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D. C. P. C. MEETING FRIDAY AT 3 P. M.

Friday afternoon at three o'clock at the Pastime Theatre in this city, the Donley County Progressive Club will hold a meeting of especial interest and worth. This is the first time in some weeks that the meeting has been held in Clarendon and the city is issuing special invitation to every part of the county for a large attendance.

There will be an address by Judge W. T. Link, giving full information why the proposed 15-cent road tax must be carried at the election Saturday week, if the county is to have any road improvement. The judge will have the figures from the record at hand and can answer any question relating thereto.

Following this there will be an instructive address on the matter of the proposed paving for Clarendon, which now has especial interest. Tom F. Connally, former mayor will be the speaker.

The Donley County Progressive Club Band, which has made such rapid strides in the past few weeks will be on hand and will render a concert worth while. The fact is that this meeting will have all the earmarks of an old-fashioned political rally except the candidates and the "red lemonade", and it is presumed that even the beverage might be secured with a minimum amount of effort and a buffalo nickle.

There will be two other features especially interesting to the agricultural and stock raising interests of the county which are as follows:

Mr. C. F. Walker, live stock specialist, will be in Clarendon Friday, to meet the producers of pure bred live stock and present a plan of organization for a county association. The meeting will be called in connection with the D. C. P. C. meeting and it will be to the interest of every producer of any kind of pure bred live stock to be present and help discuss the future of the pure bred business of this county.

Mr. Walker was in the county several weeks ago with Mr. John C. Burns of College Station, and several projects were started with registered Hereford breeders. He is of the opinion that there should be a local association of the breeders of such breeds, and a separate one for the fine breeders.

If you are interested in any class of pure bred stock, come to the meeting of the D. C. P. C. and meet Mr. Walker and help to forward the live stock interests of this county.

Miss Lillian Hazle, State Poultry Specialist, from College Station will be in Clarendon the latter part of this week. She and Mrs. Chitwood of the county and are also planning to meet with the D. C. P. C. on Friday. If you have any poultry problems, get in touch with these agents or meet them Friday. There ought to be a thousand people here for this most interesting meeting.

CANNING DEMONSTRATION AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Donley County is fortunate in having secured the services of Mr. H. H. Clapp, state specialist in meat canning from A. & M. College for the week from April 7 to 11. During this week Mr. Clapp will put on a series of canning demonstrations at the various schools of our county, assisted by our County Canning Demonstrator, Mrs. Chitwood. The demonstration for Clarendon will be staged at the high school building on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 9th, from 2 till 4 o'clock.

The Parent Teachers Association is in hearty co-operation with the work and the Association has decided to postpone their regular meeting for April 8, and instead of their regular meeting will attend this demonstration on April 9th, as a body. All other housekeepers and homebuilders are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. F. W. Vance of Panhandle has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Patton.

PATMAN REFUSES NOMINATION FOR MAYOR—MASS MEETING NAMES HON. O. C. WATSON

Answering a wire apprising him of his nomination for mayor in the election of next Tuesday, J. T. Patman, now recuperating his health at Marlin, telegraphed his regrets and positively refused to accept the implied honor and election, as the chief executive of our city.

Following the receipt of the refusal another mass meeting was called for Wednesday afternoon at the Pastime Theatre at 2 o'clock and on statement of the object of the meeting by Chairman Joe Goldston, there was no hesitancy and no division in naming O. C. Watson for the place. Mr. Watson is a progressive young man with good business experience and his election will assure this city of an aggressive conduct of its affairs.

On motion of County Attorney Beville, the meeting resolved itself into a permanent political organization with Joe Goldston as president, and J. E. Walker, secretary. An executive committee was named as follows: W. M. Patman, Supt. Geo. Stocking, Tom F. Connally. This organization will call a meeting only on campaigns and circumstances demand.

D. C. P. C. BAND GIVES PLEASING STREET CONCERT

Saturday afternoon at four o'clock the D. C. P. C. Band, under the direction of Band Sgt. Dean, assembled at the Rexall corner and gave a short concert very pleasing to the large crowd in town for the afternoon. Although the weather was muddy Clarendon had a very large crowd of shoppers and the band music added quite a holiday atmosphere to the occasion. There are few cities who can present a band in concert with only three week's practice and the town and county are to be congratulated on their good fortune in having such a talented organization in their midst.

More concerts will follow and it is possible that arrangements can be made whereby weekly concerts may be arranged for during the summer months on the court house lawn, where the community can gather for informal entertainment.

FORTY TWO CLUB ENJOYS AFTERNOON WITH MRS. C. W. BENNETT

The Forty Two Club enjoyed Tuesday afternoon as guests of Mrs. C. W. Bennett.

High score was awarded to Mrs. Arthur Letts, and consolation to Mrs. Whitfield Carhart, both prizes being boxes of candy. An excellent two-course luncheon was served to Mesdames R. A. Chamberlain and Whitfield Carhart inclusive of members.

CLARENDON TO ENTERTAIN PANHANDLE DISTRICT MEDICAL SOCIETY IN SEPTEMBER

Drs. E. F. Hamm, H. L. Wilder and B. L. Jenkins attended the meeting of the Panhandle District Medical Society at Amarillo last Tuesday and Wednesday, at which time a most interesting and enthusiastic program was held.

Clarendon will have the honor of entertaining this splendid body of men the third Tuesday and Wednesday in September.

Mrs. Paul Shelton and baby have returned from a pleasant visit in Houston.

ROY KUTCH LANDED THURSDAY MORNING WITH THE 133rd FIELD ARTILLERY

Roy Kutch landed at Newport News last Thursday morning with the 133rd Field Artillery of the 36th Division.

His parents have received a wire from him Friday morning announcing the good news.

This regiment will go to Camp Bowie for demobilization.

Rev. G. S. Slover leaves the latter part of the week to attend a meeting in the interests of all the State schools, Colleges and Universities of the state of Texas, at Waco.

ROUSING MEETING HELD BY D. C. P. C. AT LELIA LAKE ON LAST FRIDAY

The largest delegation that has yet left Clarendon on the D. C. P. C. trips materialized last Friday afternoon when the organization journeyed down to Lelia Lake for a meeting with the people of that community.

There was possibly another reason for the large crowd going down to Lelia Lake besides just the interest in the county-wide organization, and that was the building of the derrick for the first test well in Donley County just a few hundred yards north of Lelia Lake. Another feature of the excursion was the first appearance of the D. C. P. C. Band, who played a few pieces to get the crowd together before on arrival at Lelia Lake, following with a brief concert in the Lelia Lake public school auditorium where the meeting was held.

President O. C. Watson made an interesting address outlining the work and aims of the D. C. P. C. and then introduced Judge W. T. Link, who explained in detail the need for the passage of the 15c special road tax in the election, Saturday, April 5th. Judge Link showed how the carrying of the election would not increase the taxation of the people living in Precinct 3, but would actually increase their proportion of road tax money as the passage of the special tax by the county would force the Denver Railway to pay something like \$840 into their fund on their intangible assets which they escape on all specials not county specials.

President Watson then announced that E. L. Lewis of Lelia Lake would be appointed to take memberships after the meeting closed and called for expressions from some of the Lelia people. This was responded to by Mess. Mace, Cothran and Dunkle, the latter declaring that Lelia Lake always did its part in any kind of public enterprise and would not fail the county organization. After a short speech by Dr. Hamm, a rising vote was taken on those favoring good roads for the county with a unanimous response.

Fully sixty men made the trip from Clarendon.

CORPORAL FLOYD LUMPKIN RETURNS WITH THE 132nd FIELD ARTILLERY

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lumpkin and friends are very elated over the home-coming of Corporal Floyd Lumpkin Monday afternoon, making his arrival at Newport News with the 132nd Field Artillery of the 36th Division of which he has been a member for almost two years. He stated in his wire that he was well. This regiment will in all probability go to Camp Bowie for demobilization.

PAVING ELECTION POSTPONED TODAY

As we go to press we are notified by Mayor SoRelle that the election on the paving matter which was to have been held next Tuesday is postponed on the advice of the attorneys of the engineering company under contract with the city to handle the municipal paving. The attorneys' advice is to give full 30 day notice to the election that there may be no criticism in its legality. This means that the election may not be held until the last of April. The election of next Tuesday will be for a mayor, only. This new development renders some portions of this week's News more or less out of date.

THE PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

The parents and teachers assembled in the High School building last Thursday and at three o'clock the program began and after Misses Houk's and McLean's pupils had given their selections, Dr. Carroll delivered a most helpful and interesting lecture on "The Care of the Health of the Child in the Home and in the School." Every one enjoyed the lecture and thank Dr. Carroll for his help and presence.

A short business meeting followed and Mrs. Sims and Mrs. Stocking were chosen as delegates to the State Meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association which will convene at Fort Worth in April. The Ways and Means committee reported that the best way to raise the needed funds for the play ground equipment was to make a house to house canvass and the president appointed a committee to make the solicitations. It was decided to have a meeting of the Association next Thursday night for the benefit of the fathers as they cannot attend the after-noon meeting. The social committee for that evening is as follows: Mrs. M. T. Crabtree, Chas. Baldwin, W. C. Massey, Phillips, Potts, Russell, Grogan and Clifford.

The social hour was enjoyed by every one present and the delicious sandwiches, tea and fruit salad were a treat not soon to be forgotten.

The next meeting will be on April 9th and will be in charge of Mrs. Chitwood, the County Demonstrator, and she is planning a very interesting program, so let every member be present.

CLARENDON WOMAN INHERITS \$10,000 OF NEW YORK ESTATE

New York, March 20.—Substantial bequests to public institutions are provided for under the will of Joseph K. Gwynn, formerly secretary of the American Tobacco Company, which was filed for probate today. Mr. Gwynn died at his home, No. 465 Central Park, West, on Feb. 25, last. After leaving to Mrs. Marie Louise Gwynn, his widow, all his household effects, \$20,000 outright and a life income from the residuary estate, Mr. Gwynn directed that on her death \$50,000 be paid from the principal to the Agricultural College of the University of Missouri to erect a school of domestic science in memory of his wife.

Ten thousand dollars is left to each of the decedent's brothers and sisters, the Rev. W. B. Gwynn of Crestwood, Ky.; Frank Gwynn Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Ruth Jenkins, Elizabethtown, Ky.; and Mrs. W. R. Silvey of Clarendon, Texas. They also inherit the remainder of the residue. To Joseph K. Gwynn, a nephew of Crestwood, Ky., the testator left \$25,000.

FORTY TWO CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

The members of the Forty-Two Club were charmingly entertained at the home of Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain with Mrs. Chamberlain and Mrs. Jimmie D. Browder of Memphis as hostesses.

The games were very much enjoyed as were the dainty refreshments.

SPRING IS HERE

Spring is the out of condition season for farm stock; animals have long been on dry feed—which is conducive to blood-out-of-order, constipation and worms.

Soon the litters of pigs will be coming, the calves, colts and lambs will be dropped.

Now is the time to condition the parent stock with a course of Dr. Hess Stock Tonic—the cows before freshing, the sows before farrowing, the mares before foaling, the ewes before lambing.

The same rules of breeding apply to poultry as to other live stock. Condition your hens and roosters with a course of Dr. Hess Poultry Pan-a-ee-a now; then you will get healthy, fertile eggs that will hatch into strong liveable chicks.

Springtime is the time to buy all the Dr. Hess products—There's a reason.

Instant Louse Killer for the setting hen, for lice on poultry, colts and calves—all of which are quite prevalent after long winter housing.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF The Donley County State Bank

OF CLARENDON, TEXAS

at close of business March 4, 1919, as made to the Commissioner of Banking

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans	\$392,704.34	Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Banking House	13,500.00	Surplus and Profits	20,553.76
Int. in Dep. Guar. Fund	8,719.42	Deposits	\$498,860.52
Cash	\$179,490.42		
Total	\$594,414.28	Total	\$594,414.28

The Above Statement Is Correct. F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Cashier

Coupons on the Third Liberty Loan are due and payable March 15th. Clip the coupons off your bonds, bring them to this bank and we will pay you cash for them.

—This Space Contributed by The—

The First National Bank

YOUNG LADIES AT COLLEGE MOST CHARMING HOSTESSES

A throng of well groomed ladies in waiting, voluptuously decorated apartments, a long reception line of officers of intelligence, an appetizing punch bowl presided over by maids of exquisite charm, grateful guests, merry-making and good cheer in general; such was the reception given at the young ladies' home on college hill last Monday night.

The program consisted of readings by Misses Mable Hon and Faun Crane, violin solos by Miss Loeffler, vocal duet by Mrs. Adams and Miss Raymond, piano solos by Prof. Shure, and a most pleasing rendition of Schubert's Serenade by the young ladies chorus directed by Mrs. Adams. Pennant souvenirs bearing the initials, "C. C.," were pinned on each guest as they entered their names in the register book of the evening. Those present will welcome the coming of another such entertainment.

TICKET PUT OUT FOR THE TRUSTEE ELECTION

The News is authorized to present the following list of citizens for the choice of the voters of the Clarendon Independent School District at the trustee election to be held Saturday, April 5th. There are four to be elected and from the splendid material listed below the excellent personnel of the board cannot fail to be maintained. Read the list, make your choice and vote accordingly:

John T. Sims,
Fred Chamberlain,
W. W. Taylor,
C. H. Dean,
S. W. Lowe,
Paul Shelton,
Bennett Kerbow,
J. R. Tucker,
T. L. Benedict.

Miss Jewel Dyer of Dallas has been the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon in the Martin community.

Checks Are Checks

on the purse strings as well as on bills that have been paid.

Cash payments are often thoughtlessly made; payment by check is inclined to influence thought as to the necessity and wisdom of the disbursement.

It is in this way that the checking Account puts a check on careless spending besides putting financial transactions on a systematic basis. Our Officers invite consultation.

The Farmers State Bank
Clarendon, Texas

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Sam M. Braswell, Editor and Owner

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NOTICE—Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The News will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Sometimes you hear some one arguing that public ownership of railroads, telegraphs, etc., is desirable because of the wonderful success that the federal government has made with the postal system. The truth is that the success of the postal system of this nation was made possible by the marvelous service built up by the private-owned and competitively-operated railway systems. Passenger train service excelled the world's greatest dreams in the United States before the war came along. All the government had to do was to put clerks on the splendid trains and the mail was hurried to its destination. Since the government has taken over the rail systems the passenger service has deteriorated, the mails are slower and unless the roads are turned back to their owners speedily the vaunted service is forever lost, the postal system will be "cursed" as heartily as the postmaster general, and the government will be forced to pay so many deficits that even a general uprising can scarcely be avoided. Back to private ownership with the railroads and the wire systems. Back to the jungles with bureaucracy. Then Burleson can go to Timbuctoo.

