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CLARENDON, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUCUST 11, 1905.

NO. 42.

Three Entries in the Range Contest This Week but There is Room for More. Start Your Candidate Immediately.

Corpse Discovered Tuesday by Small Boys. No Marks of Identification.

the body to land, and later it was suicide in water so shallow. brought to town where Undertaker Buntin prepared it for burial.

small change.

theory is that the man was a ceipt of their replies.

Tuesday afternoon while boating stranger who, becoming despondin the Jefferies lake a mile north ent and noting the lake deliberateof town some small boys discovered ly drowned himself. There is anthe corpse of a man. They hurried other theory that be was drunk to town and notified the officers and wandered into the lake and and Sheriff Patman and County falling face down was unable to Physician D. B. McGee immediate- get out of the water and so ly went to the scene. The body drowned. The latter theory seems was found about 50 yards from the the most natural to some as the shore, lying face Cownward in water is not deep at any point in about ten or twelve inches of the lake and is argued that a sober water. Sheriff Patman brought man would be unable to commit

LATER: - Sheriff Patman started an investigation Wednesday and The body had evidently been in ascertained the following facts conthe water for several days-perhaps cerning the dead man. The clerk a week, and was so badly decom- of the commissary for the railroad posed that at first it could not be construction gang which has been determined whether the man was located here for the past two weeks white or colored. Many who says that a man answering the deviewed the remains were of the scription of deceased had been opinion that it was the body of a hanging around the boarding cars local negro, Dick Bates, the cloth- since Thursday, having come in ing, shape of head, etc., conform- on Thursday night's train from ing to the description of Bates, Ft. Worth. He appeared to be but later the coroner's inquest de- just recovering from the effects of veloped the fact that the man was a protracted spree and also acted at times as if he might be half The description of the body as crazy. He was in search of work given by Coroner R. F. Wood, is and brought recommendations from as follows: White man, 5 feet, 6 J. D. Shepherd, of Ladonia, Fannin inches high, about 40 years old county, Texas. He was sick and weight about 135 pounds, light had a bottle of medicine and beghair, nearly bald, sandy mustache, ged for a course of calomel which dressed in light colored small check- was given him. He remained ed trousers, no shirt, net under- around the car until Sunday shirt, good black socks with white morning, being given his meals toe tips, fairly new shoes of size and allowed to sleep in the car, 51/2. A black coat was found on but Sunday morning, he was told to the bank containing only a red move on and immediately did so, laborer's ticket with the following starting out up the railroad track. wording: "Ft. W. & D. C. R'y This was the last seen of him, but Co., R. M. Plumlee, The Railroad Sunday afternoon some boys found Labor Agent, 13th and Main, Ft. a hat near the lake which fits the Worth, Texas." This ticket was description of the hat worn by the of the kind usually given out by man. It is almost a sure thing, railroad labor agents to serve as a then, that the man was drowned pass over the road. The man's some time Sunday, and that he pants pockets contained only a either committed suicide or else dirty handkerchief and 61 cents in went "buggy" and wandered into the lake. Sheriff Patman has com-Justice of the Peace Wood held municated with the man Shepherd, an inquest and rendered a verdict also with Plumlee at Ft. Worth, of suicide. There were no marks and the identity of deceased will of violence on the body, and the certainly be made known upon re-

There was a wedding in "high life" among the colored population last night. The groom was the new preacher for the colored Baptist church, while the blushing bride was no less distinguished a personage than Miss Mary Briscoe, Jane's daughter. The ceremony was performed by a visiting brother of the Methodist faith.

Strayed Hogs.

take them away at once. E. A. TAYLOR.

Invitations have been received in Clarendon announcing the marriage of Miss Laus Deo Houk, of Plainview, to Mr. William Mergan Clower, on Wednesday evening, Aug. 23, at the Methodist church at Plainview. Will Clower is a Clarendon boy, son of County Treasurer J. M. Clower, and is now in the electrical business in Dallas. Miss Houk is the daughter of Rev. I have taken up two stray hogs S. E. Houk, formerly of Clarenat my residence just north of town. don. She is well known here, The owner will please come and having been teacher of art in the College. The Banner-Stockman extends advance congratulations.



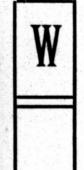
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Sacrificing Summer



E 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

Range Contest is Open in Earnest.

About Thirty Thousand Votes Have not Been Brought In. Have Your Candidate Announce Now.

bought from the Witt-Richardson Hardware & Implement company, a \$45 Buck's Steel Range-a regular beauty in the way of a stove and something every family can find use for even if they have a good stove already. This range will be given absolutely free to the most popular lady in Donley county, the test of popularity being decided by votes issued on subscription money paid the Banner-Stockman. One dollar paid on subscription (either new or renewal) entitles the holder to 100 votes; 50c paid entitles you to 50 votes; 250 gets 25 votes. When the money is paid a coupon is issued calling for these votes and may be voted by the holder for any lady in the county whom he chooses to support. The votes will be deposited in a locked ballot box at this office and each week a count will be made and the result announced. At the close of the contest another count will be held by a committee of disinterested parties and the lady who has received the most votes will be awarded the range which will be delivered to her on demand by the hardware firm above named. The range is now on exhibition at the store of Witt-Richardson and can be inspected by anyone who so desires. Each copy of the Banner-Stockman from now until the contest closes will contain a coupon which is good for five votes when clipped and presented at this office.

NO VOTES WILL BE SOLD TO ANYONE AT ANY PRICE.

This is a subscription contest and not a money making scheme on the part of the proprietors. We want to get new subscribers and get in closer touch with our old subscribers, making them stronger friends than ever to the paper and its publishers, and this range contest is put on because we believe it will help us do all this.

THE GOLD WATCH:

of Donley's fair daughters. This ing the premiums. watch will be given to the young The gold watch was sold us by J. range contest is running. There at Witt-Richardson's.

W. P. Dial and J. M. Gist will Assessor McClaskey this week at once begin the erection of a finished the work on the tax rolls commodious grain house on the and the footings are interesting. track at this place. They expect The total state and county taxes to engage actively in the grain bus- amount to \$15,872.56. Total valiness here again this fall and will uations of all property \$1,485,751. make things look good to the farm-Total number of acres of real estate ers. Mr. Dial has rented his farm rendered, 575,841.2-3. Total and will move to Memphis as soon number horses and mules, 2,904. as he gets his present crop gather-Cattle, 29,084. Hogs, 1,889. ed and will become a citizen of this Polls, 443.-Collingsworth Cour-

Flendish Suffering

so to do, as he is an enterprising

citizen .- Hall County Herald.

