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STATE-WIDE CLEANUP WEEK IS BEING OBSERVED BY OUR LOCAL CITIZENS

CLARENDON CITIZENS WILL DO THEIR SHARE TOWARDS MAKING TEXAS A SAFER PLACE IN WHICH TO LIVE. ALL STREETS, ALLEYS AND PRIVATE PROPERTY WILL BE MADE SUBJECT OF INSPECTION BY STATE OFFICIAL.

In keeping with the governor's proclamation declaring this week a "cleanup" period all over the state, Clarendon citizens will do their share towards complying with the request. A state official is scheduled to be here the last of the week to see just how well we have lived up to our reputation of having the "prettiest town" in the Panhandle, a well deserved name given our little city because of the civic pride of our property owners in seeing that cleanliness is given due consideration.

The meeting held at the Pastime theatre Monday afternoon was the first gun fired in defense of the health of the inhabitants and was presided over by R. A. Long, Committees were arranged at this meeting and the amount to be offered as prizes with the conditions of same were agreed upon. These prizes will be paid by the Chamber of Commerce.

The clean-up area includes all the streets, alleys and yards within the corporate limits proper. The prizes offered applies to trash and rubbish collected within this area. Being a state-wide affair, the cleanup campaign will be observed in the country as well as the towns.

The amounts offered as prizes will be paid boys or girls having the largest piles and each prize will be paid for individual piles of rubbish regardless of the number taking part in the collection of same. Five prizes will be offered for the largest piles, and will range from five dollars to one dollar. The largest pile will draw down five dollars, the second four, the third three, the fourth two and the fifth one dollar. The piles will be judged next Monday by a competent committee to be appointed later. A prize of five dollars will also be given for the cleanest yard.

In the cleanup work, a committee man will have charge of each street centering at Kearney. Two men to the street, one on the east end and one on the west. Piles at this time are looming up in great shape and in locations not at all pleasing to some who do not care to let the public know that so much trash should be collected at their very door. Some of this trash has been "moved" from nearby localities and such objects may be readily understood during a cleanup period.

All trash collected on other than private property will be carted away to the dumping grounds by the city free of any charges. All trash collected on private property must be hauled off at the expense of the property owner at his request.

The local work will be under the direction of the city health officer and the county Red Cross nurse. Officials inspections only will be made to ascertain if all state law requirements have been complied with. It behooves every property owner to get busy if the work has not already been looked after. This is the best time to make the cleanest "swap" Clarendon has ever had.

REVIVAL WILL BEGIN SUNDAY AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Arrangements have been made for music and a choir more effectively organized for the revival that is to begin at the First Christian church Sunday morning under the leadership of the pastor, Rev. Sam J. White. A list of the subjects which will be used at both morning and evening services will be found in another column. Services under the direction of Dr. White have drawn hundreds in other places and a big attendance is expected here. The church at the regular Sunday services is often taxed to the limit. Being a plain man endowed with common sense and a plain manner of presentation, people of other denominations feel free to hear him and enjoy the gospel truths as explained by this gifted orator. Dr. White extends a cordial invitation to friend, neighbor and stranger alike to hear him in this revival.

BUTTER SPECIALIST INSPECTS CLARENDON COLLEGE WORK

J. Lynn Thoms, dairy specialist of the extension department of the A. & M. college was here Wednesday and paid a visit to the domestic science department of Clarendon college where he gave a demonstration in butter making. Mr. Thoms was agreeably surprised to note the excellent work being done here.

LARGE CROWD ENJOYS LECTURE OF "GOURDS AND BRAINS"

When the time arrived for the lecture at the Pastime theatre Monday night one of Clarendon's largest audiences had collected to hear the silver-tongued orator, author, and minister, Rev. Sam J. White at his best. As announced, "Gourds and Brains" was the subject of the evening. The speaker with an intermingling of wit, humor and pathos, held the rapt attention of his audience for more than an hour and a half. The gifted man made us glad, then sad, and in another moment fired our patriotism to the red-hot heat. Word pictures to convey deepest thoughts in the simplest manner at once appealed to his listeners. We laughed and cried almost at the same moment and when closing time came, we were loath to leave and wanted more to drink at the fountain of eternal mirth. No one could hear this lecture without leaving with a higher regard for his fellow mortals and a deeper sense of dependence on his Master. All the matter that concern the average individual was touched upon the great truths driven home in many ways. It was a great lecture because it will mean better citizenship. A larger hall will be necessary if this same speaker is announced again to lecture in Clarendon.