In last week's issue of the Slaton Slatonite Editor Loomis announces the sale of the paper to W. Donald, formerly of the McKinney Courier-Gazette. While we hate to see so affable a man as Loomis leave Slaton we are glad to welcome Donald, who is regarded as a particularly successful newspaper man down state. Loomis says he is going to a larger field, but does not disclose the location. We hope he stays in the Panhandle, and will positively not excuse him from his duties as Post for the Panhandle Press Association, until after he delivers at Vernon next month.

Last Saturday night at his home in Birmingham, Alabama, Bishop Jas. McCoy passed away after several months of suffering with cancer of the stomach. This editor feels a personal loss in this great man's death. The Bishop was a school mate of the News man's father, our middle initial M. stands for McCoy, and we have had the privilege of his personal friendship for a number of years. He was a profound scholar, an able orator and withal a simple man of deeply religious character. Bishop McCoy's work will live long after his name is forgotten.

Texas is to receive something over ten million dollars by the \$60 discharge bonus to her soldier boys, from the federal government. This is a wonderful influx of wealth which will greatly assist the financial situation in the state not to mention the great relief it will afford the discharged soldier boys in adjusting themselves to the civilian walks of life. No other nation under the sun but ours makes such provisions for its fighters. No other nation under Heaven gives its citizens so much in return for their tax money.

The News editor has been notified of his appointment on the Road Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, to represent Donley County at a great meeting to be held at Mineral Wells the week of April 16th. The appointment was received from Hon. Adrain Pool, legislator from El Paso, who is in special charge of the work. Donley County must have her share of the seventy-five million dollar state issue of road bonds when it comes. We appreciate being recognized as a friend of good roads. We are.

Since Editor Adams has returned from Arkansas the Plainview News has greatly improved its make up and content. Nothing but a season of rest could have superinduced such a return of "spizzierinkum," unless it be that "bootleg mountain dew" which Editor Ben Smith of the Lockney Beacon accuses Jess of imbibing too freely. If that is what it is, let the credit fall where it is "dew" for the Plainview News is sure "looking up."

We don't intend to lose the friendship of anyone, even though we do hold opinions diametrically opposite, on matters of public policy.

Vote for paving Tuesday, April fool the mossback.

Clarendon must have progressive leadership.

SOME FACTS ABOUT THE SPECIAL 15c ROAD TAX ELECTION SATURDAY WEEK

When the petition asking for the special election for the proposed 15c additional road tax was presented to this writer, we remarked that while we were glad to sign it, yet we would have preferred to sign one asking for 30c instead of the 15c. We deeply realize that the forward march of intelligence, morals and citizenship are bound up in the extension of good roads.

No citizen in all Donley County ought to stay away from the polls or cast his ballot against the special tax, and The News don't believe many will if they will take the time to read this short explanation of the real situation. The figures we use are from the county records and any one may confirm their correctness by a few minutes spent at the court house.

The county needs this 15c additional tax if we are to have any more appreciable road work, unless it prefers to vote a large bond issue for permanent roads. Most all who have studied the situation agree that it would take a bond issue of a million dollars to give us permanent roads. The present road and bridge tax of 15c brings into the county treasury \$10,035.59, which also includes fines collected and the \$3 road tax paid by some who do not chose to work the roads. Out of this sum there must be paid the interest and sinking fund which will retire the \$85,000 road improvement warrants at the end of 25 years. Out of this sum must be replaced all the bridges, washed out and wrecked, all the grading, and the commissioners' per diem of \$4 per day for supervision of road work. The interest and sinking fund just mentioned requires \$7,650, and for several years the county must make payments on the road machinery recently purchased, which for this year is \$2200. One can readily see that this runs the expenditures very near the \$10,000 mark and leaves very little for the road work and the commissioners' daily pay of \$4—less than thirty days work in each precinct.

Some may argue that Donley County got \$3,117.53 as her half of the state automobile license tax. That's true, but the law restricts the use of that money only to designated highways and mail routes. This means that less than a third of the roads in the county will get any benefit from that fund.

Then where's the road work to come from?

Some might say that out of the \$15,722.85 tax money collected in the general fund, quite a sum might be diverted for use on the roads, but the records show that in a county collecting no more general fund taxes than does Donley that this sum fails to provide very much more than what is required to pay the other expenses of the county government. A small sum might be diverted from this fund after it has accrued, but the commissioner's court dare not divert it until the year is finished and the new tax money begins to come in for fear of emergency expense—and there's scarcely a year in which some expensive emergency does not arise.

We might as well face the issue. The county must have more money if we are to have even as good roads as we have now, (a gracious providence preserve us from any worse). The only way the county has of getting it is by the carrying of the election ordering the special road tax of 15c, Saturday, April 5th.

The fact that we may grumble over the \$85,000 being spent with no more results, cannot help matters. We must face it as it now presents itself. If we hope for any road improvement at all WE MUST VOTE THE SPECIAL TAX OF 15c.

Let us do the handsome thing. Let us assure ourselves of better roads, (until we can get permanent roads) by rolling up a great majority for the special tax.

PANHANDLE PRESS ASSOCIATION DATES CHANGED TO APRIL 18-19

By reason of a conflict of dates of the big Shriners reunion at Fort Worth, the meeting of the Panhandle Press Association at Vernon has been changed to one week later—April 18-19.

There is no change in the program and the excursion to Burk Burnett will be made on the second day as scheduled.

From the reports coming in from the field there is indication of the largest attendance in the history of the organization and in addition to the official letter which will be gotten out from the secretary's office, the local press gang at Vernon promises to carry out an extensive campaign of publicity and invitation.

Don't fail to be at Vernon Friday and Saturday, April 18-19, if you expect to attend the most enjoyable and instructive session the Panhandle Press Association has enjoyed hitherto.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Court House in Clarendon on the first Saturday in April, same being the 5th day of the month, for the purpose of electing four (4) trustees for the Clarendon Independent School District of Clarendon, Texas, to serve two years.

I. W. Carhart has been appointed to hold said election.

Whitfield Carhart, Secretary of the Board.

NO TRAPPING

Positively no trapping in any of the JA pastures. If you want to avoid prosecution, observe the above. J. W. Kent, Superintendent.

MAYOR DENIES COMMISSION TOOK BACKWATER ON PAVING

In an editorial appearing in last weeks issue the editor took occasion to criticize the Mayor and Commission relative to the street paving proposition—stating that the Mayor and Commission had taken "backwater" in the matter of the street paving and had placed the responsibility of the paving on the citizens but that the "citizens would accept the challenge" and that the "credit of paving would fall where it is due."

In answer to the above criticism I wish to say that in the opinion of the Board the editor has simply erred. For we have neither "taken backwater" nor thrown out any challenge nor have we shirked any responsibility whatever. For we not only entered into negotiations for the paving but actually signed up the Street Paving Contract according to plans and specifications as submitted by the engineer. But in order to validate this contract not only the contractors but the law demands that the city must first adopt the State Paving Law, and in accordance with these demands the City Board ordered an election to be held on the first day of April to determine the validity of our contract. If the State Paving Law is adopted the contract is ready to begin work at once. But if the Paving Law is rejected then the work of the Commission is ended and there will be no paving. So the whole matter is up to the people just where it should be. It is one thing to criticize but it is another thing entirely to render intelligent judgement. I don't think the editor really intended to cast a slur at any one but it certainly smacks of it.

In this connection I wish to say that during my administration of the City's affairs we have made use of the same economical principles that we do in our own business affairs, and I am conscious of the fact that we have used every means within our power to further the City's interest where ever possible. We should have liked to have done more for the City but you must remember that the past two years have been record years for high prices for both labor and materials, and yet notwithstanding these facts we have not only "broke even" but we have largely reduced the City's obligation to the bank. Have paid off Two Thousand Dollars worth of the bonded indebtedness besides have increased the Two Bonded Sinking Fund Accounts from \$2901.79 to \$7213.45.

In retiring from the office I wish to thank the people on the part of the Board, who have so frankly and have so generously stood by the Board and aided the Commission from time to time in the affairs of the City. If instead of criticizing every act of the Board, the people would take more interest in advancing the City's affairs it certainly would be much easier for the Commission to accomplish its labors. So let everybody come out to the election and put over the paving proposition.

W. A. SoRelle, Mayor.

Certainly The News disclaims any intent of "slurring" anyone. This paving matter, like every other municipal matter, is one of policy and not of personalities. The News reiterates what it said about "backwater" or "backfire." The commission asked at a mass meeting that they be furnished with the consent of more than a majority of the property owners effected by the paving order, agreeing to make the contract if this was done.

It was done. A large majority of the frontage owners signified their willingness to pay their part of the cost.

Then when a few kicked the commission decided to leave the matter to a general vote of the people, and made a contract for the paving with that proviso.

The News says this election is unnecessary, and to prove our position we quote below a telegram from the Attorney General's department at Austin, which substantiates our position: The telegram was in answer to our query and reads:

Austin, Texas, 3:57 pm, March 19th, 1919.

Clarendon News:

Towns incorporated under general law need not vote on warrant issues. Where bonds are desired to be issued question must be submitted to popular vote.

W. P. Dumas, Asst. Atty.-General. There is no question of bonds in this paving matter.

The News submits its position to the people as to who is correct.

The challenge is accepted and with the personal help of the mayor and commission, who feel they have done all they can officially, we confidently await an overwhelmingly majority in an election which the state law declares superfluous.

AUTOMOBILE DRIVER'S NOTICE

The automobile law of the state provides that numbers shall be prominently displayed upon both the front and back of a car and the seal shall be also displayed. The penalty for not so doing is a fine of not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$25.00 and each such are not displayed is a separate and distinct offense. Also all lights front and rear to be lighted at night.

R. H. Beville, County Attorney.

Leonard P. White has lately arrived in the States from overseas. He is now at Camp Hill, Virginia, where he will remain about three weeks, after which he will be sent to Camp Bowie, where he will receive his discharge. Claude News, "Penkey" White was a mess sergeant with the H Company of the 142, and has many friends here who are glad to know of his return to the States.

GOOD ROADS GOVERN FARMING

The kind of roads between communities has much to do with the kind of farming the community may follow. In Texas, the bondage imposed upon the farming community by bad roads, as everywhere, to compel the farmer to produce non-perishable crops that can be marketed at any time during the year. These crops are few, being confined principally to cotton and grain.

The effect of the road upon the type of farming arises from the cost of hauling from farm to market. A farmer's produce, whether it be grain hay, livestock or dairy products, is worth a given amount of money at the market, and costs a larger or smaller amount in work, seed, etc., to produce it. The difference between what a crop sells for and the cost of growing it is not always favorable to the farmer, and generally a rather small margin represents his profit or loss. If the cost of hauling to market is very small and the road good enough so that selling can be done when the product is in salable condition without cutting too much into this slender margin of profit, market gardening, truck farming, dairying or the growing of bulky crops may be carried on with reasonable chance of success; where access to the market costs more in work and is limited by weather or other conditions, crops having more value in proportion to their bulk and weight and of less perishable nature must be produced: These may be general farming crops, such as cotton grain or livestock. When one is situated so that the cost of hauling to town is equal to or greater than the profit-margin of selling price over production cost, he can never do better than earn a living, and any idea of laying up a competence for old age or a fund to send the children away to school must be given up. In these circumstances the farmer's work goes into keeping himself and his family alive.

In deciding on what kind of farming to follow, and even on what kind of crops to grow in general farming the road to town must always be considered. Must the crops be marketed at a certain stage or can they wait on the condition of the road without losing in value? Will marketing them require much time on the road, and are they bulky in proportion to their value? The answer to these questions is as important to the landlord as to the tenant, for neither can hope to prosper if a mistake is made. If the roads are good so that the hauling costs are reduced to the minimum the choice of crops is so greatly extended that the margin of profit is not a continuing uncertainty.

Good roads for Texas mean better farming.

PLACE DESIGNATED FOR CLOTHING, MARCH 24-31

The building just vacated by Parson's Shoe Store, next door to T. M. Little's dry goods store has been secured for the assembly of the old clothing in the drive conducted by the local chapter of the Red Cross. This is a most worthy undertaking and our duty is plain in the furnishing of the millions of destitute victims of the world war, and the good people of Donley county will no doubt rally to their relief as they have done in times past. Remember the place—you can't forget the cause.

Quality First

Marechal Neil Flour	
Per hundred	\$6.15
Per sack	\$3.10
Cream meal, 25 lb sack	1.25
Pearl meal, 25 lb sack	1.20
Spuds, per peck	.35
Spuds, per hundred	2.30
Seed potatoes, per peck	.75
Wheat shorts	\$3.00

Can goods in proportion. We pay highest price for eggs. Get our prices before buying elsewhere. We can save you money.

We have bulk and packages garden and flower seed.

Cash or 30 Days.

Walker & Shelton

—Phone 186—

J. E. Walker E. P. Shelton

40 Head Work Stock For Sale

24 head mules unbroke, 3 and 4 years old; 16 head horses and mares at John Lott's Barn. Will trade horse stock for younger mules or cows. See or phone

CASH OR GOOD NOTE

Logue & Black

Claude or Clarendon

Vote for the Special Road Tax



NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK STOVES

"DELICIOUS—Because cooked on the New Perfection Oil Cook Stove."

From New Perfection advertising—Saturday Evening Post—Feb. 22, 1919.

Steady heat—searing or simmering—for the Long Blue Chimney Burner turns every drop of kerosene oil into clean intense cooking heat, and drives it full force against the utensil. Lights and heats instantly—flame stays where set—no smoke or odor—keeps kitchen comfortable—makes all cooking easy. Burners are brass and last for years.

Sold by all good dealers—ask your dealer to demonstrate the Long Blue Chimney Burner.

THE CLEVELAND METAL PRODUCTS COMPANY

7310 Platt Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio

POULTRY Car Coming

MARCH 27, 28 AND 29

we will have a poultry car on the track and will pay the following prices:

Hens, per pound	22 1-2c
Old Cox, per pound	10c
Turkeys, per pound	23c
Geese, per pound	10c
Guineas, each	20c

Bring all your surplus poultry.

Parson's Produce Co.
PHONE 278

Things Electrical

We have on hand at our office a full line of Heating devices, Irons, Lamps Etc.

Everything new, up-to-date and at the lowest prices.

Save money, time, work and worry by the use of electrical devices.

Texas Gas and Electric Company
At Your Service

Phone 100 C. C. Cope, Mgr.

Dr. Burkhead is having some improvements made on his residence near the Methodist Church.

Bob Biggers returned to his ranch Sunday night after visiting with relatives.

Eggs For Hatching

I have purchased his entire flock of

Rhode Island Reds
SINGLE COMB

from Chas. Ferguson, and am offering eggs for hatching from two extra fine pens. One of them, Pen No. 1, contains 10 of the largest and richest colored hens and pullets I have ever owned. I have bred Rhode Island Reds for many years, and have owned good birds, but never such as these. Eggs from this pen, \$3.00 per 15.

Pen No. 2, ten pullets and a very fine cockerel out of a 250 egg strain of Reds, should do much to improve the laying qualities of your flock. They are fine large birds, even colored and well shaped. Eggs from this pen, \$2.00 per 15. Am booking orders now. Better get yours at once.