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Kock, Mich., says: "I have Stocking's drug store; guaranteed.

Banner-Stockman has are no other conditions. All the girls have to do to compete is to go to work soliciting new subscribers. They may get their fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters or friends to help them. The new subscribers do not necessarily have to be living in the county. They may live anywhere in the United States. Two six months, or four three months subscriptions will count as one yearly subscriber. New subscriptions so secured will be entitled to votes in the range contest. Now girls, get to work. See people, and ask them if they are taking the Banner-Stockman. If not don't let go until you get their names. Get your friends to subscribe for the paper to be sent to friends or relatives in the old states. Any girl who will work right hard should be able to secure a dozen new names the first day. Call at theBanner-Stockman office or write us if you are going to compete for the watch and we will furnish you with subscription blanks and some literature which will help you do the talking, also a supply of coupons which as agents of the paper you can supply to subscribers. Remember, some girl is going to win a watch and it is well worth working for.

> To the first 50 NEW subscribers while the contest is running we will give absolutely free a year's subscription to Holland's Magazine the new high-class literary monthly published by Frank P. Holland, the publisher of Farm and Ranch, at Dallas. This is a regular \$1-ayear magazine, and a good one, too. The first fifty new subscribers to the Banner-Stockman under the terms of this contest will get the Banner-Stockman and Hol-

The range contest will close at noon on December 24, 1905, on which date the votes will be counted and the result made known.

The watch contest will close at No young lady is barred from the same time and the watch awardcompeting for the range yet it is ed to the young lady or girl who more than likely that the married has handed us in the most new subladies will monopolize the range scribers. The only persons barred contest, so to give the girls and in these contests are members of young ladies a "square deal" we the families of any of the Bannerhave arranged to give away a \$25 Stockman force, and the members gold watch and chain to some one of the families of the firms supply-

lady under 21 years of age who se- M. Clower & Son, and is now on cures us the largest number of exhibition in their show window. NEW yearly subscribers while the Drop by and see it, also the range

city. We are glad he has decided ier.

A Touching Story

s the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyler, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of II months, out little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for ulcers, physicians gave her up. We were almost sores and cancers. It is the best healing in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. dressing I ever found." Soothes and King's New Discovery for consumption, patent medicine which equals Chamberheals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at coughs and colds. The first bottle gave lain's Colic, Cholera an Diarrhoea Remerelief; after taking four bottles she was dy for bowel complaints. We sell and cured, and is now in perfect health." -School tablets, peas, ink, pen- Never fails to relieve and cure a cough at Dr. Stocking's drug store. cils and all kinds of school station- or cold. At Dr. Stocking's drug store, ery for normal students at Clow- 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle



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& B. W. Chamberlain

The real estate men of Clarendon owe it to themselves and to the community at large to effect some kind of a local organization whereby all might be able to work together in unity and harmony. The present haphazard methods are very unsatisfactory to all concerned. A local real estate exchange might be put on foot that would prove to be a big aid to the members in settling up the country and profit every member. As it is now a prospector is often disgusted at the avidity with which he is seized upon by a bunch of men who have lands for sale, and the different tales he hears and the backbiting indulged in, all serve to disgust him with the town and he is often practically driven away. We don't mean to say that this land's Magazine both one year for state of affairs is any worse here than in the other Panhandle towns, but it is bad enough and plans of some kind should be formed to make a change. A local real estate man, perhaps a little more frank than some others, said to the editor last week: "Well, we had ten prospectors in town today, located one and drove the other nine away." Get together, gentlemen, it will pay all concerned.

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;

Walter K. Hollifield was up from Rowe Monday looking after the papers necessary to the clinching of the deal whereby he buys the Dr. Brown residence at Rowe. It is a very nice little home, good house and two acres of land with many conveniences,

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

Diarrhoea Remedy. This tact 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 recommend this preparation." For sale

Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low.



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Lloyd Blackwell, We employ a staff Proprietor. of four men

Think of a nice, clean shave . . .

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ABSTRACT OF TITLE

I have bought the interest of I. W. Carhart in the abstract business of E. R. Clark & Co. and am now the sole owner of the only set of complete abstracts in Donley county. These abstracts are full and complete to this date. Am prepared to furnish on short notice abstract on any piece of realty in Donley county, and will guarantee the work. I want the patronage of the public and will appreciate same. If I am not in my office at the court house when wanted apply to C. A. Burton, county clerk, who will take pleasure in attending to any business in my absence.

E. R. CLARK

We Are Invoicing



And too busy to write up an "ad," but we find many "odds and ends" in notions, ribbons, laces, dress trimmings, belts, collars, etc. that we will put on

Bargain Sale

Come in and look them over. Our buyer will go to St. Louis about the last of this month and as heretofore our friends and customers can have our services for any special orders or purchases in the city.

Our fall stock will be the largest and handsomest ever before displayed in Clarendon and there will be several

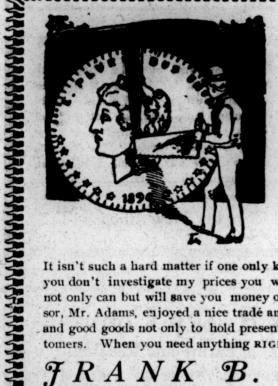
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Making our store a complete Ladies Emporium. We thank the public for a most generous patronage the past season. Right goods, right prices, right treatment and liberal advertising are sure trade winners. We want your trade and put forth liberally all of the above to win and

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This Magazine is pre-eminently a publication for the nome-for each member of the family, from the parents themselves on down to the child just learning to read. Prominent among its features are:

The best short stories and serials obtainable. The best short stories and serials obtainable.

Topics of special interest to women and girls.

Articles dealing with decoration of the home.

Information about flowers, both wild and cultivated.

Valuable cultivary hints for the thrifty housekeeper.

Timely articles on bousekeeping and self-adornment.

Instructive articles on embroidery and needlework.

Things that boys may make (with illustrations).

Work for girls is home, kitchen, garden, etc.

Handsome Publication

Typographically and from an artistic standpoint, HOLLAND'S MAGAZINE takes a place with the best magazines of the country. It is printed on paper of file quality and generously and artistically illustrated, with a new cover design

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Little Carolyn McDermott.

