.40
Common	3.00 to 3.25
Good to choice stock heifers	2.75 to 3.00
Fair	2.25 to 2.75
Good to choice stock calves, steers	4.00 to 4.50
Fair	3.50 to 4.00
Good to choice stock calves, heifers	3.00 to 3.50
Fair	2.50 to 3.00
Choice wintered grass steers	4.10 to 4.40
Good	3.75 to 4.10
Fair	3.40 to 3.75
Choice grass cows	2.75 to 3.15
Good	2.50 to 2.75
Common	2.00 to 2.50

Receipts of hogs thus far this week are 10,400; last week, 9,900; last year, 10,200. Monday's market was 5 to 7 1/2c higher, tops reaching \$6.22 1/2. Today's trade opened steady but soon weakened and closed fully 10c lower. Bulk of sales were from \$6.00 to 6.15 to 6.20.

Receipts of sheep thus far this week are 5,300; last week, 2,200; last year, 9,000. Monday's trade was strong to 10c higher and today strong and active. We quote: Choice lambs, \$6.50 to 6.75; choice yearlings, \$5.25 to 5.50; choice wethers, \$4.75 to \$5.00; choice ewes, \$4.50 to \$4.75.

PROGRAMME.

County Sunday School Meeting at Rowe, September 3, 1905.

Song.

Invocation—E. B. Dishman.

Song.

Meeting called to order, elect chairman.

Address on organized Sunday School work—W. A. Edwards.

Song.

Primary Work—Misses Gabie Betts, Maggie Stout, Hattie Donnell, and Mrs. W. B. Sims.

NOON.

Meeting called to order by chairman.

Song.

Should Sunday School help be used in the class.—Judge O'Neal, E. Dubbs, W. H. Cooke.

Song—Clarendon M. E. Sunday School.

Mode of increasing interest in S. S.—work G. A. Oller, J. S. Young, E. C. Duggins.

Young men in the Sunday School—J. M. Clower, W. M. Horn, Dr. Burkhead.

Song.

Round table—W. A. Edwards and others.

Song.

Permanent organization and election of officers.

Cheap Lard.

Cold Storage Lard is the best on this market. We are overstocked with it, however, and to move it out we have reduced the prices as follows:

5-lb. buckets from 70c to 60c.

10-lb. buckets from \$1.40 to \$1.20.

50-lb. cans from \$6.25 to \$5.

This is the cheapest price ever offered on good lard. Supply yourself before it is all gone. A strict guarantee goes with every pound sold.

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COLD STORAGE MARKET.

—Bed-bug-beater at Stocking's store.

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Prescriptions compounded by a registered and thoroughly experienced pharmacist, Mr. T. L. Goodman. Services given day or night. Remember that our line of Jewelry is complete, and we have spectacles that will Suit.

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B. W. CHAMBERLAIN

Gone to Clarendon.

Dr. T. H. Blackwell left Saturday for Clarendon, Texas, where he will make his permanent home. Dr. Blackwell came to this town three years ago and had gained for himself a nice practice for such a thinly settled country, but owing to the fact that the country is so thinly settled, and not enough practice to keep him employed, decided to seek a better location. Dr. Blackwell is a high toned gentleman and commands the respect of all his acquaintances and during his stay here has made many and lasting friends. Last but not least he is a fine physician and surgeon, this fact no one will deny. He has been very successful in his practice here and we can cheerfully recommend him to the people of Clarendon as a doctor and as a gentleman. The people here regret very much to lose Dr. Blackwell, but all join the Item in wishing him all the success that is possible for him.—Dickens Item.

Cemetery Association.

The ladies of the city are requested to meet with Mrs. R. F. Wood Saturday evening at 5 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a Cemetery Association. Such an organization is greatly needed. The Citizens cemetery is not in as good shape as it should be and never will be until the ladies take hold of the matter and devise ways and means to make improvements. It is hoped that a big attendance of the ladies will be had at this meeting. Every woman in the city is urged to be present.

Sheriff Patman made rather an important arrest Wednesday. The man secured was Sam Chapman who was wanted in Armstrong county for horse theft. It is said that there are about five or six indictments hanging over his head. When arrested he was in the act of taking the train, having come in from Gray county for that purpose.

The Sunday school picnic at Lelia Tuesday was not as well attended as had been expected. The railway company had set out two coaches to accommodate the crowd, but Agent Baldwin reports the sale of only 47 tickets.

—Have added a line of sheet music, both vocal and instrumental. See the line and get prices. J. M. Clower.

Mr. Egbert Thames, of Taylor, came in this week for a visit with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Bennett.

Shirts

Shirts are an absolute necessity; the law requires that one shall at all times wear a shirt or a substitute for same. To present a dressy appearance one should be careful in their selection of Shirts. We have just received as pretty a line of Shirts as has ever come into the Panhandle and are offering them at prices that will prove satisfactory to the buyer. It is our desire to please our customers and with few exceptions have succeeded in doing so. If you are not one of our regular customers give us a trial and you may find it to your interest to trade regularly with us. We always keep nice things in cold drinks and can please you along this line.

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I have just opened a shop in the Barnett brick building on Main street, with new furniture and fixtures, and a first-class bath room for hot and cold baths. Patrons are assured of first-class work and clean service. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

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Finest Fruit.

See my samples and leave orders at The Martin-Bennett store if FENN BOURLAND.

L. K. Egerton is now shipping every day about 15 crates of cantaloupes. Express Agent Baldwin finds a ready market for them, and Mr. Egerton realizes about \$1 per crate, there being four dozen to the crate. These cantaloupes are of the very finest flavor, much better than any that has ever been shipped in here.

—All late books of fiction can be bought at Clower's.

—LOST—One small Poland China pig, one white foot, several white spots. Finder please notify F. D. Martin, city.

Fred Bales, of Ector, Fannin county, is here this week visiting his old friend, T. R. Moreman, and prospecting for a location. He says the western fever is pretty high in old Fannin and there will be several parties made up to come this way.

Rakes!

We are closing out our line of Hay Rakes at the following prices:

McCORMICK, 10 FT.
\$19.25.

THOMAS, 8 FT. AND 9 FT.
\$17.50.

WOOD FRAME, 8 FT.
\$15.00.

If you are in the market for a Hay Rake you can't afford to pass up this opportunity.

You are especially invited to call and inspect the Eagle Kaffir Corn Header—the only machine of its kind in the Panhandle, and the only one that will successfully head Kaffir. It does away with the heading of Kaffir, Maize and Sorghum with the knife, will save the price of itself in your own crop and you can cut enough for your neighbors to pay for the header several times over.

We are also agents for the famous J. I. Case Threshing Machinery.

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Hdw. & Imp. Co.**

\$45.00 Steel Range Coupon.

This coupon is good for FIVE (5) votes in the Banner-Stockman Range Contest when clipped and presented at the Banner-Stockman office. Contest closes October 15, 1905, at noon.

It is cast for

W. O. W. Unveiling.

As previously announced the local camp Woodmen of the World held the unveiling ceremonies at the Citizens cemetery Sunday afternoon. The monument so unveiled was that over the grave of Sov. H. C. Patton. The unveiling ceremony is a beautiful one as well as impressive, and the details were carried out on this occasion in a splendid manner. There were about 50 Woodmen in line, while the crowd present to witness the ceremony numbered 400 or 500. Arriving at the grave the Woodmen formed a wedge about the grave of the deceased brother. Those having parts in the service were: L. C. Beverly, Master of Ceremonies; Wade Willis, Orator; W. R. Silvey, Poet; H. W. Kelley, Consul Commander; E. A. Taylor, Advisor Lieutenant; A. C. Donnel, Banker; J. J. Alexander, Clerk. There were several visitors from neighboring camps.

The Woodmen lodge is a growing one the world over. The local camp is in a prosperous condition. The fact that all deceased brothers are provided with a \$100 monument free makes the order a popular one; great is Woodcraft.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Powell went to Childress the first of the week to attend a neighborhood reunion of friends from their old home near Bartlett. A number of families were represented and Mr. Powell reports a most pleasant occasion.

Plenty of Fruit Jars for Clarendon.

Williams Bros. and Taylor & Sons have placed an order for a full carload of fruit jars which will arrive in about ten days. Can fill any order from this shipment.

Go to the opera house tonight and see the Sterling Scenic Co. with the latest improved Edison Kinetoscope. 15c and 25c.

Now is the Time to Plant Turnips. All kinds of bulk turnip seed at Stocking's store. tf

—Get your summer's reading from Clower. Full line of late books of fiction just received. tf

J. M. Clower made a business trip to Childress the first of the week.

—Get your sheet music at Clower's. Late songs and instrumental pieces. tf

Rev. B. W. Dodson was quite sick the first of the week, being threatened with appendicitis.

Editor Blake is this week moving his new office building to lots on Sully street. He will have a good convenient office when the work is completed.

Messrs. Will Clower, Jack Coulter and W. Y. Switzer, of Dallas, were in this morning.

The Range Contest.

No new candidates are announced this week but interest in the contest is growing. Some of the candidates are evidently holding back votes as not nearly all coupons issued have been voted. The standing this week is as follows:

Mrs. W. J. Adams, Clarendon, 780
Mrs. J. T. Bain, Bray, 325
Mrs. W. B. McKeown, Clarendon, 140

Some interest is also being manifested in the watch contest, two young ladies having so far started to work. At this writing Miss Aris Baldwin is in the lead. Parties contemplating subscribing for the paper should remember that the first fifty new yearly subscribers will receive Holland's Magazine one year free.

Trap Shooting.

Local shooters while awaiting the opening of the bird season are beginning to shoot a little over the trap, getting themselves in practice for the better sport to follow. From the looks of the following figures it would seem that they needed considerable practice, and that if they don't get it the game birds will be quite safe this fall. The shoot was held Wednesday afternoon, and the figures represent the total number of blue rocks broken out of a possible 25:

Dr. T. W. Carroll, 17
W. H. Cooke, 12
P. A. Buntin, 8
H. Powell, 6
J. E. Cooke, 13
J. S. Richardson, 6

Notice to Farmers.