IMPROVE YOUR FLOCK! IT WILL PAY!

F. A. Story
Clarendon, Texas

VERY IMPORTANT TO DISCHARGED SOLDIERS

It is very important that discharged soldiers keep up their War Risk Insurance where ever it is possible for them to do so. In too many instances the soldier does not realize the importance of this and if he once allows it to lapse this privilege can never be had again. There are indications that all of the life insurance companies in the state are making some effort to get discharged soldiers to forfeit their government insurance; in some instances it has been reported that mis-statements have been made with regard to this best of all insurance. Do not allow any agent to talk you into forfeiting your War Risk with the government. The Donley County Chapter of the American Red Cross is very anxious that you preserve this valuable privilege and will take pleasure in giving you all the information and conducting such correspondence for you in connection therewith touching on this insurance matter entirely free of any cost to you. For your convenience we have arranged with Mr. W. H. Patrick at the National Bank, Clarendon, to give you all the information with regard to this matter and you will find him willing and anxious to serve you at all times when the bank is open for business.

It is confidently believed that before the five years after peace is declared has expired that the government will offer to the soldier practically every form of policy now written by the old line companies and at probably a very much cheaper rate. If you do not at this time wish to convert your insurance into the several forms of conversion now offered by the government, continue your insurance on the straight life plan until all of the different forms of insurance are finally offered by the government and we feel sure that you will be amply repaid for retaining this very valuable privilege.

With respect to the sixty dollar bonus due discharged soldiers that have been discharged since April 6th, 1918, the impression seems to prevail that blanks for the application for this bonus have been furnished to the Red Cross Chapters but as yet none has been received by this chapter. Our impression is that it was the original plan of the government to have this matter handled through the Red Cross but understand that it has been changed. If, however, we could be of any assistance to discharged soldiers who have not as yet made application for the bonus, call on Mr. Patrick and he will be glad to give such assistance as he can.

Donley County Chapter American Red Cross, By
F. L. Bourland, Chairman.

DONLEY COUNTY RED CROSS TO ASSIST IN CLOTHING DRIVE

From March 24th to March 31st the Red Cross will conduct a campaign for used clothing. Ten thousand tons of clothing are needed. Of this amount one thousand tons are allotted as the quota of the Southwestern Division. This is just double the quota allotted this division during the Belgium clothing campaign. The need for this clothing is so acute that the actual lives of the men, women and children in our Allied countries depend upon a prompt shipment. This war has proven that American people will give, if they know the reason why they are called upon to give. To get this message across depends upon the publicity we can attain. The division office clearly recognizes that to make such publicity effective it must be given a local angle. We are, therefore, asking you to make the publicity in connection with this campaign your special responsibility during the month of March. Articles will be sent you direct from this office.

Let us pull together once again, for the Southwestern Division never stops at filling a quota. They always go beyond it.

PHILATHEA CLASS ENJOY EVENING AT THE PASTIME

With Miss Maude Clark as chairman of the entertainment committee of the Philathea class for this week a very splendid affair was planned for Tuesday evening with a Line Party at the Pastime Theatre and later a visit to the Pastime Confectionery where ice cream and cake were served.

They met at the home of Miss Lelia Clifford and went in a body to town. Those present were Misses Wilma McLean, Jennie Dale Powell, Zoe Glenn, Mabel Clair Betts, Evangeline Loeffler, Lelia Clifford, Irene Baird, Fannie Grogan, Maude Clark, Anne Davis, Leta Warren, Mesdames Fred Patching, Randall Whiteneck, Amarillo, Howard, Minneapolis, Minn. Misses Jennie Dale Powell and Wilma McLean will entertain Tuesday week at the home of Miss McLean.

BAIN FAMILY LEAVES

J. T. Bain has purchased, and he and his family have moved to the A. A. Walker home near the county seat. They have long been prominent residents of the Bray community, and the Hedley country is a heavy loser by the move. So many good families have left us for Clarendon within the past year and a half that we wonder when this thing is going to cease. Of course we are getting new families as fast as the old ones leave, but we would like also to retain the old ones. And, incidentally, The Informer wishes to point out that it would require but small effort on the part of our citizenship to make Hedley the most desirable place in this country to live in. Will the said small effort ever be put forth? That remains to be seen.—Hedley Informer.

The Store That's After The Cash

By Giving Lower Prices Than
Any Other Store.

Save the difference by trading at The Cash Store and you will soon see the Big Difference between Credit Store prices and our Cash price. Cash customers are what we want. Our price is for Cash Customers Only.

About 50 doz Mens' Dress Shirts \$1.50, our price \$1.15
\$1.25 values at90
\$2.50 Overalls, heavy indigo, blue express stripes...\$1.75
Mens' Shoes, Lace or Button, all leather, all sizes...\$3.50
2 pair canvas gloves.....25c

Every man who purchased one of our Special Lot Mens' \$15.00 Suits knows that he certainly got his money's worth. Not one of these suits will ever be put back at the old price. We will close entire lot out at...\$15.00
Come see them, think of an all wool serge or worsted suit selling for.....\$15.00

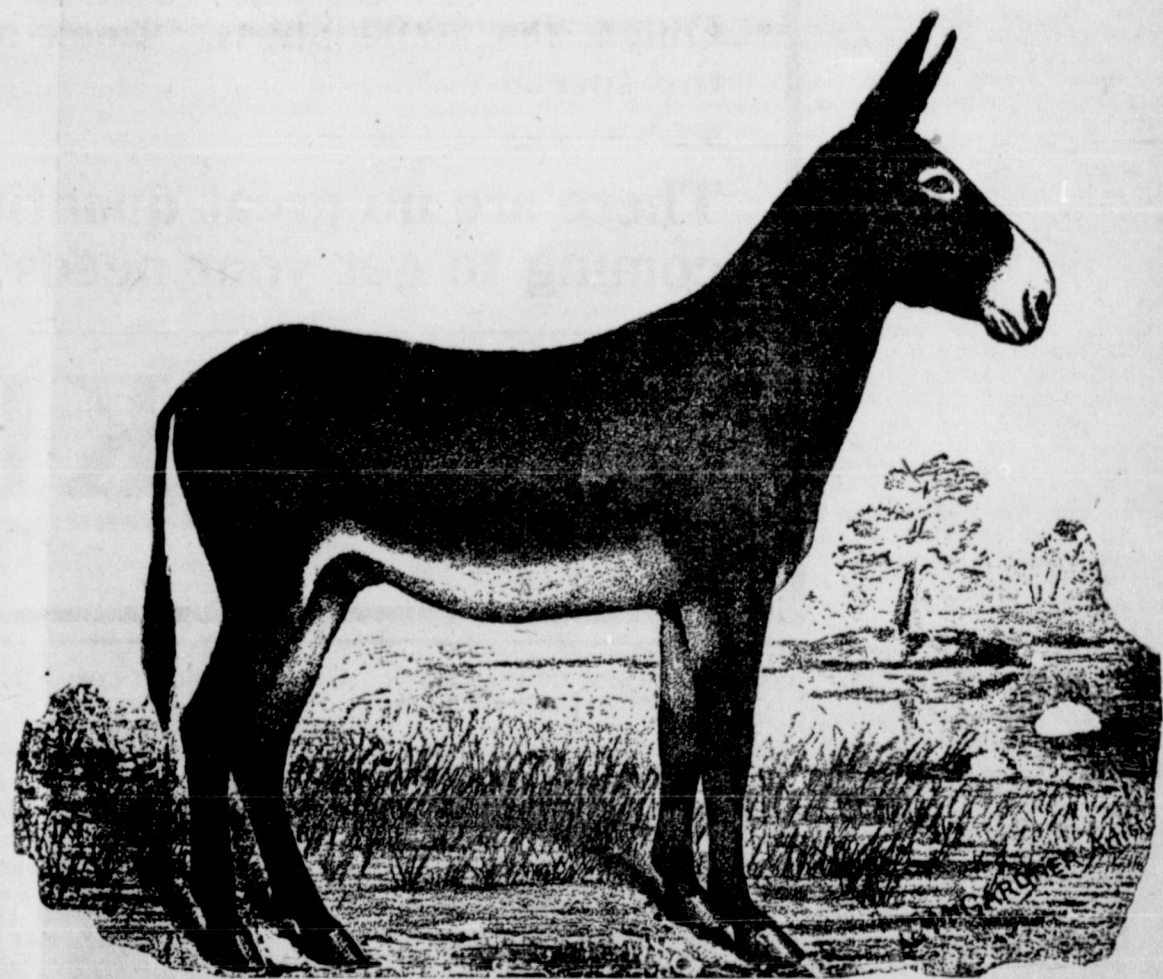
The newest Spring footwear expected early in next week. Ladies Colonial Pumps, Plain Pumps, Street Oxfords.

T.M. Little

The Store Where Most People Trade

Right Store, Right Price, Right Goods. The Store of
Better Values

FOR SALE!



7---Black Mammoth Jacks---7

—All Registered—

LOCATION: I am located with these splendid individuals at John Lott's barn in Clarendon, until April 10th.

I will sell these money-making Jacks at private sale from \$500 to \$1500, ranging in size from 14 to 16 1-4 hands high, standard measure, and from 700 to 1050 pounds.

These Jacks were premium winners at the Dallas State Fair, Shreveport State Fair and Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, defeating the Kentucky Jack Farm at Shreveport.

W. T. Wheeler
Clarendon, Texas

**INTERESTING LETTER
FROM GEORGE TAYLOR**

The News is happy to present below a very interesting letter from George Taylor, Co. H, 142 Inf., now at Villeres Vineaux, France, to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor of this city:

Villeres Vineaux, France
Feb. 8, 1919

My Dear Father and Mother:

I have just received a long letter from you, stating that you were well and progressing fine, and take a tip from a soldier who is over here in this foreign land, it sure is nice and very much appreciated by us to hear that our loved ones at home are all ok.

Lindsey has come back to the company and I was sure tickled when he arrived back with the organization, for I was sure a lonesome boy. You have not the slightest idea of how much a dear brother helps one out of his tribulations over here.

It was the first time I had seen him since the division went into action on October 8th, and when we came off the front and was toiling our weary way back to a rest camp, many, many nights while he was in the hospital have I prayed and wondered if my prayers would be answered, for the safety of him who was so unfortunate as to be wounded and sent to the hospital.

We were in the village of Conde-Gemcourt the night the armistice was signed. Every Frenchman in town was sure enough celebrating, while I would have given anything in the world to know whether my brother and your son, was living or not, for I could not hear from him. I wrote letters all over the state for him but no answer came. From Conde-Gemcourt we marched 18 days to our present location, and now he is with us and believe me I am sure proud of it, and I hope we are never separated again, for it is misery to be apart from him.

I am going to tell you of my leave of absence I have had and have just returned from it.

We loaded on a train at Toanere and from there we went to Marseilles and up to Nice and landed there at five o'clock in the morning. We were immediately shown to our hotel and I went up there and cleaned up, put on my new uniform and by then it was breakfast time. I went down and ate a hearty repast, as I was a stranger to those parts I wanted to get an early start, so I went down and caught a tram car to tour the country down there. The first place the car stopped was Menthou and here I saw all of the fine gardens and famous parks of France. From there I went to Monte Carlo, here was the largest gambling house in the world, but a man in uniform could not take a chance in here, so I came out with as many francs as I entered with. From there I went to the Cafe-De-Paris, and when I entered, all of the butlers and hashers snapped up to attention and remained in that position till I left the building. Harry K. Thaw had his swell festival in this building, when he was touring this land.

Well from here I went in the aquarium of the Princes. He had the largest collection of deep-sea animals in history. He had them from a crawfish to a sea-lion. The one I noticed in particular was a whale. Well I believe the old saying now, for this one could swallow five men and never know it.

Next we stopped at "Monaco" for a lunch and after lunch I went over into Italy, and when I got to the custom house I wrote you several Italian cards. Then taking the cog-train I went up a mountain 9000 feet high. Sure was a funny feeling when we went thru the clouds and snow. Right on the top of this mountain, the Algerians had a fort and a large drill shed, but the air was too cool up there for me so I did not tarry long, but took the cog-train and started down, if a cog had broken, I would have been in Germany in ten minutes. But when I reached the bottom and unloaded from the car I gave a long sigh of relief. From here I took a taxicab back to Nice over the varnish road, oh! it was a swell road, shined like money. Well I arrived at the hotel at six-thirty, and ate a good supper and decided that the best thing I could do was to go to bed for I was certainly fatigued, so this was the end of a perfect day. Well, I spent sixteen of them there but there is not enough paper in France for me to tell you of them all, so I will wait and tell you when I return to the good old U. S. A.

Hoping to hear from you soon,
Your obedient boy,
Sgt. George W. Taylor.
P. S. Tell everybody hello for me and especially the mothers.

**POSTAGE TWO CENTS
AGAIN AFTER JUNE**

Letters may be mailed for only 2 cents after the end of the fiscal year which is June 30, with the government. Acting Postmaster Ernest Spencer received a bulletin from Washington announcing that, effective July 1, postage on letters and post cards will be reduced to two cents and one cent respectively.

The letter rate was increased to three cents as a war measure, something over a year ago and the post card rate was increased at the same time.

The "Victory" stamps are only in the three cent denomination and are just the same as other three-cent stamps, so far as use is concerned. They are almost square and have the picture of a crowned woman holding the flags of the allies.

So many times trouble you, let me send you a pair of my gold-toned jewelry guaranteed.
GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

ONE WEEK OF SPECIALS

A Thrifty Housekeeper watches all our "Specials," because in nearly all cases she will find among them some items that she needs, and on which she can save money by buying when they are offered as "Specials." It takes dimes to make dollars—take care of the dimes.

THE time of year is here when the thrifty housekeeper "takes stock" of her supply of bed linens, spring dresses, aprons, etc., and considers restocking. Maybe you hadn't thought of that, so, to remind you, we are going to make it worth your while to attend to it NOW. Look through the "specials" below and note the many opportunities to save a dime here, or a dollar there and then--hasten to our store for your needs. Delay may mean that you will be disappointed.

Begins Next Saturday, Includes Saturday Week

—Sheeting

In unbleached sheetings, we are offering a magnificent 40 inch Sea Island cloth which we would like you to compare with any you have seen at price. A big value—30 cent quality at

---Per Yard 22c

—Ginghams

We are not loaded on gingham by any means, but we have one lot to offer you—good assortment of patterns and colors—not much of any one kind, a quality we have sold at 25c at the very low price of

---Per Yard 15c

—Domestics

Bleached, for sheets and pillow cases and the many other uses to which it can be put—for this special, we are offering a yard wide cloth, with a beautiful linen finish, a 35 cent quality, at the low price of

---Per Yard 29c

—Percales

In this much used fabric, we have three money-saving opportunities to offer you:

One small lot—good dress styles, formerly sold at 20 cents the yard

—now----- 12½c

Our regular 25c quality going in this sale

—per yard----- 20c

Our very best Percales 30c and 35c qualities, many of them a full yard wide in this sale

—per yard----- 25c

—Shirtings

We have set aside as a Shirting "Special" several pieces of solid and striped Cheviots for making work shirts, etc. These are regular 30c and 35c qualities, but for this sale they go at

---Per Yard 25c

—Bed Spreads

Don't you really need a new spread or two? Buy them now while you can make a substantial saving.

