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GREAT CLOSING OUT SALE

ON ALL KINDS OF IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC

CHINAWARE

Many beautiful patterns. Will sell positively at cost. \$700 worth of china-ware to be sold in 10 days, commencing Friday, Oct. 4 and closing Monday, the 14th. We intend to close out this entire line as we have not sufficient shelf room to carry this stock. Also



living profit ready-made suits. We intend to close out this entire stock at cost, freight added.

Our Entire Stock of Ready-made Men's and Boys' Clothing

We have some very nobby suits left, both for boys and men. All our goods are fresh, no old stock. We have only carried this line for about eighteen months and our tailor made-to-order clothing business has grown to such immense proportions that we can no longer handle at a

HATS

We will also include in this sale a limited number of hats which we will sell at one-fourth off.



Do You See

This dress suit in the picture? About every other man you meet in Donley county has an equally good suit, and if you ask him where he got it he will tell you, "I gave my order and selected the fabric at E. Dubbs & Sons." Now is the time to give us your orders. Every part of the suits we put out through the tailoring houses we represent is guaranteed to fit and keep their shape. We cannot do this with ready made suits. Come and see what we have to offer you.

E. DUBBS & SONS

If Your Eyes Trouble You,
call on C. N. Bushnell, the graduate optician, at Dr. Stocking's drug store, Clarendon, Texas. Eyes tested free. Glasses scientifically fitted when needed. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Elkins returned Sunday from an overland trip to Kent county where they attended a big family reunion of the Elkins family. There were about eighty of the family present and needless to say a good time was had by all.

The Donley County State Bank invites your patronage. All the courtesies of a safe and conservative banking system at your disposal. Call and see us. tf

Len Ballew, the crack farmer who lives out east of town was in after lumber Saturday with which to build a new barn. He is constructing it on the two-story plan, thirty by forty feet, and says he intends to have enough shelter if it takes all the lumber in town.

—Had you ever noticed the difference between FRESH drugs and the other kind? Our stock is all new and fresh. Each article has been prepared since the pure drug and food law went into effect. Nothing out of date about this store. If it's first-class drug service you want you will find it here. Allen & Goodman.

—Typewriter supplies, all kinds, at Banner-Stockman office. tf

Notice.
TO MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS: Having sold my interest in the firm of White & Clarke to Mr. Clarke with the understanding that I was to open a shop for myself, I am now ready for business in the old post office building, rear of First National Bank, and will do cleaning, pressing and repairing at reasonable prices. I also have a very attractive line of both ladies' and gents' samples for tailor made clothing. I guarantee all my work in every respect. Will call for and deliver all orders.
F. A. WHITE.
Office phone 49.

—The \$350 piano is going somewhere. Get tickets at Stocking's store and vote your preference. tf

HONORS FOR DICK WALSH

Clarendon Man May be the Next President of the Texas Cattle Raisers Association.

Already the presidential bee is beginning to buzz in the camp of the Texas Cattle Raisers Association, the greatest live stock organization on earth. The next convention will be held in San Antonio next spring. There has been in the past and probably will be in the future considerable opposition to President Ike T. Pryor's re-election on account of his interests in commission companies, and it is entirely likely that he will not even be a candidate again although his friends will press it on him closely.

Richard Walsh, manager of the J A ranch, whose home is in this city, is the first vice president of the organization and is right in line for the presidential chair. Added to this fact he is a tremendously popular man among the cattlemen all over the state. He is also a cattleman himself from the ground up, and has ever been an active member of the association. With these facts in view it is extremely likely that he will be chosen president at the next meeting.

If Mr. Walsh is elected Clarendon will be somewhat noted for her "cow presidents," as Col. Thos. S. Bugbee, president of the Panhandle Stockmen's Association, is a resident of this city.

Oneal-Killough

Clarendon was called upon to give up one of her prettiest and deservedly most popular girls Sunday evening, when at 7:30 o'clock Mr. James M. Oneal led to Hymen's altar Miss Lola Killough.

The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents and was a very quiet affair, only a few close friends being present. Rev. W. C. Hilburn officiated.

Miss Killough moved to Clarendon with her parents about fifteen months ago and during all that time she has been a valued employe of the First National Bank. Besides her social conquests she had by her gracious and pleasant manner won a host of friends among the business people of the city, all of whom will join the Banner-Stockman in best wishes for future happiness and prosperity. Her husband is a stockholder in and traveling representative for the Fort Worth Furniture Co., and is said to be a young man of staunch business integrity and genuine merit. They will make their home in the Panther City.

—Ladies, if you need a single thing in chinaware, one piece or a whole set, it will pay you to call at once. The price is no object; we must close out this line. E. Dubbs & Sons. 1t

Light frosts Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings did no damage that we have heard of. In many instances they were a benefit to the cotton crop.

—We are quite sure we are safe in saying that our line of perfumes is now the choicest in town and offers a wider range of odors. We cater to the most refined tastes in this department of our business. Fleming & Bromley, druggists.

Monday was a blustery day. A norther "blew up" early in the morning, and a good many citizens were to be seen wrapped up in their overcoats, while the people who put up stoves for a livelihood had a run for their money. The wind was quite brisk and the day entirely unpleasant. The Pawnee Bill show people seemed to be the worst hit, as their tents blew down and gave them much trouble. It has been decidedly cooler all week.



More About Apples

R. W. Talley who went to Arkansas last week to look into the apple market, wrote the Banner-Stockman from Bentonville, Ark., as follows:

"There has never been such a scramble for apples in the history of old Arkansas. Buyers from all parts of the country (mostly northern) have bought the total crop. This week will put most of it in the cold storage plants. Apples right here are now selling for \$1.50 to \$2 per bushel. The cold storage people are holding at \$5 to \$7 per barrel. When freight is added these apples will cost the people of Texas something. I have so far bought only one-half car for shipment at a price to our trade of

\$1.65 per bushel. I do not think it prudent to buy more on account of high prices. The crop was snapped up so quickly the people here did not realize they were gone until the last few days."

Joe Horn sold to F. A. Shultz, of San Antonio, two cars of prime fat cows which were shipped out Sunday to New Orleans where they go to supply the butcher trade. This is perhaps the first shipment of stuff from this section to go to New Orleans, and Mr. Shultz says is in the nature of an experiment. If the cattle get in there in good shape he may make other shipments as it is quality he wants and he finds it here.

—Rathjen's for school shoes. 1t

A Big Lyceum Course FOR CLARENDON

Believing that the people of Clarendon deserve the best, and that they will support a Lyceum Course composed of the highest class of talent on the platform, the Athletic Association of Clarendon College has contracted for five attractions that will please everybody, and give to Clarendon the greatest treat of the year. The following is the course.

- Edward Reno, king of magicians.
- The Fulcher Entertainers, in an evening of readings, music and costume monologues.
- Powellson Company—four people—violinist, violincellist, pianist and reader.
- Charles Edward Carke Co.—four people—soprano, violincellist, pianist and baritone.
- Charles E. Varney, lecturer.

Four of these attractions are handled by the Slayton Bureau, the largest lyceum bureau in the United States. This is the first venture of the Athletic Association in this work, and they put out these attractions knowing that they are tip top, and that they will succeed on their own merits.

All of the numbers will appear in the Opera House and the following low price is made for season tickets for the entire course: In the 75c section, single ticket \$3; double ticket \$5.00. In the 50c section, single ticket \$2; double ticket \$3.25. Tickets will also be sold for single attractions for 35c, 50c and 75c. All tickets on sale at Bon Ton.

Edward Reno, the First Attraction, will be Here November 5. Others will Appear at Intervals of Three to Five Weeks During the Season

The Store That
Leads

Clarendon Mercantile

COMPANY

The Store That
Leads

A little early yet for heavy Underwear, so we have bought a line of ribbed lightweight that is just the thing for these cool mornings. Better a little precaution than a spell of sickness.

To stockmen and those whose work takes you out in all sorts of weather: You can find here just what you need in Underwear, Wool Shirts, Slickers, Tarpaulins, Rain Coats, Duck and Leather Coats, Overcoats, Boots, Etc.

Our line of Clothing can't be beat in any town this size. We can fit any form, and can save you money on your Fall Suit.

Our Dress Goods and Notions Department is the talk of the town, and we especially invite the ladies to come and look our stock over.

Our Grocery Department, under the efficient management of our Mr. Johnston, is equally as strong as our Dry Goods line. You can always, in addition to the regular line, find all Country Produce the market affords.



Announces to the people of Donley and adjoining counties that they now have on display their complete stock of FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING and we invite you to call and inspect them. Hundreds of buyers have been in this week, and all say that our stock is one of the largest and best selected ever brought to the city. Our 50x100 ft. store building is full of the latest and most seasonable merchandise in both dry goods and groceries. Buying in large quantities, as we do, we get the lowest prices, and we have made the price right to you.