Believing that the raising of alfalfa in this section is going to be of immense value to this country, and wishing to do all in our power to encourage the planting of same, we have made arrangements with the largest and most successful growers in Kansas to supply us with choice Turkeystan Highland alfalfa seed. Every farmer in this section should plant at least a few acres. Call on us and let us know how much seed you want and we will see that you get it. New crop seed will be ready for shipment about the last of August. We want to know as early as possible about how much seed we must order. So come early and give us your name and amount of seed wanted.

THE MARTIN-BENNETT CO.

Commissioners court has been in regular session this week transacting routine business. The annual examination of the rolls of Tax Assessor Baker took place the first two days of the session, and paid Mr. Baker a high compliment by saying that it was the best set of rolls ever prepared in Donley county. There were very few changes to be made. Mr. Baker was assisted in the preparation of the rolls by his daughters, Misses Millie and Nellie, and the young ladies deserve great credit for the neatness and accuracy of their work.

G. W. Antrobus this week received one of the biggest cars of buggies and wagons ever brought to Clarendon. It contained a large number of jobs of various designs and all of the famous Studebaker make. Mr. Antrobus says he is now fixed to supply the demands of anyone wanting anything in the vehicle line, and that he will make prices that will astonish the buying public. 43-11

Sheriff Patman went down to Giles Wednesday in response to a request from some of the citizens to come down and rid them of the presence of a tramp who had been haunting the neighborhood for some weeks and who had become something of a terror to the women and children of the community. After a brief interview with the sheriff (during which time Mr. Hobo had a rope around his neck with the other end over a cross beam) his trampship agreed to leave the county. Jim turned him loose and he went off down the railroad track in a dead run. Jim says he was the worse scared man he ever saw.

—Dr. Stocking is now receiving school books for the fall opening of our schools. tf

Fresh country lard at Powell's.

Groceries At Cost

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I am now closing out my stock of groceries at and below cost in order to clean up the house and get ready for a brand new stock of the freshest goods that can be bought. Can save you some money on your grocery bills if you will call.

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They are Here

A new shipment of the newest styles in Hats and Caps. We also have one of the strongest lines of Gloves to be found in the city.

Those new Fall and Winter Suit Samples are also here and you should not fail to see them before placing your order for a Suit or Overcoat. Come around and inspect our store.

Bargain Store,

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Don't You See?

THAT if you buy for \$3.50 a pair of shoes that are in every way as good as the ones you have been paying \$4.50 for you have saved \$1.00? Lots of things you can do with that dollar. Buy Keith's Konqueror Shoes for \$3.50 and \$4.00; they will save the dollar for you. See them at

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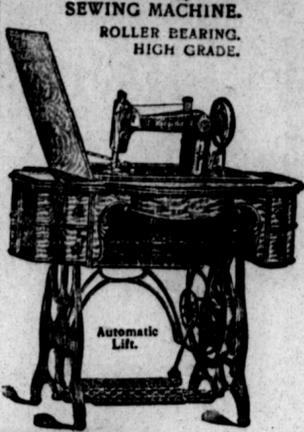
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Cemetery Fund.

The following amounts have been donated for the improvement of the Citizen's Cemetery:

Donley County	\$65.00
Geo. F. Morgan	5.00
W. H. Muir	2.00
Banner-Stockman	2.00
Rob't F. Wood	2.00
E. Dubbs	2.00
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M. E. Bell	.50
J. H. Rathjen	1.00

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From the following it will readily be seen that the Collingsworth Review is entitled to a choice position in the prevaricator's corner of the hall of fame:

The rise of 80 bushels of wheat to the acre is reported to have been threshed for T. B. Starkey of the Dozier neighborhood last week. Mr. Starkey is one of Collingsworth's expert farmers capable of demonstrating what can be done on good soil when one works to that end.

Peculiar Disappearance.
J. D. Runyan, of Butleville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at Dr. Stocking's drug store, price 25c.

The Banner-Stockman has one of the finest lines of calendar samples for 1906 ever issued and is prepared to take the orders of local business concerns for this class of advertising matter. Don't let a traveling man get your order until you see our line. The price will be no larger and by patronizing us you keep the money at home.

Mrs. W. B. McKeown, of Clarendon, formerly of Channing, lectured before the Womans Home Mission Society last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Z. A. Curtis. The lecture was replete with sound and practical thought on the line of Mission work, and was listened to with pleasure by all present.—Channing Courier.

Fresh country lard at Powell's.

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Lesson. I Kings 1-14 and II Chronicles 21-25.
Principal characters to study Athaliah, Shunamite woman, Elijah, Elisha, Joash and Uzziah.
PROGRAM.
1. Roll call—Responsive Biblical quotations.
2. Thoughts on Bible Study—Miss Bobo.
3. General questions on lesson by leader.
4. Guessing contest—Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Ross.
5. "Tithing"—Mrs. Dodson.
6. Poem, "I wonder what I would do."—Mrs. McKeown.
7. Solo—Mrs. Dodson.
8. "The Life I Seek."—Mrs. Eddins.
9. "A special instance in which Home Mission women have helped me"—Bro. Dodson.
10. "How we are benefitted by coming to the Home Mission Society"—Misses Norah Lane and Grace Taylor.

GENERAL QUESTIONS.
1. How many years does our lesson cover?
2. How many kings and queens reigned in Judah during this time?
3. From whom were they descended?
4. Of whom was Athaliah a daughter?
5. How many kings reigned in Israel?
6. Who were the prophets sent to warn them?
7. Study carefully the life of Elisha, and the closing life of Elijah.

A little forethought may save you no end of trouble. Anyone who makes it a rule to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand knows this to be a fact. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

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Subscribe at once at the office of this paper.

Mrs. C. E. Thornton and children, of Childress county, are here this week visiting her father, J. A. Barnett, and family.

—School tablets, pens, ink, pencils and all kinds of school stationery for normal students at Clower's.
See this office for late style wedding invitations.

An Exceptional Opportunity
Now is the time to invest in Donley county and Clarendon city property. I have for sale in town a full block of land with splendid 5-room house, bath room, big barn and plenty of out-buildings, lots of trees, both fruit and shade, a nice vineyard, in fact the place has all the conveniences to be desired, and is located near Clarendon College. It is also convenient to churches and public school.
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Armstrong counties.
MARK—Right ear
pointed.

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Mark—Underslope
left ear.

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Fork in
Donley and
Armstrong
Counties.

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Postoffice, Clarendon,
Texas.
Range, Sections No.
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block O, eight miles
east of Clarendon.
Mark, Underslit the
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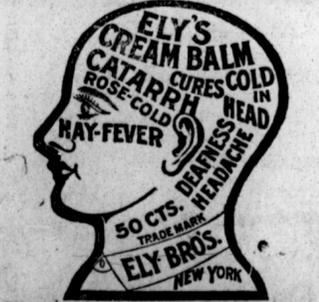
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law. All trespassers will be prosecuted.

P. C. JOHNSON.

P. O. Giles, Texas.
Rangeland of Giles
in Donley county.
Brand may also ap-
pear on ribs' hip.
Mark—Hole in left ear



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ELY BROTHERS, 86 Warren St., New York.

A Trip to Silverton.

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brings with old friends and meeting
new ones and Silverton's Band was
making her silver instruments
ring. The company had dinner in
the Methodist church.

After dinner all attended the
broncho, steer and burro riding
contests. Clarendon won third
prize in the broncho riding; there
was also a sweepstakes race.

The concert given by the chil-
dren was highly appreciated by all
who attended, and if they had
wanted larger audience they would
have had to build a larger house.
After the concert the Company
once more assembled and started
"home," well satisfied with the
day's pleasures. They reached
home about twelve, and the re-
mainder of the night and the lar-
gest portion of next day was spent
in dreamland.

On the 29th the Company was
royally entertained at the home of
Mr. Crawford where a good por-
tion of a jolly club met and was
entertained until midnight, then
the Company started "home" once
more. (They style Sweeney's as
"home" at Silverton.) On the
30th the Company was invited to
the home of Mr. Tom Morris for
dinner. It is needless to say the
invitation was accepted. Silverton
can boast of her fine cooks. Music
and songs by the young folks served
to pass the time until dinner, after
which the Company went over to
the Tule Canyon, passing through
Uncle Tom Morris' pasture on the
way and seeing his fine fat cattle.
The afternoon spent in the Tule
was one of the most enjoyable
features of the visit. Homer Mul-
key's kodak came into good play;
don't forget he is the finest photo-
grapher yet, and no outing is com-
plete without one of his kodaks.
Early Sunday night the Company
went home, for they had to start
back to Clarendon early Monday
morning—snow, rain, or even if
Red River was up (which it was).
The Company had been so royally
entertained by the Captain and
family they could not help but promise
to come back again soon and
stay a few weeks instead of a few
days. For sociability the Silverton
people can not be surpassed.

Although it rained Sunday the
road was all right. The Company
always did enjoy sliding so they
were in great glee when they came
to the Cap Rock, and just slid all
the way down; but when they came
to the river it was up, and readers
of the Banner-Stockman, I wish
you could have seen Sal and Felix
Rostal and their two brave daugh-
ters, Tildy Jane and Smithy Ma-
riar. Felix always did have one
bad eye and after all of his wife
Sal's cautioning was still a careless
kind of a fellow, and right in the
middle of the of the river the bug-
gy hit a stump and of course old
Bat and Billie pulled too hard and
broke both the single and the
double tree, and ran to the bank,
leaving the buggy standing, but
Felix caught them and brought
them back. The rear wheels
sunk in the sand up to the
axles. Felix made the women do
the work while he busied himself
making new single and double
trees out of ropes, and when he
was ready I wish we could have
gotten a picture of the outfit. Sal
acted as driver and Felix and the
brave daughters dug the wheels
out of the sand. The water was
waist deep but we got out on dry
land all right. It ceased to be fun-
ny to Sal but never to the girls.
Felix was too interested to laugh
much. We had dinner on the
river bank and Felix made a mes-
quite double tree which served to

bring the Company home, arriving
here about midnight, tired out but
still bragging of the good time they
had had.