\$4.50 Scalloped spread

—for----- \$4.00

2.50 Hemmed spread

—for----- 2.15

4.50 Hemmed spread

—for----- 3.50

6.00 Scalloped spread

—for----- 5.25

We mustn't leave out the "man of the house," so we are offering him a Shirt Special out of our regular stock. Some sizes are broken, but come in and see if you can't "have a fit."

One lot of regular \$1.50 shirts at ----- **\$1.15**

One lot of \$2.00 Shirts at "Special" price of --- **\$1.45**

A lot of \$2.50 shirts—good values at only --- **\$1.60**

Only a few \$3.00 Shirts. Look at this special **\$1.75**

A broken lot of soft collared shirts that range in price from \$1.50 to **75c**

There are no great quantities of any of these bargains, so don't put off coming to get your needs too long. Sale starts Saturday, March 29th.

STRICKLAND-STORY'S

The Dependable Store

**BERTHA FARNER COMPANY
MAKES HIT ON LYCEUM**

(Held over from last week.)

The Bertha Farner Company, which appeared at the College on Wednesday evening, truly maintained the artistic prestige which they enjoy on the Lyceum platform, and which Clarendonites were lead to expect because of their flattering press notices. This was without doubt, one of the most meritorious performances heard on the College platform.

Each number was a distinct feature, but of course, the singing of Bertha Farner was the outstanding feature of the entire program. To state that she is an artist is to speak mildly, for she is the possessor of every quality that goes to make up that select few of the truly great singers. The best part of it all was found in the fact that Clarendon appreciated her to the fullest extent, and Miss Farner was not slow to observe this fact, for certainly she presented only those numbers which she gives in the larger cities.

It would be unfair to review the pleasurable event without making mention of the really remarkable accompaniments which were so concurrently played by Mr. Brown. Real accompanists are born, and not made. He evidently enjoys the distinction of having been both a natural accompanist, and one who has developed aptly by observation, study and experience. A great concert company was this. Come again.

A BLASPHEMOUS COMMENT

If anyone should wonder why there is a great deal of heart-burning over the country concerning the fact that promotion methods have caused hundreds of thousands of young men in the army to form the cigarette habit and because of the advertising methods by which this end has been achieved they might be somewhat enlightened by the following taken from the Northwestern Christian Advocate:

As an indication of the heartless methods employed by the promoters of cigarettes to push their product, we produce the following from Bishop Oldham. There can, therefore, be no doubt concerning the correctness thereof. The Bishop states that he recently saw on exhibition in South America a reproduction of Da Vinci's "The Last Supper," where the artist had with studied sacrilege painted a cigarette in the mouth of not only each of the disciples, but our Lord himself. The text at the bottom of the picture indicates Judas as saying to Peter: "Peter, if I had had this brand of cigarette, I never would have betrayed my Lord."

Mrs. Randall Whitneck and little daughter, Miss Katherine, of Amarillo are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis this week.

F. A. White came in Sunday night after a business trip to Tucuman, and Clovis, N. M.

DR. W. H. FRYE
Scientific Masseuse
Calls Answered Day and Night
Office: Farmers State Bank Bldg.
Phone No. 11.

DR. B. YOUNGER
Dentist
Clarendon, Texas.
Office in Front Room Up Stairs in the Connally Building.
Office Phone 245. Residence 233

F. A. BUNTIN
UNDERTAKER
Clarendon, Texas.

DR. M. B. McDANIEL
Veterinary Surgeon
Calls answered day or night
Office at John Lott's Livery Barn
Phone 264. Residence 270.

**Poultry, Eggs,
Produce.**

**Mattress renovator, new
Mattresses.**

**Whipple
Produce Co.**

Vote for the Special Road Tax

J. B. ANNIS Saddlery, Harness Etc.

Fine Stock Saddles Made to Order
Automobile Tops Recovered
Side Curtains Duplicated and repaired
Back Curtains put in while you wait

Century-Plainfield Tires

Guaranteed 6000 Miles

Tubes

Guaranteed 5000 Miles

—More Miles for Less Money—

Did You Attend Our Opening?

We were highly pleased by the constant stream of visitors who accepted our invitation to attend our opening last Tuesday.

Our Alta Vista Ice Cream Cannot Be Surpassed

If you haven't tried it—do so now, and your choice will be forever settled.

Our confectionery parlors offer the best service for entertainment.

Our cigars, cold drinks and candies will please and satisfy.

Pastime Confectionery

INTERESTING ITEMS ABOUT OURSELVES AND OUR CITY

Miss Leta Warren, Local Editor

Phone her your visits and visitors. No. 66 during business hours, No. 306 until 9 p. m. All items appreciated.

G. M. Richards is ill this week.
F. J. Mahaffay went to Clayton, New Mexico this morning, Thursday.
Mrs. W. T. Link is visiting relatives and friends at Throckmorton.
W. H. Cooke was visiting with his family last week.
Clarence Piercy of Estelline was in town Thursday on business.
Bob Harvey went to Amarillo Wednesday morning for a visit.
E. W. Miller went to Tulia Wednesday morning on business.
Mrs. Ralph Vinson is visiting her parents in Quanah this week.
Derwood McCool and C. L. Sloan of Memphis were in town Sunday.
Lewis Harris was an Amarillo visitor Saturday.
Clay D. Akers of Burkburnett was in Clarendon the past week on business.
Ed Carlson of the JA's was transacting business in Clarendon Wednesday.

W. W. Mount of Chico has been visiting his sister, Mrs. L. F. Lowery.
Mrs. B. F. Baldwin of Memphis is visiting with relatives here this week.
Mrs. Howard of Minneapolis, Minn. is visiting with Miss Evangeline Loeffler at the College this week.
Mrs. Henry Bellah left Monday morning for Clarendon where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Killough.—Childress Index.
Jim Cannon and family of Scurry, arrived this morning to make their home here. Mr. Cannon being with the Ozier Grocery.
J. T. Warren returned last week night from a business and pleasure trip to Brownwood, Fort Worth and Lipan.
Mrs. Dr. McDaniel is visiting with her father who is ill in Comanche. She will visit in Abilene enroute home.
Marvin Stanton, who has been training with the navy at Puget Sound, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stanton.
Misses Davida and Norma Morrow, teachers in the Wellington schools, and Burr Morrow of Wellington visited Mrs. L. F. Lowery and sons, Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. Mary Herzinger and nephew Joe Lloyd of Loveland, Colorado, are in Clarendon attending to business matters and visiting with J. D. Clappitt and family.
Mrs. John McLean and baby son of Hereford are visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McLean and family before going to Wichita Falls to visit a short while.
Misses Elsie Webb and Joe Smith, popular teachers of the Sunnyview school were in Clarendon Wednesday shopping. They stated their school had been temporarily closed because of the small pox.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Morton of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, were the pleasant guests of relatives Wednesday. Mrs. Morton was formerly Miss Grace Taylor who lived here prior to her marriage.
We are glad to inform her friends that Miss Grace Hodges, who recently went to Washington, D. C. has secured an excellent position with the government, commanding very good salary. She was with the firm of Hayter Bros. prior to going away. She is among few who could successfully enter such employment without taking an examination.

People of Clarendon

Stand behind your College

BUY-- a WESTER

You



simply can't make a mistake if you buy one of the beautiful models we are now displaying. Every one of them is stunning and they'll all sell quickly.

—Call at the earliest possible moment—

HARNED SISTERS

Mrs. C. W. Miller of San Diego, Calif., will be here tonight. She comes to make her home with E. W. Miller and family. Mrs. Miller went to Amarillo this morning to accompany her to Clarendon.

Nick Jordan, prominent business man of Plainview, made a business trip to Clarendon recently. While here he visited a short time with Joe M. Warren, whom he knew in Bell county twenty years ago.

Rev. J. W. Story, presiding elder of the Amarillo district, was in Clarendon Wednesday visiting his numerous friends and attending to business matters. We are always glad to have you Bro. Story, come down as often as you can, there is always a welcome awaiting you.

Mrs. C. A. Burton and her mother who has been visiting here left Monday for Oklahoma to visit their sister and daughter. Mrs. Burton will go to Memphis, Tenn., to attend a meeting of the Misiory Council of the Methodist church, which convenes April 2-9.

Those who are attending the Knights Templar meeting at Memphis tonight are Tom Connally, T. L. Benedict, J. E. Walker, S. H. Condron and J. H. Rutherford who are candidates. W. W. Massey, June Taylor, John Blocker, J. L. Bain, Joe Goldston and C. W. Bennett.

Frank Decker, of the Motor Transport Corps, Ft. Sam Houston, was a visitor in Hedley one day this week, coming down from Clarendon, where he is spending a short furlough with home folks and friends. Frank is one of the best and most popular boys who ever lived in Clarendon—or any other town—and we know he's bound to be a good soldier.—Hedley Informer.

Another noticeable improvement in our business district is that being made by T. S. Kemp, the progressive and energetic Delco man. He has moved from the Trent building to that formerly occupied by the Marquis Music Store and is sparing no means in making it a really attractive and neat place. New paper, shelving, windows are features receiving considerable attention. A splendid display of all electrical goods will be most striking.

Sergeant Harry Tombs son of Mrs. J. A. Tombs came in Tuesday night from San Antonio, where he has been some time with the 304th Motor Truck Transport Corps. Previous to going there he trained at Camp Mabry, Austin. Henry won rapid promotion and very capably performed his duties. He has certainly made an excellent soldier in every sense of the word. We are glad to see him looking so well and strong, and to know that he is once again home surely affords much joy to his mother and innumerable friends. A few days were spent in Wichita Falls enroute to Clarendon, as guest of his friends. He will resume his former place with the Clarendon Motor Co., at an early date.

STOCK JUDGING CONTEST AT HEDLEY SATURDAY

On Saturday, March 29, the members of the Donley County Agricultural Clubs will meet at the Wagon yard in Hedley for instruction and practice in stock judging. Both boys and girls will be expected to be present, and this is a call meeting for the following schools: Hedley, Lelia Lake, Windy Valley, Giles, Bray, Sunnyview and McKnight. Every member in these schools and anyone who intends to be a member this year is expected to be present as this will be the only opportunity to get this particular work. Parents are invited and are earnestly requested to see that the children have a way to attend the meeting—don't only bring your boy or girl but see if some of your neighbors children don't want to come with you.

RED CROSS CANTEN SERVES BREAKFAST TO SOLDIER BOYS

A. N. McCardle, chairman of the Canteen Committee of Donley County was notified last Friday afternoon that a number of soldier boys would stop here to be served breakfast, Saturday. He at once busied himself and with the assistance of several of the Red Cross members prepared a good menu.

The boys, about twenty-seven in number, were enroute to Fort D. A. Russell, Cheyenne, Wyoming, for discharges, coming from Camp Travis, Corporel Maescher of Denver, in charge of them was very genial and pleasant, and expressed the appreciation for the hospitality and courtesy extended them.

Most of them were with the 35th U. S. Infantry, while others were identified with the 84th Infantry. Some few had been wounded but were sufficiently recovered to be mustered out of the service. Quite a few had been doing border duty. Included were boys from Colorado, Montana, Wyoming and Utah. All were jolly and happy, apparently anticipating with much gladness the day when they would be released from army service.

ATTENTION

Beginning April 1st, 1919, we the undersigned banks will open our doors at nine o'clock a. m. and close at four o'clock p. m.
Donley County State Bank,
Farmers State Bank,
First National Bank.

JESSIE MOORE IS VISITING PARENTS

Jessie Moore reached Clarendon this morning from Fort Sam Houston to visit with his parents. He was wounded last July and has since been confined to a hospital. We will give a fuller account in next week's issue, of his actions.

More of the New Tailored Suits, Dresses and Capes Shown This Week.

With our garment buyer in the market we have been successful in having for this week an extraordinary collection of the newest and best fashions in Tailored Suits, Dresses, Gowns, Capes and Dolmans—examples of the latest style notes in attire for late spring and early summer.

Any woman clad in a Sitner garment has that wonderfully satisfying feeling of being smartly dressed.

The Late Arrivals in Suits

Whatever your particular taste may be in regard to the new Tailored Suit, the Blouse Suit, the Box Coat Suit with panel vest, the models with Tuxedo collar or the Semi-Fitted Suits featuring different lengths, it will have full sway in the matter of individual selection here Priced from \$22.50 to \$45.00

Newest Fashions in Dresses

Late Spring and early summer fashions in dresses are here in almost endless variety. Dresses for practical street wear, for smart afternoon use and social functions. The greater part of these most desirable garments added to our stock in the last ten days. Prices begin at \$18.50 and range up to \$52.50

Most Graceful Outgarments

Capes and Dolmans, the most graceful and attractive outer garments we've had in many seasons, are gaining in favor as each day passes. With the coming of new styles there is always an added enthusiasm, and the last few days we have placed many large express shipments in stock.

We invite you to see these late arrivals.

Other new arrivals for your inspection, waists of Cotton Voile, Crepe de Chine, Georgette, Silk Hose Embroidered, Black also Brown, Silk Underwear.

Sitner's Style Shop

—NEW ARRIVALS DAILY—

AN INVITATION

The membership of the Parent-Teachers Association is not limited to those who have children in the public schools but to every man and woman who is interested in the better education of the children and young people of our land, and we heartily invite and urge every such person in Clarendon and the surrounding vicinity to become a member of our association. We need help and co-operation; so come, be one with us, share and enjoy, not only our responsibilities but also our pleasures. Visitors are always welcome at every meeting and we extend a cordial invitation to every one who would like to visit us and hope that many will accept this invitation and then become regular members, if possible.
Mrs. J. T. Sims, Pres.

PASTIME CONFECTIONERY ENJOYS GREAT OPENING

Mr. H. Mulkey, the genial proprietor of the Pastime Theatre, who has just completed the Pastime Confectionery, observed Tuesday afternoon as opening for Clarendon's newest confectionery.

A large number called between the hours of two and five to enjoy the delicious drinks and Alta Vista Ice Cream, dispensed free to visitors. Cut flowers from the Clarendon Green House adorned the parlors, lending much attractiveness, and Mrs. Mulkey assisted in making the stream of visitors feel a genuine welcome.

There are nine booths for the serving of couples, each one accommodating four. These are fitted with electric lights and call bells in the most up-to-date style. The walls are

decorated with portraits of the most popular movie actors and the swinging electrical fixtures are of the most modern pattern.

Mr. Mulkey attributes much of the smart appearance of the place to the splendid work done by Mess. Ed Barnes, Eph Taylor and A. O. Bauer.