Carolyn, the bright and interesting daughter of Captain John M. McDermott and wife, of Tellico Plains, died last Saturday about 4 o'clock p. m. She had not been sick a great while and had the best of nursing and medical aid. Besides the local physicians, Dr. Gordon, of Birmingham, visited her, but all to ne avail She was taken much worse on Friday last and never was able to rally. Deceased was the only daughter and was not only the idol of her parents, but was a great favorite with all who knew her, and the stricken father, mother, brothers and relatives are inconsolable for the loss of the beautiful and lovely curley haired darling, who was only about 12 years of age: Hon. Robert Cooke, Thos. H. Cooke and other relatives from Chattanooga came up to attend the burial ceremonies, which were under the supervision of Undertaker Harry Evans .-Athens (Tenn.) Post.

Little Carolyn was a niece of Banker W. H. Cooke, of this city, and in company with an aunt visited Mr. Cooke's family here about two years ago. She was a beautiful and lovable child, whose untimely death is greatly to be regret-

We have been favored with a catalogue of Clarendon College, a Methodist institution of learning of considerable note, which is a very handsome specimen of the art preservative. The work is the artistic skill of Alvis Weatherly, formerly of the Seymour News, a young newspaper man of splendid ability and a printer of fine natural taste. The catalogue is printed on an extra quality of linen paper, contains photos of the president and faculty of the institution, graduating class, various societies, the college and other public buildings, private residences, all perfect in arrangement, and is faultlessly executed. Work of this character is of inestimable value to the institution. It creates a fine impression of Clarendon College on the public mind and gives to the outsider the idea that it is in reality a school of the first-class. It is an excellent piece of work, and the boy has a right to feel proud of his job .-Baylor County Banner.

The compliment paid Mr. Weatherly in the above paragraph is a deserved one. He has been foreman of the Banner-Stockman office for the past year and has proved himself a printer of more than ordinary artistic ability. His work on the catalogue in question has been the subject of much comment, both locally and abroad. The Clarendon College catalogue for 1905-1906 has been pronounced by experts as the best piece of book printing ever turned out in the Panhandle. A representative of one of the big Dallas printing houses made the statement to the editor that his house would not have done as good work had they been entrusted with the job. Mr. Weatherly is now at work on the catalogue for Clarendon Public School which promises to be fully as good a job as the other book. The Banner-Stockman does the BEST printing, and you will make no mistake in leaving your orders with us.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, 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.

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

Donley County Lumber Co. J. J. WOODWARD, Mgr.

Successors to Yellow Pine Lumber Co.

Having bought out the Yellow Pine Lumber Co. we have changed the name as above indicated and solicit the continued patronage of the public. Mr. J. J. Woodward will continue as manager of the business. We will endeavor to supply him with a better supply of building material than the yard has been carrying and will do everything possible to enable him to meet the wishes of the trade. Give him a call and let him figure your bills.

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Was at one time the favorite diversion of those who settled this country. The grade of paint used was extremely poor and in a very short time after the paint was applied the buildings began to show cracks—probably caused by the use of too much lead, or maybe the lumber was poor. Present day methods are somewhat different and more sombre colors are now in vogue. Whatever the color Vane Calvert Paint has that color in its correct shade and if properly put on WILL NOT CRACK. Our lumber is a good thing to put Vane Calvert Paint on. Its fine finish makes it especially desirable for work which requires the BEST grade of lumber.

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PARMERS continue to "complain" of the general excellency of

Title Northwest Texas Press Association is in session today and Association is in session today and Mesdames Watt and P. C. Johnson, of tomorrow at Hereford. It had Giles, were shopping in town the past been the intention of the editor of week the Banner-Stockman to meet with the boys this year but we were unavoidably compelled to forego that pleasure at the last moment. We trust the gang will have a most trust the gang will have a most profitable session and that the pleasure trip to Colorado points will be all that was anticipated.

In placing the street lights recently contracted for we believe the city fathers made a mistake in not locating one at the double bridge on West First street. At this point there are two narrow bridges over deep gullies, and on dark nights the place is more or less dangerous. A street light ust 12. should be placed at this point and the road further made safe by the placing of several yards of railing on either side of the bridges.

Ir the city has not already an ordinance prohibiting the leaving of teams on the street without hitching no time should be lost in drafting one and seeing that same is enforced. Clarendon has more runaway accidents than any other town of its size we have ever seen and so far we have been particular-Iv lucky in that no one has been killed. There is scarcely a week that there is not at least one runaway team. Last Saturday a big team dragging a heavy farm wagon ran amuck throughout the town, finally splitting the main street wide open. At the time there Judge J. S. Akers, were many ladies and children on the streets and it is a wonder that someone was not badly burt, or killed. The practice of leaving teams unhitched is all too common; even the precaution of dropping the traces is not often resorted to, and if a change is not made there will be a fatality to record some of these days.

ANOTHER INCORPORATED FIRM

Clarendon Lumber Company Granted Charter-Capital \$20,000.

pany contemplates some extensive needed last year, in fact had bealso increase their stock of lumber board has laid in a big supply of points in the Panhandle.

Mr. A. C. Morgan remains in will be in ship shape. charge of the business, and no are capable manager could be

Our Country Correspondents

Rowe Ramblings.

Rown, Texas, August 9.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN: Good rains have fallen the past week. W. H. Billingslea, of Quail, was prospecting in town Monday

Joe Kendall returned Monday from trip to Kansas City and Mexico, Mo. Miss Locona Ferguson after a week's visiting Misses Erma Eldridge and Mabel Blair returned to her home at Clarendon Sunday,

The Methodist meeting that has been conducted by Rev. Laney, of East Texas, ame to a close Sunday. Rev. Laney did some good preaching, and all who heard him were benefitted.

The Baptist Association will meet at Rowe the last of the week and last over

Sunday. W. K. Hollifield has bought the Dr. Brown property and will make some ad ditions soon

The household things of the late Dr f. G. Brown, were sold at public sale last Saturday, Mrs. Brown leaves this week for Tennessee to make her future home.

citizen some day.

D. P. Brooks, wife and daughter, T. H. Brooks and son and L. J. Taylor, of Eastland county, are visiting our fellow townsman, J. T. Graham, this week. They are very much impressed with the Panhandle.

Lee Smith, of Memphis, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Smith bought a bunch of yearling calves farm W. T. White.

Olles Olimmerings.

GILES, Texas, Aug. 8

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN: Another heavy rain fell here Sunday and Sunday night.

A Christian protracted meeting will begin at this place Saturday night Aug-

Mrs. W. J. Tharton visited in Rowe Mrs. T. C. Ranson attended the funeral

of Mrs. Pearle Parker at Memphis Satur-

Mexia Johnson was down from Clarendon Saturday Eight cars of cattle were shipped from

here Saturday to Kansas City. Mr. E. H. Watthird family went down to Memphis Monday.