NEW IDEAS DISCUSSED AT TUESDAY'S LUNCHEON

The usual good attendance was in evidence at the Tuesday luncheon with a nice sprinkling of strangers—just enough to add spice to the work that was in hand for that particular day. Homer Muldrow, key holder of the program and presented musical numbers following the lunch. The problem of raising a bonus of twenty-five thousand dollars for the first oil well in Donley county was discussed and more workers added to the committee. R. F. Morris, chairman of the committee, stated that over four thousand had been secured without any effort. A drive will be made this week to complete the bonus. The drillers in order to receive this money, must bring in a well good for a hundred barrels each day on a thirty day test. Since this is a matter that concerns every property holder in the county, and a matter in which no one can lose, the amount should be subscribed at once. If the well is not brought in for the specified test within one year, the offer defaults.

The committee having the work on the Brice road in hand reported that the road was now complete and asked to be discharged. While discussing the road problems, it was learned that Donley could secure federal and state road funds up to three hundred thousand if the application was received at Austin before the first of May. The fact that contracts for road work in Potter county have been let this week amounting to a total of \$721,000, the largest road work contract ever let in the Panhandle, has had a tendency to stimulate the better road idea in Donley county.

The following menu was served by ladies of the Christian church: Chicken Pie, Meat Loaf, Deviled Eggs Garnished with Lettuce, Cheese-Macaroni, Pickles, Spinach, Turnips, Corn Muffins, Hot Rolls, Coffee, Apricot Shortcake, Whipped Cream, Cigars.

GREATEST MUSICAL EVENT WILL BE STAGED BY LOCAL LEGION

What is said to be the biggest thing ever attempted in Clarendon in the musical world, will be staged here the last of the month by the local legion post when they will present the Ladies' Columbia Symphony Orchestra, composed of twenty-five characters. Many towns larger than this have never had the opportunity of hearing a symphony orchestra. Every member a gifted musician—those who hear this wonderful musical event will be moved a little nearer the "Great Master" of symphonic harmony. The date will be announced definitely in our next issue.

SWEET POTATO POINTERS OF GREAT VALUE

BY E. A. MULLER, SWEET POTATO SPECIALIST, EXTENSION SERVICE, A. AND M. COLLEGE OF TEXAS—OF LOCAL INTEREST.

It is exceedingly necessary that sweet potatoes should be carefully selected and distributed against disease germs before being bedded. There are some serious diseases, especially black rot, which may be only scattered through infected slips, and unless the growers of slips observe the proper care the disease will become worse and prove a great menace to the sweet potato industry. In fact, black rot is already doing a great deal of damage because so many potatoes have not been properly selected and treated.

Black rot is carried from the seed bed to the field by infected slips grown from diseased potatoes; from the field it is carried to the sweet potato storage house, where it may spread and from there it is taken back to the seed bed unless the potatoes are selected and treated.

At the present time black rot is one of the greatest enemies of the sweet potato storage houses, and this could be almost entirely prevented if the seed potatoes were properly selected and treated.

For these reasons all growers of slips whether for home use or for commercial purposes, are strongly urged to use the following method in order to grow good healthy slips.

Before bedding, be sure to carefully select the seed potatoes and discard all that show any black spots or other signs of disease. Then dip all of the sound potatoes for ten minutes in a solution containing one ounce of bichloride of mercury (corrosive sublimate) to eight gallons of water. This solution will kill the disease germs on the surface of the potatoes, but cannot reach those which have already gone through the skin and hence it is very important to select the potatoes carefully before being dipped.

The dipping can be easily done in a shallow vat or in barrels or half barrels. Wooden vessels should be used as the bichloride of mercury is corrosive to metal. This solution is poisonous and should not be left where livestock or children can have access to it.

A handy way to do this dipping is to place the potatoes in bushel baskets and then immerse them in the solution for ten minutes. They are then ready to be placed directly in the seed bed, after the solution has drained off. While they are being bedded ammonia lye can be dipped.

This method is very simple and extremely important to keep down serious diseases.

When buying slips from commercial slip growers, a guarantee should be demanded that the potatoes from which the slips were grown were properly selected and treated against diseases as described above.

PYROTECHNICS DISPLAYED AT THE W. O. W. STATE CONVENTION

The under tone of discontent against the order of Woodmen that has been going for a number of the past year with a seeming increase of "fire" as time went on, found an excellent opportunity for eruption at Houston last week at the state convention. According to the statement of G. E. Castleberry, delegate from Gray county, the meeting was not any too harmonious to begin with due to a refusal on the part of "leaders" from Omaha objecting to seating one Sterling P. Clark of Ft. Worth and when, as Castleberry charges, a ballot box was "switched" in an alleged effort to re-elect the "leaders" again, the smoldering wrath of the volcanic patience of a common herd erupted. As a consequence, no election was held. Both ballot boxes, the real and the bogus, are in a vault at Houston and the "leaders" beat it back to Omaha or some other port while the faithful held another convention on democratic principles and will appeal to the courts to sustain their actions. Mr. Castleberry was not at all pleased to see dissension at all, but he, and hundreds of others, will doubtless be glad to learn that the "common herd" will take care of the situation from here out without any outside dictation.

