



Everybody



Or most everybody knows the ROUND OAK Stove. We can give you plenty of testimonials as to its superiority. In its new, up-to-date dress it is the handsomest stove on the market, and in tight fitting, fine workmanship and "business" it excels all others. Do not mistake other stoves for the genuine. Look for the name on the leg, ROUND OAK. It is the stove you have always heard about. We will be pleased to explain it fully.

H. W. Taylor & Sons

Stock News.

Pyle & Browder shipped eight cars cows to the St. Jo market Monday.

Jimi Christal, foreman of the RO ranch, was in town last week. He reported the RO range and cattle in good shape for the winter.

R. L. Moss sold to E. C. Maulfair 16 sections of land in Moore county, well improved, for a total consideration of about \$17,000.

M. E. Bell was in from Brice this week on a cattle trade. He was offered \$10 for his calves but the cut back asked broke up the trade.

STRAYED—One heifer yearling, red muley, both ears cropped, underbit left ear, branded JHK. Liberal reward for return to J. H. Kelley.

Joe Horne bought 232 steer yearlings from J. T. Spear, of Quanah, at \$9, cutbacks at \$4. No use in a man stealing cattle when he can buy at such prices as these.

A new brand is recorded in our brand column this week, that of the Clarendon Live Stock Co., J. D. Jefferies, manager. We understand a charter has been applied for.

The JA cattle failed to win the sweepstakes grand premium at Chicago but captured first in class. The sweepstakes went to the Swenson cattle from James county, Texas cattle captured nearly all the prizes.

A. R. Letts of Clarendon, Tex., formerly engaged in the live stock commission business at Chicago, is spending a few days at the yards getting acquainted with the best cattle market in the world. Mr. Letts is now a full fledged ranchman.—K. C. Drover's Telegram.

Note the local ads of J. J. Harrison, who is agent for a new calf blab. The contrivance is the best one yet invented for weaning calves, is made entirely of rubber and is simple and durable in arrangement. Mr. Harrison will sell ranch or county rights, or retail the blabs singly or in quantities.

We are informed that the Jefferies yearlings sold last week at \$28 were shipped to the K. C. market and lost the shipper \$10 per head. This item is given us by one of our local cattle shippers who noticed in last week's paper where we had stated that we would be glad to publish items of stock news. We trust this gentlemen's change of heart will prove lasting and that other good items may be forthcoming.

J. E. McCombs this week bought the Rudolph improved half section across the river north of town, paying \$4700 cash, or about \$15 per acre. He also bought 440 acres from G. A. Nutt and 440 from D. L. McClellan, adjoining the Rudolph place, but unimproved, at \$7.50 per acre. Mr. McCombs is from the Hunt county black lands, and is well pleased with his purchase, believing his new land is fully as good as the \$60 quality of soil "down east."

Cattle are down and many men are breaking their necks to get rid of what they have. This class of men will never make any money in the cattle business. The end will find them without cattle and without money. The man who buys now is the man who will win out in the end. We ran across one fellow

CLEAN UP SALE

Of Dress Goods AND SILKS

For next week we will give some interesting reductions on new dress goods and silks as follows:

\$1.50 Qualities for	\$1.25
1.25 " "	1.00
1.00 " "	80c
85c and 90c Qualities for	75c
60c and 65c " "	50c
35c and 40c " "	25c

We can match these goods in correct trimmings at correspondingly low prices. This sale will be held on a cash basis. 20% off on all misses and children's jackets. We expect daily a shipment of the popular Ladies Tourist Coats. Watch our store for them and get first choice. Remember we are the largest distributors of merchandise in Clarendon and consequently can and will make best prices.

The Martin-Bennett Company.

McClellan-Elkins.

Wednesday evening at his home Rev. W. L. Skinner united in marriage Mr. Lou McClellan and Miss Cula Elkins, popular young people of this city. The wedding was a quiet affair and the principals immediately drove to the residence of the groom's parents where they are at home to their friends. The Banner-Stockman joins in the universal congratulations and good wishes.

Sheriff Patman received a wire this week from the sheriff at Wantonga, O. T., that the Nelson horse thieves had been captured and that he was holding both men and horses. Mr. Nelson was at once deputized and sent after them and is expected home tomorrow.

Read Rathjen's new ad on page 2 this week. For the best shoes that money can buy call at his store.

Plenty of sugar to sell. WILLIAMS BROS.

J. E. B. Stewart and Walker Lane, of Alanreed, were here Tuesday.

A. C. Morgan returned Monday morning from a business visit to Kansas City.

Get our prices before you buy anything in our line. WILLIAMS BROS.

Miss Minnie Weatherly, after a week's visit to relatives here, has returned to the JA ranch.

Calf Blabs.

I am agent for the Etcheson Rubber Calf Blab, the best calf weaning device made. Can sell them by retail, ranch or county right. Agent for this territory. See me at Clarendon, Texas, for particulars.

J. J. HARRISON. if

this week who has a long head and plenty of grass, and he told us he was keeping his eye peeled for bargains and had just plucked off the bargain bush a fat plum in the shape of about 40 good cows at \$7.50. He is still on the lookout for other bargains and expects to make a pile of money in the next year or so. The cattle business has its ups and downs; it's down now but its due to go up again and the man who stays with it will find himself prosperous in the end.

A trade has been closed between R. L. Moss of this city and W. C. Stevens of Moore county, by which Mr. Moss buys a 9-section ranch in Moore county, with 120 head of high grade and registered cattle. Mr. Stevens takes in Mr. Moss' residence property in Clarendon though the latter retains the use of same for 12 months. Mr. Stevens will move his family to Clarendon and enter his children in St. Mary's

Academy, but will himself remain at the ranch and manage same for its new owner. Mr. Moss and family will remain in Clarendon.

Stalk Field Pasture.

I have 160 acres fine stalk field and 160 acres good grass all together, for lease for grazing, five miles south of town. See or write C. A. WRIGHT, Clarendon, Texas.

Look! Look! Look!

Look at the elegant display of beautiful china in Dr. Stocking's show window. Buy your wife some nice pieces for Xmas and see her smile.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Elkins and boys left Tuesday night for Coleman where they will live. This is a most excellent family and the best wishes of scores of friends go with them to their new home.

C=A=S=H Spells Bargain.

C Is for Cash. Yes, we've said that before. Come see us, our latch string hangs on outside of door."

A Is for Apples, they're real nice and cheap. We got them to sell and not "to keep."

S Is for Syrup; Ribbon, Sorghum and Maple. All kinds of Groceries, both Fancy and Staple.

H Is for Honesty. Will do what we say. Call around and see us, just any old day.

10 Reasons for Buying for Cash.

- 1 You get goods cheaper.
- 2 You get better goods for your money.
- 3 You don't pay for bookkeeper's salary.
- 4 You keep even with the world.
- 5 You are never dunned.
- 6 You never pay for goods twice.
- 7 You don't blush when you meet your merchant.
- 8 You enable your merchant to pay cash, therefore he buys cheaper.
- 9 You and your merchant are always on friendly terms.
- 10 You are always sent for, or phoned to, when new goods arrive.