G. G. Willingham went down to Memphis Monday after lumber to improve

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Johnson, of Clarenfew days last week.

W. J. Thaxton, P. C. Johnson and Dayton Shelton went through with the train of cattle shipped from here Satar-

Memphis Friday. Most everyone from here attended

church at Rowe Saturday night. Miss Susie Parks and sister, of Mis-

ouri, are here visiting the family of We understand that work on the new

church will begin at once, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watt entertained the young people with an ice cream supper Tuesday night.

School Board Meets.

The school board held a meeting death. Monday and transacted considerable important business. A vacancy having been caused on the board by the removal from the city of C. W. Ryan, the matter of a succesdecided that the school should open The Clarendon Lumber Company for the fall term on the second is now incorporated under the laws Monday in September. The usual are: W. H. Patrick, President: uation was made, and the purchas-Thos. S. Foster, of Houston, Vice ing committee was ordered to buy President: A. C. Morgan, Secre-sufficient new desks and school tary and Manager. The capital furniture to equip an additional stock is \$20,000. The new com- room. This new room was badly improvements in the yard and will come an absolute necessity. The so as to be adequate to meet all de. coal, sufficient to last throughout nauds. They also have in con- the winter, and usual small repairs femplation the establishment of will be made around the building, several other yards at various so that when the time rolls around for school to open everything

> Now is the Time to Plant Turnip All kinds of bulk turnip seed 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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For Sale by

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Will Lewis in Railroad Accident Where One Man was Killled and Several Injured.

Will Lewis, who left here Sunday with a shipment of cattle for Kansas City, came in an ace of being killed at Emporia, Kas., Monday night. He was in a caboose of a freight train with 20 other men when another train telescoped the caboose from the rear. Of the 21 men in the car only three escaped injury, Will being one of the fortunate trio. One man was instantly killed and several seriously if Mrs. Coursey and Mrs. P. C. Johnson and Misses Myrtle and Stella Witherspoon and Dessa Young went down to scratched and bruised, but was worse scared than hurt. The engine split the caboose wide open, passing entirely through it, and the wonder is that all were not

The local "syndicate" say that Will has been carrying a rabbit foot since the steer kicked him in the face, and that this accounts for his fortunate escape from sudden

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 sor was taken up with the result to encourage the planting of same, that J. H. Rutherford was appoint- we have made arrangements with ed for the unexpired term. It was 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 of the state of Texas. The officers tax levy of 500 on the \$100 val- 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

THE MARTIN-BENNETT Co.

W. A. Patman, father of Sheriff Patman, and Miss Era Allen Bevthis morning from Sulphur Springs to 10. Price 15cts, everybody from 83 mares in one season. for a visit to the families of Messrs | come. Patman and Beville

-Bed-bug-beater at Stocking's

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 succeded 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 quaranteed.

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Buy and sell Stoves and Household Goods. Furniture Varnished and Repaired. Agent for Singer Sewing Machines.

Crops are good; even the baby Dr. Stocking reports having officiated at four "receptions" last week.

The Ladies of the Womans'

Miss Lizzie McGinnis, of Fort Worth, came in last night for a

W. C. Silvey, of Trinity, is here erop is of the "bumper" variety; for a visit with his son, Prof. W. no race suicide in Donley county. R. Silvey, and daughter, Mrs. Sims, of Lelia.

For Sale or Trade.

One of the best Jacks in the Pan-Foreign Missionary Society will handle. Color black with white serve tea at the Methodist parson- nose and belly. 15 hands 1 inch ille, niece of A. M. Beville, arrived age, Friday, August 11th, from 6 high. Has a record of 72 colts

. D. JEFFERIES, Mgt. Clarendon, Texas.

H. T. Burgoon, of Grapevine, & tf visit to the family of A. M. Beville. a prospector here this week.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS A 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.

Kansas City, August 8. are 33,300; last week, 22,300; last year, and grass kinds weak to roclower. Cows and heifers were steady to loc lower. slow and weak. Today's supply of beef steers was liberal and while native drythe close was dull. Grassers wers mostly roc off. Fed cows and heifers were off. Bulls were weak; yeals weak to 25c lower. Best stockers and feeders were steady; others dull and 5c to 10c lower. The following table gives quotations now

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 2 85
Medium	2.75 to 3.25
Canners	1.50 to 2.50
Choice stags	1 25 to 4 75
Choice fed bulls	3.50 to 4.00
Good	3.25 to 3.50
Bologna bulls	2.25 to 2.75
Veal calves	5.25 to 6.00
Good to choice native or wes-	
tern stockers	3.75 to 4.25
Fair	3.25 to 3.75
Common	2.75 to 3.25
Fair Common Good to choice heavy native	
feeders	4.00 to 4.50
Fair	3.50 to 4.00
Good to choice heavy brand-	
ed horned feeders	
Pair	3.25 to 3.40 3.00 to 3.25
	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
	3.50 to 4.00
Good to choice stock calves,	ol
heifers	3.00 to 3.50
	2.50 to 3.00
Choice wintered grass steers	
Good A	3.75 to 4.25
Choice grass cows	3.40 to 3.75
Good	2.75 to 3.15
Good	2,50 to 2.75

Receipts of hogs this week were 10,700; last week, 8,500; last year, 18,400. Monday's market opened weak but closed Mrs. W. J. Adams, Clarendon, ... \$5.95 to \$6.06; top \$6.07 1/2.

Receipts of sheep thus far this week are 2100; last week, 8,300; last year, 4,500. The supply has been large enough to make a market but trading was active at \$4.50 to \$4 75; choice ewes, \$4.25 to \$4.50. Practically no feeders are coming but there are lots of orders here for them.

Westward, Ho!

ate Mr. Oliver Beirne and now by heirs. During all these years he has met the large responsibilities devolving upon him with signal fidelity and acceptability. A year or two ago he bought a handsome farm in Donley county, Texas, near the town of Clarendon, and has resigned his superintendency and gone thither to take possession of his property and make his home. With him has gone Mrs. Beckner and their three children. Monroe county sincerely regrets to lose this valuable citizen and his family, but their friends here give them God-speed and every wish for good fortune in the Lone Star State. ens City, has located in Clarendon Mr. J. A. Folden accompanied Mr. for the practice of medicine. The Beckner and will probably remain in Texas with him. - Monroe (West Va.) Watchman.

and is temporarily at home in a sity at New Orleans. He has been house on College Hill. He has practicing for the past three years consecrated and intellectual young carpenters figuring on the erection at Dickens City. Dr. Blackwell preachers. of a new house on his section a few miles from town, and will be vacated by Dr. Westbrook and dially invited to be present and build at once and get ready for next year's crop. The Banner- next week. Stockman extends this family a hearty welcome.

from Clower. Full line of late ply to L. F. Beckner, near the col- town. Finder please return to books of fiction just received. tf lege.