We handle the famous Friedman and Courtney's all leather shoes, which are guaranteed to give satisfaction. We have a special line of School Shoes that for wear can't be beat.

We are also prepared to protect the children in damp weather. A full line of Misses' Rain Coats, Rubbers, Overshoes, Leggings and Umbrellas.

WE WILL BUY YOUR COTTON AND PRODUCE AND PAY THE TOP OF THE MARKET ALWAYS. COME TO SEE US

The Store That
Leads

CLARENDON MERCANTILE COMPANY

The Store That
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Adam-Dyer

A news item of some interest which we failed to get last week was the marriage of Miss Zadie Dyer of this city, to Mr. E. W. Adem of Waco. The marriage took place in Waco. The couple will make their home in this city. The Waco Tribune has the following account of the nuptials:

At 4 p. m. Monday, September 23, at the Elm Street Methodist church, Ernest W. Adam and Miss Zadie Dyer were united in marriage. Rev. Riley, pastor of that church officiating. The affair was very quiet, only a few relatives and intimate friends being aware of the young couple's intentions, so when the ceremony was performed only a small number witnessed the event but that does not lessen the interest of all who know them, for their friends in Waco and elsewhere are many and all will join in the hope that they may have long life, prosperity and happiness.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Adam left for Fort Worth and other North Texas points, where they will spend their honeymoon, after which they will return here and spend a short time with the groom's mother, Mrs. Ellen Adam, on Herring avenue, and then proceed to their future home at Clarendon, Texas. Mr. Adam is well known in news-

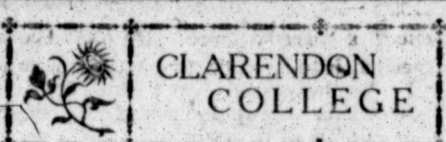
paper circles having held responsible positions in different printing offices here, at one time being with The Tribune. He is worthy and industrious and always deserving. The bride is a talented and charming young woman and is loved and admired by a large circle of friends. She is a sister of R. C. Dyer formerly of this city, but now manager of the Barnhart Type Foundry Company of Dallas.

H. B. White left last night for Ft. Worth in response to a request from Gus Jacques who has been confined at St. Joseph's Infirmary for some time. Mr. Jacques' many friends here will be sorry to know that he has not improved to any great extent. He will return with Mr. White and spend a few days in Clarendon before going on home to Dalhart.

—We want to fix up your overcoats and old suits. We have new lining in stock at all times. Harry the Tailor.

Mrs. Mollie E. Gray is at San Antonio attending a meeting of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of which she is grand matron.

—Post cards by the million at the Bon Ton.



The athletic association is advertising the Lyceum Course this week. This is a line of entertainments that cannot fail to please everybody and the boys deserve the support of the people of Clarendon in giving to the town the best attraction that can be secured.

The Panhandle and Adkissonian literary societies elected their debaters last Friday for the inter-society debate in February. Cassius Carter and Lester Sheffey will represent the Pans; Geo. Palmer and Mannie Joslin will champion the cause of the Adds. The Adkissonians won in the last debate, so this one is looked forward to with great interest. The Adds are ambitious to maintain their former record and the Pans enthusiastic to wrest the laurels from them.

The famous Denver train prevented the ball team from going to Claude last week. The trip will be made this Saturday if the train is on time. The Claude team has just won from Goodnight and sends word here that things are to be warmer for the college boys than in the contest here. A crowd will be on hand to encourage our team.

The girls have begun work in basket ball with Miss Anna West as leader. They are planning to organize for regular work. The boys are starting the arrangements too, for the annual field day.

Lester Sheffey spent Saturday in Memphis where he went to hear his friend Hundley Cocke in a case in the court there. Mr. Cocke graduated in the class of 1905-6, took his law course at Lebanon, Tenn., and is now a successful practitioner at Wellington.

Dr. Burkhead read a letter from J. E. King, editor of the Southwestern Monthly, stating that the faculty of the University would give a \$10 prize to the student of

any of the affiliated schools who wrote the best essay, poem or story for the Magazine during the year. Of course Clarendon College will be in the contest and expects to be heard from later. Mr. King, an alumnus of the college was elected editor of this magazine at last commencement. This is the greatest honor of the institution. Clarendon College students are making fine records everywhere they have gone.

Hugh Doak spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks at Claude.

John Lemond was in Amarillo Sunday to see his mother.

President Slover went to Canyon City Saturday night where he preached on Sunday.

Program B. Y. P. U.

1. Opening exercises.
2. Hymn.
3. God's Part in Making the Bible—By Alma Bond.
4. Hymn.
5. Man's Part in Making the Bible—By Lucile Neely.
6. Select Reading—Lola Lacy.
7. How Can We Prove the Bible to be Inspired?—By Mr. R. F. Shannon.

Lost

A yearling colt I bought from R. B. Robinson; a light bay, kind of sorrel legs; 2 or 3 white feet fore-top been cut; draft stock; been out ten days. Will pay to get it returned to me at Clarendon.

A. L. CONNALLY.

—Attend the "Silver Tea" given by the Presbyterian ladies on the night of Oct. 18, at Mrs. W. H. Cooke's home.

Capt. W. T. White of Hedley, was here Wednesday and made us a most pleasant call. He reports all crops fine, cotton and corn especially, and the cotton of his section good for a half bale right now if another bole does not mature. Tuesday morning's frost, he thought, would be of benefit.

At Christian Church

On Sunday, Oct. 20, Elder James S. Crockett of Abbingdon, Illinois, will occupy the pulpit at the Christian church morning and night and will give a lecture on the following Monday night. Elder Crockett is coming to Clarendon with a view of locating with us and the members of the Christian church are especially requested to come out and hear him. He is highly recommended by his former churches and is a graduate of Drake University.

Lecture

Mr. W. D. Fisher, the Lawyer-Lecturer of Canadian, Texas, will deliver his famous lecture "From Dawn to Dusk" at the college chapel on Friday evening, Oct. 18. Admission 25cts. Mr. Fisher's lecture is considered very fine. Come and hear him. It is given under the auspices of the College Circle.

At the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the ladies' aid of the Baptist church much work was planned and discussed and the ladies of that church who have not

yet come into the Aid are missing great things. They are urged to join, or if already a member, to come out to the weekly meetings and help in the work. The plans for the Thanksgiving Dinner are maturing and the ladies say they are going to give the greatest spread for the money that has yet been seen here on a like occasion. The Aid and the B. Y. P. U. are working now on a box for the Buckner Orphans' Home. Parties wishing to contribute anything for this purpose are asked to send the articles to Mrs. C. W. Bennett's at once, or if necessary they may be called for.

—Every knock is a boost; that is why we are so busy. We hope the hammer don't wear out before spring. See Harry the Tailor about your clothes. it

Mrs. Arthur Letts is enjoying a visit from her mother and sister from Louisville, Kentucky.

—Don't be a bear; buy a Teddy Bear for the children; get it from Bagby. it

Phil Jackson of Lelia, was in town Wednesday.

We have just received a shipment of binder twine. Come and get it.

A. L. Connally

Gentlemen

The old saying that smart clothes makes smart men is a fake, but a good front helps people to form an opinion of you.

Cleaning, pressing and repairing done correctly.

Suits from \$18.00 to 85.00

Harry, The Tailor
About Your Clothes

Clothes for Men

We are pleased to announce that our fall stock is complete in every detail, and we are showing the largest stock of clothing and gents' furnishings in Clarendon. A visit to our store will demonstrate the many advantages of a big stock.

The new fall and winter models of suits have every little feature the young man of today wants in his clothes, such as rounded corners at bottom, and on collar and lapels; two or three buttons, cuffs on sleeves, and other little details that stamp the style as fashion's latest.

Also we have materials, styles, prices and sizes to suit the young and the old; the low and the high; the fat and the lean. Put us to the test.

Price \$7.50 to \$30.00



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New patterns in the Cluett and Mammoth shirts are still arriving; it is a great showing of these fine goods. If you like good shirts, try a Cluett, you'll like the patterns, the fit, and the quality. \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Good Trousers

It will interest you to see the collection of very choice and exclusive patterns we are showing in work and fancy trousers. \$1.00 to 7.00.

HAYTER BROS.

The One Price Clothiers

See the various new ads.

—Hayter Bros. give feet fits.
 —Typewriter supplies, this office.
 —Rathjen's are headquarters for school shoes.
 Lee Blair was up from Hedley Wednesday on business.
 —The best school tablet for a nickel or a dime is at the Bon Ton.
 Dr. Carroll is driving a new Columbus buggy of the physicians' coupe type.
 —Nice pencil box given free with every pair of child's school shoes bought at Rathjen's Shoe Store.
 Mrs. McNabb and little daughter came up from Ft. Worth last week to join her husband who is a compositor on the Chronicle.
 —See the beautiful Japanese gold ware at Clower's. If you are a lover of fine china you can never rest till you own some of this line.
 FOUND—Two keys; one evidently a trunk key, the other a latch key. Recover them at this office—25c.