The Circle convention, an auxiliary of the order, also broke up in a general row and disbanded without doing anything, according to Mr. Castleberry, who further stated that the women folks would do a little housecleaning themselves in the near future. "Let the people rule" is the new slogan.

NEWEST DEVICE MEETS EVERY EXPECTATION

LAST WORD IN MACHINIST'S ART IS INSTALLED THIS WEEK. WORK ALMOST HUMAN EXCEPT FOR THE "IRONHEADS."

As announced something over a month ago, the News has added a Miller feeder to its job equipment. We are proud of it—it is a labor savor and does the work of one expert with all the bone-heads left out. The printer might repeat errors, but the feeder throws off and rings a bell when an error is made. This machine will enable the job department to get out better work and give quick service at the same time. The machine was fitted on the 10x15 C&P jobber and will feed any job from onion skin to cardboard and that at any rate from one hundred to 2500 per hour.

This is only one more evidence of our faith in the improvement of business conditions for this year. The purchase of expensive machinery to take care of the business would have been a foolish did we not believe the best times are just ahead and that with the harvest of another crop, this little "spull" that is rapidly fading right now, will have been forgotten.

Any one interested in the better grade of machinery is invited to come in and inspect the work and watch the operations of the new Miller feeder. A man who understands the mechanism will be ready to answer your questions. It is the policy of the News to put out the best job work and the best newspaper to be had and no trouble or expense will be spared in accomplishing our desire in this regard.

MEDICOS HOLD SESSION HERE FRIDAY LAST

MEDICAL MEN AND WOMEN GATHER FROM FOUR COUNTIES TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS OF PROFESSION.

A four county medical convention was held here in the "Y" building Friday at which time much interest was shown by doctors and nurses of the association comprising the counties of Childress, Collingsworth, Donley and Hall. Dr. R. B. Wolford of Childress, president of the association presided over the body. Dr. D. D. Cross of Wellington is secretary of the association.

No set program had been arranged, those interested preferring to discuss all the problems of the profession thus affording a much wider field for discussion with many varied assessments of subjects. Many physicians were present, all of whom took an active interest in maintaining the proper amount of enthusiasm. Many of the subjects discussed would have interested the general public and those on sanitation and kindred subjects should interest far more than the profession.

The nurses present served punch and the trimmings, or as one physician described it, "frills-pharmaceutically speaking." There appeared to be no "diet" patients present at the lunch hour.

Among the number present an participating were: Drs. Cross, Pitman and Wolford of Childress; Dr. Vardy of Estelline; Drs. Odum, Bellew, Hyder and Wilson of Memphis; Drs. Killough and Vineyard of Amarillo. Drs. Jenkins and Wilder were noted among local medicos to take an active part in the discussion. Of the nurses present, Miss Pricett, Red Cross nurse of Hall county, Mrs. John F. Abbott, Mrs. McBride and Miss Cannon of Adair hospital and Miss Yenger, county Red Cross nurse of Donley county.

RENT HOUSE BURNS WITH ALL CONTENTS TUESDAY

A rent house on the O. C. Hill farm southwest of town was consumed by fire Tuesday forenoon. The building was occupied by the family of M. Matlock, who worked at the gin during the cotton season and had moved to the Hill farm a short time past. All the family effects were destroyed. Citizens in both town and country donated liberally to a fund to relieve the distressed family. The fire is supposed to have started from a defective flue as it gained headway in the roof before being discovered.

N. A. Hightower, wife and sisters, Mrs. Reed of Memphis and Miss Sallie, deputy county clerk. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Anderson of this city, motored to Amarillo Monday returning that night.

AMARILLO'S ROAD BOOSTERS STOP HERE WEDNESDAY

DELEGATION OF "GOODFELLOWS" OF AMARILLO PASS THROUGH TUESDAY, RETURNING WEDNESDAY ON TRIP OF INSPECTION.

A bunch of "goodfellows" of Amarillo arrived here Tuesday morning on an inspection tour of the Colorado-to-Gulf highway. A short stop was made here Tuesday and the journey continued on to Childress with a short stop at intervening towns. A delegation of local men headed by A. L. Chase, president of the highway, City Secretary Claude McAllister, George Ryan, Mayor O. C. Watson and others accompanied the Amarillo crowd on south returning to this point Wednesday in time for lunch. Arriving here about noon on the return journey, the visitors were taken in charge by a committee of twelve and escorted to the base-camp of the Christian church where they were the recipients of a first-class meal served by the Christian ladies. A business session was held after luncheon. A. L. Chase, of the highway, having charge. After a short talk by Mr. Chase, Frank R. Jamison, secretary of the Panhandle-Plains chamber of commerce of Amarillo, was called up to explain a number of things and detail the benefits to be derived from good roads. Mr. Jamison never disappoints and in his usual logical manner described the value of good roads as measured in dollars and cents and the pleasure to be derived from a real highway. The next speaker, Tony Chisard, president of the Amarillo-Panhandle automobile association, described the general good that would accrue to the people of the Panhandle from good road investments. Mr. Chisard also voiced the appreciation of the visitors for the many courtesies extended them in Clarendon and also expressed the appreciation of the people in adjoining counties that Donley was waking up to the better road idea.