THE RANGE CONTEST.

A Change is Announced in the Closing Date-Three Candidates are Announced this Week. Others to Follow.

After talking with several parties from the country who will likely be interested in our Range Contest Receipts of cattle thus far this week closing of the contest, extending steers. the time to Dec. 24, 1905. We 17,700. Monday's market for best beeves was active and steady; medium find that this will suit all parties Best stockers and feeders firm; others previously announced. The contest will close, then, at noon on lotters were scarce and opened steady, the 24th day of December next, and the winning lady will be able scarce and steady; grassers mostly too to number the \$45 range among her Christmas presents.

Mrs. W. J. Adams is announced this week as a candidate. She Extra prime cornfed steers \$5.20 to 5 55 starts off well with 515 votes. 4.85 to 5.20 Mrs. W. B. McKeown is also started with 50 votes, and Mrs. J. T. Bain, of Bray, is also in the race with 175 votes. There are others, we understand, who will enter the race in the near future.

So far we have not been informed of any girl or young lady getting in the contest for the \$25 gold were shipped from Giles and six watch and chain. The girls are from Clarendon, all going to Kansleeping on their rights in this sas City except four cars. The matters, as it costs nothing to get Clarendon shippers were: McClelin the race, and the watch will be land Bros. one car each of cows, won by a little soliciting. If an calves and steers; Joe Horn a car interest is not manifested in this each of cows and respect soon we will make a change John Browder one car calves. The by offering the prize to the boys Giles shippers were Thaxton, Philinstead of the girls. Get busy, lips, Crowe, Locke. Johnson and girls. Ask your friends and their Shelton. The stuff sold on the friends' friends to subscribe for the market at about an average of \$5 Banner-Stockman. The one who for calves, \$2.25 to \$2.60 for cows, works the hardest is the one who and \$3.25 for steers. will win the watch.

The full plan of both contests is published on the second page. Let all interested post themselves and go to work. The standing: Mrs. J. T. Bain, Bray,

A Saturday Wedding.

A. W. Stockett, a well known firm rates for those that did arrive. We fireman on the Pecos Valley divisquote choice lambs, \$6.50 t) \$6.75; choice ion of the Santa Fe, and Miss Vera yearlings, \$5 to \$5.25; choice wethers. O'Kelley, were united in marriage a dose of castor oil, and the disease may at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tucker, 710 Grant street, Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock Mr. L. F. Beckner was the ogan- by Rev. Aldredge, in the presence izer and leader of quite a party who of only a few friends. Later a left the sweet fields of the Green-splendid wedding supper was brier Valley for the West last served, and the young couple left Monday night, July 31, some to Sunday morning for Carlsbad, stay and some to roam. Since where they will make their home 1880, when he was 18 years of age, for a time, later moving to Roswell Mr. Beckner has had charge of the to permanently reside. Owing to Lewis place, an estate of 5,700 the youth of the bride some earnacres in Sweet Springs district, est and well-intentioned efforts Monroe county, then owned by the were made to head off the marriage. but it was another one of those the latter's grandchildren the Miles cases in which love laughs at obstacles, and in which the obstructionists gave up when they saw it was no use, and gave the young folks, who are in every way worthy, a hearty God-speed and sincere congratulations.—Amarillo nights. On Wednesday night the

> boy and was here last week visiting las, who is matron of the Grand his parents. The Banner-Stockman extends congratulations and here on an official visit examining trusts that Mr. and Mrs. Stockett into the work. Refreshments were may live long and prosper.

Dr. T. H. Blackwell, of Dickdoctor is a young man of good ad-Mr. Beckner came in last week ical department of Tulane Univer- Sunday. has secured the office rooms soon to

Wanted.

Two good young work mares, -Get your summer's reading about 1100 pounds weight. Ap- where between C. W. Ryan's and

Stock News.

Lewis & Molesworth shipped two cars cows and calves to Kansas City Sunday.

C. F. Ramsey this week deliverthe publishers have decided to ed to Popham & Wilson, at Panmake a change in the date for the handle, 264 3- and 4-year-old

Hogs are selling above the sixcent mark on the Ft. Worth marconcerned better than the date ket now; \$6.15 was paid for one lot Wednesday.

> C. F. Ramsey of Lockney, delivered here this week to the American Live Stock & Loan Co. three cars of two-year-old steers which were shipped Wednesday to Rapid City, S. D. The price paid Mr. Ramsey was \$18 per head.

The prettiest bunch of steer yearlings seen in Clarendon for a long time was trailed through Monday. It consisted of 1400 JA steers and they were being moved from Southard to the Bitter Creek pasture of Mrs. Adair.

Saturday seven cars of cattle

A Warning to Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only neces-515 sary to give the child a dose of castor strong and today advanced 5 to 10c but closed weak. Bulk of sales were from Mrs. W. B. McKeown, Clarendon, 50 oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. 175 Do not use any substitute, but give the old-fashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to gripe. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then be checked in its incipiency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of any bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

> been having a "feast of reason and 1905, at 4 o'clock p. m. The puba flow of soul" this week. The lic is invited to attend. Rathbone Sisters on Monday and Tuesday, afternoon and evenings had a school of instruction conducted by Mrs. Frankie Houssels and Miss Pixler, of Childress. Refreshments were served on both Eastern Star ladies assembled to Mr. Stockett is an old Clarendon meet Mrs. Amelia Huvelle, of Dal-Chapter, O. E. S., and who was also served on this occasion.

Baptist Church.

Rev. W. E. Brittain, field secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention for Texas, will preach at dress and is a graduate of the med- the Baptist church at both hours

Bro. Brittain is one of our most

All members and friends are corwill formally hang out his shingle hear him. You will be both entertained and edified in the gospel.

WILSON C. ROGERS, Pastor.

 Lost—One ladies gossamer some this office, or Miss Iva Martin. tf

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Woodbine Camp No. 476, W. O. W., Clarendon, Texas, will unveil the monument of Sov. H. C. Pat-Clarendon lodge women have ton, deceased, Sunday, August 13,

H. W. KELLEY, C. C. J. J. ALEXANDER, Clerk.

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

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light housekeeping. Convenient location. Apply at this office. tf county better than their own.

Capt. E. E. McGee left the printer boys a big lot of fine canteloupes one day this week with the understanding that the matter be not published. They were so good however that the "devil" had to slip this item in at a time when the editor was not looking.