As Lonnie Sweeney says,
AMEN.

A Touching Story

is the saving from death, of the baby
girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md.
He writes: "At the age of 11 months,
out little girl was in declining health,
with serious throat trouble, and two
physicians gave her up. We were almost
in despair, when we resolved to try Dr.
King's New Discovery for consumption,
coughs and colds. The first bottle gave
relief; after taking four bottles she was
cured, and is now in perfect health."
Never fails to relieve and cure a cough
or cold. At Dr. Stocking's drug store,
50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle
free.

The Farm and Ranch last week
contained a splendid write-up of
the Panhandle country from north
line down to Armstrong county.
It was an interesting sketch and
was largely substantiated by the
facts. It was plainly apparent,
however, that the town which failed
to put up for a good ad in the dis-
play columns fail to get a big slice
of pie when it came to the descrip-
tive article. It was evidently a fact
that the editorial office was on
close speaking terms with the busi-
ness office. For instance the article
says Hartley is the leading town
of Hartley county outside of Dal-
hart. Now, it is a well known
fact that Channing is the county
seat and forty times larger than
Hartley and still Channing is not
mentioned at all.—Hall County
Herald.

**Nothing on the Market Equal to
Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and
Diarrhoea Remedy.**

This fact is well known to druggists
everywhere, and nine out of ten will give
their customers this preparation when the
best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a
prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a
circular to his customers, says: "There
is nothing on the market in the way of
patent medicine which equals Cham-
berlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea
Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and
recommend this preparation." For sale
at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

R. W. Scales of Rowe, was here
Monday and made us a call. He
reports crops fine but says if the
road is not fixed between Claren-
don and Bray the farmers will be
unable to market their stuff here
this fall. The Lake Creek Cross-
ing is particularly bad, and Mr.
Scales characterizes it as danger-
ous for night travel.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The bilious and dyspeptic are constant
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There is not one of them, however, who
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ts invigorate the stomach and liver and
strengthen the digestion. They also reg-
ulate the bowels. For sale at Dr. Stock-
ing's drug store.

Sick headache results from a disorder-
ed condition of the stomach and is quick-
ly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and
Liver Tablets. For sale at Dr. Stocking's
drug store.

The Banner-Stockman of Claren-
don is talking sheep to the farm-
ers of Donley county. Just so
soon as the farmers of the Panhan-
dle learn to diversify stock raising
as they have diversified farming
will they be successful. There is
no doubt sheep would be a valuable
acquisition to every farmer in
Childress county.—Childress In-
dex.

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is often caused by sores, ulcers and can-
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WE ARE CONTINUING TO MAKE LIBERAL REDUCTIONS in all summer goods in our store. Next week we will place on special sale our stock of Ladies' Muslin Underwear. Nothing reserved. The prices we will name on this new clean merchandise will attract the most prudent buyers. Don't forget the Muslin Underwear Sale for next week.



Our Grocery Department has just received a car of Albatross Flour (Best on Earth). Our guarantee and that of the mill behind every Sack. If not already a customer of Albatross Flour and Broadway Coffee you don't know what you are missing, so get in line.

All Craddock-Terry Shoes at Sacrifice Prices.

THE MARTIN-BENNETT COMPANY

—School tablets at Dubbs'. tf

Fresh country lard at Powell's.

—Bed-bug-beater at Stocking's store. tf

F. D. Martin will leave tomorrow for the eastern dry goods markets.

—Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. tf

A jolly crowd of young people enjoyed a moonlight picnic Monday evening.

—All the monthly periodicals on sale at Clower's. tf

Miss Emma Buntin is now behind the counters at the dry goods house of the Powell Trading Co.

Dr. Stocking reports the birth of a 10-pound girl to Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Garrett on Wednesday.

Mrs. Dr. Brown and children left Tuesday night for Nashville, Tenn., where they will make their future home.

—Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low. tf

Miss Era Beville has been quite ill the past week at the home of her cousin, Sheriff J. T. Patman. Mr. Patman's baby has also been sick this week.

Rev. W. P. Dickey went to Ft. Worth Tuesday night to be with his wife at the hospital where she underwent an operation last week. She is reported not doing very well.

—Girls, see that gold watch at Clower's; the Banner-Stockman will present it to some young lady. See plan elsewhere in this paper.

I. W. Carhart, Jr., returned Saturday from his vacation trip to the Portland exposition and points in California. He left Wednesday for a trip over to Higgins.

The express truck looks good these nights when the trains come in. It is always loaded down with fruit being shipped out of Clarendon to various points.

—I have a couple of good heavy teams for sale.

A. L. CONNALLY,
Jericho, Texas.

Mrs. R. W. Ratcliff and three children came in this week from Dallas to join her husband who has accepted employment as expert saddle maker with J. H. Rutherford.

—School tablets at Dubbs'. tf

Read all the pages for locals.

Fresh country lard at Powell's.

T. N. Naylor has the thanks of the Banner-Stockman boys for a couple of nice melons.

—All kinds tablets, pens, inks, pencils and general school supplies at low prices. E. Dubbs & Sons.

—Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low. tf

Miss Franc Johnson, who has been spending the summer with Miss Bessie Chamberlain, left Wednesday for her home at Sioux City, Iowa.

—W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon, Texas. tf

Mr. J. Staudmeyer and daughter, Miss Ruth, will leave tomorrow for their home in Chicago after an extended visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. John Chamberlain.

—All kinds tablets, pens, inks, pencils and general school supplies at low prices. E. Dubbs & Sons.

Clarence Dubbs is here from Amarillo this week, being off duty on account of being under the weather.

—Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low. tf

George Cofield, foreman of the Denver road paint gang, is here this week touching up the railroad property with fresh coatings of paint.

—The time to go to work for that \$45 range and \$25 gold watch to be given away by the Banner-Stockman is NOW.

Mrs. J. S. Shultz, of Seymour, on her return from Niagra Falls and points of interest in the Yosemite Valley, stopped off in Clarendon this week for a few days visit with the family of R. W. Talley.

—All kinds tablets, pens, inks, pencils and general school supplies at low prices: E. Dubbs & Sons.

Lost—Small black leather fold pocket book containing two \$5 bills. Lost on business streets; liberal reward for return to this office or to Citizens Bank. tf

The cheapest piece of property in Clarendon changed hands this week. It was a one-room house belonging to Richard Walsh, and sold for \$7.50 to J. H. Pirtle. This was an all cash deal.

A Good Thing.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve refreshments—cream, tea, and sherbet, down town, from 3 to 10 o'clock p. m., Saturday, August 26.

Prices; 15c a dish to adults; children, two for 25c including cake. Proceeds to go to the papering and furnishing of a room in the boys dormitory of Goodnight College. Don't forget it!

Come with liberal heart and full purses.

By the Ladies' Aid Society.

Street Hats.

Our show windows are full of pretty new ready-to-wear street hats. Of course we are anxious for you to inspect them and see the styles. Like all our goods they were bought to sell and our prices make them go.

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EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

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A CITIZEN.

Our sacrifice sale of Summer Millinery has nearly closed out everything, but such as is left we will close at your price. We never carry over unseasonable goods. it

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100 dozen hens; 100 dozen dozen fryers and 1 dozen 100 dozen dozen eggs.

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ALL summer dress goods, laces and embroideries going at reduced prices.

Our bargain counter is still loaded down with good values at little money in shoes. Get you a pair before they are all gone at 25 to 50 per cent discount. We now carry a complete stock of patterns, so you will not have to send off for them.

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The Fruit and Melon Crop of Donley County This Year is Immense and is Paying the Producers Very Handsomely.

Mr. Beverly's Wholesale Hospitality

**Celebrates Friend's Visit By Killing the Fatted Calf
And Invites Entire Town to the Feast.**

One of the most delightful occasions that has fallen to this writer, and I dare say to all who enjoyed the occasion, was the picnic and barbecue tendered on last Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Beverly at their home on the LU ranch to their friends, of whom over 200 attended. It is about 8 miles north of Clarendon to the ranch headquarters, which is located very picturesquely on the banks of Carroll creek, where clear rippling waters never fail, but like Tennessee's brook in his world famous poem "go on forever." Allow me to digress enough from the write-up of this occasion to say that one of the most attractive features of Donley county is her some 200 everflowing springs and streams of pure water.

The ride out was greatly enjoyed by the townspeople. The crops along the way were a revelation and convinced us that the reports which had reached us were like the reports to the queen of Sheba about the magnificence of the kingdom of King Solomon, "the half had not been told."

Masters Roy and Willie Beverly took charge of everybody's team, seeing that they were both watered and fed and ready again when wanted. Mr. and Mrs. Beverly and their daughter, Mrs. Walter Taylor, took charge of the guests and saw to it that they all had "the time of their lives."

All early went to the large grove where the tables and barbecue pit, which place at most any old kind of barbecue and picnic proves the most attractive place, but especially so was it on this occasion.

No epicurean could hardly do justice in description of that dinner or rather feast, which all enjoyed. It consisted of barbecued calf, the aroma of which tempted even Bro. Dodson away from fried chicken, cowboy campash or stew. Oh, how fine it was, boiled roasting ears, all kinds of vegetables, pickles, jellies, preserves, pies, fruits, a whole wagon load of watermelons, hot coffee, ice water, etc. Like myself, everyone resolved to "go all the gaits" and eat something of everything and all those who were able to do so went through the course again, always beginning and ending with

the barbecued beef. Bro. Dodson, while eating on his fourth piece of pie, said it did not taste good like it did when he began, while Editor Blake said, after going back to about his third roasting ear, that it did not taste good now "like it did when he was a boy." The eating contest for "the longest there and the most of it" is undecided between W. P. McKenzie, the Jericho hotel man, and Jim Barnett of Clarendon, with Jim Rutherford a close second. The whole occasion was one to be long remembered by everyone present.