Fred Story, president of the local chamber of spoke of the work contemplated in our county in the near future. Tom Connally spoke of the work in the past and the good results obtained and informed the visitors during the course of his remarks that the road building idea in Donley had now become crystallized and that the coming twelve months would see Donley coming to the front with her share of road building in the Panhandle.

Joe L. Pope of Amarillo illustrated the best methods of road building and the best methods of bond selling, etc. Mr. Pope also expressed his personal appreciation of the friendly spirit shown them by our local citizens and assured Clarendon people that Amarillo would be found ready and willing at all times to do her share of road building.

The delegation of Amarillo men left soon after the close of the meeting in even better humor, some of them being acquainted with the fact for the first time that the contracts for Potter county road building had been let that morning aggregation a total sum of over seven hundred thousand dollars. A jolly bunch of men who do things. Come again, gentlemen.

EDUCATIONAL MOVEMENT WILL BE DISCUSSED SUNDAY

Rev. G. S. Slover will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and evening and address a mass meeting that afternoon at the Pastime at 3 o'clock. At the morning hour he will discuss the Educational Movement in its general phases and is very desirous that all Methodists and other friends be present. He would like to have the whole citizenship of the community present in the afternoon at which time he will discuss the present status of the College and outline the plans for the future and has some data that everyone interested in the future of the College should hear. He thinks that Clarendon College has just entered on an era of great prosperity if properly supported and directed. There will be other speakers at this meeting and some good music. At the evening hour he will speak on some local problems and attempt to offer a solution to some of them.

EDITOR WAGGONER PUTS ON SOME AIRS

Comes now one Chief Nunn who states that he has sold unto one Tom Waggoner, chief ramrod of the sanctum of the Claude News, a jim-crackerin' super-limousine. Most editors and newspaper men are having a hard scratch getting by just now and feel lucky when the monthly bills are paid much less invest in a "palace on wheels." How do you get that way, Tom?

PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTINCTION LIST—SIXTH MONTH

TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF 712, WITH A DISTINCTION LIST OF 188. IMPROVEMENT NOTED WITH EACH SUCCEEDING MONTH.

The sixth month of our city schools closed Friday, March 4, 1921, with a total enrollment of 712 for the term and a distinction list of 188 for the month. This distinction list is made up as follows: 28 from the high school, 46 from the grammar grades in the high school building and 104 from Central Ward. There were forty visitors to the different schools this month.

Below are given the names of those pupils in the city public schools, together with their ages, who made grades of 85 or more for the month. Those averaging 90 or more are recorded with highest honors (Summa Cum Laude); those averaging 85 or more and less than 90 are recorded with high honors (Magna Cum Laude). The report for the sixth month follows:

Summa Cum Laude (90 to 100): Ruth Harred, 94-4; Ruby McVada, Waldron, 96-1-4; Ruby Lunders, 96; Thelma Parsons, 95-3-4; Berta Walker, 95-1-2; Gwendolyn Couch, 95-1-4; Opal Bullis, 95-1-5; Elvayne, 92-3-5; Hazel Bullis, 93-1-4; Alva Northcutt, 93-1-4; Bess Alexander, 92-3-4; Bernice Rowland, 92-3-5; Julia Dean, 92-1-2; Lester Schull, 92-1-2; Howard Crawford, 92-1-4; Everett Clark, 91-3-4; Bransford Bullis, 91-1-2; Ruth Rutherford, 91; Robert Tatum, 91; Ruth Irwin, 90-3-4.

Magna Cum Laude (85 to 90 minus): Mary Biederback, 89-4-5; Mittie Cole, 89-3-4; Wilfred Noble, 89-3-4; Wayne Guffin, 89-1-5; Clarice Fuller, 88-3-4; Martha Ratcliff, 88-3-5; Angeline Dubbs, 88-1-2; Cleo Cornelius, 88-1-4; Delta Kemp, 88; Elba Gibbons, 87-3-4; Carmen Whit, 87-1-2; Mildred Crane, 87-1-2; Leo Cornelius, 86-1-2; Ina Benson, 85-4-5; Pauline Rorex, 85-3-4; Ella Clark, 85-1-2; Lacy Bourland, 85; Lester Milholland, 85.