Williams Brothers,

The Cash Grocers.

A Kurious Kolumn

By A. Kurus Kusse

Don't advertise. It isn't healthy. Statistics show that advertisers die early. This isn't "hot-air," it is the gospel truth. If you want to live a quiet, peaceful life never advertise. As soon as a man puts an ad in a paper he has got to "hike" and hike in a hurry. He hurries from morning until—morning. Anyone with an atom of gray matter in his cranium will readily realize, that a man who advertises will have to lose sleep, and losing sleep isn't healthy. Yes, sir, if you advertise properly people will go to your house in the middle of the night to ask you about bargains. If you don't advertise your life will be long and painfully quiet, and when you plunge from the precipice of life your submersion will not cause a ripple to disturb the serenity of the still waters of the sea of death.

Kurus notes in a neighboring exchange a reference to the recent meeting of "He" Panhandle Teachers' Association. Those familiar with the attendance rolls would be more apt to refer to the body as "She" Association. Of course everybody knows our exchange meant to say "The" Association.

The Higgins News tells of the robbery of an old man at that town, the unfortunate old fellow losing every cent of his possessions (about \$60), and hints that local peace officers made no effort to find the thief or recover the booty. Kurus Kusse would suggest that they hold their election over again and possibly some one might wake up.

Never do today what you can put off until tomorrow if what you contemplate doing will injure another.

Don't judge a man by his clothes. A pair of patent leathers may cover feet that need a visit to an old fashioned foot washing.

Don't say it. The other fellow may not like your way any better than you like his.

Webster doesn't give the proper definition of knocker. Knocker is a man who gets his little hammer out whenever anyone suggests a good thing for the town and attempts to hammer the life out of it. He hates to see mankind prosper and then wonders why he is not the most beloved denizen of the hamlet. He knocks on everything,

never losing an opportunity to make a statement in regard to some one's character or habits that is calculated to injure them. When this sort of person comes to die they will knock so hard on the pearly gates that they will break through heaven and into the confines of the nether world. If we were compelled to be either a dog or a knocker we would choose the former every time, for a dog is a gentleman and a scholar compared with the knocker.

Coughing Spell Caused Death.

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat, Dec. 1, 1901." Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 25c, 50c, \$1.00.—Sold by Fleming & Maulfair

Note the many new ads in this issue. The holiday season is upon us and the wise merchant will advertise for the trade. We are rather proud of our ads and the way they are constructed. With new and up-to-date material and a good workman we can and do make ads talk.

Heart Fluttering.

Undigested food and gas in the stomach, located just below the heart, presses against it and causes heart palpitation. When your heart troubles you in that way take Herbine for a few days. You will soon be all right. 50c. Sold by Fleming & Maulfair.

Complaint reaches us from subscribers at several nearby post-offices, some of them in Donley county, that the Banner-Stockman does not reach them until Tuesday and Wednesday of the week following the day of the publication. The fault does not lie in this office nor in the Clarendon postoffice. The papers are mailed each Friday and are put on the trains the same night. We are sorry for the delays but cannot help it, and trust the railway mail service will soon begin handling the mails in better shape.

A carload of pipe and casing coming. Complete line of fittings and windmill supplies carried in stock. First-class plumber furnished at reasonable rates. CLARENDON WATER, LIGHT AND POWER Co.

A. J. Hill and family left Tuesday for Merkel. Mr. Hill will there leave his family and go on an extended camping trip through the Devil's River country for the benefit of his health. We trust he may wax fat, live long and prosper.

New games at Clowers. If

See Clower for all the new games. If

Alvis Weatherly visited Quanah Sunday.

Christmas fruit, nuts, and candies at Clower's.

Alex Ligertwood was in from Paloduro Monday.

The gin at Wellington, Collingsworth county, was destroyed by fire last Saturday.

This is Santa Claus store. Holiday goods galore. J. M. Clower & Son.

The Memphis gin caught fire again last week. This is twice it has had a narrow escape.

One school section, all plains land, \$640 if sold at once. Moore county.

ANSLEY, Channing, Tex.

Geo. W. Washington left Sunday for his visit to Austin, made mention of last week.

Ferguson Martin was up from Memphis the first of the week. He has been employed there of late by Browder Bros.

20 section ranch, all level agricultural land, near railroad, two wells, house, corrals, improvements worth \$3,000. Price \$10,000, easy terms. ANSLEY, Channing, Tex.

Our country correspondents will please notify us when they run out of stamps and stationery. We will keep them supplied promptly.

The Richards & Pringles Minstrels are billed for Clarendon Dec. 16, one night only. It is one of the leading minstrel shows, and is the first to make Clarendon for a good many years.

"DO IT TO-DAY!"



"And to think that ten months ago I looked like this! I owe it to German Syrup."

The time-worn injunction, "Never put off 'til to-morrow what you can do to-day," is now generally presented in this form: "Do it to-day!" That is the terse advice we want to give you about that hacking cough or demoralizing cold with which you have been struggling for several days, perhaps weeks. Take some reliable remedy for it TO-DAY—and let that remedy be Dr. Boschee's German Syrup, which has been in use for over thirty-five years. A few doses of it will undoubtedly relieve your cough or cold, and its continued use for a few days will cure you completely. No matter how deep-seated your cough, even if dread consumption has attacked your lungs, German Syrup will surely effect a cure—as it has done before in thousands of apparently hopeless cases of lung trouble. New trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c. At all druggists.

For sale by J. D. Stocking, M. D.

MONEY TALKS!

We Will Give \$10,000 to Charity

If anyone can prove that any other concern received a higher prize on shoes than was awarded us at St. Louis World's Fair.

PETERS SHOE CO., St. Louis.

We are authorized by Peter's Shoe Co. to publish the above challenge to the world. The grand prize awarded "Diamond Brand Shoes" at the World's Fair is absolutely the highest award, any statements to the contrary notwithstanding.

The makers of Diamond Brand Shoes back up their claims as they back up their shoes.

We do all kinds of Shoe Repairing and take orders for all kinds of shop-made Boots and Shoes. We also handle all kinds of shoe laces and polishes. Come in and let us show you some of the new styles just received.



JOHN H. RATHJEN,
The Shoe Man.

Clarendon College

Under Auspices of M. E. Church, South.

A HIGH-GRADE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

FACULTY:

- REV. G. S. HARDY, *President.*
Mental and Moral Philosophy.
- S. E. BURKHEAD, *M. A., Principal.*
English, Latin, Greek.
- W. F. JOHNSON, *B. A.*
Mathematics, Science, History.
- MISS GERTRUDE SHERMAN.
(Sam Houston Normal.)
Instructor.
English, Latin, Mathematics.
- MISS GABIE BETTS.
Primary Department.
- MRS. V. K. WEDGWORTH.
Director Musical Department.
- MRS. MYRTIE TRESISE.
Stringed Instruments, Voice Culture, Elocution.
Spanish and Art to be supplied.