He proposes to cater especially to the ladies trade and to remove any possible offensive smoke has put in a large fan which will draw it quickly from the room.

BAPTIST ANNOUNCEMENT

Sunday the text on which Rev. J. A. Maples will preach is "The Church What it is not, what it is and its Mission." It is urged that every Baptist within five miles of Clarendon be present.

All Christians who are without a pastor are extended a welcome.

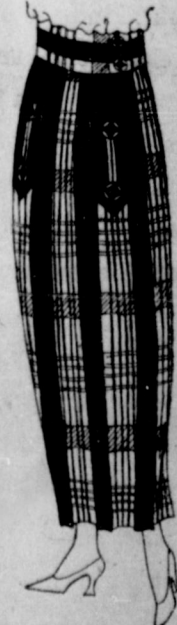
Stylefit Skirts

embrace correct

Styles
Materials
and
Workmanship

Once a Stylefit Skirt always Stylefit.

For sale by



Baldwin Bros.

The One Price Store

Poultry Raisers

If you have taken necessary precaution in selecting best of incubator and fertile eggs, isn't it just as essential to choose the best of Kerosene? Choose an oil that has gone through special process of refining, which has been deodorized, making it free from unpleasant odor, smoky lamps and irregular heat. If the best oil will be more pleasant while burning and give you 25 percent better hatch and cost No More Money than some ask for inferior oil, wouldn't it mean money in your pocket to choose Wichita Valley's Best? Our price today is only

15c Per Gallon by the Barrel

Baldwin Bros.

—THE ONE PRICE STORE—

BULLS FOR SALE

50 head of registered and full-blood Hereford Bulls, 1 and 2 year old. Good quality and big bone. 14p. A. J. Norton, Quanah, Tex.

FOR RENT—April 1st, good four room house, well located. J. H. Cooper, phone 409. 13p.

MONDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT

March 31



Clara Kimball Young

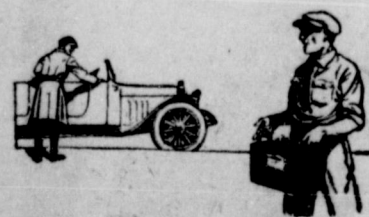
The Road Through The Dark

This is her most remarkable drama

10c and 20c

Pastime Theatre

Pet Up the Old Car—Like Humans, It Will Respond to Attention



The right battery means a new lease of life

YOU can't afford to throw away that car just because a sluggish battery won't let it deliver the good miles that are still in it.

Not this year.

The right battery—the Ever-ready Storage Battery—will prolong the satisfactory use of your old car—not only this year, but 'till you have secured the full mileage it was built to give.

Come in and read the Ever-ready Storage Battery Guarantee—a year and a half—and we've here to make good.

AUTO SERVICE STATION CLARENDON, TEXAS

LELIA LAKE LOCALS

Mr. T. J. Cothran left Saturday for Wichita Falls where he spent Sunday and Monday with home folks returning to Lelia Lake Tuesday morning.

Mrs. L. L. Cantelou of Clarendon, spent last week in Lelia Lake with relatives.

It looks awfully strange to see an Oil derrick setting on Lelia Lake soil. It will be still more strange when the drill arrives. It is due here Wednesday or Thursday.

H. M. Steblins of Enid, Oklahoma, came in Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. M. Cothran and little son left Sunday morning for their home at Wichita Falls after a two weeks stay in Lelia Lake.

The D. C. P. C. Band played on the streets of Lelia Lake Friday afternoon in behalf of the D. C. P. C. Each and every number was enjoyed to the fullest extent, and we hope the people will be as interested in the work they represented as they were in this good music.

N. L. Fryar of Mexico is back in Lelia Lake again. We are glad to have all our old neighbors back again.

We are glad to have Rev. Kercheville back on the streets again after his seige with pneumonia, though he does look a little pale.

H. D. Burris spent a few days at home this week.

We are glad to report Mrs. Roy Guffey improving after a bad case of flu.

School started Monday with a good attendance, all the teachers are back on the job and hope that the flu epidemic is about over.

Homer Ellis and T. J. Cothran were business visitors in Clarendon Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Jessie Cook spent the day in Clarendon Saturday.

Matt E. Nobles of Clarendon College spent a few days last week with homefolks in Windy Valley.

We are awful glad to hear the two small children of Mrs. McElwain are improving after being so seriously ill with the flu and pneumonia.

WINDY VALLEY WARBLES

A nice rain fell the first of the week.

Buster Conner and family visited his father Sunday.

Miss Nettie Phelan was a guest of Mrs. Obie Rich Thursday afternoon.

Miss Nora Ayer entertained Friday night in honor of her seventeenth birthday. The evening was spent in games, music and dancing. Among those present were Misses Inez and Este Hefner, Carrie Sue, Jewel Myers, Clara Sligar, Terra Garl and Nettie Phelan, Delpha Conner and Nora Ayer, Messrs. John Gollihough, Laymon Garland, Bunion Woods, Weaver Conner, Oscar Reeves, Lee Phelan, Leccil Bills, Gilbert Mains, Clarence Ayer, Earl Mendenhall, and Mr. and Mrs. Obie Rich, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vaughn, Elza Ayer and wife, S. J. Ayer and wife. All reported a dandy time.

There was no Sunday school Sunday on account of the rainy weather.

Elza Ayer and wife are guests in the S. J. Ayer home this week.

Among the Clarendon visitors Saturday were J. J. Bills and sons, Obie Rich, Bert Ayers and Clyde Atterberry.

Jake Conner and wife visited at Hedley Saturday night and Sunday.

Lee Phelan and John Gollihough were Hedley callers Saturday.

Prof. Reeves and wife were Clarendon visitors the first of the week. Blue Eyed Sue.

JOHN McLEAN NOW SOLE PROPRIETOR OF CORNER DRUG STORE

Announcement was made Thursday that John McLean, junior member of the firm of Stocking & McLean, proprietors of The Corner Drug Store, has purchased the interest of Roy E. Stocking in the business, and will hereafter conduct it as sole proprietor.—Hereford Brand.

FOR SALE—Second hand Ford, 5 passenger. Cheap. Call 163, Mrs. H. A. Walker. 13pd.

An unusually splendid display of Gage, Vatel Chateaux at the Vogue.

For sale, Jersey cow, fresh, also surrey good as new.

Mrs. Victor Smith, phone 249, 3r-13p.

PANHANDLE HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENTS

The annual meeting of the Panhandle Home Demonstration Agents was held at the West Texas State Normal College, Canyon, Texas, on March 19-22. Twelve counties in the Panhandle were represented:

Miss Florence Jackson, Wichita Falls.

Miss Onlie Wilcox, Vernon.

Mrs. Jinnie Cameron, McLean.

Miss Lucile Arnett, Wheeler.

Mrs. Ida Chitwood, Clarendon.

Miss Lou Harris, Amarillo.

Miss Millie Halsey, Lubbock.

Miss Josie York, Floydada.

Miss Sallie Nellery, Snyder.

Miss Ella Forrest, Dickens.

Miss Flora Harbert, Childress.

Besides these, Misses Loa Powell, Homa Welsey of Washington, Miss Lama Neil of Texas A. and M., Miss Dora Barnes, district agent of the Panhandle, were present.

The purpose of the meeting was to discover the home problems peculiar to West Texas. Many experts from over the country gave valuable lectures. Miss Lillian Hazel of the Texas A. and M. gave a lecture on canning.

Dr. L. Fener from Washington, lectured on vinegar making, brining and pickling vegetables.

Miss Ola Powell, editor of "Successful Canning" of Washington gave demonstration work in canning, jelly

Waist-Seam Models



They Have the Call This Spring

The war is over and every one unconsciously reflects the spirit of victory in his clothes.

Alive to this natural result of peace, we have been alert for the new peace models.

The waist-seam is the style.

We have it in all our popular makes. When you see the Styleplus, Collegian or Hart Schaffner and Marx label in a coat, you know you have all the value that your dollar can buy.

We sell clothes that are known to be leaders the nation over.

Also a big assortment of conservative models for older men.

The prices are as attractive as the clothes. Your new hat? Early summer styles now in

Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes

Collegian Clothes

Cluett Shirts

Stetson Hats

Interwoven Hosiery

Clapp Shoes

Hayter Bros.

Clothiers, Hatters and Haberdashers

making and preserving. Miss Hama Wolsey, U. S. Bread Expert, lectured on bread making. Miss Inez Anderson of Texas A. and M. gave some interesting exhibitions on cakery. L. W. Hillam of Amarillo spoke on "Gardening in West Texas". Miss Martha Bell of the West Texas State Normal College discussed appropriateness in dress. Miss Abbie Graham, Y. W. C. A. Secretary of the Canyon Normal, discussed games. Miss Millie Halsey of Lubbock lectured on rug making. Mrs. Dora Barnes discussed serving. Miss Onlie Wilcox, basketry, and Miss Inez Anderson, steam cookery. It is the purpose of these agents to bring their services to the home, to the people who cannot conveniently attend college. Their work is therefore of the utmost importance, and the meeting held here in Canyon Normal shows that the workers are anxious to do all they can to make the home life of the people of West Texas happier and more comfortable.

WE have received advanced shipments of Oxfords and Pumps in brown and black colors

Call and See Them

RATHJENS SHOE STORE

The Peoples Pharmacy

Is Our New Name

For good and sufficient reasons, we have changed the name of the **CLARENDON DRUG COMPANY** to **THE PEOPLES PHARMACY**

Call 139
For Absolute Drug Service.

The Peoples Pharmacy

—Successor to Clarendon Drug Co.—

More Building in 1919

There is certain to be lots of building in 1919. You must buy your lumber somewhere. Prove how much money you can save by trading with

Galbraith - Foxworth Lumber Co.

Lelia Lake

Clarendon

The Bon Ton Confectionery

Richard Wilkerson, Prop.

The place where you'll meet your friends.
Choice Cigars, Candies and Best fountain service.
YOUR TRADE SOLICITED

Paramount Pictures

FRIDAY, MARCH 28 EDDY POLO NIGHT
Eddy Polo in "THE LURE OF THE CIRCUS" No. 10 Also the Famous Sennett comedy 2 reels "WHO'S LITTLE WIFE" 10c and 20c

SATURDAY, MARCH 29 TRIANGLE AND FOX
Matinee: Alma Rubens in "FALSE AMBITION" 10c and 15c
Night: Fox Film, Tom Mix in "FAME AND FORTUNE" This is one of his best, also Mutt and Jeff 10c and 20c

MONDAY, MARCH 31 CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG
in one of her big features "THE ROAD THROUGH THE DARK" Clara does some real acting in this picture 10c and 20c

TUESDAY, APRIL 1 PAGEANT
Put on by 150 local talent actors. Benefit Boys Dormitory Fund. See Big ad elsewhere.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2 GOLDWYN
Mable Normand in "VENUS MODEL" A Bathing Suit Romance The story of a girl who found a fortune in a bathing suit. 10c and 15c

THURSDAY, APRIL 3 ARTCRAFT NIGHT
—WATCH FOR TITLE—
THREE BIG SPECIALS COMING "CLEOPATRA," "QUEEN OF THE SEA," "LES MISERABLES."

PIANO MUSIC BY MISS ZELL RYAN

Matinees—Mondays, Thursdays, Saturdays

We Show Nothing But The Best

Pastime Theatre

INTERESTING ITEMS ABOUT OURSELVES AND OUR CITY

Miss Leta Warren, Local Editor

Phone her your visits and visitors. No. 66 during business hours, No. 306 until 9 p. m. All items appreciated.

Jim Hilburn of Hedley was in town Friday on business.

S. T. Sayre came in Friday morning from Corpus Christi.

Miss Viola Dauer of Pampa was visiting in town Saturday.

Miss Susie Patterson was the week end guest of her parents.

J. T. Connor of Lelia Lake was trading in Clarendon Saturday.

Silas Hastings of Canyon was transacting business here recently.

Joe M. Warren left Friday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, on a business trip.

Luther Hastings of Briscoe County was in Clarendon Saturday on business.

A. V. Clark of Lelia Lake was transacting business in town the last of the week.

J. W. Watts has returned from a business trip to the oil fields at Wichita Falls.

Misses Allie and Iva Pracher of Goodnight were shopping in Clarendon Saturday.

T. C. Forrest of Waxahachie, a brother of Mrs. G. S. Patterson, is in Clarendon visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Mulkey Patterson of Kasota visited with G. S. Patterson and family Sunday.

Henry Tatum left Sunday night for Duncan, Oklahoma, to work with W. H. Kelley in a planing mill.

A. F. Waldron and daughters who live out on the Naylor route were shopping in Clarendon Saturday.

Frank Hastings and family of Bovina were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hastings the past week.

Sam King who has been assisting at the City Drug Store for the past two weeks, has returned to Groom.

Miss Alma Swift who aches in the Hedley schools, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Bartlett.

Miss Alma Ayers left Friday morning for Tucson, Arizona to attend the funeral of her brother's child.

Miss Mina Bourland leaves tomorrow for Duncan, Oklahoma, where she will keep books for a garage firm.

We are glad to see Miss Emma Mae Little back at the Little Dry Goods after a slight attack of small pox.

Sam W. Reeves and family were in town visiting this week from their home in the Windy Valley community.

Miss Montgomery has gone to Glen Rose, Texas, to visit her mother and a brother who has just returned from over seas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simms, son, Minor, and daughter, Miss Glenna went to Panhandle the latter part of the week to visit.

Dick Walker who has been confined the past ten days with the flu is now up. He spent the week end with friends in Goodnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pracher of Goodnight visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis Saturday and Sunday before moving to their new home in Colorado.

Edwin Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Patterson cabled the 19th that he was leaving for the States. He was with the 112th Engineers of the 19th division.

G. L. Green of Floydada has taken charge of the express company here. He has been with the Santa-Fe for some time, and the company transferred him here.

Dr. Powell and son of Miami have arrived and taken charge of the City Drug Store. We welcome them to Clarendon and wish them much prosperity in their new business.

Esteen Woody in a letter to his parents, written from a hospital in France states that he has a broken leg, however, does not say which it is. He believes he will soon be coming to the states.

G. T. Logsdon and family are moving to Cisco, where they will make their future home. Mr. Logsdon and son have already gone, and Mrs. Logsdon and daughter will leave the latter part of the week.

F. E. Chamberlain, J. L. McMurry and wife, Chas. McMurry and wife, John Blocker, J. W. Kent and wife returned Friday morning from Dallas, at which place they attended the Cattlemen's Convention.

M. T. Howard has returned from a visit to Graham and other points, where he visited relatives and looked over the oil fields in Young county. He says oil seems to be plentiful down there. In some places big dirt vats are being used to contain same.

Robt. Sawyer came in the first of the week for a month's visit with friends. He says his family is well. Mr. Sawyer said that he had heard the people of Donley county were getting rich on oil investments and he wanted to come down to see them acquire their fortunes.