After dinner the children waded in the creek with some grownup ones "for guides," while some of the older ones sat under the shade and talked of old times in the Panhandle and elsewhere. Some "others" stole away from the gaze of the quizzical ones, up on the mossy banks and "dealt in futures" and "eyes looked into eyes that spoke back," but alas, the kodak had found them and all was blushed. Several kodak views were taken that will prove both pleasing and amusing in the future. The occasion was complimentary to Mr. I. A. Hart, of Oklahoma, who was visiting with Mr. Beverly. They were school boys together in old Parker county, though neither will say how many years ago nor give any other details except that they never could settle who could beat playing marbles, and to the great delight of the crowd they again played marbles in the old fashioned way and others joined in until it looked like a crowd of innocent, happy school boys. But the poet truly described it, saying,

Men are only boys grown tall,
Hearts change but little after all.

But enough. The crowd enjoyed every moment of the time to the fullest measure and none seemed happier than Mr. and Mrs. Beverly as their guests assured them of the enjoyment the occasion had afforded them, so much so that they assured one and all that not only were their doors open at all times to their friends but that they expected to repeat the same kind of an occasion next year. Their hospitality knows no bounds and their friends are legion.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

GEORGE KINCKLOE.

That was the Name of the Man Found Dead in Lake Last Week.

Sheriff Patman is in receipt of a letter from the man, Shepherd, of Ladonia, stating that the description furnished him of the dead man found in the Jeffries lake last week tallies exactly with that of a man named George Kinckloe who had been working for him as railroad cook, and whom he had sent up this way on account of his health, expecting him to find work with the construction gang now at work on the Denver. He had known Kinckloe for a number of years but knew nothing about his relatives except that he thought they lived in St. Louis.

—Sheet music at Clower's. tf

Fruit Shipments.

Local Freight and Express Agent Baldwin reports the demand good for Donley county fruits and vegetables and says he is loading out lots of stuff every day. He says he can handle all the good stuff that the people may have for sale. He has orders now for 1000 pounds of grapes at 2c per pound net. There is being shipped now a great many cantaloupes for which the growers are realizing 25c per dozen. Mr. L. K. Egerton is doing the heaviest shipping of this fruit and claims to be entirely satisfied with results.

C. A. Wright was here this week with a wagon load of new threshed wheat which he had sold at \$1 per bushel. He reports an average yield of 12 1-2 bushels to the acre. The field was pastured all winter and up until late in the spring.

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It is a long step from locomotives to the range in your kitchen, but the material of which your range is made is of **vital importance in your household economy—less repairs.**

Sheet iron costs twice as much as sheet steel, but steel will rust, and cracks in your cooking apparatus means loss of heat, waste of fuel, and in a few years the range is ready for the junk heap.

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*The Majestic Not Cheapest, But
Least Expensive*

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EVERYTHING in HARDWARE and FURNITURE

Big Peaches—Fine Peaches.

Donley county's peach crop this year is par excellence. Some of the largest and finest specimens of this fruit have been marketed this week we have ever seen in any country. A. M. Beville has on display a plate of large yellow fellows grown by Juan Roderiquez which can hardly be beaten for size, color and flavor. Mr. Hatchett on Wednesday brought in a wagon load of the Chinese Cling peaches which at first sight looked like a load of cantaloupes. One specimen left by him at this office weighed 11 ounces and measured 10 1/2 inches in circumference, and he had secured some even larger than that. Mr. Hatchett is from Alvord and said he thought he knew all about fine peaches but that this was an eye-opener to him. He says that he now knows that this county cannot be beat for raising peaches.

Goodnight Rate.

A rate of one and a third fare for round trip to Goodnight on account of camp meeting. Tickets will be on sale August 18th, 20th, 23rd, 26th, 27th and 30th, and September 2nd and 3rd. The college rooms will be open to campers and meals can be had on the grounds at reasonable rates.

\$16 per Acre.

A trade was consummated this week whereby Capt. E. E. McGee sold his half-section improved place near Lelia to a Mr. Cook, from Erath county. The consideration was \$16 per acre, purchaser to take the crop and all improvements. In reply to the expressed regrets that he had seen fit to sell out and maybe leave us the jolly Captain offered the consolation that the population of the county was increased to the number of twelve by the trade as he only had three children while Mr. Cook was the happy father of fifteen. The Banner-Stockman is not informed of Capt. McGee's future movements, but trusts that he will stay with us, and we believe he will, for if ever a man was married to a country it is E. E. McGee to Donley county. He has been a citizen with us for several years and numbers his friends only by the scope of his acquaintance. No better citizen ever lived among us than Capt. McGee.

Jerusalem Drawn Work.

See our special window display of Jerusalem Drawn Work which will be on "Special Sale" Friday and Saturday.

MRS. A. M. BEVILLE & Co.

—School tablets at Dubbs'. tf

Farewell Dance.

At the Chamberlain farm on Tuesday night W. J. Lewis tendered a farewell dance to a large party of friends in honor of Miss Franc Johnson who left next day for her home in Sioux City, Iowa, after a visit of several weeks' duration with her cousin, Miss Bessie Chamberlain. The occasion was perhaps the most widely attended social function of the season, and the host did himself proud in his manner of entertaining. Elegant refreshments, consisting of cake, cream and punch were served, Mrs. F. D. Martin presiding at the punch bowl. Dancing was the order of the evening and the hour was late when the guests reluctantly departed for their homes.

Saturday, while returning from the Beverly ranch the team to R. S. Kimberlins's surrey ran away. The carriage was occupied by A. M. Beville and some of the lady members of the family. The accident was caused by the coupling of the carriage breaking, allowing the vehicle to come in two, the team running off with the front wheels. Mr. Beville was the only occupant of the carriage hurt, suffering bruises about the head and face.

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THE Hico Review comes to our office this week clothed in gala habiliments with souvenir edition trimmings. It is an honor to its publisher.

AN anti-onion club has been organized by the women of Portsmouth, Ohio. Those who eat onions are now expected to raise a stink over the matter.

WE notice that the name of D. M. Norwood is at the masthead of the Baylor County Banner. Mr. Norwood established the Banner ten years ago but retired from the newspaper business about three years ago. It is with pleasure we welcome him back into the fold.

THE Childress Index has reduced its subscription price from \$1.50 to \$1 per year. The Index is worth all of the extra fifty cents it had been getting but the \$1 price has seemingly become a fixture in Texas and one by one the higher priced papers are reducing their terms.

It is a mighty funny man who would say anything hard about the Panhandle now.—Silverton Enterprise.

Can't see anything so excruciatingly funny about it. Such a person would either be a fit subject for the foolish factory or a colossal liar.

NICKIE No. 2, chief bottle washer for the kingdom of nihilists, gave away \$10,000 in tips on the occasion of his visit to Cowes, and yet refuses to back his hand in the peace conference game now being played between his representatives and the diplomats of the flowery kingdom. Japan's four flush beats Nickie's pair of aces, Linevitch and whiskevitch, so bad that the bear that walks like a man will find that he is in a game of freeze-out with no openers.

THE Banner-Stockman premium contest is beginning to warm up and a big interest is manifested. The terms of the contest have been stated plainly and we will endeavor to live up to those terms. For the benefit of some who have misunderstood them, however, we will state that no votes will be given on money paid up for advertising or job work. This is strictly a subscription contest and nothing but subscription money will count. A coupon will be found in every paper good for five votes. Every cent paid on subscription entitles the party paying to one vote. It matters not whether the payment is made for subscription in advance or arrears.

The handle has got ahead of the pan. Sure the bottom rail has gotten on the top and Hall county is now shipping melons to that good county of Ellis. John Stewart is now at Waxahachie and has orders for several cars of the fine Upper Red River Valley melons, the first car going out Tuesday.—Hall County Herald.

EACH GETS ONE.

Amarillo and Clarendon Break Even in Two Excellent Ball Games.

Amarillo, Texas, Aug. 14. Special to Banner-Stockman:

The Clarendon baseball team came to town Saturday, for two games, and they made things extremely interesting both that day and the next. The first game they won by a score of 7 to 5, owing chiefly to unfortunate errors on the part of the locals.

At the second game there was an attendance of about 400 people, and barring the inexcusable delay in calling the game, the patrons were well satisfied. The new ball park is handy for everybody, and the attendance proves clearly that the people are pleased with the change.

There was a stiffening up in this second day game that moved things. Fowler pitched and was there with the goods, striking out ten men and batting a few. Kerbow pitched a good game, too, but the locals simply had their batting clothes on and would not be denied. Kerbow gave way to Atteberry in the seventh, but it did not make much difference to the Amarillos. Following is the detailed score:

Clarendon—		AB H R PO A E				
E. Kerbo et al, p.....	5	1	2	0	1	0
Cooke, 2b.....	5	3	0	1	1	1
Hildebrand et al, 3b.....	5	0	2	1	0	0
Atteberry et al, ss.....	5	0	0	1	1	0
Wilson, et al, 3b.....	5	1	1	3	3	1
Adams, rf.....	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wells, cf.....	4	0	0	3	0	0
F. Kerbo lf.....	4	1	0	0	1	2
Crawford, 1b.....	4	0	0	8	3	1
Totals.....	41	6	5	24	10	5

Amarillo—		AB H R PO A E				
Davis, 2b.....	4	1	1	2	2	0
H. Trolinger, 1b.....	4	3	1	10	0	2
Tepe, 3b.....	4	1	1	2	0	3
Harris, lf.....	4	1	0	1	0	0
J. Trolinger, c.....	4	2	0	1	1	0
Anderson, rf.....	4	1	0	0	0	1
Bivins, et al, 2f.....	4	2	1	0	2	3
Powder, p.....	4	1	2	0	2	0
Mallard, et al ss.....	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals.....	36	13	7	27	9	9

By innings—
Clarendon.....0 0 1 0 0 1 1 1 1—5
Amarillo.....0 0 6 0 0 1 0 0—7

SUMMARY—Struck out by Fowler 10, by Kerbow 8; stolen bases, Bivins, Tepe, Hildebrand, H. Trolinger; earned runs, Amarillo 2; Two-base hits, Cooke 2, E. Kerbow; hit by pitcher, Fowler; double play, Hildebrand to Crawford, Atteberry to Crawford to Hildebrand; time 1:40; umpire, A. McKnight.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

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

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EDITORS BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Dear Friends.—I will drop you a few lines to let you know that I want you to continue to send me my paper. I don't have any idea when it is out, so don't let me miss a copy and I will send you one dollar when it is due. I hope you are doing well. We are in business here now. We have a splendid trade and pretty well satisfied with this old country.