First Term Opens Aug. 30, 1904.
Last Term Closes May 31, 1905.

Tuition \$2, \$3, \$4 per Month.
Send for Catalog.

M. F. LEE, FEED DEALER and DRAYMAN
All varieties of Feed Stuffs, Corn, Hay, Oats, Bran, Chops, etc. Careful handling of freight and prompt service. BEST COAL. Two doors north of Cold Storage Market. Phone 21.

PANHANDLE FISH.

Government Experiments in Donley County Prove Successful.

In 1898 the government furnished a number of fish to stock Panhandle streams as an experiment. At Timber Lake about 250 were used and about 350 were placed in Barton creek within the confines of the Page ranch. Of late inquiries have been made of results and we are informed that the report is that the Black Bass made a great success, fish having been caught weighing from one to six pounds. Rock Bass made a partial success, while the Croppie were a total failure, none ever having been caught. The failure of the latter species may be caused from freshets or other fish and turtles devouring the stock fish. Perch also proved that the waters of the various Panhandle streams are well adapted to the propagating of game fish.

Revolution Imminent.

A sure sign of approaching revolt and serious trouble in your system is nervousness, sleeplessness, or stomach upsets. Electric Bitters will quickly dismember the troublesome cases. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the Kidneys and Bowels, stimulate the liver and clarify the blood. Run down systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches vanish under its searching and thorough effectiveness. Electric Bitters is only 50c, and that is returned if it don't give perfect satisfaction. Guaranteed by Fleming & Maulfair.

Bellingham, Wash., Nov., 20.
Editor Banner-Stockman,

KIND SIR—

I desire to thank you for your promptness in changing my paper, and once more request a similar favor. Please change from Bellingham Wash. to Kennewick Wash. I have traveled more than three thousand miles since leaving Texas and have found no place yet where money invested is as sure of bringing a good rate of interest as in Donley county, Texas.

Respt. G. A. NUTT,
Kennewick, Wash.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for dyspepsia, dizziness, headache, liver or bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at Fleming & Maulfair's.

Rev. S. E. Houk, of Plainview, visited his daughters at the College and preached for the Methodist congregation Sunday.

News agency, books, papers and periodicals at CLOWER'S.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson on the 24th, a boy.

Foxy Grandpa, Sherlock Holmes—new games for Christmas at Clower's.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Dan Zachry on the 21st, a boy.

Games for the happy Xmas time. I have them, new and snappy. CLOWER'S tf

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baker on the 25th, a boy.

Clower is agent for every publication under the sun. Subscribe from him and save money. tf

D. W. Patton and family returned to their home at Cambria, Wyo., Sunday.

See Dr. Cooke at his new dental office. No stairs to climb. tf

Mrs. H. C. Patton left Monday for a visit to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Dr. S. J. White, left Monday for a visit to Dallas and Greenville.

Prettiest line pictures and Medallions in the whole Panhandle at Clower's. tf

Elder E. Dubbs filled his regular appointment at Alanreed last Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Rowe was in from the RO ranch Monday shopping.

Medallions and pictures from the cheapest to the best, but all the best workmanship and finish. See my line for Xmas. J. M. Clower & Son. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Cook, of Kansas City, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. S. Bugbee, returning home Sunday.

5 sections, solid body, 2 patent, 3 school, plains land, \$600 house, fence, well, windmill, 100 acre farm. \$6,400.
ANSLEY, Channing, Tex.

Sheriff J. T. Patman has moved his family into the residence section of the jail and is most comfortable situated therein. Sheriff Patman will give the duties of jailer his own personal attention.

697 acres patent land, all level plains, near railroad town, \$2 per acre, 1/3 cash, balance 5 years, interest 6 per cent, title o. k. Will throw in free, 700 acres tax title land adjoining.
ANSLEY, Channing, Tex.

Holiday Headquarters!

Old Santa Claus has notified us that he will make his headquarters in Clarendon at our store from now until Christmas.

Collar & Cuff Boxes
Toilet Sets
Shaving Sets
Necktie Boxes
Mirrors
Dolls
Toys

Where Will you Buy Your

Christmas Presents?
That's the Question Now

We bought our Xmas goods with the idea of supplying the trade with good serviceable goods at a minimum of price. We bought early and made careful selections, and now have our goods on display where you can see, price and buy, and you are invited to call and see our line. There are many new and valuable hints for Xmas shoppers here. We will offer special inducements to Christmas Tree committees and ask the privilege of figuring these bills.

Jewelry for Xmas Presents
Books
All the Latest Games
Xmas Candies
Fruits
Nuts

We have now en transit a big stock of general racket store goods, also another shipment of Xmas goods now on the road. When received our stock will be the best ever brought to Clarendon * * *

The Globe Confectionery,
E. DUBBS & SON, Proprietors.

John Alexander went to Fort Worth Saturday

Shave with Blackwell & Hill, Clarendon's best barbers. tf

Geo. M. Bugbee has moved back to his ranch at Lakeview, Hall county.

3 school sections, half tillable, well, small farm, \$1600, near county seat.
ANSLEY, Channing, Tex.

Fleming & Maulfair have treated their handsome drug store fixtures to a new coat of varnish and have repapered and painted throughout the interior of their store. The improvement is marked

I have the best stock of Xmas games to be found. Chuck-a-luck, Scalf, Sherlock Holmes, Foxy Grandpa, Sir Hinkle Funny Duster, Progressive Queries, and others. See my stock. J. M. Clower & Son. tf

Regular services at the Christian church next Sunday conducted by the pastor, Elder, E. Dubbs. Morning subject, "Divine Providence," the story of Esher. Night, "Under the Juniper Tree." All are invited.

If you are looking for something very nice for a Christmas remembrance call and see our line of Medallions and pictures. Everyone a work of art and a prize worth having. Every lady wants one or more. J. M. Clower & Son. tf

J. J. Harrison and family have moved back to Clarendon for the winter. After losing two of their children at Tucumcari from typhoid fever Mr. Harrison decided a change back to Clarendon ozone was the part of wisdom. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson are in charge of Mr. Harrison's apartment house business during their Clarendon sojourn.

Money Found.

My little boy found two pieces of gold and silver coin. Owner can recover same by applying to me, describing property and paying for this notice.

2t J. A. BARNETT.

Fleming & Maulfair,
DRUGGISTS.

Successors to H. D. Ramsey.

Will continue to carry a complete line of Drugs and Druggists Sundries. In fact everything usually carried in a first-class Drug Store. Prescriptions properly and promptly filled day or night by a registered pharmacist, as Mr. Ben F. Griffin rooms in the building.

Try Our Cigars.

Phone 36.