Joe Romeo came in Saturday morning from Fort Bliss, where he has been training for several months, being with the 6th Cavalry Band. He has his honorable discharge, and will be connected with the Rathjen Shoe Store. His many friends are delighted to have him with them again.

Claude Humphreys of Chillicothe was in Clarendon Friday on business.

G. R. Boston and family of Hedley were up Saturday mingling with our merchants.

Grady Alexander who now lives on the North Plains was visiting his parents this week.

Sid Gillis is in Amarillo, having gone up to see his brother, Max, who had a relapse with the Influenza.

Mrs. E. A. Simpson and son, Sheldon, and daughter, Miss Sue Alice, came in Sunday night from Bowie, where they have been visiting with relatives for several months past.

Wesley Gordon was visiting his family from his ranch near Pampa this week. He states that his section of the country is very prosperous, and crop prospects unusually fine.

Mrs. Robt. Ward who has been visiting with relatives at Ft. Worth and Dallas stopped off for a visit with Mrs. J. D. Stocking and children, before going to her home in Gladstone, New Mexico.

Grady Herd, who has been overseas with the 142nd Infantry of the Thirty Sixth Division, G Company, has reached home with his honorable discharge. His parents reside in the Windy Valley community. He was wounded while in action, but is recovering nicely. Friends are glad to see him at home.

LET'S HAVE A GLASS OF BUTTERMILK

A few days ago the writer said to a friend, "let's have a glass of butter as readily as one would have been to have a glass of beer in the days that are gone forever."

As a palatable, refreshing and nerve soothing drink, nothing quite equals good, clean cold commercial buttermilk. If the above statement is true, why is not more buttermilk found at the soda fountains, and has-been bars, which now offer soda water and near beer to the tired visitor within their doors? The answer is simple. The sale of commercial buttermilk has not been pushed. This product has not been placed before the consumer, that he might obtain it at all times.

It is the opinion of the writer that good commercial buttermilk, put up in half pint bottles and placed on sale at all confectioneries and restaurants, at a nickle a bottle; could in a short time be made to rival Coco Cola as a favorite beverage.

The only drawback to wide use of this dairy product as a universal drink is the fact that it must be made locally and regularly, for it cannot be kept in good condition for a long period of time. Looked at from another angle this apparent drawback is a good thing because it will create a demand for the production of more milk for its manufacture. It stimulates the dairy industry, by furnishing a market for skim milk, which has always been considered more or less a by-product.

It is now the opportunity of the creameries and Ice Cream manufacturers to put this product of the dairy on the market, create a demand for it, then see that the demand is always met, with a product that is good, clean and wholesome.—J. Lynn Thomas, Dairy Manufacturing Specialist, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in this office for the week ending March 22, as follows:

- Baird, R. W.
- Brown, Mrs. Johnnie
- Duke, Mrs. Bettie
- Donahue, Pete
- Green, A. V.
- Gober, Perry
- Helton, J. H.
- Jones, Bill
- Lansford, John
- Miller, W. E.
- Murphy, F. M.
- Norton, Therece
- Stephens, D. D.
- Tobert, Mrs. Mary
- C. C. Powell, P. M.

Some well headed bundle kaffir for sale. Z. E. Doshier. 12p. Phone 313-3 rings.

There's no competition on insurance except in service, try mine. Geo. A. Ryan, Phone 454.

DAYS OF DIZZINESS

Come to Hundreds of Clarendon People

There are days of dizziness; Spells of headache, langour, back-ache;

Sometimes rheumatic pains; Often urinary disorders.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for kidney ills.

Endorsed by residents of this vicinity.

Mrs. W. T. Anderson, 207 N. Fillmore street, Amarillo, Texas, says: "Sometimes my back gets weak and lame and it starts aching and my kidneys act too frequently. I have dizzy spells and headaches also. At these times I get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they never fail to relieve me. I have never found another medicine that gave me so much relief and in such a short time."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Anderson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Groceries

Flour and Feed

These are our specialties. They are yours, too. We want to supply your home.

With our large stock of Groceries we are amply prepared to fill your Orders promptly, and our shelves hold as large a variety as the market can supply. Phone us your orders and we will give them careful attention. We make prompt deliveries. Your patronage solicited.

LET US BE YOUR GROCER

The Central Grocery Co.

Successors to Ferebee Grocery Co.

Phone 18

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

Whereas, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1919, petitions containing more than 200 names of qualified property tax paying voters in Donley County, Texas, were presented to the Commissioner's Court of said county at a regular term of said court, petitioning said court to call an election for the purpose of determining whether a special tax of 15 cents on the \$100.00 valuation of property in said county should be levied and collected, and the commissioner's court having ordered said election for each and every voting precinct in Donley county, Texas, to be held on the first Saturday in April, A. D. 1919, the same being the 5th day of April, A. D. 1919, NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. T. LINK, county judge of Donley County, Texas, do hereby notify all persons in said county that an election will be held in each of the voting places in

said county on the first Saturday in April, 1919, the same being the 5th day of April, 1919, for the purpose of determining whether the Commissioner's court of said county shall levy and collect a special road tax of 15 cents upon the \$100.00 of property valuation in said county, as provided in Chapter 11, Title 119 Revised Statutes of Texas.

It is further ordered that this notice be published in four consecutive issues of The Clarendon News, and the Hedley Informer.

Witness my hand officially this 17th day of February, A. D. 1919.

W. T. LINK,
County Judge,
Donley County, Texas.

(SEAL)
SCRAP IRON WANTED.—I will buy your scrap iron, brass, copper zinc, rubber, rags and tow sacks. Cash Produce Co.



HERMETICALLY
sealed in its wax-wrapped package, airtight, impurity proof—

WRIGLEY'S

is hygienic and wholesome. The goody that's good for young and old.

The Flavor Lasts

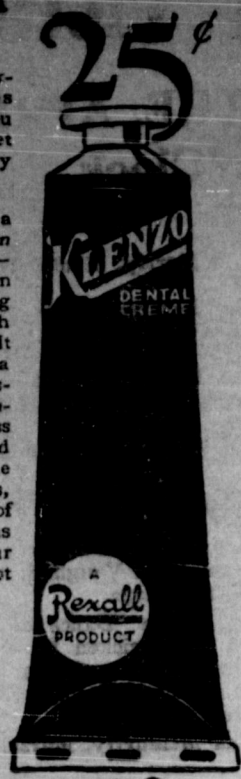
Be sure to get WRIGLEY'S Look for the name



Makes Your Breakfast Taste Better

YOUR breakfast tastes better after you use Klenzo. Get a tube to try today.

There is a new sensation awaiting you—the Cool, Clean Klenzo Feeling on your teeth and tongue. It isn't merely a taste. It's a testimony of cleanliness—cleanness that is imparted to the tiny, little taste nerves, freeing them of stale secretions that make your mouth feel hot and sticky.



KLENZO
DENTAL CREME

BRYAN & SON
The Rexall Store

HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady. Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.—Mrs. Dallas Prime, of this place, says: "After the birth of my last child, I got very much run-down and weakened, so much that I could hardly do anything at all. I was so awfully nervous that I could scarcely endure the least noise. My condition was getting worse all the time..."

I knew I must have some relief or I would soon be in the bed and in a serious condition for I felt so badly and was so nervous and weak I could hardly live. My husband asked Dr. about my taking Cardui. He said, "It's a good medicine, and good for that trouble," so he got me 5 bottles... After about the second bottle I felt greatly improved... before taking it my limbs and hands and arms would go to sleep. After taking it, however, this poor circulation disappeared. My strength came back to me and I was soon on the road to health. After the use of about 5 bottles, I could do all my house-work and attend to my six children besides."

You can feel safe in giving Cardui a thorough trial for your troubles. It contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs, but is composed of mild, vegetable, medicinal ingredients with no bad after-effects. Thousands of women have voluntarily written, telling of the good Cardui has done them. It should help you, too. Try it. E 74

Tan-No-More THE SKIN BEAUTIFIER

The most scientific and most wonderful facial preparation of the modern age. It imparts to the skin a velvety softness and delicacy of which is delightful in appearance, and pleasing in effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the Sun and Wind. In the evening its use assures a flawless complexion.

son. Tints: White and Flesh. All dealers, 25c, 50c and \$1.00, or sent post paid on receipt of price. Sample for the asking.

BAKER-WHEELER MANUFACTURING COMPANY DALLAS, TEXAS

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the first Tuesday in April, the same being the First day of April, 1919, for the election of a Mayor for the City of Clarendon for the ensuing year. By order of the Board of Commissioners this the 3rd. day of March 1919.

W. A. SoRelle, Mayor.

John McClellan of Pampa visited with his mother, Mrs. D. L. McClellan Friday returning from the Cattleman's Convention at Dallas.

\$100 Reward, \$100

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

Address: J. C. Hall & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

For Sale

FOR SALE—Fifty tons of silage. Will feed on the place. See F. P. Dunkle, Lelia Lake. 12tf

FOR SALE—Rhode Island eggs, \$1.50 for setting of 15. A. A. Walker, Clarendon, Texas. Phone 307-14p

FARM TO TRADE—For town property. Erwin and Bain. 48tf

For Rent

FOR RENT—Three partly furnished rooms, to parties without children. Apply Mrs. Bennett Kerbow.

Wanted

Lost

FOUND—At Stockings Drug Store, some money. Owner can claim same and pay for this ad.

BUSINESS LOCALS

COLORITE at Bryan & Son's. Garden seed and flower seed of all varieties at Stockings Drug Store.

Avicol will save the baby chicks. A guaranteed remedy sold at Stockings Drug Store.

See our line of watches. We have some very good grades. Get our prices. GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

We make a specialty of trading farms for town property and vice versa. Come to see us. Erwin and Bain. 49tf

ALADDIN DYE—At Bryan & Son's. Bring your watches, clocks and all kinds of repair work to Mr. Spiller at Stockings Drug Store.

Bring your hides to us for highest prices. Whipple Produce Company. COLORITE—14 Colors at Bryan & Son's.

Colorite the most satisfactory hat dye on the market at Stockings Drug Store.

ALADDIN DYE—17 Colors. Just wash the goods and ALADDIN DYE will do the rest. Bryan & Son.

Keep the sand out of your eyes with a pair of our goggles. GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

Use Rit soap and make your old clothes new, sold at Stockings Drug Store.

COLORITE colors old and new hats, satin, silk and canvas slippers, Bryan & Sons.

Cows called for and delivered to the Williams pasture for \$3.25 per month. See or phone.

C. A. Wright. 12c. Take your prescriptions to Mr. A. M. King at Stockings Drug Store.

For birthday presents, give Fountain Pens or Ever-Sharp pencils. See our line. GOLDSTON the Jeweler. Obie Rich gets the tickets.

See our line of diamonds. We have some good values. GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

See Mr. Spiller at Stockings Drug Store if your watch or clock needs attention.

Order your spring suit from McMillan & Johnson, O. K. Tailors. We are exclusive agents for M. Born and Lamm Company.

Get the Big Ben habit; be on time. We sell them. GOLDSTON the Jeweler.

Now is the time for spring house cleaning. Get rid of the germs. Fumigators, sulphur candles, insecticides, household ammonia, everything to make a thorough job of the spring house cleaning, sold at Stockings Drug Store.

MRS. EUGENE NOLAND HOSTESS TO NEEDLE CLUB

Mrs. Eugene Noland was the pleasant hostess to the ladies of the Needle Club last Thursday afternoon.

Most of the time was devoted to knitting for the Belgians. An ice course being served to Mesdames O. C. Watson, W. T. Hayter, Wm. McDonald, Dick Allen, Will Massey, Bob Younger, Lois McClellan, Jim Headrick, Roy Beverly, A. L. Chase, Misses Kittie Fleming, Savola Roberts, Mamie Harrington.

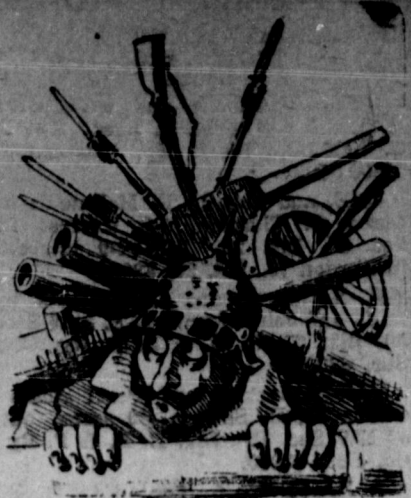
FARMER GOES MILE TO TELL OF RELIEF

Vinson lived on milk and eggs for months, takes Tanlac and gains 15 pounds. "I have come twenty-six miles to tell you what Tanlac has done for me," said Joe M. Vinson, a well known farmer of Love, Miss., while in Memphis recently.

"Three years ago," he continued, "my stomach got all out of order, I couldn't digest a thing and for eight months I lived on buttermilk and the white of eggs. I was too nervous to sleep well, gas on my stomach made me miserable, I had spells of dizziness, would almost faint and could hardly get my breath. I had splitting headaches and was so bilious that I would often vomit."

"Since taking Tanlac my health is as good as anybody's and I feel like a new man. I eat anything I want, sleep like a rock, all the misery and swelling has gone from my stomach, I have gained fifteen pounds and can do a hard day's work. I wouldn't be in the same fix I was before taking Tanlac for my farm and the stock thrown in."

Tanlac is sold in Clarendon by Stockings Drug Store; in Hadley by J. F. Tomlinson Drug Co.; and in Jericho by O. C. Brown.



THE KAISER CRUSHED

And Uncle Sam in making it possible assumed a debt that is great beyond the average comprehension. A debt that runs into many thousands of millions of dollars. A debt that was unavoidable, yet the taking over of which put a quick end to the war.

Uncle Sam prepared beyond all precedent for this year's fighting. A tank for every seventy-five feet of the firing line. Gas shells at the rate of ten thousand for every one Germany had produced. Airplanes in droves. Guns, by thousands. Munitions of all kinds upon a scale heretofore unheard of.

He had obligated himself in advance of the collection of the money to pay for all this.

AND ONCE THE GERMANS KNEW WHAT HE HAD IN STORE THEY QUIT COLD.

IT'S TO PAY THESE DEBTS THAT THE VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN IS TO BE OFFERED.

TO PAY THE PRICE OF THE UNSHED BLOOD OF 500,000 AMERICAN BOYS.

AFTER THE FIRE

When your neighbor yells "fire!" in the middle of the night you dash out of bed and without regard to your powers of endurance work to put out the blaze. You offer everything you have in the way of assistance while the flames eat their way through your neighbor's property. You act on a natural impulse to give all that is in you while the excitement is at its height.

But when the fire is out and there remain only smoking embers; when the crowd has gone, how many of those helpful neighbors will offer shelter, protection and the opportunity to get another home to the unfortunate family?

It doesn't take much of a patriot to offer help when the fire is raging, but it takes a pretty good sport to stand by and finish the job when the excitement is all over.