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These three destroy your home and property. We can save you the loss. We represent some of the strongest and most reliable Fire Insurance Companies in the U. S. We court your investiga-

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J. R. Mace is this week enjoying a visit from his son, E. B. Mace, and son-in-law, Z. N. Williams, both of Motley county. -For RENT-Two rooms for Both gentlemen have their families with them and say they like this

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.

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F. Dubbs 2.0	
W. R. Claunch	×
J. J. Woodward	
M. W. Andis	50
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SIX CENT PORK.

For the First Time in a Year Hogs Sell at Six Cents at Ft. Worth.

The Six-Cent Hog has arrived. He came to visit the Fort Worth stockyards late Friday afternoon for the first time since September 23 last. To all appearances the Six-Cent Hog is much like thousands and hundreds of thousands, yea millions of hogs, that have sold in times past at four and five cents. He showed that he had been well fed and well bred, 'tis true, and seemed to walk rather more proudly to the scales than did his brothers and sisters, though to the eye of the casual observer his form and carriage were as similar to thousands of others hogs that have wended their way over the hills to the abattoir as two peas in a pod.

The advent of the Six-Cent Hog has been heralded for some weeks past, but he was hardly expected to reach this city until next week. His hogship, however, seems to have thought it would be a good joke to surprise his many friends in Fort Worth and Texas by arriving on the scene a few days before his visit was expected, and by sneaking in late in the day, as if not caring to associate with his fellows that were worth no more than \$5.971/2.

It is hoped, and sincerely, by producers of his kind, that the visit of the Six-Cent Hog will be an extended one and that he may find many brothers and sisters in the state of Texas whom he will consider worthy associates, as this market seems a fitting place for the holding of a grand reunion of of the Six-Cent Hog family. It is feared that if such a reunion is not held within the near future, however, circumstances will require its indefinite postponement.

H. L. Nye of Ninnekah, I. T. was responsible for this visit of the Six-Cent Hog to Fort Worth. He shipped in 71 head of an average weight of 204 pounds, which were of the Six-Cent family. Armour & Co. will see that they are proper-A SPECIALTY. ly entertained while in our city, and they will be treated to a trip through a modern packing house today .- Ft. Worth Live Stock Reporter, Aug. 5.

> A little forethough 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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CHICAGO

By A. Kurus Kusse

It is a mighty cold day when the Clarendon real estate men can't find a joke to perpetrate on one of their number. One of them is this week nursing a case of dry grins and philosophically bearing up under the strain of the following tale told on him publicly by another member of the fraternity: For convenience we will call the sufferer Jones, principally because that is nothing like his name. Jones had been down to meet the morning train before breakfast and when he showed up at home for the morning meal he was greatly preoccupied in the study of the problem of which piece of land he should sell the prospector whom he had just caught. In his abstraction he knocked at his own front door for admittance. His wife answered the summons and in her surprise simply stood there without saying a word, waiting for an explanation of the tactics. Mr. Jones didn't give her long to wait, but sticking out his handshaker briskly said: "Jones is my name, what is yours?" He thought he was meeting a prospective purchaser of real estate. Kurus doesn't pretend to vouch for the truth of this story but simply gives it as it was told

Ulysses Powell.

to him.

The subject of this sketch was born on the 17th day of September. 1836, at Mt. Swan, Mo. He professed religion at the age of 18 years under Rev. Church, of the First Christian church. Was mar-Rowe and adding to the already ried Nov. 15, 1863, to Miss Nancy M. Underwood, of St. Genevieve, Mo. He first resided at Bellville, Ill., coming to Texas in 1880. Five years later he removed to Clarendon and this city remained his home up to the time of his death on July 22, 1905. A wife and nine children survive him; one son at Dalhart, Texas, two sons and a daughter at Amarillo, one daughter at Jericho, one daughter and two sons at Clarendon. He also leaves two sisters and one brother in Missouri.

Bro. Powell was an earnest and consecrated Christian, and his entire life was an open book. His afflictions during the last few years of his life were many, but he bore them all with true Christian fortitude, and his life can be held up as an example of faithful and conscientious Christianity. The community at large has lost a good citizen, while his immediate family suffer the loss of a loving husband and father.

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On August 28, 1905, 2,425,000 Acres to be Thrown Open for Settlement in Utah.

Advices are received to the efby the Government for settlement is with the Lee Live-Stock Com-12.

Utah, commencing Thursday, Aug- Chicago and St. Jo. When shipust 17th, and the applications of ping cattle to Kansas City remem-August 28th, when they will be "square deal."—Childress Index. considered in their numerical order during the first day; the applications of holders of numbers 51 to 100 inclusive, to be presented on the second day, and so on until all numbers have been disposed of.

Between the time of registration and the drawing, applicants will be given certificates permitting them to examine the lands. All applications for entry must be made individually, and cannot be made by agents or representatives except in the cases of the honorably discharged soldiers and sailors, who may submit proofs of their qualifications through agents of their own Rio Grande R. R.

pating in the very unusual oppor- year.—Claude News. tunity thus presented, at nominal expense, the Ft. Worth & Denver City Ry., (The Denver Road) will sell round trip tickets from Texas points daily at rate of one fare plus \$2 for the round trip, with a return limit of 60 days from date of purchase and will also afford the privilege of stop-overs going and returning in order to facilitate the interests of those desiring to investigate and file claims.

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Adress: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all drnggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-

I for ten days and those desiring iting the family of J. B. Anthony, work in my line should call before to whom he is related. He likes H. Mulkey. that time.

-Just received-Plenty of 10, 12, 14 and 16-foot Mountain Cedar

Stock News.

Wm. Harrell, an old time and popular cattleman of Northwest fect that the Uintah Indian Reser- Texas and the Panhandle, is now vation in Utah will be thrown open located at Kansas City, where he on August 28, and that on account mission Co., as cattle buyer. Mr. of same individual registrations for Harrell is considered one of the the land will commence August 1, best judges of Panhandle cattle at Grand-Junction, Colorado, and in the United States, and with this at Vernal, Price and Provo, Utah, knowledge he is peculiarly well such registrations to close August fitted to buy the cattle of our stockmen, and cattle coming from this Drawings to determine the order section will be treated fairer by in which selections of the land may him than most any one else. The be made, will be held at Provo, Lee Company also has offices at those participating and drawing ber Mr. Harrell, and make your numbers from one to fifty inclusive, consignments to the firm he repremust be presented at Vernal, Utah, sents, and you will be given a

> The cattle that were shipped to the Kansas City and St. Joe market last week hit a pretty hard market. John Harris sold eighteen cows at \$2.20 per cwt and eighteen calves at \$5.35 per cwt. John Palmer sold on same market two cars of cows at \$2.25 and one car of steers at \$2.70. A. L. Bennett had three cars of cows and one car of calves, which were purchased here by Jos. Hopkins and which sold on St. Joe market at \$2.40 for cows and \$5.50 for calves.-Canadian Record.