Those Awful Headaches



Are sure indications of some form of stomach trouble, biliousness or a bad liver. Malaria will next overtake you. Don't risk it, and above all, don't take calomel or quinine—both are dangerous

HERBINE

has all their virtues—none of their deadly effects. HERBINE taken regularly will forestall headaches, put the digestive organs in perfect condition, head off biliousness, headaches, liver ills, keep you in good health.

TRY IT TO-DAY.
50c a Bottle. All Druggists.

For Sale and recommended by Maulfair & Fleming.

A Frightened Horse.

Running like mad down the street dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, cuts, sores, eczema and piles, disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c at Fleming & Maulfair's drug store.

M. W. Vaughan, the piano man of Dallas, was here the past week on business.

Pete's Barber Shop,

Best service in Clarendon. Good workmen, clean towels, sharp razors.

Only Bath Rooms
In the City

Your Patronage will be Appreciated.

Good Suits And Overcoats

AT RIGHT PRICES.



Is sum and substance of our clothing talk. Why not let us make you a suit and overcoat. Those wanting an up-to-date hat find our store the place to select it. We are giving 20 per cent off on both hats and gloves for the next ten days. Don't fail to get around and take advantage of the bargains to be found in these lines. Low prices on a number of other lines carried. Watch for some interesting Christmas talk next week.

The Bargain Store

The Banner-Stockman.

Established 1892. Absorbed the Clarendon News July 22, 1904.

A Live Local Paper with Stock News a Feature.

Official Organ Panhandle Stockmen's Association of Texas.

Published every Friday by
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JOHN E. COOKE, Editor.
JOHN H. KELLEY, Bus. Mgr.

SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 PER YEAR.

Entered at the postoffice at Clarendon, Texas as second class matter.

Clarendon, Tex. Dec. 2, 1904

WITH few exceptions the merchants of Clarendon are offering bargains for next Monday in order to make it the most successful "First Monday" the town has yet known. Don't fail to come to town on that day.

THERE was one personal news item in last week's Hall County Herald which we'll gamble on having been read by nine-tenths of the readers of that news sheet. The item referred to got mixed up in the body of an advertisement of a firm which changes its ads every week. Nuff sed.

Editor in Trouble.

News comes from Amarillo that J. F. Lockney, editor of the Advocate, is in jail there charged with incest, his wife and brother-in-law being the accusers. Report has it that feeling is running very high in Amarillo over the scandal.

Groom Gossip.

The party at C. H. Harris' Thanksgiving night was very much enjoyed by both old and young, there being some very young ones present. The supper was also very nice.

Some of Mr. Blasdell's lumber has arrived and he has begun work on the building, which is to be both office and dwelling at present. Later he will build a residence and then use the building under construction for an office.

For the past week Groom has had a supply of land buyers and home seekers. Most of them are from Michigan. Some have located and many more would like to if the land was obtainable.

Dr. Gibson sold his ranch last week to real estate people and we understand they are to bring families to it. The doctor and family will give possession the 15th of March and will go to Kentucky to make their future home.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Will Slay Nov. 24th, a boy.

Mr. Fay's married son arrived from Michigan last week. They expect to make this their home in the future.

A move was made last Sunday to arrange for a Christmas entertainment and tree at Groom.

C. H. Harris has gone to Shamrock to purchase calves which he will ship to Kentucky next week.

Mrs. Whatley and children were gone several days last week to Alanreed, her mother, Mrs. Pollard, being very sick.

Mr. Cornett's horse has arrived but we haven't seen anything of the remainder of the combination.

A new citizen arrived in Groom last Monday in the form of a little baby boy at Mr. Wolcott's.

Dr. W. A. Warner of Claude was in town several days last week.

GUESS WHO?

Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the northern district of Texas. In the matter of C. E. Blair, bankrupt; No. 360 in Bankruptcy.

First meeting of creditors. Office of Referee, Ft. Worth, Texas, Nov. 25, 1904.

To creditors of C. E. Blair, of Clarendon, Donley county, Texas, and District aforesaid, a Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given, that on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1904, said C. E. Blair was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the city of Ft. Worth, Texas, on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such business as may properly come before said meeting.

W. B. PADDOCK,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Xmas goods at The Globe. tf

Clarendon College.

Thanksgiving was observed by most of the teachers and pupils. Some of each had some extra work to do and remained at home. A number of the boys and girls took dinner in town. Yet there was a good dinner provided at the College Hall. Both boys and girls were delighted when news came that they might attend the supper together. There was a long line of the couples, but they went and returned together.

Friday was the first holiday of the year. Some of the teachers and a number of the pupils who are prospective teachers went to Amarillo to attend the meeting of the Panhandle Teachers Association. We note that Miss Betts, our primary teacher, was elected secretary of the Association.

Hugh Franks of Memphis, C. W. Norris of Clarendon, D. A. McCall of Clarendon and James Arthur Laney of Wortham entered school this week. They are all good boys and we expect to see them do fine work.

Mrs. Hendrix came in Thursday night and surprised her son, John. He recovered quick and enjoyed the visit of his mother and little brother. She is well pleased with the school and John's record. The third month's grade cards are being mailed this week. They show the best record of the term so far. The department of the school is better and the grades are higher. The two always go hand in hand.

Some of the papers in the nearby towns have been boasting that their football boys have been trying to get a game with the college, but can't. The college will let the boys play whenever the parents desire their boys to play football. There is a sentiment against the game, but we take no part in it. The college will allow all pupils to play the game if they will first bring written permission from home. Thus far only one boy has presented his permission. It seems that the parents do not like the game.

President Hardy has been sick for a number of days, but he is out again, and is planning a number of things for the college.

Mr. Foster keeps well posted on the Eastern question, but we think there is no danger of him going. Still he may go to the east side of town soon, but for only a short time.

Rev. S. E. Houk visited his daughter Saturday and Sunday. He delivered an excellent sermon Sunday morning.

Remember the next attraction of the Lyceum Course, which will be December 16th.

Fight Will be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Miss, has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles cured her." Guaranteed by Fleming & Maulfair, druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Giles News.

J. W. Curtis came down from Amarillo Monday and spent a few days out at the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt went down to Memphis Monday.

Bro. Farmer of Memphis preached at this place Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Franks and Miss Killough of Memphis visited Mrs. Ranson Sunday.

Mrs. M. W. Rogers and daughter, Miss Annie, left Sunday for Chillicothe after a week's visit with relatives here.

E. H. Watt and wife entertained a number of young people Saturday night with a musical.

Ploto's big show passed through here Monday and unloaded all their animals and watered them. It was a great show to all the children and old folks, too.

Mr. Baker and family arrived at Giles from Indian Territory on the 29th. They will visit Mr. Baker's father on the Coleman place and will probably locate near Giles if they can get a place that will suit them.

Mrs. Myrtle Crow visited her father and sister, Mr. and Miss Young, Saturday and Sunday.

New line fine cigars, best in town, at The Globe Confectionery.