There will be little background of bloodshed, shot and shell, wounded soldiers and heroism in the appeal of the Victory Liberty Loan. That, like the fire, is over. It is now a question of finishing the job, paying the bills and putting things on even a better basis than when the alarm was sounded.

What kind of a neighbor are you?

Victory Loan Reasons

Every crippled American soldier will have a chance to fit himself for some line of work. When he leaves the hospital he can enter a school established by the Government for disabled soldiers.

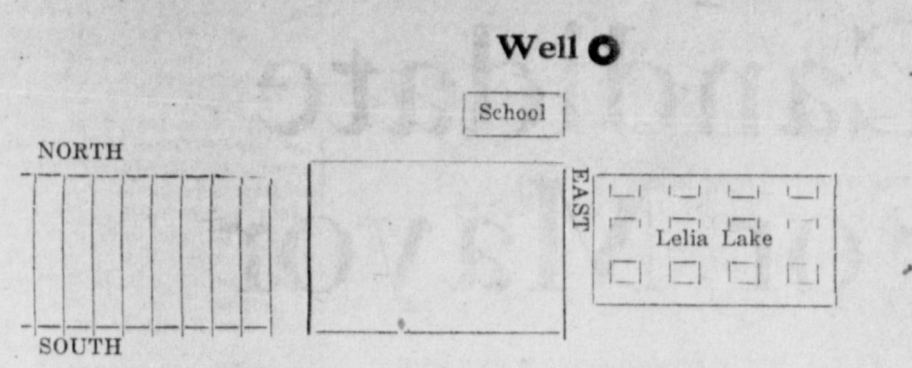
That's how Uncle Sam will show his gratitude to the men who fought for him.

Just another reason for the Victory Liberty Loan.

Why the Victory Loan is Necessary

The Government spent all of the Fourth Liberty Loan money about two months ago and has been borrowing from the banks ever since. This money must be paid back. That's why!

OIL LEASES-- Near The Well



The Lelia Lake Oil Association has located their well and drilling will commence at once. The oil leases shown above are within a mile and a quarter of the well to be drilled. Every indication shows the same oil strata extending right through this tract, which will make these tracts very valuable in a short time. Oil leases within one mile of this tract are selling from \$150 to \$200 per acre, and in great demand at that price. These tracts have been surveyed and a copy of the blue print placed on file at the County Clerk's office.

For a short time a part of this acreage is offered to the public at Forty Dollars (\$40.00) per acre and considering its ideal location is worth the money.

F. P. Dunkle

LELIA LAKE, TEXAS

Sentiments That Can Never Die

IN FLANDERS' FIELDS
By Col. John McRae
(Now himself asleep in Flanders' Fields)

In Flanders' Fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place, and in the sky
The larks still bravely singing fly
Scarce heard amidst the guns below.
We are the dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders' Fields.

Rest ye in peace, ye Flanders dead.
The fight that ye so bravely led
We've taken up. And we will keep
True faith with you who lie asleep
With each a cross to mark his bed,
And poppies blowing overhead,
Where once his own life blood ran red.
So let your rest be sweet and deep
In Flanders' fields.

Fear not that ye have died for naught,
The torch ye threw to us we caught,
Ten million hands will hold it high
And Freedom's light shall never die!
We've learned the lesson that ye taught
In Flanders' fields.

Civilization was saved by America's Brave Soldiers, who "Took up the Quarrel" of the Noble Dead and did not break faith with those who "sleep in Flanders' Fields."

We have pride in the fact that our own son was "one of the boys" who went" and some whose blood flowed in defense of Freedom for ALL People.

The Allied Armies were and ARE the Bulwark of Security for the World's Future Peace.

We feel that in the many strong old line Insurance Companies represented by this office for 30 years that we can offer to the public, security in Insurance Protection against loss by Fire, Hail, Tornado, Burglary and Livestock, commensurate with their every need. We invite investigation of the service we offer in our Office.

A. M. Beville & Sons

A Progressive Candidate For Mayor

The Citizens Association has nominated as candidate for Mayor of Clarendon in the election to be held Tuesday, April 1st,

O. C. Watson

His record as a safe business man of progressive character is well known to the voters of this city. We solicit your support in his behalf assuring you that his efforts will ever be to get the most out of the city's tax money in improvements, and to strive always for the building up of every civic interest in Clarendon.

Clarendon needs a Mayor to add luster to the deeds of those who have gone before. Vote for O. C. WATSON.

You will also have an opportunity to prove whether you stand for progress or not by casting your ballot for or against the paving of the business district of Clarendon.

The property owners on the street who pay two-thirds of the cost have already voted to pave by a large majority.

The City pays the other third of the cost.

The City Commission admits they must levy an additional tax of 20c whether the street is paved or not, in order to make some improvements in the water system and liquidate warrants already outstanding.

When you vote for paving, unless you are a Kearney street property owner, it doesn't cost you an additional penny.

You'll have to pay the 20c tax, paving or no paving.

The excessive rains and snow of the past ten months have proven over and over again our city's need for paving on Kearney street.

The contract is already let for the construction work and only requires your majority vote to start the job.

Let's make it unanimous.

It will be a unanimous vote of the progressives.

Don't be a mossback—vote for paving.

Citizens Association of Clarendon

REMEMBER---All voters may vote who pay any property tax--real estate or otherwise.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FROM MARCH 17 TO 22

Claud McAllister and wife, Octa R. McAllister to M. C. Reed. Lot 8, E. half 9, Block 59, Clarendon, \$3500.00

C. E. and Mrs. C. E. McDaniel to Claud O. Thaxton, 1-9 interest in Sec. 85, Blk. 20. Also 1-9 interest in Section 76, Blk. 20, \$890.

S. L. Morris and Ella Morris to A. L. and John Simmons, E. half Sec. 80, Blk. 67, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., Sur. \$9000.

R. G. Adamson and Pearl Adamson to W. D. Shelton, 80 acres out of NW Sec. 118, Blk. E. D. & P. Ry. Co. Sur. \$2200.

J. B. and C. A. Deaton to O. R. Culwel, 2 acres. L. Scarborough Sur. \$1585.65.

J. H. and Ella P. Roberts to T. R. Moreman and C. B. Battle, lot 5, blk. 1, Lelia Lake, \$450.

Belle L. Smith et al to Dallas Milner, lots 3 and 4, blk. 17, Nat Smith addition, Hedley, \$125.

Dallas Milner to Z. A. Moore, lots 3 and 4, blk. 17, Nat Smith addition to Hedley, \$150.

A. L. Miller and Sine Miller to Z. A. Moore, lots 3 and 4, blk. 17, Nat Smith addition to Hedley, \$250.

N. B. Cole and Della Cole to Wm. Lot, lots 8 and 9, blk. 81, Clarendon, \$75.

R. W. Seales and Allie Seales to J. L. Kennedy, lots 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, blk. 3, Hedley, \$5000.

J. F. Cooke and May Cook to Emma Sheffield, lot 2, blk. 8, Lelia Lake \$150.

C. L. Cook and Ella P. Cook to A. M. Bishop, 44 acres E half sec. 54, blk. C6, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Sur. \$4442.90.

Wade Willis and Birdie Intha Willis to J. C. Finley, lots 1 and 2, blk. 58, \$1600.

Sam D. Harle and Dora Harle to F. A. and O. H. Finch, sec. 34, blk. 20, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Sur. \$6400.

James Trent and Florence Trent to J. W. Martin, lots 7 and 8, blk. 64, Clarendon, \$1000.

Hamilton S. Moore and Hattie N. Moore to D. P. Perdue, SE 1-4 sec. 84, blk. C6, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., \$5600.

OIL LEASES FROM MARCH 17-22

F. P. Dunkle to L. K. Leathers, blk. 23, out of C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

T. L. Naylor and Lucy Naylor to Lelia Lake Oil Co., W. half sec. 24, blk. C7.

C. L. Cook and Ella P. Cook to J. F. Cook E. half sec. 62, blk. C6, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Sur.

C. L. Cook and E. P. Cook to D. M. Cook, 44 acres out of E. half sec. 62, blk. C6, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., Sur.

C. B. Burkholder and wife to Chas. Spencer, SE 1-4 sec. 120, blk. E, D. & P. Ry. Co. Sur.

C. L. Cook and Ella P. Cook to Lelia Lake Oil Co., 100 acres part of sec. 96, blk. 20, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Sur.

L. J. Spurlin to T. J. Cothran, E. half 44 acre tract sec. 62, blk. C6, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Sur.

Guy Taylor and Laura Taylor to Lelia Lake Oil Co. blks. 5 and 6, in Lelia Lake.

Martin & SoRelle to W. B. Weston SW sec. 2, C. D. Ferris, Sur.

J. T. Warren to M. P. White part 15 acres sec. 103, blk. C6, Hooper & Wade Sur.

T. T. St. Clair and wife to W. R. Tomlinson, sec. 42, blk. HD.

J. A. Warren to J. F. Parker blk. 1 and 5 out of C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

W. B. Morrison to J. F. Parker and D. L. Robinson, blk. 1 out of E part sec. 129, blk. E.

T. W. Hester to P. H. Longan, 20 acres out of E half of NE 1-4 sec. 111, blk. C6.

W. H. Green and wife to J. T. Warren SE 1-4 sec. 103, blk. C6.

J. T. Grimsley and wife to J. T. Warren, 80 acres out of E half NE 1-4 sec. 103, blk. C6.

C. L. Cook and wife to F. M. Barker, blk. 26 out of C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

C. L. Cook to J. A. Warren, blks. 1, 5, 44, 45 out of C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

J. W. McQueen and wife to F. M. Barker blk. 16 E half SE 1-4 sec. 40 blk. C6.

C. L. Cook to G. M. Allen, blk. 38 out of C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

Martin and SoRelle to E. L. Jenkins, lot 7 out of E. H. Kennedy's tract.

J. Frank Hardin to J. T. Warren 50 acres out of E side NW 1-4 sec. 111, blk. C6.

A. L. Bruce and wife to J. T. Warren, W half SE 1-4 sec. 16, blk. C6.

Duke Connally to Z. A. Moore blk. 5 out of 90 acre tract, sec. 80, blk. C6.

C. L. Cook to Emma Sheffield blk. 86 out of C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

F. P. Dunkle to E. L. Lewis, blk. 31 out of Dunkle tract.

C. L. Cook to E. L. Lewis, blk. 12, 13 and 22 out of C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

J. W. McQueen to F. P. Dunkle 10 acres out of SE 1-4 sec. 40, blk. C6.

W. B. Morrison to C. H. Riley, blks. 2 and 9, E part sec. 29, blk. E.

C. L. Cook to F. P. Dunkle, blks. 23, 24, 25, 34, 35 out of Cook 44 acre tract.

T. W. Hester to J. M. Erwin, 15 acres out E half NE 1-4, sec. 111, blk. C6.

C. L. Cook to E. L. Lewis, blks. 10 and 11 out of C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

J. O. Thompson to A. T. Cole and Odus Caraway, 100 acres of W end of sec. 60, blk. C6.

P. H. Longan to T. W. Hester, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 out of Longan tract.

W. R. Hardin to T. W. Hester blk. 4 out of 120 acres, sec. 6, blk. C9.

Claud McAllister and John Clark to T. W. Hester, 10 acres out sec.

Pageant of Victory

PASTIME THEATRE, APRIL 1, At Seven o'Clock

PART I. Living Pictures

1. "The Vision of Victory" Mrs. C. McMurtry, Manley Ozier and Duff Dean.
2. "The Greatest Mother" Mrs. John Beverly.
3. "You Will Help, Won't You?" Mrs. C. H. Lane and Mathew Lane.
4. "Doing Their Bit" Mrs. A. L. Chase, Rhodin and Manetta Chase.
5. "Exchange of Duty, Brings Unity." Mrs. Chas. McMurtry, Mrs. Jim McMurtry.

PART II. United for Liberty

The scene opens with unsuspecting Belgian children happily at play in the market square. Belgium, Miss Vaughan; the children, primary department of Clarendon College.

A storm approaches, ushering in the "Dance of Death," Faun Crane. The horrified children are stricken by the cruel scourge of war. They are attended by "Angels of Mercy," Fannie Grogan, Irene Baird, Irene Bell and Jewell Kerbow. Exit the "Dance of Death," nurses and children.

Enter, France (Joan of Arc) Mrs. Jim McMurtry, Marseillaise is sung

Enter Britain, Mammie Harrington; rule Britannia is sung.

Enter Italy, Ethel Enochs; Garibaldi Hymn is sung.

Enter Canada, Victoria Wallace; Maple Leaf is sung.

Enter Portugal, Evadne Hurn; Rumania, Ione Andrews; Montenegro, Thelma Riley; Greece, Olive Martin.

Enter Cuba, Claudine Turner; Panama, Ann Ligon; China, Janie Cousins; Siam, Mary Helen Bain.

Enter Serbia, Pauline Ozier, Serbian Hymn is sung.

Enter Japan, Bess Collins; San Marino, Mary L. Young; Liberia, Marjorie Turner; Brazil, Oressa Teague. Japanese Hymn is sung.

Enter Bolivia, Ottolee Raymond; Peru, Vera Porter; Uruguay, Florence Moreman; Nicaragua, Gladys Stone.

Enter Honduras, Ruth Norwood; Guatemala, Pearl Miller; Costa Rico, Alpha Kemp.

Enter Haiti, Luma Noble; Argentine Republic, Frances Wyatt

American children now enter, Miss Myrta Hauk, leader. They peacefully play and sing, protected by the Allies. At the conclusion of the children's act, a terrible storm, more terrific in its fury than the former one, approaches. The Allies cry out in unison: "America We Need You!" Dance of Death again enters, striving vainly to reach the American children, but the Allies prevent the monster from accomplishing her purpose.

A familiar bugle is heard in the distance, Dance of Death shudders, and as the American children retire, real American soldiers enter, singing "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here."

Columbia, Mrs. Chas. McMurtry, enters during the singing of "Star Spangled Banner." Dance of Death sinks slowly to floor, completely conquered by Columbia, who crushes her beneath her heel. Enter Angel of Peace, Mary Joe Chamberlain. Scene closes by all heartily joining in the singing of AMERICA.

The College children:

Jane Adams
Milton Davis
Frank Adams
Chester Williams
Sam Braswell
Mary Hazel Hurn
Geraldine Kelly
Lorraine Patrick
Edward Hamm
Glenna Sims
Winston Grogan
Retta Gordon
Ralph Shure

Edna Montgomery
Hazel Bourland
Kathleen Hall
Mary Lowery
Maurine Vinson
Johnnie Bee Vinsón
C. L. Benson
Latrice Benson
Warren Lott
Ethel Bugbee
Neil McKillop
Marjorie McKillop
Bill Rutherford

The Public school children:

Mildred Huckleberry
Cliffie D. MacDowell
Lucile Allen
Margaret Letts
Mildred Letts
Lucile Murphy
Mary Bugbee
Lela Mae Kerbow

Nettie Sims
Ada Benson
Thelma Parsons
Irene Meade
Thelma Weatherly
Lucy Antrobus
Grace Kendall

The Clarendon Quartet will sing the national airs. The College Orchestra and Donley County Progressive Club Band will assist.