Summa Cum Lauda (90 to 100) 6th and 7th grade: Vada DeJarnet, 92-2-7; Mary Katherine Hendrick, 92-2-7; Mary Crawford, 95-1-7; Stanley Miller, 95-2-7; Billie Taylor, 95-1-7; Jack Merchant, 92-2-7; Marion Gatlin, 94-1-7; Whit Carhart, 94; Bess Weatherly, 93-1-7; Gladys Wright, 93; Thelma Weatherly, 92; Athlynn Taylor, 91-5-7; Nancy Cole, 91-5-7; Fannie Gussie Story, 91-4-7; Obie Crabtree, 91-2-7; Francis Parks, 91-2-7; Rhodin Chase, 91-1-7; Clovis Garner, 90-6-7; Lillian Murphy, 90-3-7; Dorothy Miller, 90-3-7; Joe Long, 90-2-7; Jewel Gibbs, 90-2-7; Robert White, 90; Lela May Kerbow, 90.

Magna Cum Lauda (85 to 90): Ruth McDonel, 89-6-7; Hazel Harris, 89-5-7; Manette Chase, 89; Essie Couch, 89; Christeen Chitwood, 89; Eva Lee Morrison, 89; Weldon Jolly, 89; Willie Frank Merrick, 89; Eula Garner, 87-5-7; Wade Youngblood, 87-4-7; Annie Dever, 87; Geraldine Kelly, 87-1-7; Cora Lee Richards, 87; Kelly Chamberlain, 87; Opal Frye, 86-5-7; Lotta Bourland, 86-4-7; Leta Verna Martin, 86; Mammie Youngblood, 86; Ada Benson, 85; Irene Meads, 85; Paul Schull, 85; Theodore Nicklans, 85.

Central Ward

Summa Cum Laude (90 to 100): Joyce Link, 97-4-5; Eunice Johnson, 97-4-5; Alfred Estlack, 97-3-7; Nora DeJarnet, 96-4-5; Viola Jones, 96-4-5; Mary Caraway, 96; Agnes Oakley, 95-2-5; Althea Jones, 95-2-5; Hallie Harred, 95-2-5; John Paul Pennington, 95-2-7; Virginia Wisdom, 95; Nina Swanson, 95; Edith Long, 95; Frank Adams, 94-4-5; Milton Landis, 94-2-3; Wilma Van Zandt, 94; Jewel Finley, 93-4-5; Albert Bourland, 93-5-7; Frances Cook, 93-1-7; Joe Noble, 93; J. A. Cook, 93; Edith Harred, 93; Billy Dillard, 93; Hoyt Jones, 92-2-3; Maud Crawford, 92-1-7; Gordon Jones, 92-3-7; Ira McMillan, 92-1-3; James Davis, 92; Henry Wilder, 92; Willie Mae Stewart, 92; Rose Ella Chambers, 91-5-7; Mildred Harris, 91-5-7; Phillip Couch, 91-4-7; Joe Bourland, 91-3-7; Robert Strickland, 91-1-5; Jerry Hayter, 91-1-6; Mary Lowe, 91; Harry Miller, 91; Lucile Parks, 91; Lois Alexander, 91; Della Barnes, 90-2-3; Verna Latson, 90-1-6; Hettie Finley, 90-1-6; Russelle Benedict, 90-1-7; Johnnie Fay Evans, 90; Phifer Estlack, 90; Eugene Estlack, 90; Lodi Green, 90; Ross Harwood Beville, 90.

Magna Cum Laude (85 to 90): Helen Rodgers, 89-4-5; Eleanor Gower, 89-4-5; Hazel Coleman, 89-4-7; Frances Cauthen, 89-4-7; Byers Irwin, 89-4-7; Gordon Thomas, 89-2-5; Charles Summers, 89-2-7; Jack Goldstein, 89-1-7; Mary Joe Chamberlain, 89; Paul Dubbs, 89; Lucile Carlee, 88-4-7; Lola May Miller, 88-2-3; Leo Oda Stubbs, 88-4-7; Ruby Carlisle, 88-1-2; Phil Reeves, 88-1-3; Onata Hayter, 88-1-5; Loyd Johnson, 88; Edna Crane, B. Clinly Phillips, 88; Wilma Patton

LOCAL FLORIST BRANCHES OUT IN PANHANDLE

FOUR YEARS MAKES MANY CHANGES IN VOLUME OF BUSINESS. LARGE HOT HOUSE SPACE ADDED AND ADVERTISING SENT OUT.

Had one visited the present spot occupied by the Clarendon Plant and Floral company four years ago, they would have found a small windmill over an ordinary well and some little barbed wire fencing. A visit to the plant today—after four years of hard work—would reveal wonders. The man who is responsible for Clarendon's floral industry, is F. A. Cooper, Mrs. Cooper and the daughter, Mrs. Cooper Boyd Meador, are equally entitled to honors for having helped in a large measure to put the job "across" and bring it up to the present standing in the commercial world.