Public School Notes

Friday morning's northbound train found a crowd of Clarendon teachers on board bound for Amarillo. Among the crowd were Misses Stout, Donnell, Kimbrough, Harding, Pearl and Gabie Betts, Stevens, Sherman, Trammell and Teague, Profs. Silvey, Willis, Johnston, Harding, Young and King, together with Judge Morgan and numbers of teacher from Memphis and other places.

Arriving at Amarillo we were met by Prof. Dehoney and his able corps and at once taken to our homes. At 11 o'clock the meeting convened in the Public School building and listened to a most interesting welcome by the newly elected and youthful Judge of Potter Co. Judge Merrill, in connection with his address spoke of our duty to the state as teachers and stressed the point that we teach our children history. The welcome was responded to by the humorous Prof. Willis who though he insisted that "even the Devil didn't know what he was going to say" managed to thank them and assure them we would take every advantage of their hospitality.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected: Prof. Hawkins of Herford as Pres., Miss Betts of Clarendon as Sec., and Miss Hendrix of Amarillo as Treas. After enrollment the program was taken up and carried out.

Several of the world's fair discussions were good; among them "The Irish Village" by Miss Hibbits.

Miss Kimbrough sustained the reputation of her relatives by her paper on arithmetic and Mr. Johnson made us think we'd better stir ourselves since mathematics was the most important and poorest taught subject that he studied. One could tell from the way he handled the subject that he studied it for pleasure and not the answer (?).

Messrs. Willis, Bain and Miss Harding discussed the "Co-operation of Home and School" in a very practical way, stressing its importance and suggesting various ways to make it more effective.

Miss Donnell's paper on Literature was fine. It is no surprise that she and Miss Stout have been exerting themselves to get a library. Tis said that children get their taste for literature before they are eleven and they who are fortunate enough to have a teacher who sees all its beauties as Miss Donnell does should acquire a love for it. The meeting voted that her paper be sent to the state journal for publication.

There were many other interesting discussions but I mention only those in which our teachers took part. Friday night we were given a reception at the Art Exhibit. The pictures were mostly copies of the great master pieces and were good reproductions. They were well arranged around a large room and permission given to look as long as pleased. A short program was rendered during the evening.

The Co. Judges were more interested than usual in the meeting. There being present Judges Morgan, Merrill and Moore. As a whole the meeting was very interesting, much fun as well as benefit being gotten. An effort was made to locate the Association permanently at Amarillo but was unsuccessful. There were about 65 teachers present. Claude was selected as the next meeting place and Clarendon for the Spring term.

The postoffice at Rowe on Sunday will be open only from seven to nine a. m., and from four to five p. m., hereafter.

P. A. SMITH, P. M.

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Special Sales.

Every week we put on "Special Sales" one of many varied lines and you will miss some "Special" Bargains if you do not look over our Bargain Counter every week.



Our Prices Will Please

Mrs. A. M. BEVILLE & Company.



This is HOMER MULKEY,

Clarendon's Up-to-Now Photographer.

Ready at all times to make you the finest photos ever made in the city. Get your Xmas work done now before the big rush. Do you know of any nicer present than a good, well-mounted, delicately finished photo. I do that kind of work

Local Market Report.

This week Clarendon merchants are paying prices as follows for country produce:

Cotton, middling	8.75
Cotton, strict middling	8.85
Cotton, good middling	9.00
Chickens, per doz.	\$2.50 to \$3.00
Butter, per lb.	.20
Eggs, per doz.	.25
Hay, prairie, per ton	8.00
Hay, millet, per ton	8.00
Hides, green, per lb.	.45
Hides, dry, per lb.	.10 to .11
Sweet potatoes, per bu.	.50 to .60
Indian corn, shelled, per bu.	.60
Indian corn, in ear, per bu.	.50
Kaffir corn heads, per ton	8.00
Turkeys, each	.75 to \$1

Local News.

While going home from the singing last Sunday night Bertie Leathers' horse ran into the wire fence, cutting him badly while the horse was only scratched a little.

The Misses Grimes of Claude are visiting Mr. Paten and family.

The farmers are smiling at the good weather. They want to get their crops out of the way before Christmas.

Our section house has been unoccupied for some time but a family moved in this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. King spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren.

PUMPKIN.

Don't forget First Monday.

The Priddy-Reeves Realty Co. is opening a branch office at Memphis. Mr. D. R. Priddy, father of D. C. Priddy, will be in charge.

YOU CAN'T DO BETTER

Than to examine our new fall stock if you are wanting to buy a

New Suit OR Overcoat

Our line of Mens' and Boys' Clothing and Overcoats is simply superb. These garments are made to fit and conform to Fashion's dictates. Call and see the goods. You will be surprised at the values we give for so little money.

Ben W. Chamberlain,
Clarendon's Oldest Merchant.

Trades Carnival.

A Grand Trades Display and Concert will be given in the near future. Miss Mollie E. Jackson, leading teacher of elocution and physical culture of Texas, has arrived in our city by an invitation of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church in order to give this trades display and concert. Miss Jackson comes to us not as a stranger, but an invited guest. The Ladies' Aid Society and the Baptist church kindly ask the co-operation of the business and professional people in this undertaking. All unnecessary expense usual in old style "Trade Carnival" is not allowed in this. A large amount of printed advertising matter goes far and near for each business represented, which makes a grand advertisement for the city as a whole. Then the advertisement in grand concert makes it twofold in its nature, and a grand and profitable affair for the city. Miss Jackson has given many such benefits in the larger cities and comes to us highly recommended by the press as will be seen below:

The first part of the program alone was worth the price of admission, and the grand drill was worth twice the admission. In fact it was three grand entertainments in one.—Greenville Herald.

Everybody from the small boy to our leading business men are loud in the praise of the manner in which Miss Jackson prepared the interesting program, and also the style in which it was presented from start to finish.—The Denton Monitor.

It was the grandest event ever given in the Steger opera house.—Bonham Daily Favorite.

I hereby certify that I have known Miss Jackson for years and can heartily recommend her as being worthy and well qualified for the business she undertakes.—J. B. Riddle, Baptist pastor of Honey Grove, Texas.

This concert will be given at the Clarendon opera house Dec. 9.

Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the northern district of Texas. In the matter of Simpkins & Barnhart, a firm composed of D. Barnhart, G. H. Simpkins, J. J. Simpkins, bankrupts; In Bankruptcy No. 333.

Order on Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge. Office of Referee, Ft. Worth, Texas, Nov. 28, 1904.