The best sale of steer yearlings selection. No person, however, this season was made Thursday will be permitted to act as agent last by Bob Campbell, when he Range on Salt Fork for more than one soldier or sailor. sold to Ben and Dick Kerrick his The reservation is reached to ad- crop of 42 head at \$18.42 around. vantage via a new, transportation There were no cutbacks, the enline from Mack, Colorado, known tire lot going. Messrs. Kerrick as the Uintah Railway, also by intend shipping them to Iowa to stage line from Price, Utah, a sta- fatten. The highest heretofore tion on the line of the Denver & paid this season, so far as we have heard, was \$16. Mr. Campbell On this account and in order to had an extra nice lot and says his admit of interested persons partici- calves are much better than last

> Russell Craft sold his half section just southwest of town last Saturday to W. P. Cagle. He retained the town block adjoining with his house. He also sold the quarter just south owned by him to Mrs. Patterson. Thus he came near dispossessing himself all in one day.—Hall County Herald.

Thos. Connell, one of the oldest and best known cattlemen of this country, sold his ranch and cattle to Meredith & Smith, of Dexter, Kansas, this week. Mr. Connell plied free of cost by Mr. A. A. has a nice home in Canadian and Glisson, G. P. A., of "The Denver will live there in the future. The Road" at Ft. Worth, Texas, upon terms were private but it is thought he got a good price for both. The purchasers are men who have means to improve the land and who have had the necessary experience. They are fine men and we are glad able to cure in all its stages, and that to welcome them among us .- Hig-

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathics. 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. Stock-

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.

B. F. Douglass, of Greer county, My studio will be closed on Aug. O. T., has been here this week vis-Donley county and speaks of locat-

-All kinds tablets, pens, inks, gate posts. Clarendon Lumber pencils and general school supplies at low prices. E. Dubbs & Sons.

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S. E. BURKHEAD, M. A., Principal. Wm. F. JOHNSTON, B. A., Sec. Faculty.

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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



FOR RHEUMATISM, CUTS, SPRAINS, WOUNDS, OLD SORES, CORNS, BUN-IONS, GALLS, BRUISES, CONTRACT-ED MUSCLES, LAME BACK, STIFF JOINTS, FROSTED FEET, BURNS, SCALDS, ETC.

AN ANTISEPTIC that stops Irritation, subdues Inflammation and drives out Pain.

PENETRATES the Pores, loosens the Fibrous Tissues, promotes a free circulation of the Blood, giving the Muscles natural

CURED OF **PARALYSIS**

W. S. Bailey, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which effected a complete cure. I have also used it for old sores, frost bites and skin eruptions. It does the work.

BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH ONCE TRIED, ALWAYS USED REFUSE ALL SUBSTITUTES THREE SIZES: 25c, 50c and \$1.00 BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO. ST. LOUIS, U. S. A.

For Sale at Doctor Stocking's Drug Store.

-School tablets at Dubbs'. tf

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

-Get your school supplies at Dubbs'. Prices low.

-Big bargains in barefoot sandals at Rathjen's.

-Swifts Premium Bacon and Hams at Powell's

Martin George and Albert Lacy of Wolfe City, were here this week.

-W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon, Texas. tf -All kinds tablets, pens, inks,

at low prices. E. Dubbs & Sons. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Martin spent

pencils and general school supplies

the week. -All kinds tablets, pens, inks. pencils and general school supplies

Emmet McCombs left Saturday visit.

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

D. P. Ross left last week for St Louis to buy fall and winter dry goods.

Monday was "first Monday" and a nice crowd was here. Auctioneer Crisp sold a good deal of stuff.

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

Mrs. W. H. Meador came in from Amarillo last night for a visit with Mrs. R. F. Wood.

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

A. L. CONNALLY, Jericho, Texas.

Mrs. Houssells and Miss Pixler, lodge of Rathbone Sisters.

Eggs! Eggs!

If your eggs won't hatch, take pays cash.

G. R. King, formerly of this county, but late of Georgetown, was here the first of the week. He is seeking another location and will perhaps find a home on the Plains.

Mrs. R. H. Elkins and little son Rex, returned to their home at Coleman, Texas, Sunday morning, after a six-weeks' visit to her daughters, Mesdames, John H. Kelley and Lou McClellan.

Land Bargain.

Eight sections school land 5 miles south of Pampa in Gray county, re miles from Groom, for sale in tracts to suit at \$3.50 per acre. If you are looking for a bargain write. W. C. CULWELL, 31-4t Clarendon, Texas.

Emile Reck was here from Claude yesterday and reported a disastrous hail storm as having visited the Claude country Tuesday. The path of the storm was about three by nine miles and crops were laid waste.

The Woodmen will hold the unweiling ceremonies over the grave of Sov. H. C. Pattou Sunday at 4 p. m. The public is invited to attend. A number of visiting choppers are expected to be present from neighboring camps, and the local camp will furnish all such with free entertainment.

-School tablets at Dubbs'. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Barnett, of a visit to friends and relatives.

-Swifts Premium Bacon and Hams at Powell's.

The rear wall of the brick business building of the Martin-Bennett Co. has been torn down and replaced this week.

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

Mrs. H. C. Goodman will leave Saturday morning for a visit to Boston, Mass., where her mother, Mrs. McDonald is living.

Mrs. R. L. Moss enjoyed a visit a day or two at Jericho the first of the past week from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Dallas. They returned home yesterday.

-Fresh car bran and chops just at low prices. E. Dubbs & Sons. arrived at the Powell Trading Co.

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

> W. P. Blake and J. H. Pirtle went down to Rowe yesterday to attend the Baptist Association

Mrs. Edgar Campbell and daughter, Miss Catherine, of Greenville, are here this week visiting the family of Dr. Wm. Gray.

Chickens and Eggs Wanted.

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

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

G. S. Patterson's mother and sister, from Dallas, are here this week. They visited with Mrs. C. A. Burton before going out to the Patterson ranch.

but still owns a home in Memphis.

of Childress, were here this week donated to the widows and orphans on business connected with the of the Banner-Stockman force will get a prize of a year's subscription An invitation to the hospitable Chamberthis year. The largest so far lain home always means a good time. weighed exactly 50½ pounds. them to Waggener. He, wants a Who can beat it? Remember the fowing sales: To A. P. Dowlen, dozen hundred dozen dozen. He largest one gets a dollar's worth of tf the Banner-Stockman. The contest is free to all.