The hothouse space consists of four large buildings. This does not include packing sheds, packing house and other buildings used in conducting the business. The general heating through the winter months is furnished by an underground boiler from which steam is conveyed through large pipes to the flower room spaces. It is necessary to keep the temperature up to a certain point all through the long winter nights and thermometers placed at advantageous points inform the keeper when it is time to increase the temperature. Water for irrigating the tender plants comes from a well and is spread over the bed with a spraying system.

Millions of plants of many vegetable varieties are grown and sold each season in addition to the regular floral trade. At the present time, orders are coming in from many different states as the plants of the Panhandle seem to be hardier and give better satisfaction than those grown in other sections farther east.

Flowers of every hue are grown and shipped as well as supplying the local demands. Shipments to towns down the Denver and even to Amarillo are of daily occurrence. The local florists are due in a great measure, much credit for having introduced flowers of innumerable variety in this section to beautify their homes and yards at much less expense than would have been the case had they been forced to blaze the way themselves. Hundreds of homes are adorned with beautiful pot flowers all the year round. The excellent class of citizenship of our little city is quick to grasp any opportunity to improve the appearance of Clarendon. This being the case the local florist has advised with homebuilders in the matter of the selection of plants and flowers thus enabling the "City Beautiful" to maintain her standing in the galaxy of Panhandle towns as the "prettiest town in the panhandle."

At the present time streets are being placed in condition and trees planted out. It is to be hoped that the country roads will be repaired in keeping with those of other sections that the country people may be encouraged to beautify the lanes in front of their premises as well as the yards of their homes thereby adding to their pleasures and the value of their holdings.

DEERING-RICHARDS

The many friends of a prominent couple of this city were very much surprised Monday last to learn of the marriage of Miss Annie Lou Richards and John J. Deering Sunday. Miss Richards has been teaching school at Martin this term and it was in that community that the courtship between the two sprang up. Not even the parents of the young lady were aware of her marriage until she arrived home Sunday night. The News joins with the many friends of this young couple in wishing them a long, happy wedded life.

88; Fleeta Reeves, 88; Ben Baldwin, 88; Geraldine Kretchem, 87-6-7; Sam Cauthen, 87-6-7; Harold Dubbs, 87-4-7; Lucile Allen, 87-3-7; Esther Morrison, 87-2-7; Lucile Allen, 87-3-7; Esther Morrison, 87-2-7; Ruby Watkins, 87; J. C. Phillips, 87; Ethel Crane, 87; Hallie Slaughter, 87; Shirley McElvoney, 87; Revelia Dubbs, 86-6-7; Virginia Davis, 86-4-5; Arthur Dever, 86-3-7; Tom Murphy, 86-1-3; Jesse Lowe, 86-1-7; Dee Garner, 86; Hugh Hale, 86; Glennie Haley, 86; Walton Myers, 86; Gilbert Johnson, 85-3-7; Ilogene Moss, 85-2-5; Elvise French, 85-1-3; Adeline Atteberry, 85-1-3; Sara Richards, 85-1-3; J. P. Rhodes, 85-1-3; Conly Baldwin, 85-1-5; Henry Brown, 85; Cecelia Atteberry, 85; Frank Barbee, 85 Coyson.

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INCREASED POPULATION DEMANDS MUCH LARGER SCHOOL BUILDING

Owing to a greatly increased population in the Jericho school district, the erection of a larger building is necessary. The present frame structure will hardly accommodate the present enrollment and is too small to afford a community gathering place—the life of any community. It is the plan of those in charge of the matter, to erect a brick building of two stories with plenty of available room to take care of any increased demands for several years to come. Jericho is a coming country—good land—productive and an energetic citizenship worthy of every modern community convenience.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY GETS "HUNCH" FOR NEWS

District Attorney Gordon B. McGuire hereafter will believe in "hunches." He tells us of the occasion when he was convinced, which was only about a week ago, or the evening after the news had spread over the State regarding the killing of J. Edgar Craft. Mr. McGuire was in Fort Worth and waiting for a train to take him to Dallas. He had seen the afternoon editions of the papers and when the news came around that evening he didn't care to purchase. While sitting there waiting for his train, he received his "hunch" for a newspaper, stating that all of a sudden he became over-anxious for a paper. He went to a news stand for the evening edition and the stand had sold out. He wanted a paper so badly that he took after a newsboy on the streets and purchased one, and upon opening it, there in big box-car letters, was headed the story of the killing at Lubbock, which proved to Judge McGuire that there is something to "hunches." Hereafter he promises to abide by them.—Avanlanche.