Notice is hereby given, Simpkins & Barnhart, a firm composed of D. Barnhart, J. J. Simpkins and G. H. Simpkins, all of Alanreed, in Gray county, in said district, did, the firm and D. Barnhart and J. J. Simpkins on the 12th of November, 1904, and G. H. Simpkins on the 18th of November, 1904, file their petitions setting up that they and each of them had been heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt, as individuals and as a firm, under the acts of Congress approved July 1st, 1898, and each under oath averred that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has duly complied, personally and as a member of said firm, with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the Court, touching his bankruptcy, and praying for a full discharge from all his debts provable against his estate in bankruptcy, individually and as a member of said firm, save such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

On considering the above mentioned petitions, it is ordered that any creditor who has proved his claim and other parties in interest, if they desire to oppose the discharge of said firm or any member thereof as prayed for in said petitions shall on or before Dec. 10, 1904, file with the Referee for the Ft. Worth Division of said District, a notice in writing of their opposition to the discharge of said bankrupts or either of them, and if either, which, and after filing such opposition, ten days from the above date (December 10th) herein named, specifications under such opposition shall be filed with the Referee.

W. B. PADDOCK,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Dr. Cooke uses none but the best gum teeth for artificial sets. No stairs to climb.

Price those Bibles at Stockings' store.

W. F. White was here from Memphis yesterday.

LOST—One small purse containing two silver dollars. A liberal reward will be paid at this office. tf

Best flour to be had at \$3.25 per cwt.

WILLIAMS BROS.

Why not drop in at Dr. Stocking's and buy a kodak for your best girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ware and guests, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Millet, visited relatives at Silvertown this week.

W. M. Waller, the popular drummer for the A. G. Elliot Paper Co., of Dallas, was here yesterday.

Call at The Globe for your Christmas presents, fruits, nuts and candies. tf

A. M. Ramp came in this week from Canadian. His baby has been very sick but is now better. Mr. Ramp will shortly return to his Oklahoma claim.

Mrs. Gray's studio over Fleming & Maulfair's Drug Store will be open Wednesday until Saturday inclusive. No classes held on Mondays and Saturdays. tf

D. A. Dugger, an expert tonorialist from Denver, came in last night to take a position with the Elite Barber Shop, Lloyd Blackwell proprietor.

Will have a complete line of Xmas fire works on display in a few days.

WILLIAMS BROS.

A representative of the Southern Brokerage Co., of Amarillo, was here Tuesday offering to buy threshed kaffir corn and maize in any quantity.

Nothing better for boys or girls than good, inspiring books. You will find them in plain cloth or fancy leather at Stocking's store. They make beautiful Xmas gifts. The prices are right. tf

Mrs. Eugene Noland of Stratford, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McClellan, and will remain until Christmas when her husband will come down for the holidays.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lane gave these worthy folks a surprise Tuesday in the shape of a big turkey dinner commemorating the 38th anniversary of their marriage. All their children and grandchildren were present except two daughters in Arizona.

Crescent Poultry Food will make hens lay. We guarantee you a profit by using it.

WILLIAMS BROS.

Calf Blabs.

I am agent for the Etcheson Rubber Calf Blab, the best calf weaning device made. Can sell them by retail, ranch right or county right. Agent for this territory. See me at Clarendon, Texas, for particulars.

J. J. HARRISON.

Have you seen those beautiful gift books at Stocking's store?

C. E. Blair is now handling groceries behind the counters at Powell & Sons.

You have no idea how cheaply you can buy good books till you price them at Stocking's store.

Notice is hereby given that idle boys must stay out of the cotton yard and electric light plant premises. Will prosecute all trespassers hereafter.

W. C. STEWART, Supt.

Why sell your feed in the head for half price when you can have it ground and get double the worth? We do the grinding on reasonable terms.

CLARENDON W., L. & P. Co.

LOST—Four or five miles south of town on road to JA farm a silver watch, Elgin brand. Finder will be rewarded by returning watch to this office.

JOHN HECKMAN.

4 school sections, solid body, 4 room house, farm, well and windmill. Improvements cost over \$2,000. Curly mesquite land, near Dalhart. \$5,000 cash. Well improved place.

ANSLEY, Channing, Tex.

Stanley J. Clark, state lecturer for the Socialist party of Texas, delivered a lecture at the court house Wednesday night.

Episcopal Church

Services next Sunday

2nd in Advent

Morning with sermon 11 a. m. Subject "The Holy Scriptures"

Evening 7:30

Subject "The Episcopal Church in relation to other Christian bodies."

All cordially welcome.

Rev. H. C. Goodman,

Rector.

Rev. B. W. Dodson and family came in Tuesday from Amarillo and moved at once into the Methodist parsonage. The members of the church gave them a liberal "pounding" the same night.

Cartoonist Coming.

W. Ash Davis, the noted cartoonist, will appear at the College chapel on Saturday night, Dec. 10. This is the second attraction of the Lyceum course provided by Clarendon College, and will prove an enjoyable entertainment. If you have not bought tickets secure them at once at Clower's jewelry store.

FOR SALE.

One of the most desirable and convenient residences in town. If you are interested and want a home write or see me. tf

W. A. CALDWELL.

Miss Emma Buntin returned Monday night from her long visit with relatives at Louisville, Ky. She came by St. Louis and saw the sights of the great Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

I have received much of my Holiday goods and although I may not have them displayed for some days yet we will take pleasure in showing goods when you call to see them. J. D. STOCKING.

Sheriff Patman and Deputy Arthur Stevens raided a place supposed to contain a bunch of poker players Saturday night and found their supposition correct. Five men were arrested, freely acknowledged the corn and requested that a magistrate be awakened and they be allowed to pay their fines and depart in peace. Mayor Beville kindly consented to accommodate them and the city treasury was forthwith enriched by more than \$100.

The Elite Barber Shop, Lloyd Blackwell proprietor, is making substantial improvements by enlarging the shop, repapering and renovating. Two good barbers. Your patronage solicited. tf

W. J. Adams has bought the old I. E. Jones place and is occupying same this week. John Molesworth is now the owner of the John Sims place where Mr. Adams has been living, and we understand will add to and improve the house at once and later move therein.

First Monday Bargains

Our Entire Stock of Implements, Wagons, Stoves, Queensware and Glassware

Will take Places on the Bargain Counter

For Monday. We make this offer to get in the procession to make First Monday a Big day. When you get to town come straight to our store and get what you want. Remember we will set aside that day for your benefit and will suspend regular prices and make rock bottom prices. Keep Your Eye on our Store through the Holidays because we will display a nice line of Gift Goods. Our Holiday goods will consist of useful and will please the most fastidious person and the price will be low enough to suit the most economical buyer. Remember we do not ask for Holiday profits only a small margin on each article.

Silverware and Carving Sets

Our stock of the above goods is complete and we are making a very low price on high grade goods. Our Boys Wagons are all steel gear and cost you no more than other wagons. Come in and look over our stock before buying. We will save you money. All cash purchases to the amount of 50c gives you a ticket or chance at \$80 worth of premiums, and every ad counts for the little girls. We want more of your business. Come to see us.