—When you think of jewelry, think of Clower.
 —W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon, Texas.
 J. E. Crisp and family left Tuesday morning for Mineral Wells, their future home.
 —The only place in town you can get voting tickets with jewelry is in the jewelry department in Stocking's store.
 A good big boy with a fair education and not going to school can find a splendid chance to learn one of the best trades in the world by applying at the Banner-Stockman office.
 —The finest line of ladies hand bags in the town is at Fleming & Bromley's. No matter how good or fine a hand bag you want it is here for you. See the line before buying.
 R. W. Talley returned Monday from Arkansas where he went to buy apples. He secured three cars one of which will be unloaded here, one at Childress and the other at some other point.

—Hayter Bros., the clothing people.
 —We have just the wall paper you will like. Stocking's Store.
 —We can save you considerable worry—also money. See us for wall paper. Stocking's Store.
 Seven wagon loads of household goods, the property of four families of Hopkins county people who are locating in the Brice neighborhood, were unloaded here Saturday.
 —Ladies and children like to buy at the Bon Ton because the service is so clean and nice, and because everything they buy is the very best.
 Mrs. Mary Sutton and son of Palmetto, Fla., has removed to Clarendon and will make her home with her brother J. F. Journey. They had not seen each other for thirty years.
 Mrs. James Trent and son, Charles, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Trent in Fort. Worth.
 —The highest grade of school shoes for medium prices, at Rathjen's.

CLARENDON OPERA HOUSE

List of Attractions Booked for the Coming Season—Some Excellent Plays Coming.

Manager Trent, of the Clarendon opera house, showed us the list of attractions he has so far booked for the season now about on us. He has signed no contracts except with guaranteed attractions, believing that fewer and better companies will suit the local theater goers better than a larger number of inferior character.

The first booking is for the Gertrude Ewing Company on Nov. 18, 19 and 20. This is a high priced company and perhaps a little the best that has ever visited this section. Others in the list are:

- Dec. 12—The Eagle Eye Co.
- Dec. 24—Monte Christo.
- Dec. 26—Eugene Moore, in a new play.
- Dec. 31—Rufus Rastus in Dixie Co. (Minstrel.)
- Jan. 18—The Hidden Hand.
- Feb. 24—The College Boy.
- Feb. 26—The Wizard of Wall Street, (Lew Virden and Gertie Dunlap, the favorites.)
- March 4—Natalie, the Poisoner, a new play with C. Rae Berger at the head.

The last two attractions will no doubt be given the glad hand by Clarendon people. Lew Virden and his wife, and C. Rae Berger, who was with them last year, are great favorites in this city.

Mr. Trent is also negotiating with "The Hollingsworth Twins" for three nights, Nov. 11, 12 and 13, but the contracts are not signed yet.

A Certain Cure for Croup—Used for Ten Years without a Failure.

Mr. W. C. Bots, a Star City, Ind., hardware merchant, is enthusiastic in his praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. His children have all been subject to croup and he has used this remedy for the past ten years, and though they much feared the croup, his wife and he always felt safe upon retiring when a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was in the house. His oldest child was subject to severe attacks of croup, but this remedy never failed to effect a speedy cure. He has recommended it to friends and neighbors and all who have used it say that it is unequalled for croup and whooping cough. For sale by all druggists.

Giles Gossip.

Giles, Texas, Oct. 7.

W. H. Neeley sold to Will Morman 200 cows for \$16 around. They were delivered at Giles Monday the 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathews, relatives of Judge Akers came in on the 6th. They have rented the Judge's home place and will make a crop there next year and if satisfied with the country will invest and make this part of Texas their future home. They are from Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt and several of the young folks went up to Clarendon Monday to take in Pawnee Bill's "Wild West."

Mrs. Chas. Crow and her sister, Miss Dossa Young spent Sunday with their uncle's family, Chas. Young, in Clarendon.

Mr. P. F. Neely has bought Mr. Albert Wood's place six miles North of Giles. Mr. Neely will take possession as soon as crops are gathered.

N. H. Reed, father of H. I. Reed, left for Caddo Mills on the 7th after a stay of three or four months in Giles and Hedley.

Mr. G. G. Willingham and son, Carter, of Fort Worth, came in the 6th. Mr. Willingham will stay a few days to attend to business.

S. F. Williams has resigned his position as section foreman at this place and will accept a position as foreman of a railroad repair train gang. The family will reside at Hedley to send the children to school.

The man Rogers, who died on the railroad right-of-way, was brought by his destination on Friday morning's train and got off to return on the down train, but failed to get on, and was undoubtedly out in the terrific rain and wind storm of Sunday and Monday night, as parties saw him alive Tuesday. He had been on the right-of-way for five or six days. He has a brother living in or near Memphis.

Romeo Derrick was in Giles Wednesday.

Quincy, Sprains and Swellings Cured

"In November, 1901, I caught cold and had the quinsy. My throat was swollen so I could hardly breathe. I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it gave me relief in a short time. In two days I was all right," says Mrs. L. Cousins, Otterburn, Mich. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment and is especially valuable for sprains and swellings. For sale by all druggists.

—Hayter Bros. give feet fits.
 —All good shoes at Rathjen's.
 —Hayter Bros., the clothing people.
 —Don't miss the "Silver Tea." See advertisement.

—You get tickets with everything you buy at Stocking's.
 —Teddy Bears for sale at the Bon Ton. Get one and be happy.

J. G. Dodson's two daughters, who have been very ill, were reported somewhat better yesterday.

—It keeps turning cool and the heaters continue to go; how are you fixed? Connally is the stove man.

Investigate that line of fine writing papers at the Bon Ton. If you use Bon Ton stationery your correspondence will always be in correct form.

The First National Bank is spending several hundred dollars on a new concrete sidewalk. The appearance of the bank corner will be greatly helped by the change.

—Haviland China, also new and delicate designs in the "Limoges" china. Also plain white china. All these and then some more at Connally's.

Mrs. W. T. White came up from Hedley Sunday and on Monday left for a two months visit to relatives in Southern Texas.

Found—A Clarendon college scholarship pin of 1906. Owner can recover same by paying 25c for this notice.

—The largest assortment of fine hand painted china ever brought to Clarendon has been received at Stocking's store. Watch for the window display.

E. H. Winger and family of Shoals, Ind., have moved to Clarendon for permanent residence. Mrs. Winger is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brooks.

—Ladies who wish to order a tailor-made suit, skirt or coat will do well to see Mrs. E. H. Decker at the McMahan house on West First street. She represents the Stevens people and all work will be guaranteed first-class.

THE Hall County Herald's matrimonial bureau is still grinding. Johnson loses a young lady compositor with startling frequency.

The city council met Monday and transacted routine business. The resignation of City Marshal Fry was accepted. Mr. Fry expects to leave Clarendon in the near future.

—We have the nicest assortment of dress goods and silks ever shown in Clarendon. This is a strong statement but we can make it good. Come and see. The Martin-Bennett Company.

N. S. Ray was here yesterday. He reported having sold his residence in town to T. R. Moreman, taking in the trade 160 acres of fine land in the Windy Valley country about ten miles south of town. R. H. Belcher also got 160 acres adjoining.

—For skirts, suits or coats made to measure Clarendon ladies should give their orders to Mrs. E. H. Decker. She represents Chas. H. Stevens Co. She will appreciate your patronage. See her at her home, the McMahan house on West First street.

Dr. Carroll was called to Jericho Wednesday night to attend A. J. Rawlings who had been dangerously injured in a runaway accident. The most serious injury sustained was a scalp wound from which Mr. Rawlings nearly bled to death. He had a very narrow escape.

—Don't send to Dallas or Galveston for typewriter supplies; get them at home from the Banner-Stockman. Anything you want, including ribbons and carbons.

—Don't send away for wall paper and take chances on getting too much, too little or having part of order damaged in transit. Complete "up-to-now" line at Stocking's store.

MISS BOLES MAKES GAIN

Now Leads by Margin of More than 3000 Votes—Piano Contest Drawing to a Close.

Miss Loxa Boles makes a big gain this week, being more than 3000 votes ahead of her nearest competitor. This is the widest difference for several weeks. The contest closes at 9:00 p. m., Saturday, Nov. 2nd, at which hour all the boxes will close and no votes be received by any of them. So there is really only three weeks more for the candidates to work. A great number of votes are being held out. While this is contrary to one of the rules, still that rule has been so generally disregarded that its application can not will not be considered. It has been found impossible for the merchants in the contest to enforce this rule.