MRS. W. T. WROE FIRST WOMAN TO HOLD POSITION IN TEXAS CAPITOL

Austin, Texas, March 6.—To what extent Governor Pat M. Neff's plan of economical administration of state affairs will affect women employees at the state capitol is not known. Since women are employed in practically every department and bureau of the state, abolition of almost any of these will simultaneously abolish days at Baylor, Mrs. Wroe tells some position held by women. Despite the fact that the recent world war is responsible for so many women employees, nevertheless,

less, it is surprising to find women at the head of certain departments, such as the Educational Department and the Library, in view of the fact that less than two score years ago women were barred from holding governmental positions in Texas.

The story of how this barrier to women was removed is told by Mrs. W. T. Wroe, who was the first woman to hold a position in the Texas capitol. Tiring of the strenuous and lonely life of her farm near Independence, Washington county, she came to Austin to make her home shortly after the death of her husband, L. H. McNeely, who as captain of the Texas Rangers had lost his health in service on the Mexican border. In recognition of the long and faithful service which Captain McNeely had rendered the Texas government Judge A. W. Terrell, a and then a member of the Texas position for the deceased captain's senate, set to work to secure a widow.

On finding that women could not be admitted to government positions, Judge Terrell was instrumental in having a bill passed by the Texas Legislature providing for the admission of women to state offices. The act became effective in 1887. This was the first year of R. M. Hall's administration as Commissioner of the General Land Office, in which department Mrs. McNeely was appointed to a permanent position in August. She was assigned to transcript work, copying records for court purposes.

Prior to this time Miss Betty Brewster had assisted her father, who was chief clerk in the Bureau of Statistics, Agriculture and History, and held the office of chief clerk for a brief time after her father's death. The position was not permanent, however, for a successor to Mr. Brewster was appointed in due time.

Accordingly, Mrs. McNeely's entrance into the Land Office marked the beginning of a new era for Texas women. Holding a number of different positions in the Land Office, she served a term of 15 years, retiring at one time for a brief period of three years and finally at the time of her marriage to W. T. Wroe, an Austin business man.

"At first the men were very much opposed to my working in the Land Office," Mrs. Wroe said, "but I performed my duties with such credit to myself and such satisfaction to my superiors that I was soon cordially received."

Two interesting men working in the Land Office at the time of her entrance were C. M. Callaway, who recently completed a half century term of service there, and Sidney Porter, better known as O. Henry the famous short story writer.

At that time, according to Mrs. Wroe, O. Henry had not begun his literary works, but was a clever cartoonist and fellow-employee predicted a nation-wide reception of his cartoons. He was an intimate friend of Mr. Hall, the Commissioner of the Land Office, at whose ranch he had lived before coming into tales of ranch life. O. Henry's used to keep his companions laughing, Mrs. Wroe said, but did not mention to those in the office any intention of writing at that time.

Mrs. Wroe is a native daughter of Texas, having been born and reared at Independence, Washington county. Her father was killed in the War between States and her mother died shortly afterward. During the war, she was a student at Baylor University and women employees at the state capitol is not known. Since women are employed in practically every department and bureau of the state, abolition of almost any of these will simultaneously abolish days at Baylor, Mrs. Wroe tells some position held by women. Despite the fact that the recent world war is responsible for so many women employees, nevertheless,

other kindred in "the ranks" and oftentimes came the death message that another one was bereft of a dear kinsman who had made the supreme sacrifice.

Mrs. Wroe was formerly State Custodian of the Daughters of the Confederacy and is now an active worker in that organization and other charitable organizations in the state and in Austin.

WHAT'S THE TROUBLE IN TEXAS AGRICULTURE?

This is a question that is being asked by a great many sensible farmers and business men says C. M. Evns, Livestock and Dairy Specialist, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas. As nearly as the answer can be boiled down I think it is expressed in the statement—"There are almost 125,000 farms in Texas, without a cow, about the same number without a pig, more than 100,000 without a hen, and as many that have never raised a garden." These facts cause us to have but one day in the year. On account of that fact, we must pay the H. C. L. plus, the plus standing for "the enormous cost of credit."

The best thing that can be said in favor of diversification is that it increases its popularity thereby proving it to be a co-partner with "diversification" in Texas. Our thoughts naturally turn to the addition of the dairy cow, the pig, the hen, the orchard and garden. It is common knowledge that during every period of financial depression in Texas, the demand for milk cows has increased. There is now an exceptional demand for good dairy animals considering the average farmer's ability to finance. A recent correspondent indicates the condition of affairs in the following inquiry: "We are desiring a change in our farming affairs and re seeking information. We want the best information on dairying, also how and where to get the best class of milk cows. We prefer the pure breeds, want to grow our own feeds and give the cotton a rest. Let the bug have it, if we can use it. We have failed. We want literature giving a full line of instructions."