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Select Boarding School for Young Ladies and Girls

Thoroughly planned course of studies. Every facility for Music, Art and Languages. Special attention given to the health, morals and manners of the pupils. Day pupils received with or without board. Session opens Sept. 1st. For terms and particulars address,

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Fresh Oysters.
Beef, Pork, Veal, Sausage.
Belle Springs Creamery Butter.
Swift's Premium Lard.
Swift's Jewell Compound.
Swift's Breakfast Bacon.
Swift's Skinned Hams.
Swift's Frankfurt Sausage.
Swift's Boiled Hams.
Swift's Jersey Oleomargarine for cooking.
Boiled Tongues Saturday for Sunday luncheon.
Cold Storage Lard and Compound.
W. W. James, of Boydston, was here yesterday and made this office a pleasant call.



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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
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Graduate of Tulane University, Post
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Office on West First street. Residence
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Graduate St. Louis College of Physi-
cians and Surgeons; 17 years experience.
Residence, Elyer house; phone 32-2 rings
Office: Dr. Morris' former office.
CLARENDON, TEXAS.

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Dentist.


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& Sons Dry Goods store. Residence
phone No. 15-4 rings.
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Graduate of the Medical Department
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Maker. A postal card
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tem of the BEST Cow
Boy boot made in the
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I have a large stock of fruit and
shade trees, ornamental shrubbery
and vines and can make it to your
interest to buy from me. I have
been in this country many years
and know just what varieties are
best adapted to this soil and cli-
mate. Now is the time to place
your order. Large Locusts a
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Clarendon Nursery Co.
W. R. Claunch, Manager

BIG STEER DEAL.

**E. E. Baldrige and Others are the
Purchasers.**

One of the biggest cattle sales
that has been reported this fall
was consummated during the last
few days. S. B. Burnett & Son
of the 6666 ranch in the Territory
sold to E. E. Baldrige and others
1,000 3-year-old and upward steers
for \$30 each.

These steers will be shipped
from Burk Station, I. T., to Fort
Worth and will be put on feed
there. The steers are all high-
grade animals and are today grass
fat.

In addition to making this sale
Captain S. B. Burnett has com-
pleted arrangements to put 1,100
3-year-old steers on feed at Burk
Station.

Holiday Rates Via Rock Island System.

Rate of one fare plus two dollars
for round trip, limited thirty days,
will be in effect December 20, 21,
22 and 26, to points in Colorado,
Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Minne-
sota, Missouri, Arkansas, Illinois,
Tennessee, Kentucky, Alabama,
Mississippi, Georgia, Florida,
North and South Carolina.

To Oklahoma and Indiana Ter-
ritory, the rate will be one fare
plus fifty cents, selling December
24, 25 and 31 and January 1st,
limited January 4th.

Locally in Texas, rate will be on
convention basis, one and one-third
fare for short distances and one fare
plus ten per cent, to points beyond
one hundred miles, selling Decem-
ber 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, January 1,
limited January 4th. See local
agent or write General Passenger
Agent Phil. A. Auer, Fort Worth,
Texas, who will advise regarding
train service, changes, schedules,
etc.

At a meeting of the stewards of
the M. E. church Monday night
the pastor's salary was placed at
the \$1400 figure which shows the
strength of the local church. Not
over eight or ten churches are
represented with a figure exceeding
this sum on the minute books of
the general conference.

Christmas Goods.

Our Christmas goods are here
and will be placed on display about
Dec. 1st. We have bought heav-
ily this year and will have the
most complete and best selected
stock in town. We call your
especial attention to our line of fine
china. It is great. Our toy de-
partment will be very complete
and we want to show you our
goods and make prices before you
purchase elsewhere.

H. W. TAYLOR & SONS.

Rev. T. W. Sharp, late pastor of
the Floydada church, will move
his family to Clarendon in a few
days and enter Clarendon Col-
lege.

Cured Paralysis

W. S. Baily, P. O. True, Texas,
writes: "My wife had been suffer-
ing five years with paralysis in her
arm, when I was persuaded to use
Balliard's Snow Liniment, which
cured her all right. I have also
used it for old sores, frostbites and
skin eruptions. It does the
work." 25c, 50c, \$1.00.—Sold by
Fleming & Maulfair.

Clarendon teachers attending the
Panhandle Teachers' Association
at Amarillo last week were: Profs.
Silvey, Johnston, Willis, Harding
and Young; Misses Maggie Stout,
Gable Betts, Hattie Donnell, Amy
Harding, Kittie Kimbrough, Pearl
Betts, Lizzie Stephens, Gertrude
Sherman. The party was duly
chaperoned by County Superinten-
dent Geo. F. Morgan who must
have been pretty strict with his
charges for they shipped him back
home after the first day's session.
Miss Gable Betts was elected secre-
tary of the association.

Bob Dilworth was here from
Dalhart Tuesday.

Miss Cope, who has been quite
ill at Clarendon is visiting her
brothers, Frank and Wiley near
Lakeview.—Memphis News.

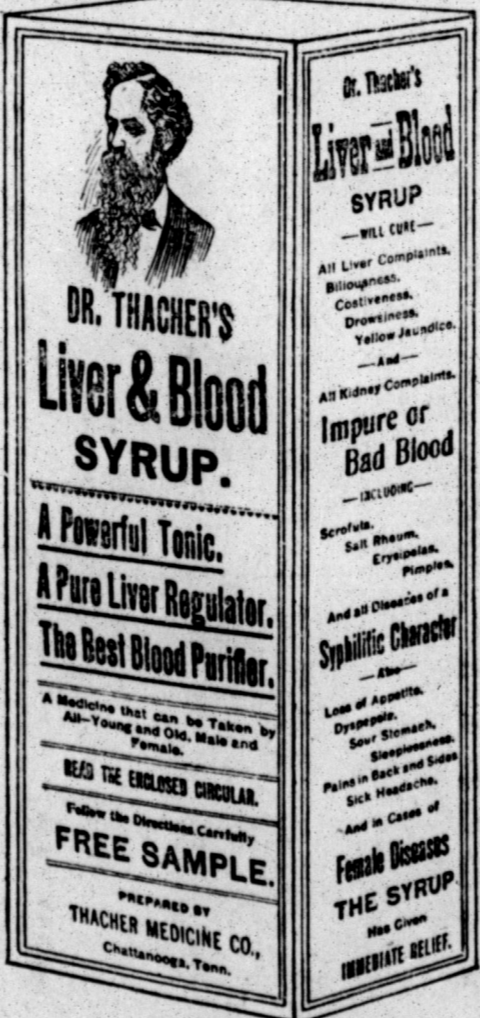
Rev. J. A. Laney, of Dickens
City, came in Tuesday. He has
been assigned the Rowe circuit and
will board at the college and at-
tend school.

The character of our job printing
is such that once used the patron is
sure to call again. We this week
filled an order for "At Home"
cards from Mississippi superinduced
by a neat card we had printed for
local parties some months since.