The standing this week:

Miss Loxa Boles	30,171
Miss Golda Stanton	26,919
Miss Adrian Brown	21,690
Miss Mabel Smith	9,749
Miss Pearl Lane	6,704
Clarendon College	1,961
Miss Minnie Naylor	1,875
Miss Louie Adams (Hedley)	1,166
Clarendon Public School	1,025
St. Mary's Academy	771
Miss Louise Johnson	317

The Banner-Stockman would like to make one request of the candidates, and that is to please divide up the votes which you have saved out and are voting each week in our box. The editor's time is very valuable just now and we think you ought to drop some of these votes in other boxes. It runs into work counting several thousand votes each week, and while we are willing to do our share of it we would appreciate it if you would give some of the other boxes a share of this labor.

The Worst Accident of the Season

A new family just moving ACCIDENTALLY dropped into one of the other places and bought a range before they found that Connally had the old time COMSTOCK-CASTLE line, the kind her mother used 50 years ago. The lady has since cried herself to death. The funeral will be next week at 4 p. m.

The 5-months-old baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kerwin died Monday night at the residence of Rev. A. V. Neeley. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from the Catholic church, Rev. C. G. Lindeman officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin came to Clarendon from Petrolia, Clay county, about two months ago for the express purpose of having the baby treated here. It had been sickly since birth and was a living skeleton when they arrived. For a time it seemed to improve and they had hopes of saving its life but a turn for the worse came and the infant lost ground rapidly. The parents made a good number of friends while here and the sympathy of all is theirs in their sad loss. They left Wednesday for their home at Petrolia.

—We now have a complete stock of the popular McCall patterns. Just such a stock as the large department stores in the cities carry. The Martin-Bennett Co.

Silver Tea

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a "Silver Tea" at the home of Mrs. W. H. Cooke Tuesday evening, Oct. 18, from 7 to 10 o'clock. Refreshments of sandwiches, olives, chicken salad, pickles and coffee will be served and a program will be rendered. An admission fee of 15c will be charged at the door. This also includes refreshments. Everybody is cordially invited.

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F. W. & D. C. TIME TABLE

No. 2, southbound	7:55 a. m.
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No. 7, northbound	10:04 a. m.

Clarendon, Tex., Oct. 11, '07

PRINTERS ATTENTION!

The Banner-Stockman has for sale cheap a complete stone outfit for a five column quarto paper, including best chases, side and foot sticks, head rules, column rules, etc. Also about fifty good job cases, mostly California.

The entire outfit is as good as new and can be bought at a big discount from supply house prices. Address Banner-Stockman, Clarendon, Texas.

That bumper crop for Donley county is assured.

WANTED—A printer at the Banner-Stockman office. Write, if you want a job.

THREE candidates for the Presbyterian Panhandle College materialized at the district meeting at Canadian this week. Memphis, Vernon and Pampa each presented propositions. Amarillo evidently did not want the school as no effort was made to present a proposition, although two Amarillo men were on the commission appointed to secure a location.

THE press of the Panhandle loses a man of ability in S. A. Brewster, who has left the service of the Amarillo Daily Panhandle. Mr. Brewster took charge of the Daily Panhandle at a time when it was considered a good deal of a joke. Under his management and editorial charge it rapidly developed into a first-class afternoon paper. He left it a few weeks ago and already signs of deterioration are to be seen.

THE Childress Index is out in its new dress and has enlarged to six columns, eight pages, the same size as the Banner-Stockman. There is no exchange coming to our table more appreciated than the Index. Editor Haskett's writings are all pleasing types of conservative forcefulness and his paper possesses merit at all times. We are glad to congratulate him on the "new Index." May prosperity ever attend it.

Donley County Peaches

T. H. Peebles who is perhaps one of the oldest raisers of fruit in this county, brought to the Banner-Stockman office last Friday a couple of peaches from his orchard just east of town. One was the Salway, an October freestone, the other was a late clingstone. Both were of large size and splendid flavor, though rough and knotty from the effect of hailstones. Mr. Peebles says that in all his experience in raising fruit he has never seen anything to equal the hardihood of the peach crop on his place this year. Out of about 100 trees there were probably 40 which bore in spite of freezes, hail storms and other disadvantages. He gathered from these 40 trees perhaps 30 bushels of peaches. Most of them matured with a frozen seed and the peach consequently split open on the trees, but nevertheless all were of fine flavor and were not infested with bugs or other vermin on account of the split. The editor ate the two samples and we are bound to admit that they were of much better flavor than any peach shipped in here this year and sold at five cents each. There is no getting around the fact that Donley county is a natural peach county.

—Hand-me-down clothing doesn't suit our trade so we are going to discontinue it. We have some beautiful suits to close-out cheap. They are good stuff but we need the room and the money. If you can't be fitted we can take your order for the "best what is." E. Dubbs & Sons.

FARMERS UNION MEETING

Proceedings of Convention of Donley, Hall, Collingsworth and Childress County Organizations.

At a convention held at Memphis Texas, Oct. 1st, 1907, composed of F. E. & C. U. A. delegates from Hall, Childress, Donley and Collingsworth counties, the following proceedings were had to-wit:

Report of committee on resolutions.

We your committee respectfully call your attention to the fact that \$18.00 per ton is a fair price for cotton seed at the prosperity in every line of business. Especially is this true of the bankers, merchants and farmers.

We believe that oil mills can pay \$18.00 per ton for cotton seed and make reasonable profits and the consumer will still be able to buy oil mill products at a reasonable price.

Therefore be it resolved that the minimum price of \$18.00 per ton be fixed as the price for cotton seed for this season's crop. And all farmers are urged to hold their seed for this price.

G. J. ADKISSON,
 J. H. BURNS,
 J. F. BRADLEY, Com.

The above report was unanimously adopted and the secretary was instructed to furnish copy of same for publication to the newspapers of said above named counties.

A convention was called to meet at Memphis, Texas, Oct. 19th, at 10 a. m., to be composed of one delegate from each local union and one delegate from each county at large to organize a district union.

Of this meeting the various unions will take due notice.

J. F. BRADLEY,
 Sec'y.

Brother Cooke of the Clarendon Banner-Stockman is feeling proud, no doubt, over the many very complimentary notices he is receiving over the recent improvements he has made in his paper. The B-S. is always so neat and newsy that we failed to note the change until our attention was directed to it by a notice in another paper. Brother Cooke publishes a paper that does credit to the entire Panhandle.—Claude News.

W. H. M. Notes

(Delayed from last week)

Announcement was made Sunday from the pulpit for the ladies of the W. H. M. society to meet the following day (the same being the 5th Monday) for a little surprise.

Although the afternoon was very threatening a great many ladies assembled each wondering what was in store. The president then announced that they were all to go in a body to Mrs. Henry Taylor's and surprise her.

Accordingly quite a procession of ladies wended their way to Mrs. Taylor's. It was indeed a surprise, but Mrs. Taylor was equal to the occasion. Old fashioned games were played. One feature of the evening was a guessing contest by Mrs. Florence Williams on the officers of the society, a sample of which was:

"Lank in form, saw in face,
 You'd think she belonged to the Mongolian race,

Watery blue eyes and sandy hair
 Now who is this? Who'll take the dare?"

Which was readily guessed to be their press reporter.
 Someone suddenly said 5 o'clock, each remembered the supper to get—but no one was allowed to leave until Mrs. Pope got a snap shot of the crowd. Those who were not talking, were laughing so it is supposed the picture will be fine. By this time it was raining and as Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. Hastings walked away wrapped up in a red lap robe a splendid picture was taken of them.

Everyone had such a good time that we decided to surprise someone else the next 5th Monday.

Our Sec'y, Mrs. Joe Hardy has been quite sick but is up again.
 A special invitation is given every lady of the M. E. church to join our society. We number about 80, but with our membership we ought to have more. Clarendon is on the honor roll 3 times in our M. E. Conference. That ought to inspire us to even greater work.

FLORENCE WILLIAMS,
 Press Reporter.

Great Bargain.

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T. F. FORTAULT
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DID YOU EVER GO TO A PARTY AND STAND IN A CORNER, AND SPEND MOST OF THE TIME IN THE DRESSING ROOM OR STAND IN THE CORNER BECAUSE YOU WERE NOT TOGGED RIGHT? IT WOULD HAVE BEEN LOTS BETTER IF YOU HAD STAYED AT HOME BECAUSE IF YOU GO TO A PARTY AND ARE NOT DRESSED RIGHT YOU WON'T HAVE A BIT OF FUN. PLEASURE IS WORTH LIVING FOR. TO GET PLEASURE DRESS UP.

The Martin-Bennett Company

Sunnyview-Lelia Locals

Sunnyview-Lelia, Oct. 2.
 EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:
 (Delayed from last week.)

All are enjoying fine weather now and some of the farmers are busy harvesting their crops.

Cotton seems to be good and some will be ready to pick soon.

Prof. N. C. Duggins is again in his school at Sunnyview and we are glad to know his wife and little son are recovering from their attack of fever.

The Lelia school has been dismissed for a time on account of measles in the community.