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A man had been hunting and on his return saw a friend who had been absent, to whom he offered to give some birds. The prosperous friend with a fifteen dollar Panama hat, one size too large, replied, "No, I don't want any plover. I don't like them, they are too fat."

The hunter answered that the birds were not too fat, and that he had only seen four plover that day but was answered, that there were lots of plover, and that they were fat and offensive.

The poor hunter faltered, but reminded his friend that there was a lady visitor at his house who might like the birds and was again answered that the lady was gone.

The next morning when at breakfast the hunter's wife asked him what he was smiling at, to himself, and he replied, "I was thinking that all birds are not plover. I tried to give these birds away yesterday and got snubbed for my generosity."

MORAL: The meat of the plover is dark, the meat of the prairie chicken is dark, the meat of the quail is white; all are good to eat. Accept a small favor if offered unsolicited and give thanks and don't be too particular and jump at conclusions.

GIORDAM WHIFFLETREE.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: For several months, I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Dr. Stocking's drug store; price 50c.

Will Heckman, of Brice, was in town Monday. While here he made us an appreciated visit.

—Just received—Plenty of 10, 12, 14 and 16-foot Mountain Cedar gate posts. Clarendon Lumber Co.

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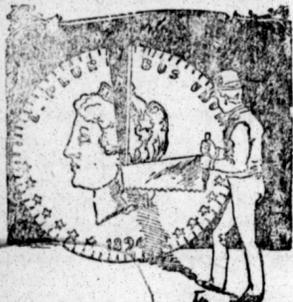
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A TRIP TO SILVERTON.

Being a History of the Trials and Tribulations, also an Account of a Royal Good Time with Hospitable People.

The party started from Clarendon on Thursday July 27, at about 7:10 a. m., all quite happy as they knew they were going into a country where sociability and hospitality were practiced by all. Along the road they amused themselves by singing and joking, each one trying to tell the scariest tale, having a good time in general. (Better than you have when you go for a drive with your best.) As they drove through Mrs. Adair's beautiful pastures and gazed on the fine-bred, fat cattle they decided to buy JA cattle after this.

They found the shady grove near the windmill at J. O. Donnel's a very pleasant place to noon and stopped here for about an hour. After dinner Joe amused himself by telling what a bad road they yet had to cross; how they would look after they would swim Red River and climb the Cap Rock; their mother would not know them; and how many people had been drowned while trying to cross that terrible river; how many hack and buggy and automobile loads had, after a toilsome journey of tugging up that Cap Rock, slid all the way back down the rocky road on their bald heads and not until they had tried the third time reached the top and then not safely, for they would all have broken bones. We believe he succeeded in arousing the peculiar nervous feelings of his "frau," for these words grew to be quite common: "Joe you will have to stop and let me walk awhile. I am so nervous I can't sit in this buggy any longer." As for the girls they had been all over the rocky roads and sand hills of New Mexico and had crossed Pike's Peak a few times so Joe's words did not take effect. They drove along even jollier than ever telling their experience of crossing worse roads than the Cap Rock. Well, they crossed the river all right but from the grip the "frau" had on the side of the buggy, we believe she thought it was going to jump a fence.

Oh, that windmill on the other side of the river! We believe that gyp water is a healthful beverage, that it relieves fatigue and physical exhaustion and is just the thing for professional travelers, but oh, if you ever feel despondent and home sick and want to see papa and mama leave it alone.

The goal was at last won; they had no trouble climbing the Cap Rock—really enjoyed it. However, they could not truthfully say they were not overjoyed to see the rolling plains once more and to know they were nearing their destination. Not a sign board escaped their eyes and when at a distance they saw Silverton they were happier than ever. Who would not have had a light heart knowing such a good time was theirs? They at last came to a gate opening into a broad field and fine fat cattle could be seen on all sides grazing on the beautiful pastures. In the distance could be seen the residence of the far famed Capt. D. H. Sweeney. Here is where this jolly crowd were to stop and they were received as if they had been a long lost brother. When they reached Capt. Sweeney's it was about 8:30 p. m. They retired early for they had to drive into Silverton the next morning for the barbecue. At 9 o'clock the 28th they were at Silverton, highly enjoying themselves listening to the fine speaking shaking (continued on page 7)

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Our Country Correspondents

McLean Minnows.
MCLEAN, TEXAS, AUG. 15.
EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN.

We have been visited by fine rains and everything looks promising. Have water-melons and cantaloupes in great abundance.

Some new buildings are going up almost every week.

One car of lumber for the Methodist church has arrived and has been unloaded expecting the other daily work will begin on it as soon as possible the contract has not been let yet.

Rev. Lusk, pastor of the Baptist church here, assisted by Rev. Wesson of Hereford are carrying a very successful meeting here. Bro. Wesson is a power in the pulpit.

Bro. Harris is this week holding a meeting at the Gardenhire school house. Homer Crabtree is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Willingham returned home this week after a very pleasant visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Crabtree.

Now is the time to sow turnip seed and I think almost all are availing themselves of the opportunity.

L. M. Haynes is unloading a car of wagons and implements this week.

There has been some real estate sales the past week but failed to learn all the contracting parties. S. A. Cousins sold 50 head of steers to Judge Davidson last week for \$19.50 around; also Johnnie Sugg sold some the same week for \$19 and some cows and heifers for \$14.

Mr. Easterwood sold his house and lot this week to Mr. Vanderberg.

BETSY.
Giles Glimmerings.

GILES, TEXAS, AUG. 15
EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Mrs. T. C. Ranson spent Monday in Memphis.

W. J. Thaxton made a business trip to Childress Friday.

Mrs. Homer Ring took the train here Wednesday for a trip to Cottle county to see her mother.

Arthur Ranson left Tuesday for Amarillo.

W. A. Wylie section foreman at this place went down to Ft. Worth Sunday night.

Dayton and Tom Shelton shipped cattle from here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson of Roswell, N. M. and Mrs. Gus Gary of Greenville are visiting P. C. Johnson and family this week.

Quite a crowd of Memphis people attended church at this place Monday night.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Thaxton has been real sick for some weeks but is better at this writing.

Mrs. F. L. Mevis left Monday night for Amarillo where she will visit for a while then she will spend some two months visiting in Chicago and Michigan.

R. H. Matthews passed through Giles Monday night on his way to Amarillo.

The post office has been moved to the residence of J. S. Young during the absence of Mrs. Mevis.

It is Up to The Light Company.
EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Referring to your notice of last week in which you say that the city fathers should have located a street light between the double bridges on First street will say that Alderman Taylor, of the Street and Alley Committee, gave an order for a light at this place some three or four months ago. The delay, I suppose, on the part of the electric light company is because they have no line near this particular place, but they assured me some two weeks ago that it would be put up at once—though I do not see it as yet.

Very truly,
A. M. BEVILLE,
Mayor.

T. J. Davis and wife left Tuesday for a visit to Ft. Worth.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS AT KANSAS CITY.

THE WEEK'S TRADE REPORTED BY CLAY, ROBINSON & COMPANY, LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

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Special to BANNER-STOCKMAN.
Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 15.

Receipts of cattle thus far this week are 31,200; last week 32,400; last year, 20,500. The supply of choice cornfed steers was small Monday, wintered and grass westerns predominated. The market was steady to strong for cornfed offerings but slow for other kinds, at steady to 10c lower rates. Cornfed cows and heifers were scarce and steady. Good grass cows ranged from steady to 10c lower; medium grades steady and canners 10c higher. Bulls were slow but were slow but steady; veals 10 to 25c lower. Stocker and feeders were dull at steady to 10c off. Cornfed beef steers were again scarce today. Competition was good for them at steady to 10c higher figures. For grassers the demand was dull and trade slow at steady to irregularly lower rates. Fed cows and heifers sold quickly and steady but grassers closed 10c off. Bulls and veals were unchanged. Stockers and feeders were steady to weak, best demand being for heavy feeders; common stockers dead dull. The following table gives quotations now ruling:

Extra prime cornfed steers	\$5.20 to 5.55
Good	4.85 to 5.20
Ordinary	4.25 to 4.75
Choice cornfed heifers	4.60 to 5.00
Good	4.10 to 4.60
Medium	3.50 to 4.10
Choice cornfed cows, heavy	4.00 to 4.25
Good	3.25 to 3.85
Medium	2.75 to 3.25
Canners	1.50 to 2.50
Choice steers	4.25 to 4.75
Choice fed bulls	3.50 to 4.00
Good	3.25 to 3.50
Bologna bulls	2.00 to 2.50
Veal calves	5.25 to 5.75
Good to choice native or western stockers	3.60 to 4.00
Fair	3.25 to 3.60
Common	2.75 to 3.25
Good to choice heavy native feeders	4.00 to 4.25
Fair	3.50 to 4.00
Good to choice heavy branded horned feeders	3.40 to 3.65
Fair	3.25 to 3.40
Common	3.00 to 3.25
Good to choice stock heifers	2.75 to 3.00
Fair	2.25 to 2.75
Good to choice stock calves, steers	4.00 to 4.50
Fair	3.50 to 4.00
Good to choice stock calves, heifers	3.00 to 3.50
Fair	2.50 to 3.00
Choice wintered grass steers	4.10 to 4.40
Good	3.75 to 4.10
Fair	3.40 to 3.75
Choice grass cows	2.75 to 3.15
Good	2.50 to 2.75
Common	2.00 to 2.50

Receipts of hogs thus far this week are 10,400; last week, 9900; last year, 10,200. Monday's market was 5 to 7 1/2c higher, tops reaching \$6.22 1/2. Today's trade opened steady but soon weakened and closed fully 10c lower. Bulk of sales were from \$6.00 to 6 15 top 6.20.