J. M. Gist topped the Fort Worth
hog market Thursday of last week
with a nice car load of Panhandle
hogs. The highest price paid that
day to any other seller was \$4.77½
while Mr. Gist received \$4.90, be-
ing 12½ cents over Oklahoma hogs.
This is all sorts of a good country
and the man that don't believe
Hall is the banner county of Texas
will only have to keep his eyes open
a little time to be convinced. Finer
hogs never grew than those rais-
ed right here in the Upper Red
River valley.—Hall County Her-
ald.

"I was much afflicted with sci-
atica," writes Ed C. Nud, Iowaville
Sedgwick Co., Kan., "going
about on crutches and suffering
a deal of pain. I was induced to
try Ballard's Snow Liniment,
which relieved me. I used three
50c bottles. It is the greatest lini-
ment I ever used; have recom-
mended it to a number of persons;
all express themselves as being
benefited by it. I now walk with-
out crutches, able to perform a
great deal of light labor on the
farm." 25c, 50c, \$1.00.—Sold by
Fleming & Maulfair.

Collection was taken at the
Methodist church Sunday morning
to apply on the loan fund for the
needy students of Clarendon Col-
lege. About \$325 was secured.



FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS,
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If you have never tried this
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SEND TO-DAY

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your symptoms.

We simply ask you to try it
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it will do.

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NEW BUGGIES

I have just unloaded the biggest ship-
ment of Buggies and Carriages ever
brought to Clarendon. I have all
style, and I bought them to Sell

Not to Keep

I have just put the price down right
and can do better by the public now
than any other Panhandle firm. Call
and see my line

B. T. LANE.

Stoves, too, all Kinds and Prices.

**ATTENTION
COTTON FARMERS!**

We have just put in a cotton gin, complete new Munger sys-
tem, with capacity of a bale every 15 minutes. We are add-
ing a 50-light dynamo for lighting the gin house and yards,
and will give you day and night service when necessary to
handle your cotton. The plant is fitted with steam pipe con-
nections with lint flues, fire extinguishers, and every means
of preventing fires. We have storage capacity with separate
stalls for a number of loads. We will buy your seed cotton
off of your wagon and give you the full strength of the mar-
ket. We will buy your seed at highest price. We guarantee
you good sample, quick service, good market, and charges
will be the custom of the country. R. C. Walker, who has
ten years experience, will have charge. He will be glad to
meet you, and will extend you any and all courtesies possi-
ble. Come and see us.

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Buggy Whips. Buggy Whips.

The most complete line to be found in the city.
We buy in large lots and can please everybody.

If That Buggy Harness Looks Old

Bring it around, we will make it look like new.

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Dealers in everything in the Leather line.

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Dealers in Lumber, Shingles, Sash,
Doors, Lime, Cement, Etc.

Having bought the Sawyer business wish to say to the
public that the stock on hand will be added to with the
best classes of long leaf yellow pine lumber. Call and
see us. Will be glad to figure estimates.

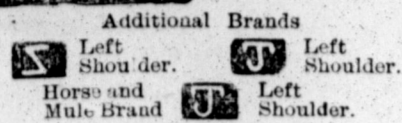
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P. O., Clarendon, Texas.
Range in Donley and Armstrong counties.



ROBERT SAWYER,



P. O., Clarendon, Texas.
Range on Salt Fork in Donley county.



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P. O., Clarendon, Texas.
Range on Salt Fork in Donley and Armstrong Counties.



McCLELLAND BROS.



Postoffice, Clarendon Texas.
Range on Kelly creek and Salt Fork, Donley county.



R. B. PYRON,

Postoffice Sweetwater Texas.
Range in Gray and Wheeler counties.



DR. WM. H. COOKE

Postoffice, Clarendon, Texas.
Range, Sections No. 12 block B, and No. 128 block C, eight mile east of Clarendon.

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

P. C. JOHNSON.

P. O. Giles, Texas.
Range north of Giles in Donley county.



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ROSSON TALKS.

Prominent Commission Man Thinks Cattle Business Will Look Up.

John K. Rosson has made several trips recently to the Panhandle and western parts of the state and as a rule he finds the ranchmen throughout the state very much discouraged at the present prices of cattle.

In first place lands have advanced very rapidly in the past two years which causes the production of cattle to be much more expensive, and while cattle are selling but very little lower than they did at this season last year the ranchmen as a rule say they are going in some other line of business. He says:

I read a letter a few days ago from one of the largest ranch owners in Texas to a personal friend of his, advising that he expected to ship but very few cattle this year owing to the low prices he was obtaining in the markets, stating "I am compelled to say that my cattle ranches are not paying. They are an expense. Cattle are now lower, taking into consideration the cost of raising them than I ever new them to be. A great many say this is the natural consequence of over production but my observation through my section of the country does not substantiate this argument" and he also states that he has come to the conclusion that this country is not over producing but it does less than before and he states that he is long on grass and short on cattle, and I think if the country was canvassed generally that would be the general conclusion.

It appears to me, however, that we are going to see a stronger and higher market for all classes of cattle during the coming year. I look for range cattle to advance materially for the reason that everybody is short of cattle and with this condition prevailing prices are bound to be much stronger.

Posted.

Keep out! All hunters and others are warned not to trespass on sections 65 C 6, 113 C 6, 115 C 6, and 129 E about 8 miles east of Clarendon on head of Lake Creek. They are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

ALFRED ROWE.

Good Show Coming.

The Richards & Pringles Big Minstrel Organization comes heralded this season as the greatest efforts of those enterprising American managers. Its date at Clarendon Opera house is Friday Dec. 16. From its lengthy list of features a buntious, rollicking sound of splendid minstrelsy and vaudeville can be expected. Every act is a star liner and the clever blending of darky fun, surprising novelty, singing and dancing and a spectacular first part of prismatic oriental splendor is said to be a magnificent triumph in this popular line of entertainment.

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The attention of the farmers of the county is directed to the fact that the business people of Clarendon have inaugurated a Public Sale and Trade Day for the first Monday in each month. If you have anything to sell or trade of any description whatever bring it in on 1st Monday. The services of J. E. Crisp, licensed auctioneer, will be at your command for a nominal fee, and the auction sales are expected to prove popular and numerous. Special bargains will be offered by our merchants on these days and farmers will find it to their interest to come to town every First Monday. Remember

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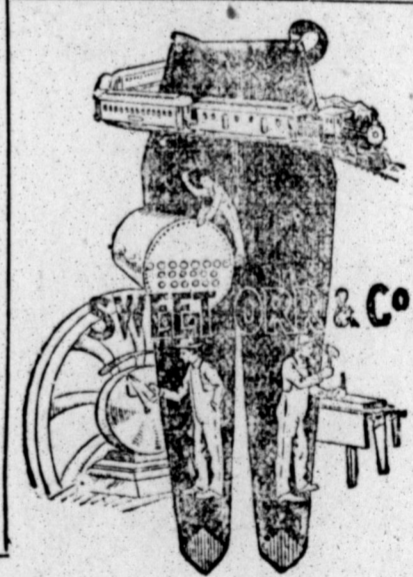
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