Bros. Hilburn and Culbertson closed a very successful meeting at Lelia Sunday afternoon. A good attendance was had all during the meeting and fine preaching also. Quite a number were present from Clarendon Sunday. We are sorry the editor missed that good dinner for there was plenty and more.

W. A. Womack made a business trip to Memphis Monday, returning at night.

Miss Kate Reid is just up from a spell of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lott of Clarendon were visiting homefolks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooke have returned home from their visit to relatives in New Mexico.

A representative will go from here this week to Memphis in the interest of the Farmers Union.

Mr. John Mace and wife of Hedley were visiting relatives here Sunday.

A weekly prayer meeting has been organized at Lelia to meet each Thursday evening.

Ed Womack and C. R. Sharp are helping to make syrup this week.

Plenty of sorghum but no one to eat it?

There is some talk of a rural mail route out this way. Let the good work go on—Why not? Other places have them.

BLUE BELL.

Modern Style-Old Time Honesty.

The "Mayflower" shoe combines old-time honesty with modern style. We carry them in sizes to fit and style to please. Bryan & Land.

Lodge Directory.

Panhandle Lodge, No. 99, Knights of Pythias, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend the lodge. C. C. Powell, C. C.; H. W. Kelley, K. of R. & S.

Pythian Sisters—Panhandle Temple No. 58, meets each first Monday night and each second Friday afternoon. Mrs. H. C. Brunley, M. E. C.; Mrs. John M. Clower, M. of R. & C.

Clarendon Lodge No. 700, A. F. & A. M., meets regularly the second Friday night in each month. Geo. F. Morgan W. M.; C. W. Bennett, Secretary.

Clarendon Chapter No. 216, R. A. M., meets regularly the first Friday night in each month. J. W. Morrison, H. P.; Wade Willis, Secretary.

Woodbine Camp, No. 1476, W. O. W., meets every Friday night; visiting chapters welcome. D. C. Sullivan, C. C.; J. J. Alexander, Clerk.

Clarendon Chapter No. 6, O. E. S., meets first and third Thursday nights each month. Mrs. Bettie Kelley, W. M.; Mrs. Lee Patterson, Secretary.

Clarendon Lodge No. 381, I. O. O. F., meets Monday night of each week. J. J. Alexander, N. G.; J. T. Patman, Secretary.

Clarendon Camp No. 12,423, M. W. A., meets every Tuesday night at the Woodman hall. Chas. L. McCrae, V. C.; J. H. Gibson, clerk.

—The F.-McK. brand of shirts sold exclusively by us in Clarendon are the best made for the money, better in style and quality than other brands that will cost you more. New patterns now showing. The Martin-Bennett Company: tf.

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FALL OFFERINGS

We are offering you this week new goods in the following lines, that for style, comfort and wear, will appeal to the most critical buyer:

Worth Hats in all the newest styles. International shirts and collars which are known for their style and wear. Neckwear, the swellest assortment in Clarendon. A bran new line of winter weights in men's underwear. See the line. Our Finks overalls is acknowledged the best for the money made. Our confectionery and stationery lines are growing more popular each day.

Watch for our advance announcement of Holiday Offerings.

W. H. THOMPSON

GANDERBONE'S OCT. FORECAST

Welcome, welcome, sweet October, when the quail whistle shrill, when the coal man gets in action with his pesky little bill, when the frost and pumpkin poet sings the old familiar strains and the football gladiators scramble one another's brains. Doubly welcome, hallowed season, when the wild goose travels space, when the hunter in the wild-wood

Shoots the rabbit in the face
When the last years hat made over
Shows up in the new fall stock,
And the bug-fed turkey shudders
Every time he sees the block.

Secretary Taft will be the leading presidential candidate for the month. He will reach Japan on his trip around the world, and when he steps ashore, the island will tip up. The Mikado will have him litted to the Imperial Roof Garden with block and tackle, and the populace will hold the roof up while Bill and Mastuhito eat rice cakes together and open a few bottles of saki to the continued amity of nations.

In our own country, President Roosevelt will proceed early in the month upon his annual fresh water cruise.

He will go down the Mississippi from Keyokuk to Memphis, while cheering multitudes congregate on the bank and count his teeth. Uncle Joe Cannon will buy another thousand feet of lightning rod; buckwheat cakes will renew their tug-of-war with Epsom salts in the innards of man, and the cost of living will take a bird's eye view of the economic proposition.

The autumn nights inspiring shall grow a little longer, and the breath of fall on cider sweet shall grow a little stronger. The husbandman shall sell his hogs and think to prosper on it' but the good housewife will take the dough and buy a winter bonnet.

County fairs will be in full blast. The heavy fragrance of roasted peanuts will decoy the cautious nickel from the pants pocket of the loving swain. The toy balloon will drag the small boy around the grounds. The man with the long awning on his cap will sit on the tail of the wing-footed trotter and slap her around the track with a barrel stave. The man in red underwear will rise in a balloon hanging by his toe-nails, and the family that Roosevelt is enthusiastic about will weave through the crowd tied together on a long clothes-line.

The husky husker in the cora
Will trill his little ballad,
The raccoon in the forest deep
Will eat persimmon salad.
The robin redbreast, growing chilled,
Will slowly southward flutter,
And the angels in the skies will catch
The scent of apple butter.

The moon will be full on the 21st. Campers will go off to the woods to play poker all night and sleep all day. Hog-killing time will fill the hog with concern for his near future, and he will hustle around after acorns in philosophic enjoyment of his last few days.

The football roofer, full of root, will go off on his Autumn toot; the player with the college hair, the while the horns and trumpets blare, will butt around till he is thrown and someone breaks his collar bone. The lusty sound of rah-rah-rah will urge the fell and bloody cause; the girls, in mass and colors come, will sing and scream and swallow gum. The giant fullback, fierce and stout, will pick a little fellow out, kick in his slats and change his face, and maul him up and down the place, and when the foe shall cease to breathe, will proudly claim the victors' wreath.

The farmer with the mortgage
Who is prone to giving notes
Will figure up the proceeds
From his wheat and corn and oats,
And wonder if his cash in hand
Will pull him out the hole
Or whether he will have to give
A "mortgage on his soul."

The hunting season will keep the rabbit on the wing and the quail on the jump. The crack shot from town will range into the country with his burr-proof gun and his hammerless corduroys. He will flush a bird and almost hit a cow, and then buy his game from a native who sports a bored out army musket.

The Amalgamated Game Self-Preservation Society will soon require all hunters to carry a large license tag so that all game may know when it is being legally shot at.

The baseball fan will lose his job the highball fiend is broke, the mothball crank is now abroad spreading odors thick as smoke. The ice cream soda has fizzed out, the ice man slacks his pace, the small boys save their nickels now to buy a comic face. For Halloween will soon be here with pumpkin spoons and pranks, and if the hoodlums pass us up we surely may give thanks.
Be glad, be glad, the worst is past,
The next few weeks look good,
The tramp has quit the road because
It's time for sawing wood.

November crisp is on the way
With cold Thanksgiving airs,
And the President will set the day
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Write today for free sample piece and particulars of domino cards. Cards and dominoes combined. Greatest household game ever invented. Instructive for young. Fascinating for old. Excellent holiday present. 50c postpaid. Dominocards Co. 1407 Chouteau, St. Louis, Mo.

PUBLIC SCHOOL

The public school reporter has been silent on matters pertaining to the school since its opening but it has not been the silence of inactivity. On the contrary it has been an enforced silence due to the multiplicity of duties incident to a large and progressive school.

The first month of school closed Sept. 27, with an enrollment of 437 which has since increased to 440. With a faculty of eight teachers one can readily see that the public school teacher in Clarendon has much to do. Parents are kindly admonished to pause and consider such arduous labor when they are prone to criticize the teacher.

On Monday Sept. the 23rd, the faculty received reinforcement in the person of Miss Katie Stout. While our number numerically is but one greater, our strength in teaching force is increased by a greater ratio. Miss Stout is a fine teacher, so are the other eight teachers of the faculty.

Our board of trustees are as attentive to our school needs as an official board could be. When the emergency came they built a school house in three weeks, ordered equipment and employed a teacher and the building has been in use for one week.

There can be but little doubt that our primary department under the Misses Stout will be conducted on proper lines for the correct development of child life. When the new seats are put in place and blackboard room provided the work will be much more interesting for the children.

New song books have been ordered for the pupils of the high school. In the eighth grade Bartlett's Music Reader is used, in the 9th and 10th grades the Busy Bee is used. Good singing is helpful to a school.

The other new members of the faculty are Miss Willie May Proctor and Miss Ollie Willis. Miss Proctor as teacher of the 7th grade displays much skill in her work. She also does work in Latin from the high school. Miss Ollie Willis thoroughly understands the work of the 4th grade and hears a General History class from the high school.

The high school literary societies are now organized and meet each week. There are three of these and we are expecting some good work along literary lines.