> move down to Rowe about the first at p. t. of September. The school will open on the fourth. Prof. Pile is China pig, one white foot, several a native Texan and has only been white spots. Finder please notify in the territory about three years, F. D. Martin, city. having previous to that taught in the schools of Hunt county for fortunate in securing his services.

Ranch House Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cannally gave a most charming house party at their hospitable ranch home the end of last week, ing is removed. to a party of their Clarendon friends and their guests. Miss Raymond Briggs, of Dallas, was the honoree. The party went out Friday and remained until last Sunday evening. Those in the house party were: Miss Raymond Briggs, of Dallas, Miss Franc Johnson of Sioux City, Ia., Misses Bessie Chamberlain, and Elizabeth Martin; Mesers. J. G. Martin, J. D. Van Horn, Lou White, Fred Chamberlain and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Martin. Horseback riding, shooting, dancing and cards were all enjoyed thoroughly by the guests, not to speak of the good things to eat, for which the Connaily ranch has already made a reputation. Mr. and Mrs. Connally have change from the ones shipped in been located here less than a year, but by their true southern hospitality have already made themselves prime favorites with all. To be a guest at the Connally ranch always means a royal good time.

at Progressive Whist on Monday evening tf Ft. Worth, are here this week for the 31st of July, in honor of their sister, Miss Edna Walker, of Paris, Texas Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. il. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Connally, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Martin; Misses Franc Johnson, Bessie Chamberlain, Elizabeth Martin and Edna Walker, the honoree; Messrs. J. D. Van Horn, J. G. Martin, Fred Chamberlain and Mr. Harper, of Paris, Texas. Mr. F. D. Mrrtin carried off the gentlemen's prize, a pretty silver match box. Mrs. F. D. Martin and Miss Bessie Chamberlain tied for the ladies prize, a beautiful framed picture, the tie was decided by cutting the cards, Miss Chamberlain winning in the cut. Mr. A. L. Connally carried off the booby prize. Delightful refreshments were served after the game and the guests left the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Daily with the remembrance of a most delightful evening.

> Dr. T. H. Westbrook and family will leave next week for Ft. Worth where they will make their home and where the docror will continue the practice of his profession. Dr. Westbrook is a splendid physician and a good citizen, and his many friends here will wish him all kinds of success in his new and wider

> D. P. Brooks and son, Tom, and L. J. Taylor, of Eastland county, are visiting the family of J. T. Graham at Rowe this week. Both gentlemen are prospecting for locations and expressed thenselves to the editor as being well pleased with Donley county. In company with Mr. Graham they made this

Miss Bessie Chamberlain gave a Whist Party to a few friends on Wednesday evening the 2nd inst. in honor of her visiting cousin, the charming Miss Franc Johnson, of Sioux City, Ia, F. D. Martin and Lou White tied for gentlemen's prize, Mr. Martin winning in the cut. Miss Virginia Koogle, of Kansas City, won the ladies' prize, and Mr. J. Dewitt Russell Craft is up from Mem- Van Horn, the booby. The gentlemen's Mrs. J. J. Thames and children, phis this week to help Charlie prize was a very well done pen and ink of Taylor, Texas, is this week vis- Wright with his threshing. He sketch; the ladies prize a pretty hat pin, iting her brother, C. W. Bennett has sold his farm in Hall county and the booby, another pen picture; both pictures also tally cards were the work of Miss Johnson, who is quite talented in As usual the biggest melon pen sketching. Dainty refreshments were served after the game and altogether the evening's entertainment was one of the most pleasant of the summer.

> of Honey Grove, the J. W. Foster section, 3 miles east of town, terms private. To T. F. Lewellen, of H. M. Pile and wife are here Hopkins county, 250 acres of the this week from Wapanucka, I. T. T. S. Bugbee land near Southard, store. Mr. Pile has been engaged to teach price \$10 per acre. To G. R. the Rowe school this fall and will King, 160 acres in Beaver county

The LU Cattle Company has gan. twenty years. He is a man of bought the old lumber shed of the ability and the Rowe people are Clarendon Lumber Co. and will convert it into cattle sheds at the ranch. The lumber yard will begin the erection of new and modern sheds as soon as the old build-

> -Mountain Cedar gate posts now in stock at the Clarendon Lumber Co. All sizes, 10, 12, 14, and 16-foot.

One thoroughbred Hereford bull, about four years old, large and in good condition. See, J. H. PIRTLE. Clarendon, Texas.

The local crop of watermelons and canteloupes is now in full to be given away by the Bannerblast and they are a welcome earlier in the season. The homeand more palatable in every re-

A Pleasant Occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Daily entertained

office a pleasant call Tuesday.

Whist Party.

Priddy & Reeves report the fol-

--Lost--One small Poland Dubbs'. Prices low.

Bull for Sale.

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 arriv-



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

-Bed-bug-beater at Stocking's McClellan, Crisp

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

-Cet your school supplies at

Miss Berta Morgan, of Hubbard City, came in Wednesday night for wide acquaintance throughout the state, a visit to her brother, A. C. Mor-

-Get your school supplies at Dubbs'.

J. D. Jefferies has finished threshing his oats and finds that the crop averages fifty bushels to the acre.

-School tablets at Dubbs'. If

-All kinds of tablets and summer normal school supplies at Clower's. Big stock added to supply the wants of the students. tf

M. K. Witt, of Austin, is here this week visiting his brothers of the firm of Witt-Richardson Hardtf ware Co.

-See the \$45 Buck's Steel Range Stockman; at the Witt-Richardson Hardware Co's.

B. E. Condron and wife, of Angrown melons are much sweeter son, Jones county, are this week isiting the family of their father, W. H. Condron.

Vinson

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List your lands with the old timers, the men who know the country, have 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.

-School tablets at Dubbs'. tf

Mayor A. M. Beville returned Wednesday night from a week's business trip to Tyler, Sulphur Springs, and other Texas points.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bain, of Bray, accompanied by their niece, Miss Lizzie Solomon, of Paradise, Texas, were very pleasant callers at the Banner-Stockman office yes terday.

F. W. Wells, the new restaurant man, came in from Denison with his family and household effects this week, and has opened his restaurant in the Barnett building. Walter H. Shultz and wife, also of Denison, came with Mr. Wells Mr. Shultz having accepted a position in the new business.

-School tablets at Dubbs'. tf