Receipts of sheep thus far this week are 5300; last week, 2200; last year, 9000. Monday's trade was strong to 10c higher and today strong and active. We quote: Choice lambs, \$6.50 to 6.75; choice yearlings; \$5.25 to 5.50; choice wethers, \$4.75 to \$5.00; choice ewes, \$4.50 to \$4.75.

PROGRAMME.

County Sunday School meeting at Rowe, September 3, 1905.

Song.
Invocation—E. B. Dishman.
Song.
Meeting called to order, elect chairman.
Address on organized Sunday School work—W. A. Edwards.
Song.

Primary Work—Misses Gabie Betts, Maggie Stout, Hattie Donnell, and Mrs. W. B. Sims.

NOON.
Meeting called to order by chairman.
Song.
Should Sunday School helps be used in the class.—Judge O'Neill, E. Dubbs, W. H. Cooke.

Song—Clarendon M. E. Sunday School. Mode of increasing interest in S. S.—work G. A. Oller, J. S. Young, E. C. Duggins.

Young men in the Sunday School—J. M. Clower, W. M. Horn, Dr. Burkhead.

Song.
Round table—W. A. Edwards and others.
Song.
Permanent organization and election of officers.

Cheap Lard.

Cold Storage Lard is the best on this market. We are overstocked with it, however, and to move it out we have reduced the prices as follows:

5-lb. buckets from 70c to 60c.
10-lb. buckets from \$1.40 to \$1.20.

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This is the cheapest price ever offered on good lard. Supply yourself before it is all gone. A strict guarantee goes with every pound sold.

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COLD STORAGE MARKET.

—Bed-bug-beater at Stocking's store.

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B. W. CHAMBERLAIN

Gone to Clarendon.

Dr. T. H. Blackwell left Saturday for Clarendon, Texas, where he will make his permanent home. Dr. Blackwell came to this town three years ago and had gained for himself a nice practice for such a thinly settled country, but owing to the fact that the country is so thinly settled, and not enough practice to keep him employed, decided to seek a better location. Dr. Blackwell is a high toned gentleman and commands the respect of all his acquaintances and during his stay here has made many and lasting friends. Last but not least he is a fine physician and surgeon, this fact no one will deny. He has been very successful in his practice here and we can cheerfully recommend him to the people of Clarendon as a doctor and as a gentleman. The people here regret very much to lose Dr. Blackwell, but all join the item in wishing him all the success that is possible for him.—Dickens Item.

Cemetery Association.

The ladies of the city are requested to meet with Mrs. R. F. Wood Saturday evening at 5 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a Cemetery Association. Such an organization is greatly needed. The Citizens cemetery is not in as good shape as it should be and never will be until the ladies take hold of the matter and devise ways and means to make improvements. It is hoped that a big attendance of the ladies will be had at this meeting. Every woman in the city is urged to be present.

Sheriff Patman made rather an important arrest Wednesday. The man secured was Sam Chapman who was wanted in Armstrong county for horse theft. It is said that there are about five or six indictments hanging over his head. When arrested he was in the act of taking the train, having come in from Gray county for that purpose.

The Sunday school picnic at Lelia Tuesday was not as well attended as had been expected. The railway company had set out two coaches to accommodate the crowd, but Agent Baldwin reports the sale of only 47 tickets.

—Have added a line of sheet music, both vocal and instrumental. See the line and get prices. J. M. Clower.

Mr. Egbert Thames, of Taylor, came in this week for a visit with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Bennett.

Shirts

Shirts are an absolute necessity; the law requires that one shall at all times wear a shirt or a substitute for same. To present a dressy appearance one should be careful in their selection of Shirts. We have just received as pretty a line of Shirts as has ever come into the Panhandle and are offering them at prices that will prove satisfactory to the buyer. It is our desire to please our customers and with few exceptions have succeeded in doing so. If you are not one of our regular customers give us a trial and you may find it to your interest to trade regularly with us. We always keep nice things in cold drinks and can please you along this line.

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I have just opened a shop in the Barnett brick building on Main street, with new furniture and fixtures, and a first-class bath room for hot and cold baths. Patrons are assured of first-class work and clean service. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

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See my samples and leave orders at The Martin-Bennett store of FENN BOURLAND.

L. K. Egerton is now shipping every day about 15 crates of cantaloupes. Express Agent Baldwin finds a ready market for them, and Mr. Egerton realizes about \$1 per crate, there being four dozen to the crate. These cantaloupes are of the very finest flavor, much better than any that has ever been shipped in here.

—All late books of fiction can be bought at Clower's.

—Lost—One small Poland China pig, one white foot, several white spots. Finder please notify F. D. Martin, city.

Fred Bales, of Ector, Fannin county, is here this week visiting his old friend, T. R. Moreman, and prospecting for a location. He says the western fever is pretty high in old Fannin and there will be several parties made up to come this way.

Rakes!

We are closing out our line of Hay Rakes at the following prices:

McCORMICK, 10 FT.
\$19.25.

THOMAS, 8 FT. AND 9 FT.
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\$15.00.

If you are in the market for a Hay Rake you can't afford to pass up this opportunity.

You are especially invited to call and inspect the Eagle Kaffir Corn Header—the only machine of its kind in the Panhandle, and the only one that will successfully head Kaffir. It does away with the heading of Kaffir, Maize and Sorghum with the knife, will save the price of itself in your own crop and you can cut enough for your neighbors to pay for the header several times over.

We are also agents for the famous J. I. Case Threshing Machinery.

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Hdw. & Imp. Co.**

\$45.00 Steel Range Coupon.

This coupon is good for FIVE (5) votes in the Banner-Stockman Range Contest when clipped and presented at the Banner-Stockman office. Contest closes October 15, 1905, at noon.

It is cast for

W. O. W. Unveiling.

As previously announced the local camp Woodmen of the World held the unveiling ceremonies at the Citizens cemetery Sunday afternoon. The monument so unveiled was that over the grave of Sov. H. C. Patton. The unveiling ceremony is a beautiful one as well as impressive, and the details were carried out on this occasion in a splendid manner. There were about 50 Woodmen in line, while the crowd present to witness the ceremony numbered 400 or 500. Arriving at the grave the Woodmen formed a wedge about the grave of the deceased brother. Those having parts in the service were: L. C. Beverly, Master of Ceremonies; Wade Willis, Orator; W. R. Silvey, Poet; H. W. Kelley, Consul Commander; E. A. Taylor, Advisor; Lieutenant; A. C. Donnel, Banker; J. J. Alexander, Clerk. There were several visitors from neighboring camps.

The Woodmen lodge is a growing one the world over. The local camp is in a prosperous condition. The fact that all deceased brothers are provided with a \$100 monument free makes the order a popular one; great is Woodcraft.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Powell went to Childress the first of the week to attend a neighborhood reunion of friends from their old home near Bartlett. A number of families were represented and Mr. Powell reports a most pleasant occasion.

Plenty of Fruit Jars for Clarendon.

Williams Bros. and Taylor & Sons have placed an order for a full carload of fruit jars which will arrive in about ten days. Can fill any order from this shipment.

Go to the opera house tonight and see the Sterling Scenic Co. with the latest improved Edison Kinetoscope. 15c and 25c.

Now is the Time to Plant Turnips.

All kinds of bulk turnip seed at Stocking's store. tf

—Get your summer's reading from Clower. Full line of late books of fiction just received. tf

J. M. Clower made a business trip to Childress the first of the week.

—Get your sheet music at Clower's. Late songs and instrumental pieces. tf

Rev. B. W. Dodson was quite sick the first of the week, being threatened with appendicitis.

Editor Blake is this week moving his new office building to lots on Sully street. He will have a good convenient office when the work is completed.

Messrs. Will Clower, Jack Coulter and W. Y. Switzer, of Dallas, came in this morning.

The Range Contest.

No new candidates are announced this week but interest in the contest is growing. Some of the candidates are evidently holding back votes as not nearly all coupons issued have been voted. The standing this week is as follows:

Mrs. W. J. Adams, Clarendon, 780
Mrs. J. T. Bain, Bray, 325
Mrs. W. B. McKeown, Clarendon, 140

Some interest is also being manifested in the watch contest, two young ladies having so far started to work. At this writing Miss Aris Baldwin is in the lead. Parties contemplating subscribing for the paper should remember that the first fifty new yearly subscribers will receive Holland's Magazine one year free.

Trap Shooting.

Local shooters while awaiting the opening of the bird season are beginning to shoot a little over the trap, getting themselves in practice for the better sport to follow. From the looks of the following figures it would seem that they needed considerable practice, and that if they don't get it the game birds will be quite safe this fall. The shoot was held Wednesday afternoon, and the figures represent the total number of blue rocks broken out of a possible 25:

Dr. T. W. Carroll 17
W. H. Cooke 12
P. A. Buntin 8
H. Powell 6
J. E. Cooke 13
J. S. Richardson 6

Notice to Farmers.

Believing that the raising of alfalfa in this section is going to be of immense value to this country, and wishing to do all in our power to encourage the planting of same, we have made arrangements with the largest and most successful growers in Kansas to supply us with choice Turkeystan Highland alfalfa seed. Every farmer in this section should plant at least a few acres. Call on us and let us know how much seed you want and we will see that you get it. New crop seed will be ready for shipment about the last of August. We want to know as early as possible about how much seed we must order. So come early and give us your name and amount of seed wanted.