The new pupils are as follows: Miss Willis room, Elmer Summerour, Paul Bruce; Miss Stevens room Equilla Summerour, Davie Reed, Ben McClelland and Frank Decker; Miss McLean's room, Flossie Burton; Miss Harding's room, Lelia Weninger, Maggie Thornton; Prof. Willis room, John Sutton Hopford; Miss Maggie Stout's room, Maggie McNabb; Miss Proctor's room, Dora Bruce; Miss Kate Stout's room, Floyd Summerour, Muriel Decker.

—Have you been around to see those bargains in chinaware at The Globe? If not go right now and buy your wife those dishes she has been needing. Absolute cost. E. Dubbs & Sons. it

—We do not believe duty requires us to keep our drug store open Sundays but if you have a prescription to fill or need anything else in the drug line, phone 186 and we will take pleasure in serving you. ROY M. STOCKING.

Cliff Egerton who went to Galveston with the intention of entering the Medical Department of the State University, decided to take another year's literary course first and has entered Baylor University.

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Mrs. Wm. Tope is reported as recovering nicely from her recent illness.



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A LIFE LESSON.

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HERE! Little girl; don't cry!
They have broken your doll, I know;
And your tea set blue
And your playhouse, too.
Are things of the long ago;
But childish troubles will soon pass by—
There! Little girl; don't cry!

There! Little girl; don't cry!
They have broken your slate, I know
And the glad, wild ways
Of your schoolgirl days.
Are things of the long ago;
But life and love will soon come by—
There! Little girl; don't cry!

There! Little girl; don't cry!
They have broken your heart, I know;
And the rainbow gleams
Of your youthful dreams
Are things of the long ago;
But heaven holds all for which you sigh—
There! Little girl; don't cry!

Bargains in Real Estate

I have the J. E. Crisp list of property in which there is a few bargains of both town and country property. If you are in the market for anything in this line call on me.

G. W. BAKER.

N. N. Martin and D. H. Kersey have formed a partnership in the real estate business. They are located in Mr. Crisp's old office, corner First and Sulley streets, where they solicit your business. Both are most excellent citizens and clever gentlemen. Mr. Martin's long residence here will be a great aid to the firm in their business.

For Sale

Good milk cow with young calf. A bargain at the price, \$30.

N. E. ARN.

Hayter Bros., the clothing people.

Game of Numbers.

Each guest draws from a basket on the table a slip of paper bearing a number, and a half minute is allowed to give some old proverb, adage, fact or rhyme containing the number. If the player fails to respond within the time, a forfeit is required and afterward redeemed in some manner to entertain the company. Suppose the number is 10, quickly follows "Ten cents make one dime."

If No. 9, "Of the muses of old there were nine, we are told."

If No. 2, "Two is company, three is none."

If No. 1, "One, two, buckle my shoe." It seems easy, but one must think quickly to give the required proverb, fact or whatever it may be in the time allowed.

HOUSEKEEPING NOTES.

Sheets will stay in place on the mattress by sewing three large buttons on the head end and foot end of the bed on the under edge of the mattress. If the same size sheet is to go on either side of bed sew loops of white the same distance apart.

To remove paint from glass wet the window with either cold or warm water and rub a coin over it. A half a dollar would be best and will remove paint without scratching glass.

To remove old putty from window frames pass a redhot poker slowly over it and it will come off easily.

A newly imported wood used for high class cabinet and piano work is the Tasmanian myrtle. It is of a rich pink color, moderately hard and very close grained.

Mr. Knowitall.

There once was a boy who knew everything
That ever was known by man
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He was made on the knowitall plan.

If any one asked a question
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He'd tell you at once your thought was wrong,
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He knew how to run an engine,
A house or an automobile;
He gave his father and mother advice
At every single meal.

He told his sisters and cousins and aunts,
His uncles and teachers, too,
The very best way to do their tasks—
He'd tell either me or you!

He contradicted his mother;
Said apples were healthier green;
So proceeded to eat a quart or two
With confidence quite serene.

His father summoned the doctor;
His mother nursed him through,
And now the boy works all day long
To pay for what he knew.

—Washington Star.

She—I wouldn't marry you if you were the last man on earth. He—Of course not. There would be no one to perform the ceremony.

Young Folks

A PRETTY ILLUSION.

Interesting Experiment With an Elastic Band and a Pin.
With a bright pin and a bit of elastic cord, aided by the focusing of a few rays of light, you may produce a very pretty illusion. Stick the pin through the elastic and twirl the latter vertically between the thumb and the forefinger of each hand, separating the hands



EFFECT OF LIGHT AND MOTION.

so as to tighten the elastic, and you give the pin a sufficiently swift rotation to make it present the image of a drinking glass.

Much depends upon the brightness of the pin, the light it shines in and the darkness of the background. In the illustration the operator is supposed to be in a dark room, with a ray of sunlight falling through the shutter upon the pin.

With a little practice various objects may be imitated. If the pin tends toward a horizontal position it should be tied to the elastic with a bit of white thread, which will not interfere at all with the experiment.

A QUEER BAROMETER.

How a Gingerbread General Foretells the Weather.

There is a man in Paris who has the queerest barometer of which there is record. He has one made at a certain bakery every year, where they know exactly how to fill his order. A barometer made at a bakery, you say? Yes, it is made of gingerbread and is in the form of a general of division of the French army. The figure is suspended from a nail, and it is the duty of the Frenchman's servant to examine it every morning and forecast the weather from it. How can he do it? In this way: Gingerbread is quite susceptible to atmospheric changes. Moist air makes it soft, as you doubtless know, and in very dry air it becomes hard. When the Frenchman rises in the morning, therefore, he calls his servant and asks, "What does the general say?" If the servant has found the general "flabby," he advises his master to take his umbrella as he goes out. If, on the contrary, he has found him "tough," the master ventures out in his best clothes, silk hat and all.

EMBROIDERED BOOK COVERS.

They Are Useful Presents—How They Are Made.

Small address books, bridge score books, magazine covers, etc., make charming gifts at Christmas time or card prizes, and in the illustrations are shown two designs which may be utilized by the home worker with good results.

Both the designs shown in the cuts were worked on brownish linen, which affords an excellent background for silks and cottons of rich colorings. Gold thread is also often used in combination with the embroidery silks, and on some of the more elaborate

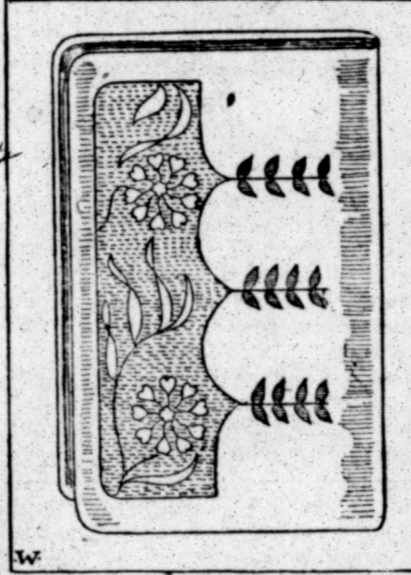


MONOGRAM BOOK COVER.

book covers made of corded silk tiny sparkling beads or spangles are sometimes worked into the design.

A very fine cord is also most effective for outlining the design, especially when the book to be covered is rather a large one.

The prospective owner's monogram or initials used in the upper left corner or in the center, as shown in the first sketch, often add much to the effect, the letters being embroidered in over and over stitch after being padded. It is often more effective to throw the lettering into more prominence by using



CONVENTIONAL BOOK COVER DESIGN.

a contrasting shade in a darker tone than was used for the decorative embroidery, black, dark brown and dark green and red all being excellent used in this way when the cover is of brown or dark ecru linen, the flower form being done in old rose, dull reds or yellowish tones, with the leaves in soft grayish greens. When there is a background worked as shown in the second design a darned stitch may be used or a seeding stitch—that is, two stitches taken in the same place.

Tobacco Pouches Always Acceptable.

Tobacco pouches are always acceptable gifts for men, and stunning ones may be made from suede. A pretty pouch in rich brown or dark green, lined with a maroon silk, would be attractive when the edges are pinked and a drawing of heavy silk with long tassels runs in near the top. It's not the kid; the lining or the cord that makes these bags so unusual, for without the monogram or crest done in gilt thread or in bright colored silks the pouches, aside from being handmade, would be quite the same as those bought in the shops, but with an attractive emblem or two or three initials prettily embroidered in one corner the pouches are presents any man would be glad to receive.

Knitted or crocheted ties, though not a novelty, will be desirable gifts, for they are serviceable and, being made by hand, are a valuable accessory to any wardrobe. In plain green, dark cardinal or made of a combination of two tone effects or of two strongly contrasting colors, such as black and red or orange and blue, they are striking contrasts as neckwear.

Crocheted Opera Bag.