Soldiers: Charles Dean, Mathew Lane, Charles Lowry, H. T. Burton, Will B. Swim, Joe Allen Ballard, William Clifford, Rodney Baldwin, Manley Ozier in command.

Parade Clowns: Kenneth Pope, Matt Noble, Chas. Ferguson.

All drawings for the pageant were done by Harold Bugbee.

Incidental music from Grieg.

The Orchestra under the direction of Evangeline Loeffler.

The D. C. P. C. Band under the direction of Charles Dean.

Assistant stage director, Myrta Hauk.

The living pictures directed by Mrs. C. W. Taylor.

The entire production directed by R. Deane Shure.

WATCH FOR THE BIG PARADE AT FOUR O'CLOCK. HEAR THE BAND GIVE AN OPEN AIR CONCERT BEFORE THE PAGEANT BEGINS. ADMISSION 50 CENTS, CHILDREN 25 CENTS. NO RESERVED SEATS. BENEFIT OF BOY'S DORMITORY. WE WHIPPED WILLIAM HOHENZOLLERN, HELP TO KEEP HIM SAWING WOOD BY SUBSCRIBING TO THE VICTORY LOAN, WHEN THE BIG DRIVE BEGINS.

86, blk. C6.

T. W. Hester to Claude McAllister and John Clark, 10 acres off NE end E half of NE 1-4 sec. 111, blk. C6.

T. W. Hester to W. R. Hardin, 5 acre tract E half NE 1-4 sec. 111, blk. C6.

W. B. Weston to Martin and SoRelle, SW 1-4 sec. 2, C. B. Ferris sur.

T. W. Hester to W. R. Hardin, 5 acres out E half NE 1-4, sec. 111, blk. C6.

A. V. Clark and wife to John

Clark, blks. 2, 3, 4, 5 out of sec. 64, blk. C6.

F. P. Dunkle to H. K. Leathers, blk. 24, C. L. Cook 44 acre tract.

Mrs. C. E. Mitchell of Kansas City, Mo., and son, H. W. Mitchell of West Point, Ky., are the pleasant guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. A. N. McCauley. Mr. Mitchell has only recently been discharged from an artillery regiment, ranking as Lieutenant. His record in this service is very excellent.

MOTHER--

Have You Had Baby Photographed?

This a duty that you owe to your child, and will bring sorrow to your heart if you put it off too late.

Bring the baby down and we will do the rest.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
PHONE 46

Bartlett's Art Studio

A NEW Grocery Store

New in name but doing business at the same old stand. We have bought the stock of Groceries of the Blanchard Grocery Company, and will not say that we will sell you Groceries for less but will at all times give you nice, fresh Groceries at a reasonable profit. We solicit your patronage.

Give Us A Trial Order.

Clarendon Grocery Co.

--The Store of Quality and Service--

Automobile Painting

PAINT THE OLD CAR
If you want to trade it—it will trade better. If you want to sell it—it will sell better. If you want to keep it—it will look better. See
H. Tyree or John Clark
or Phone 176. Shop three doors South of Auto Service Station.

POSTED

The Robt. Sawyer and E. W. Bromley pastures controlled by us are posted. Hunters and trespassers will be vigorously prosecuted. **McMURTRY BROS.**

The Vogue is featuring hats of exquisite beauty which they invite the trade to inspect.

DELCO-LIGHT

The complete Electric Light and Power Plant

Makes farm workers cheerful, contented and more efficient.



T. S. KEMP
Clarendon, Texas

EGGS

My Barred Rocks are better than ever. I can fill orders for a few more settings at \$2.50 per setting of 15 or \$1.00 per setting incubator lots. See L. H. Skelton at Ozier's. 15p.

COLORITE—All the new colors at Bryan & Son's.

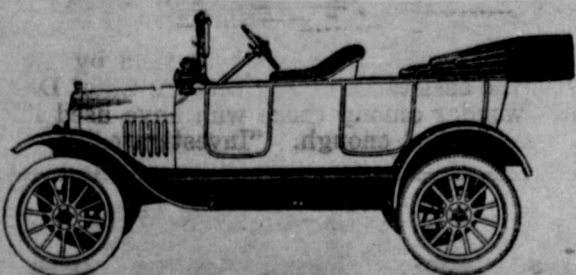


Notice!

We have three Touring Cars ready for immediate delivery. See us at once if you are interested in a new "Ford Car."

Service

Remember that when you bring your Ford Car to us for mechanical attention that you get the genuine Ford Service, materials, experienced workmen and Ford factory prices. Your Ford is too useful, too valuable to take chances with poor mechanics, with equally poor quality materials. Bring it to us and save both time and money. We are authorized Ford dealers, trusted by the Ford Motor Company to look after the wants of Ford owners—That's the assurance we offer.



Clarendon Motor Co.

AUTHORIZED SALES AND SERVICE



JOHN W. BAKER

STATE TREASURER ADVISES INVESTING MONEY IN W.S.S.

Two big reasons why every person should invest in War Savings Stamps are given by John W. Baker, State Treasurer of Texas, who was County War Savings Chairman in the 1918 campaign. Here is what he says:

"Thrift is the foundation upon which success is built. Those who save succeed.

"The people who take advantage this year of the opportunity offered them in the Government Savings campaign to acquire the habit of saving sanely and spending wisely through the purchase of War Savings Stamps will be building for future prosperity and power. Thrift is power.

"Intelligent saving looks to future wise spending and is therefore, postponed enjoyment with interest.

"United States Government War Savings Stamps are the best and safest securities that money will buy. These Treasury Bonds pay four per cent interest, compounded every three months. They increase constantly in value and that constant increase is guaranteed by the Government.

"There are two big reasons why every person should save and invest in W. S. S. First, it is to every one's financial interest to become the owner of as many War Savings Stamps as he can acquire. Second, there are still 2,000,000 American soldiers in France, Germany and Russia. They have to be taken care of, and money invested in War Savings Stamps will enable the Government to take care of them and bring them back home to America when they have finished the job of making world-wide peace permanent.

"This is no time for people to lay aside their patriotism, but instead a time when all of us must exhibit a higher type of patriotism than ever before. Investing in War Savings Stamps is profitable patriotism."

WAR IS NOT OVER UNTIL BILLS PAID

American soldiers in Europe must be fed and brought home. Until that is done the war will not be over, declares Carter Glass, Secretary of the Treasury. Buying War Savings Stamps will help the Government in making its final settlement of war obligations.

"There are two million American soldiers in Europe," Secretary Glass points out, "and obligation is just as much on the Government today as when the guns were firing to see that they are maintained in comfort, to provide for their return home. It is just as important, and even more important, to impress upon the American people the necessity of cultivating the habit of thrift and saving."

"The war will not be over until the United States Government has honorably met every commitment made in order to win the war."

JULIUS HAD NOTHING ON CAESAR OF TEXAS

J. Caesar of Rome, Italy, who took everything in sight he wanted, is dead and has been for a long time, but Caesar, Texas, is just a little more alive than anything else on its section of the map.

The word "Caesar" seems to stand for action and they do things at Caesar, Texas. For one thing—they stand loyally behind their Government.

Like thousands of other cities and towns, Caesar was swept by the War Savings movement last year. Every citizen who could bought or agreed to buy War Savings Stamps. Postmaster W. J. Vaughn now reports that every pledge has been kept, that no applications have been made to cash War Savings Stamps and that the Caesarites are still backing up the Government with their money. Julius Caesar had "nothing on" Caesar of Texas.

A HOME FOR SUPER-ANNUATED EDITORS

Complying with the earnest pleading of many members of both the Texas Press Association and the Texas Editorial Association, to establish at an early date a permanent rendezvous at which to convene in, some place on the coast, the presidents respectively of the associations held a conference at Quanah this week in which to take the initiative looking to the raising of funds for the purchase jointly of property in the Coast country for such a project—a home for the super-annuated editors, and a place which all might meet.

An interlocking directorate will be named at the Texas Press Association which is to convene at San Antonio, June 12, 13 and 14, at that time the committee already appointed by the Texas Editorial Association will meet in conference to lay plans for the future. The men to confer at Quanah this week were Harry Koch, president of the Texas Press Association, and O. P. Gresham, of Temple, president of the Texas Editorial Association, the latter being composed of members of 30 years or longer service.

Col. Frank P. Holland, custodian of the funds for the Texas Editorial Association, has proffered his check for \$1,000 for the joint fund, while Thomas A. Edison has sent his check for a substantial amount, even the a non-resident, and not a newspaper man. Others have already signified their intention, in and out of the realm of both associations to aid the newspaper folks.—Quanah Tribune Chief.

ASHTOLA ITEMS

We had a good rain Sunday. Health is very good at present.

Mr. Scarborough made a trip to Clarendon Saturday.

Mr. Ed O'Neal made a trip to Clarendon Saturday.

On account of rain there was no Sunday school Sunday.

Mrs. Nicklaus visited Mrs. Berry one night the past week.

Mrs. Jones is in Clarendon the greater part of the week.

Cob Harris and Mrs. Harris motored to Clarendon Saturday.

C. D. Audry made a trip to John Majors one day the past week.

Frank O'Neal and Noel Harvey returned Sunday from Clarendon.

Miss Elota and Geo. Protsman visited their Grandma Sunday at Goodnight.

In last week's items we should of said that Mrs. Ed O'Neal was a member of the Christian church instead of the Methodist church.

The seventh grade ball team of Clarendon motored to Ashtola Friday and crossed bats with the Ashtola seventh grade team. It was an interesting game but the Ashtola boys waxed it on them 16 to 12.

On Saturday the real old married men made up a nine and played a nine selected from the single men. Mr. Blanton of Goodnight was captain and with his guidance and assistance, the old men won seven to five, but Sunday some of the married men were rather disabled.

Ashtola Scribe.

ELECTION ORDER

City of Clarendon State of Texas, March 17th, 1919.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Clarendon, State of Texas deems it advisable for the said City to adopt the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the revised statutes of 1911, governing street improvements.

Therefore, it is hereby ordered by the City Council of said City that an election be held on the First day of April, 1919, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

Shall the city of Clarendon State of Texas, adopt the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, governing street improvements.

Said election shall be held at Court House, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, W. P. Blake, G. J. Teel and G. M. Richards.

Said election shall be held and the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas, regulating General Elections and by the provisions of Article 1016 of the Revised Statutes of 1911, and only qualified voters, who are property tax payers of said city, shall be allowed to vote and all voters desiring to support the proposition shall have printed on their ballot the words:

"For the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, governing street improvements."

and those opposed shall have printed on their ballot the words:

"Against the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the revised statutes of 1911, governing street improvements."

A copy of this order signed by the Mayor of said city shall serve as a proper notice of said election and the Mayor is directed to cause notice of the election to be posted up at the place or places designated for holding said election.

W. A. SoRelle, Mayor, City of Clarendon.

LADIES AID OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH ENTERTAINED BY MRS. J. J. GREENWADE

Mrs. J. J. Greenwade delightfully entertained the Ladies Aid of the First Christian church last Wednesday afternoon.

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 1 Buggy Pole, regular price \$10.00, sale price **\$6.50**

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 2 sets single buggy harness reg. \$16.00, sale price **\$10.00**
 1 set single buggy harness reg. \$17.50, sale price **\$12.00**
 3 sets single buggy harness reg. \$22.50, sale price **\$15.00**
 1 set double buggy harness reg. \$20.00, sale price **\$12.50**
 1 set double buggy harness reg. \$25.00, sale price **\$17.50**
 2 sets double buggy harness reg. \$27.50, sale price **\$19.00**
 1 Buggy Pole, regular price \$10.00, sale price **\$6.50**
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 —Regular price \$135.00, Sale price
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 —Regular price \$550.00, Sale price
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 —Regular price \$30.00, Sale price
 1 John Deere, two row cultivator **\$75.00**
 —Regular price \$135.00, Sale price

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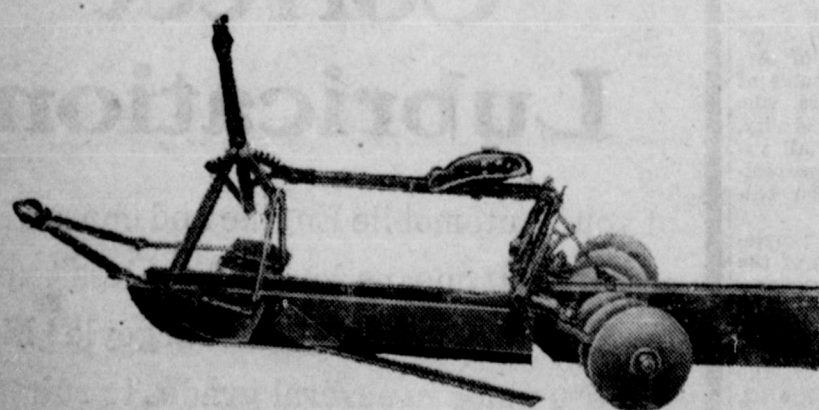
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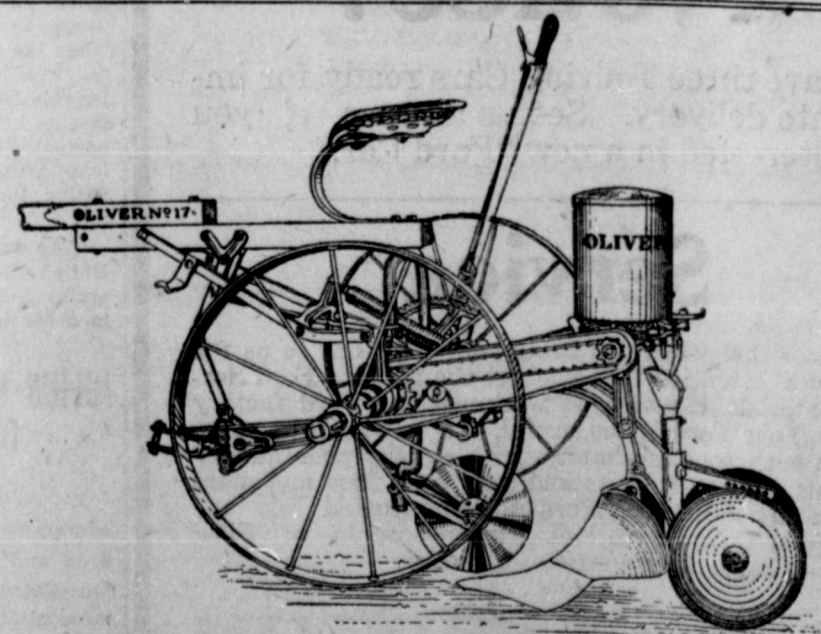
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