THE MARTIN-BENNETT CO.

Commissioners court has been in regular session this week transacting routine business. The annual examination of the rolls of Tax Assessor Baker took place the first two days of the session, and paid Mr. Baker a high compliment by saying that it was the best set of rolls ever prepared in Donley county. There were very few changes to be made. Mr. Baker was assisted in the preparation of the rolls by his daughters, Misses Millie and Nellie, and the young ladies deserve great credit for the neatness and accuracy of their work.

G. W. Antrobus this week received one of the biggest cars of buggies and wagons ever brought to Clarendon. It contained a large number of jobs of various designs and all of the famous Studebaker make. Mr. Antrobus says he is now fixed to supply the demands of anyone wanting anything in the vehicle line, and that he will make prices that will astonish the buying public. 43-1t

Sheriff Patman went down to Giles Wednesday in response to a request from some of the citizens to come down and rid them of the presence of a tramp who had been haunting the neighborhood for some weeks and who had become something of a terror to the women and children of the community. After a brief interview with the sheriff (during which time Mr. Hobo had a rope around his neck with the other end over a cross beam) his trampship agreed to leave the county. Jim turned him loose and he went off down the railroad track in a dead run. Jim says he was the worse scared man he ever saw.

—Dr. Stocking is now receiving school books for the fall opening of our schools. tf

Fresh country lard at Powell's.

Groceries At Cost

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I am now closing out my stock of groceries at and below cost in order to clean up the house and get ready for a brand new stock of the freshest goods that can be bought. Can save you some money on your grocery bills if you will call.

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They are Here

A new shipment of the newest styles in Hats and Caps. We also have one of the strongest lines of Gloves to be found in the city.

Those new Fall and Winter Suit Samples are also here and you should not fail to see them before placing your order for a Suit or Overcoat. Come around and inspect our store.

Bargain Store,

W. H. Thompson.



Don't You See?

THAT if you buy for \$3.50 a pair of shoes that are in every way as good as the ones you have been paying \$4.50 for you have saved \$1.00? Lots of things you can do with that dollar. Buy Keith's Konqueror Shoes for

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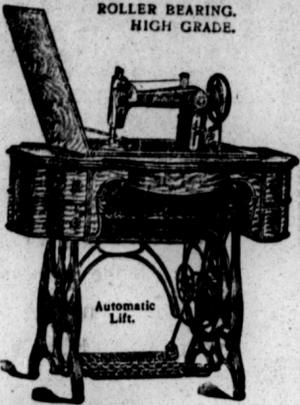
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Banner-Stockman	2.00
Rob't F. Wood	2.00
H. Dubbs	2.00
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Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Batleville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at Dr. Stocking's drug store, price 25c.

The Banner-Stockman has one of the finest lines of calendar samples for 1906 ever issued and is prepared to take the orders of local business concerns for this class of advertising matter. Don't let a traveling man get your order until you see our line. The price will be no larger and by patronizing us you keep the money at home. tf

Mrs. W. B. McKeown, of Clarendon, formerly of Channing, lectured before the Womans Home Mission Society last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Z. A. Curtis. The lecture was replete with sound and practical thought on the line of Mission work, and was listened to with pleasure by all present.—Channing Courier.

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Lesson. I Kings 1-14 and II Chronicles 21-25.

Principal characters to study Athaliah, Shunamite woman, Elijah, Elisha, Joash and Uzziah.

PROGRAM.

1. Roll call—Responsive Biblical quotations.
2. Thoughts on Bible Study—Miss Bobo.
3. General questions on lesson by leader.
4. Guessing contest—Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Ross.
5. "Tithing"—Mrs. Dodson.
6. Poem, "I wonder what I would do."—Mrs. McKeown.
7. Solo—Mrs. Dodson.
8. "The Life I Seek."—Mrs. Eddins.
9. "A special instance in which Home Mission women have helped me"—Bro. Dodson.
10. "How we are benefitted by coming to the Home Mission Society"—Misses Norah Lane and Grace Taylor.

GENERAL QUESTIONS.

1. How many years does our lesson cover?
2. How many kings and queens reigned in Judah during this time?
3. From whom were they descended?
4. Of whom was Athaliah a daughter?
5. How many kings reigned in Israel?
6. Who were the prophets sent to warn them?
7. Study carefully the life of Elisha, and the closing life of Elijah.

A little forethought may save you no end of trouble. Anyone who makes it a rule to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand knows this to be a fact. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

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Mrs. C. E. Thornton and children, of Childress county, are here this week visiting her father, J. A. Barnett, and family.

School tablets, pens, ink, pencils and all kinds of school stationery for normal students at Clower's.

See this office for late style wedding invitations. tf

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Postoffice, Clarendon, Texas.
Range, Sections No. 12 block R. and No. 128 block C6, eight miles east of Clarendon.
Mark, Underslit the right.

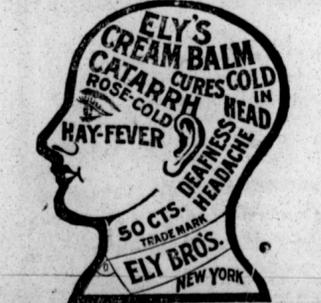
This range is posted according to law. All trespassers will be prosecuted.

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Range north of Giles in Donley county.
Brand may also appear on right hip.
Mark—Hole in left ear.



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ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York.

A Trip to Silverton.

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hands with old friends and meeting new ones and Silverton's Band was making her silver instruments ring. The company had dinner in the Methodist church.

After dinner all attended the broncho, steer and burro riding contests. Clarendon won third prize in the broncho riding; there was also a sweepstakes race.

The concert given by the children was highly appreciated by all who attended, and if they had wanted larger audience they would have had to build a larger house. After the concert the Company once more assembled and started "home," well satisfied with the day's pleasures. They reached home about twelve, and the remainder of the night and the largest portion of next day was spent in dreamland.

On the 29th the Company was royally entertained at the home of Mr. Crawford where a good portion of a jolly club met and was entertained until midnight, then the Company started "home" once more. (They style Sweeney's as "home" at Silverton.) On the 30th the Company was invited to the home of Mr. Tom Morris for dinner. It is needless to say the invitation was accepted. Silverton can boast of her fine cooks. Music and songs by the young folks served to pass the time until dinner, after which the Company went over to the Tule Canyon, passing through Uncle Tom Morris' pasture on the way and seeing his fine fat cattle. The afternoon spent in the Tule was one of the most enjoyable features of the visit. Homer Mulkey's kodak came into good play; don't forget he is the finest photographer yet, and no outing is complete without one of his kodaks. Early Sunday night the Company went home, for they had to start back to Clarendon early Monday morning—snow, rain, or even if Red River was up (which it was). The Company had been so royally entertained by the Captain and family they could not help but promise to come back again soon and stay a few weeks instead of a few days. For sociability the Silverton people can not be surpassed.

Although it rained Sunday the road was all right. The Company always did enjoy sliding so they were in great glee when they came to the Cap Rock, and just slid all the way down; but when they came to the river it was up, and readers of the Banner-Stockman, I wish you could have seen Sal and Felix Rostal and their two brave daughters, Tildy Jane and Smithy Mariar. Felix always did have one bad eye and after all of his wife Sal's cautioning was still a careless kind of a fellow, and right in the middle of the of the river the buggy hit a stump and of course old Bat and Billie pulled too hard and broke both the single and the double tree, and ran to the bank, leaving the buggy standing, but Felix caught them and brought them back. The rear wheels sunk in the sand up to the axles. Felix made the women do the work while he busied himself making new single and double trees out of ropes, and when he was ready I wish we could have gotten a picture of the outfit. Sal acted as driver and Felix and the brave daughters dug the wheels out of the sand. The water was waist deep but we got out on dry land all right. It ceased to be funny to Sal but never to the girls. Felix was too interested to laugh much. We had dinner on the river bank and Felix made a mesquite double tree which served to

bring the Company home, arriving here about midnight, tired out but still bragging of the good time they had had.

As Lonnie Sweeney says,
AMEN.

A Touching Story

is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Byler, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, out little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At Dr. Stocking's drug store, 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

The Farm and Ranch last week contained a splendid write-up of the Panhandle country from north line down to Armstrong county. It was an interesting sketch and was largely substantiated by the facts. It was plainly apparent, however, that the town which failed to put up for a good ad in the display columns fail to get a big slice of pie when it came to the descriptive article. It was evidently a fact that the editorial office was on close speaking terms with the business office. For instance the article says Hartley is the leading town of Hartley county outside of Dalhart. Now, it is a well known fact that Channing is the county seat and forty times larger than Hartley and still Channing is not mentioned at all.—Hall County Herald.

Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation." For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

R. W. Scales of Rowe, was here Monday and made us a call. He reports crops fine but says if the road is not fixed between Clarendon and Bray the farmers will be unable to market their stuff here this fall. The Lake Creek Crossing is particularly bad, and Mr. Scales characterizes it as dangerous for night travel.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. There is not one of them, however, who may not be bought back to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. They also regulate the bowels. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

The Banner-Stockman of Clarendon is talking sheep to the farmers of Donley county. Just so soon as the farmers of the Panhandle learn to diversify stock raising as they have diversified farming will they be successful. There is no doubt sheep would be a valuable acquisition to every farmer in Childress county.—Childress Index.

Fiendish Suffering

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for ulcers, sores and cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at Stocking's drug store; guaranteed.

Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low.

Clarendon College

Male and Female

Location Beautiful. Healthfulness unsurpassed. Full Literary Course. Special advantages in Music, Art and Oratory. Enrollment last term 345.

Write for Catalog.

REV. G. S. HARDY, President.
S. E. BURKHEAD, M. A., Principal.
Wm. F. JOHNSTON, B. A., Sec. Faculty.