Since the fad for knitting and crocheting has taken such a hold on the feminine contingent the fashion for knitted and crocheted articles has gained greatly in popularity. One of the prettiest gifts imaginable for the woman who goes out a great deal is a theater bag of crocheted silk that is conspicuous enough to hold all of the small articles that she may need.

Crochet rings very loosely in single stitches or make squares by crocheting solid stitches and connecting them by chains of four stitches each until a long piece has been made, which, when folded over and the edges joined, will form a bag. Line this with pretty silk of a contrasting color. Cover ten brass rings with the silk crocheted in a single stitch, fasten them in a row an inch below the top and run a cord through these rings to draw the top together.

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H. G. Shaw, secretary of the Western Real Estate exchange, has gone to work. In proof of this statement note the two following deals made this week through his firm and by virtue of his individual efforts: R. B. Robinson to A. T. Collins, of Claude, two-section ranch near Jexicho, this county, consideration \$10,000. Mr. Robinson in the trade acquires the Pallace Hotel at Claude, and has moved there and will run that hostelry. The other trade was J. E. McCombs to Al Warner, of Loveland, Colo., his handsome home on East Second street, (the old Eyer place) consideration \$3800. Mr. McCombs will leave about the first of November to spend the winter on the coast for his health's sake.

The "Krazy Klub" meeting was held as per notice this week, and the usual good time was had. Several new members were received and more applications filed. There seems to be more eligible material in the city than was at first anticipated and it is likely that the initiation fee will be raised in order to keep down the membership to a point in conformity with the constitution.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scoggins returned last week from their trip to the coast country where they spent the greater portion of the summer for the benefit of the lady's health. The Banner-Stockman is pleased to be able to report that she was indeed benefited by the trip.

Boarders Wanted.

Can take about eight boarders. Prefer young men. Call at the old E. R. Clark place, first house east of Methodist church.

Mrs. M. L. DOAK.

The Banner-Stockman has been greatly handicapped for some time by a scarcity of type setters. Last week we were compelled to leave out several columns of good local stuff and correspondence for the simple reason that we could not get the help to put the matter in type. This week finds conditions no better. We are trying to get more help and hope to succeed soon, when we will be able to give our readers a better paper. We employed a man Monday, secured a boarding house for him and sent him to it. He ate a hearty supper, then went up to town and failed to come back. Good printers who are reliable all seem to have jobs, and the traveling printer either can't fill the bill or is too lazy to work.

Several business men have commended the short squib of last week relative to the turning on of the electric lights an hour sooner at night. One gentleman said that he was frequently forced to quit work for an hour or so on account of darkness catching him before the lights came on. We believe every business man in town could use the lights to big advantage at five p. m. instead of six as at present. We hope the company will see the point and make a change in the time.

How to Cure a Cold

The question of how to cure a cold without unnecessary loss of time is one in which we are all more or less interested, for the quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger of pneumonia and other serious diseases. Mr. B. W. L. Hall, of Waverly, Va., has used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for years and says: "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Cough remedy to be absolutely the best preparation on the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me." For sale by all druggists.

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Ladies who have not examined our new line of the world famous Dorothy Dodd Shoes have missed a treat. They are all here now in all the late styles including the popular AUTO BOOT in both patent and kid. This line must be seen to be appreciated. We are exclusive agents for Clarendon. We also have other lines. Our business is SHOES. We know

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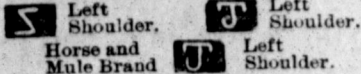
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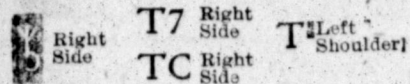
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Dainty Aprons Make Charming And Inexpensive Gifts.

MATERIALS THAT ARE USED.

Dimity, Lawn, Flowered Fabrics in Silk and Muslin, Are All Suitable and Attractive For This Purpose—Trimings of Hand Embroidery.

WHEN distracted over what to make for Christmas gifts, did you ever think of a dainty apron? Such a present has much to recommend it—novelty, charm, inexpensiveness and, better yet, downright usefulness. The materials are quite inexpensive—sheer dimities or lawn, flowered muslin and the soft French handkerchief linen. These are combined with lace insertions, embroidery insertions and edgings or even with bottomhole scallops and embroidered designs.
A very fascinating apron is of sheer blue dimity or lawn, with the front breadths tucked and sharply pointed and two pointed revers turned back



EMBROIDERY APRON.
on broad shoulder straps for the bib. This is trimmed with Valenciennes lace insertion about an inch wide and lace edging to match. An extra fluffiness is given by a ruffle of the material outlining the bottom and finished with a lace edge.

The dainty apron may be carried out either in white or colored handkerchief linen, trimmed with insertion and edging of embroidery. The panel arrangement of the insertion on the front goes to the bottom just above the ruffle of the material is most effective. The suspender shaped bib, with crosspiece, is made entirely of the embroidery and edging.

Much more inexpensive and even more charming would be a knitting apron of pale pink handkerchief linen. This requires nothing but a few yards of the material and some white mercerized cotton. The bottom of the apron and the circular collar of the bib are finished in scalloped points, done in buttonhole stitch, with a very



Dimity Apron.
simple conventional design in flowered dots embroidered above it. A tiny frill of the material is set on round the scallops. Such an apron is lovely in pale blue or white.

Extremely Frenchy is an apron of gay flowered muslin trimmed with a cluny lace insertion in coffee color and rosette bows of a soft narrow ribbon. The ruffles are made of the flowered material.

A Dainty Hatpin Case.
A pretty and useful little hatpin case is a toilet accessory that will be prized by all who love to see things in their allotted place. The case is made of pongee silk, gathered neatly at top and bottom and tied with a pretty fluffy bow. The inside, halfway up, is stuffed with wadding for the reception of the pins. A pretty ribbon loop wherewith to hang up this object completes a dainty and useful accessory.

ENGAGEMENT RACK.

How This Useful and Popular Present May Be Made.

An engagement rack has seven white rather heavy cards, on each of which is printed the name of one of the days of the week. On the ends of these cards a narrow white ribbon is pasted; then the ribbon is pasted to a long strip of white cardboard, to make little pockets into which to drop notes, memoranda, etc. These cards are two inches apart.

A sofa pillow in the shape of a great red tomato is the newest thing. It is about nine inches high finished and about a yard around. Three-quarters of a yard of red velvet—in a good bright red—will be enough, as the shaped pieces cut to fairly good advantage.



Cut six or eight pieces twelve inches high in wide oval shapes, pointed at both ends—exactly the way you would cut sections to cover a child's ball. By cutting one section close to the selvage at one edge of the velvet and the other at the other selvage you can get six out nearly six inches across in their broadest parts—right in the center. If you use eight, of course make them narrower.

Sew them up on the wrong side, leaving one seam partly open to insert the pillow. Force in as large a pillow as you can—an eighteen inch pillow is large enough—sew it up, and you have a round red velvet ball.
Now take the red twine that matches the velvet and knot it at one end. Then, with an upholsterer's needle, draw it clear through the center, bringing the thread around directly over one of the seams, and pull the twine through the center again, drawing it taut, so that it presses the velvet in at the seam. Do this at every seam and then knot the cord, finishing it off as neatly as possible, and you've a great, fat, red tomato, which will be most effective flung in among a pile of pillows, and it has the advantage of being a fit present for either a man or a girl. One clever girl named it the Ponderosa pillow in honor of a real tomato of huge size.

Dainty Presents.
For the woman who can draw or paint, a telephone pad is simple to make. A piece of strong cardboard, about 4 by 9 inches, in delicate gray or pastel green, is especially attractive as a background. This may be decorated in stencil designs or painted with tiny heads of pretty girls or anything one fancies, the tints being al-



TELEPHONE PAD.
ways kept low and refined in tone. Or if one is without knack with the pencil and paint brush, a piece of wall paper with a small floral design may be procured, and the flowers carefully cut out and pasted on the cardboard foundation. A small pad of white paper is then neatly pasted on, a ribbon hanger attached to the top, a pencil at the end of a short ribbon fastened on where the fastening will not be visible, and the telephone pad is finished.

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Joe Horn and Jim Whittington returned last week from Floyd and Motley county where they had been for nearly a month picking up cattle. They bought and trailer home 350 head, all good stuff. They have since sold some of the cattle and will ship the balance to market this week.

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A Cream of Tartar Powder Made from Grapes
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GOOD NATURE.

It is a Very Valuable Asset in This Vale of Tears.

Good nature is one of the best assets a woman can have. A good natured woman is always welcome, even when she is rather slow witted, and a woman of the opposite class is to be dreaded and shunned, because whatever brightness she possesses is of the personal and cutting kind. Many a woman brilliant and entertaining is feared quite as much as she is admired because even her closest friends are not safe from her wit and satire.

Many a social engagement is broken on account of such women. Good nature, like other desirable attributes, can be cultivated. One can be educated to accept little annoyances with complacency.

The victory over one disagreeable thing gives strength to meet the next two, and when the philosophy that teaches one to remedy ills when a remedy is possible and accept the incurable ones with fortitude and good nature is learned life is comparatively smooth.