WALTER STANTON

Blacksmith and Woodworkman

Am running a strictly first-class shop between the wagon yard and lumber yard and solicit the patronage of the public for any kind of work in my line. Have a new cold tire shrinker and know how to use it. Horseshoeing a specialty. All kinds of repair work done on short notice and at reasonable prices with a strict guarantee on every job. Give me trial and I will make a regular customer of you.

KINLOCH PAINT COMPANY

ONE GALLON OF EACH
Kinloch PURE RAW LINSEED OIL
MAKES THE BEST PAINT

Important Memorandum—The painter is the most important factor in painting. A job completed, done by a good painter with the best quality of paint, compares \$60.00 (\$40.00 labor, \$20.00 paint) with one done by a poor painter, \$100.00 (\$80.00 labor, \$20.00 paint) will last two years. Thus the "per-year cost" of the good painter's job is \$12.00—the poor painter's \$50.00.

When we sell you paint, you buy the linseed oil separately. We know from our experience that paint without fresh linseed oil is not going to last very long. Of course, it may look well in the beginning—but in the end—what?

We're here in business to stay and when we recommend Kinloch Paint we certainly must be positive of its staying qualities, too. We can give you some real information on painting. When you are ready to buy come and see us about

Kinloch HOUSE PAINT

We will supply you at the same time with fresh, pure linseed oil.

Clarendon Lumber Co.

KINLOCH PAINT COMPANY
ST. LOUIS

WOMEN WHO SUFFER FROM Sick Headache SHOULD USE

HERBINE

For Permanent Relief

HERBINE acts directly on the Liver. It will cure CONSTIPATION, DYSPEPSIA, MALARIA AND CHILLS. Is entirely free from all poisonous mineral substances, and is composed solely of LIFE-GIVING HERBS. Especially adapted for weak and weary constitutions; strengthens the weakened glands and organs; it checks all derangements of the human body.

CURED HER SICK HEADACHE
Mrs. Josie Cameron, Centralia Avenue, Temple, Texas, writes: "I find HERBINE gives me quick relief, and take pleasure in recommending it to all women who suffer from sick headache."

WITHIN THE REACH OF ALL
Fifty Cents A Bottle Avoid All Substitutes
Ballard Snow Liniment Co.
St. Louis, U. S. A.

For Sale at Doctor Stocking's Drug Store.

Sacrificing Summer Goods

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WE ARE CONTINUING TO MAKE LIBERAL REDUCTIONS in all summer goods in our store. Next week we will place on special sale our stock of Ladies' Muslin Underwear. Nothing reserved. The prices we will name on this new clean merchandise will attract the most prudent buyers. Don't forget the Muslin Underwear Sale for next week.



Our Grocery Department has just received a car of Albatross Flour (Best on Earth). Our guarantee and that of the mill behind every Sack. If not already a customer of Albatross Flour and Broadway Coffee you don't know what you are missing, so get in line.

All Craddock-Terry Shoes at Sacrifice Prices.

THE MARTIN-BENNETT COMPANY

—School tablets at Dubbs'. tf
Fresh country lard at Powell's.

—Bed-bug-beater at Stocking's store.
F. D. Martin will leave tomorrow for the eastern dry goods markets.

—Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. tf

A jolly crowd of young people enjoyed a moonlight picnic Monday evening.

—All the monthly periodicals on sale at Clower's. tf

Miss Emma Buntin is now behind the counters at the dry goods house of the Powell Trading Co.

Dr. Stocking reports the birth of a 10-pound girl to Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Garrett on Wednesday.

Mrs. Dr. Brown and children left Tuesday night for Nashville, Tenn., where they will make their future home.

—Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low. tf

Miss E. A. Beville has been quite ill the past week at the home of her cousin, Sheriff J. T. Patman. Mr. Patman's baby has also been sick this week.

Rev. W. P. Dickey went to Ft. Worth Tuesday night to be with his wife at the hospital where she underwent an operation last week. She is reported not doing very well.

—Girls, see that gold watch at Clower's; the Banner-Stockman will present it to some young lady. See plan elsewhere in this paper.

I. W. Carhart, Jr., returned Saturday from his vacation trip to the Portland exposition and points in California. He left Wednesday for a trip over to Higgins.

The express truck looks good these nights when the trains come in. It is always loaded down with fruit being shipped out of Clarendon to various points.

—I have a couple of good heavy teams for sale.

A. L. CONNALLY,
Jericho, Texas.

Mrs. R. W. Ratcliff and three children came in this week from Dallas to join her husband who has accepted employment as expert saddle maker with J. H. Rutherford.

—School tablets at Dubbs'. tf
Read all the pages for locals.

Fresh country lard at Powell's.
T. N. Naylor has the thanks of the Banner-Stockman boys for a couple of nice melons.

—All kinds tablets, pens, inks, pencils and general school supplies at low prices. E. Dubbs & Sons.

—Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low. tf

Miss Franc Johnson, who has been spending the summer with Miss Bessie Chamberlain, left Wednesday for her home at Sioux City, Iowa.

—W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon, Texas. tf

Mr. J. Staudmeyer and daughter, Miss Ruth, will leave tomorrow for their home in Chicago after an extended visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. John Chamberlain.

—All kinds tablets, pens, inks, pencils and general school supplies at low prices. E. Dubbs & Sons.

Clarence Dubbs is here from Amarillo this week, being off duty on account of being under the weather.

—Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low. tf

George Cofield, foreman of the Denver road paint gang, is here this week touching up the railroad property with fresh coatings of paint.

—The time to go to work for that \$45 range and \$25 gold watch to be given away by the Banner-Stockman is NOW.

Mrs. J. S. Shultz, of Seymour, on her return from Niagra Falls and points of interest in the Yosemite Valley, stopped off in Clarendon this week for a few days visit with the family of R. W. Talley.

—All kinds tablets, pens, inks, pencils and general school supplies at low prices. E. Dubbs & Sons.

Lost—Small black leather fold pocket book containing two \$5 bills. Lost on business streets; liberal reward for return to this office or to Citizens Bank. tf

The cheapest piece of property in Clarendon changed hands this week. It was a one-room house belonging to Richard Walsh, and sold for \$7.50 to J. H. Pirtle. This was an all cash deal.

A Good Thing.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve refreshments—cream, tea, and sherbet, down town, from 3 to 10 o'clock p. m., Saturday, August 26.

Prices; 15c a dish to adults; children, two for 25c including cake. Proceeds to go to the papering and furnishing of a room in the boys dormitory of Goodnight College. Don't forget it!

Come with liberal heart and full purses.

By the Ladies' Aid Society.

Street Hats.

Our show windows are full of pretty new ready-to-wear street hats. Of course we are anxious for you to inspect them and see the styles. Like all our goods they were bought to sell and our prices make them go.

MRS. A. M. BEVILLE & Co.

The Ideal Cafe.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Dear Sir.—As our fair city has for a long time needed a first-class restaurant where excellent meals can be secured at a reasonable price it is with a sense of duty that our newly arrived benefactor be given all the support that he deserves, therefore I ask that this testimony be given space in your esteemed journal.

A CITIZEN.

Our sacrifice sale of Summer Millinery has nearly closed out everything, but such as is left we will close at your price. We never carry over unseasonable goods. it

MRS. A. M. BEVILLE & Co.

Chickens and Eggs Wanted.

100 dozen hens; 100 dozen dozen fryers and 1 dozen 100 dozen dozen eggs. Pay cash.

W. P. WAGGENER,
Just north Citizen's Bank.

Episcopal Church services Sunday next, 8th after Trinity. Morning with sermon at 11 and night with sermon at 8. Subject, "What is confirmation?" All cordially invited. H. C. Goodman, Rector.

Eggs! Eggs!

If your eggs won't hatch, take them to Waggener. He wants a dozen hundred dozen dozen. He pays cash.

Land Bargain.

Eight sections school land 5 miles south of Pampa in Gray county, 12 miles from Groom, for sale in tracts to suit at \$3.50 per acre. If you are looking for a bargain write.

31-4t W. C. CULWELL,
Clarendon, Texas.

Clothes Clothes Clothes

We offer our Clothing for the next thirty days at 10 to 25 per cent discount to make room for our fall stock which is arriving



ALL summer dress goods, laces and embroideries going at reduced prices.

Our bargain counter is still loaded down with good values at little money in shoes. Get you a pair before they are all gone at 25 to 50 per cent discount. *We now carry a complete stock of patterns, so you will not have to send off for them.

Grocery line always complete and fresh. Just received shipment of SWIFT'S BREAKFAST BACON.

The POWELL TRADING COMPANY

THE DALHART FAIR BARBECUE and MELON FEAST

Dalhart, Texas,
Sept. 6 & 7, 1905.

Two days of fun and amusement. You can't afford to miss it. All the watermelon, cantaloupes and barbecued meats you can eat FREE. Baseball tournament, athletic contests and bronco busting. Good music by band, and speaking by Hon. C. K. Bell and others. Grand ball each night under large pavilion. The biggest agricultural display from the four counties, Dallam, Hartley, Sherman and Moore, ever seen in the Panhandle.

One Fare for the Round Trip.

Take advantage of the low rates and visit this part of the Panhandle and see the marvelous strides made during the past four years. Ask your local agent about the rates. For further particulars address

The Ten Thousand Club of Dalhart

—School tablets at Dubbs'. tf

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Live Stock & Commission Agents

List your lands with the old timers, the men who know the country, have wide acquaintance throughout the state, and are therefore in better position to sell your land. Write us for land lists and descriptive matter of the Panhandle country. We bring buyer and seller together.

The Ideal Restaurant

I have just opened a new restaurant in the Barnett brick building on Main street. Short orders at all hours. Regular meals at noon hour. Private apartment for ladies and their patronage solicited. Everything clean, neat and food well cooked and properly served. Give us a call.

F. W. WELLS, Prop.

DR. BLACKWELL,

General Practice of
Medicine and Surgery.

Office: Up-stairs over Fleming & Maulfair's drug store. Day or night.

—School tablets at Dubbs'. tf

—Bed-bug-beater at Stocking's store.