Do you sometimes wonder at the unnecessary annoyance human beings court? The woman who has been carried beyond her destination by the carelessness of a car conductor gains nothing by rebuking him. He may not be rude enough to answer her, but he and the other passengers will find visible amusement in her wrath, and she loses in dignity and self respect.

* Fault finding does no good, and the best disciplinarians never indulge in it. They find the best remedy for mistakes others make for them and say as little as possible on the matter.

The parents who say the least are the most respected. Men are given to few words, so fathers are regarded with respect and awe by the average child.

Good nature that can be depended upon at every turn is hardly a desirable attribute, but it is not sufficiently common to be a matter of great solicitude. Few of us are tolerant of the acts and speech of others, as tolerant as we should be. When we have the ability to put ourselves in the place of those who annoy us we can call up a supply of good nature that will tide over any feeling of annoyance and allow us to dismiss the matter as trivial.

POISON BY MISTAKE.

Bottles to Hold Drugs That Close With Lock and Key.

The other day a man gave his baby by mistake a deadly poison instead of its accustomed medicine. The bottles got mixed, and a father is condemned to lifelong agony of remorse.

The law has done its best to safeguard people in this respect. All poisons must be carefully labeled under severe penalties to the seller. We have become quite hardened to the presence of grewsome skulls and bones in our medicine chest, but somehow those awful mistakes are painfully frequent.

Now there seems a hope of better things—at least if a novelty recently shown at an exhibition of chemists in England should become of general use. This was nothing more nor less than a bottle to hold poisons that closes with a lock and key.

The inventor asserts, and with seeming justice, that such a bottle would practically eliminate the danger of taking poison by mistake.

Certainly it sounds feasible and when put generally on the market should prove a boon to anxious mothers ever fearful lest prying small fingers remove the corks from deadly drugs to their own undoing.

Many a nurse as well would welcome a bottle that would put beyond the range of possibility dire blunders.

It remains to be seen if this invention is practical enough to pay, but it or some similar safeguard is a crying need of the day.

BEAUTY HINTS.

To reduce your flesh increase your troubles.

To develop a bust get on the wrong side of the market.

To remove freckles pry them gently out with a nut pick. Should this fail try blasting.

Brightness may be imparted to the complexion by powdering with diamond dust.

Hair on the lips may sometimes be avoided by requiring the young man to shave before calling.

Nails which do not yield readily to the manure may be driven in with a hammer.

For developing the grace and beauty of the fingers nothing is equal to piano exercises, provided police protection be available.

When "crow's feet" will not yield to massage fill them suddenly with cement and smooth over quickly with a trowel.

Falling hair may be avoided by stepping nimbly aside whenever you see it coming your way.

The "drooping lash," so much affected by some, may be encouraged by sitting up late at night.

Cinnamon Cakes.

Cream one-half a cupful of butter, add one cupful of sugar gradually, one-half a cupful of milk alternately with one and one-fourth cupfuls of flour sifted with two and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder, two eggs beaten separately and one tablespoonful of cinnamon. Bake in gem pans.

Removal of Warts.

To remove a wart, damp it and rub with a piece of common soda. Do this three or four times a day for a month, and the wart will drop off, leaving no mark on the skin.

The Cash Store

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Elite patent waist band undershirts are neat, close fitting and comfortable, with wide flaring bottom and excellent material and workmanship.

Black taffeta silk each	\$12.00
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Men's tan calf sewed boots	\$6.50
" Black calf sewed boots	6.00
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Seedless raisens, fresh currents, evaporated peaches, California figs, ringed cut apples and prunes.

CANVAS

Heavy Texas made canvas yd. \$54

TAFFETA SILK

Navy blue yd. 1.00

POSTAL CARDS

Silk ribbons very cute each. 10c

LADIES BELTS

Fluffy ruffles kid each. 50c
Elastic webbing, blue, brown, black. 75c

T. R. Garrott Co. MEMPHIS, TEXAS

To Let

A good five-room house with well, windmill and garden. 3½ miles northwest of Clarendon on public road, one mile from school. Apply to L. F. Beckner, 3½ miles N. W. of Clarendon. tf

Notice.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, New Carson Building, Amarillo, Texas.

The "Big Show."

The Pawnee Bill show came in some time during Saturday night and had their tents erected at an early hour Sunday. It was quite a large affair, carrying many horses and a large amount of show paraphernalia. The tents covered more ground perhaps than any show ever seen here before and the general appearance of the outfit bespoke a splendid performance. However the show failed to make good in this respect. The performances had a kind of run-down-at-the-heel twang to them and many of the rough riders and actors were obviously green hands. In fact one of the "cowboys" whom our reporter happened to know in bygone days, told us that since he joined the show two weeks ago, nearly the entire troupe of actors had been changed. The business end of the show was nicely conducted and all who had any business dealings with them were treated right. In this respect the show differed strongly from any other "tented exhibitions" which have visited the city in the past. The attendance was fairly good at both performances and enough ducats were evidently obtained to enable them to get to Childress where Editor Haskett had arranged for all the business houses to close, the schools dismiss and the shops shut down for the day Tuesday in order that a record-breaking attendance might be scored.

Steffens Cream.

Dubbs offers this celebrated cream by single gallon at \$1.75. Larger orders \$1.50 during this season. The best for parties and home gatherings.

Pigs For Sale

About 30 nice shoats at my place near Hedley. Apply to E. R. Clark. 2t

For Sale

One Eagle kaffir corn header, been used only six days, for sale cheap. Apply to J. T. Morrow, East First street. 49-3t

For Sale

A few household articles, also mandolin and guitar. See Mrs. Rose Van Horn at residence.

—If Dubbs made your suit, it is correct. tf

Phone No. 2 when you have a news item.

—The Bon Ton is post card headquarters. tf

Do you need a typewriter ribbon? Get it of the Banner-Stockman.

—Our post cards are displayed so you can see them. tf

—Have you seen the display in Clower's window? Don't buy a thing in the way of china until you see his line. tf

—Remember, you have until Nov. 2 to pay up and get the Banner-Stockman at the old rate of \$1.00 per year.

—Catering to only the best class of the trade the Bon Ton has become recognized as confectionery headquarters in Clarendon. tf

—New post cards being received every few days at Allen & Goodman's. Large stock and variety of subjects. You must see our post cards to appreciate them. tf

—Call and see that new line of fine imported china at Clower's. Just the thing for presents. If you can't do better you might make yourself a present of a few pieces. tf

—Our stock of artists' materials new and complete. China, oil and water colors. We will appreciate your trade in this line and you will certainly appreciate the goods. tf

—"Iron Clad" Hosiery for school boys and girls will stand wear and tear. Costs you no more than the kind that don't wear. Ask for Iron Clad. The Martin-Bennett Company. tf

—Boys and young men will find just what they want in neckwear and furnishings at E. Dubbs & Sons.

SOMETHING TO EAT

Cream Puffs, Doughnuts, Coffee Cakes, regularly every Saturday. Boiled Ham, a nice variety of Canned Meats and Fish always on hand. Will receive in a few days a fresh lot of Allegretti's package candies, the world's best.

—Yours for good eating—

THE CLARENDON BAKERY

PHONE NO. 29

THE GLOBE'S BIG CONTEST

Results of the Week in the Contest for the Diamond Ring and Lady's Gold Watch.

Voting contest for diamond ring and lady's gold watch is increasing each week at the Globe. The total count this week shows a flattering increase for all the contestants.

Miss Minnie Thorpe	2427
Miss Marion Barnett	1901
Miss Ethel Heisler	1756
Miss Bessie Caraway	1667
Mrs. Chas. McMurtry	1180
Miss Ruth Atteberry	928
Miss Nora Denton	809
Mrs. Ora Liesberg	825
Miss Lena Davis	613
Miss Tugwell	562
Miss Fay Dodson	406
Miss Aris Baldwin	312
Miss Pearl Lane	302

Respectfully,
E. DUBBS & SONS.

—Our stock of ladies' misses' and children's coats have been received, and will be in shape to show in a few days. Watch out for them. The newest styles at prices that are right. Martin-Bennett Co. tf

NEW AUTUMN HATS

And other Millinery and Ladies' Furnishings

Now on Display

I invite all the ladies (and gentlemen also) to call and look at the new hats. The styles this season show much beauty and in my offerings you will find the most superb and striking style ideas of this season. "Chic" Hats for street wear and hats for the most dressy and all occasion hats that are superb in their

Elegance and Beauty

That need only to be seen to be appreciated. The quality of the goods I sell and the

Standard of Styles

Have made and maintain my trade reputation. Hats that are planned by an expert that "knows how" to fit them to

Face and Form

Always prove pleasing to the wearer. Come in and let's talk "Hatology."

Mrs. A. M. Beville

"The Milliner and Ladies' Furnisher"