REVIVAL AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Below are given the subjects to be used during the meeting.
 March 20, 10:50 a. m. "Noah and Christ."
 March 20, 6:45 p. m. "Power."
 March 21, 6:45 p. m. "How Shall We Escape?"
 March 22, 6:45 p. m. "The Greatest Question."
 March 23, 6:45 p. m. "Higher Thoughts."
 March 24, 6:45 p. m. "Tomorrow."
 March 25, 6:45 p. m. "The Temple."
 March 26, 6:45 p. m. "The Ten Commandments."
 March 27, 10:50 a. m. "The Man of Galilee."
 March 27, 6:45 p. m. "The Coming Redeemer."
 This meeting will be conducted by Sam J. White, pastor, evangelist. The public is cordially invited to hear every sermon. The services will be short and pointed. Remember the meeting begins next Sunday morning.

PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS MUST BE RAISED AND OTHERS LOWERED SAYS WALLACE

Prices of farm products must come up and those of other articles come down if the nation is to be brought out of the present industrial depression promptly Secretary of Agriculture Wallace declared tonight in his first statement since taking office. The reduction of all prices to a pre-war level was declared by Wallace to be "morally wrong and economically impossible."

"If we could restore prices," he said, "back to the pre-war levels, which we cannot, it would be equivalent to just about doubling the huge war debt. We can pay off our debts much easier if we maintain a price level more nearly the level at which the debts were incurred."

"The excessively high prices which prevailed during the war cannot continue, but if we should try to bring about a level, say 70 percent above the pre-war level normal, everybody would be better off."

Wallace claimed that prices of other products have not been reduced nearly as much as those raised by the farmers, and asserted that the important thing to do is to re-establish the normal price relations between agricultural and manufactured products. Farmers constitute from 35 to 40 percent of the total population, Wallace pointed out, in emphasizing that unless producers are able to work out of the "valley of discouragement and financial stress," through which they now are passing, their distress would be communicated to all other elements.

"Anything," he said, "which seriously affects the buying power of the farmers will bring trouble to the people who made or deal in things the farmer buys." Wallace gave figures to show that the farmer now must pay from 50 to 150 per cent above the pre-war normal for everything he has to buy, but is being forced to sell his bumper crops at levels lower than the pre-war normal. The depression is shared alike, Wallace declared, by the cotton farmer of the South, the stock raiser of the West and the grain and corn producer in the Central West and in the West.

"I doubt," said Wallace, "whether

the people of the East realize what has happened to the farmers of the production sections. They point to the high value of our land, to the high prices at which farm products were selling prior to the heavy drop, to the large number of autos owned by farmers, to the apparent wealth and comfort on every side and they refuse to take seriously what the farmers say concerning their troubles."

UNIVERSITY WILL NOT BE MOVED SAY LEGISLATURE

It is expected that the Board of Regents of the University of Texas at its coming regular meeting on April 26 will take preliminary steps, in a tentative way at least, toward laying out the grounds for the expansion of the physical plant of that institution. With the addition of 135 acres to the campus of the University, the purchase of which has just been authorized by the Legislature, this state educational institution will have ample space for new buildings and athletic grounds, it is asserted. The final passage of the bill for the purchase of this additional land was in the nature of a compromise of the different pending measures having in view the providing of sufficient means for the future growth of the University. The original proposition of moving the University to the Brackenridge lands, bordering the Colorado River at Austin, was not looked upon with favor by a majority of the members of the Legislature. The Senate passed a bill providing for the purchase of 175 acres of land, situated east and adjoining the present campus. This bill carried an appropriation of \$1,500,000 for the purchase of the land. The House amended the Senate bill, cutting down the acreage to 100 acres and the appropriation to \$1,000,000. The bill went to the conference committee in this shape. The free conference committee increased the acreage to 135 acres and the appropriation for the purchase of the land was fixed at \$1,350,000. The report was adopted and the bill went to the Governor for approval.

DISCOVERING A MISTAKE

Some counties where officials felt that it was necessary, in the face of the grave business conditions, to economize by dispensing with the county agents, are now discovering that this was a serious mistake. Face to face with the necessity of diversifying without the exact knowledge of what crops to plant or how to go about planting them; with the absolute necessity of cutting the cost of production from one-half to two-thirds below that of last year not knowing just how to reduce this cost-cutting without reducing the yield; with the importance of selling every farm product at the highest possible price without a definitely organized co-operation selling association; with the desire to increase the livestock on the farm without a thorough knowledge of breeding, care, and feeding and of disease control; with the will to plant home orchards without the knowledge of spraying and pruning; with mortgages or notes falling due on land and equipment without knowing how to get extensions of credit, there has never been a time when a county agent has been so vitally necessary to farmers of any county in the South as during this year of uncertainty.

Much as they may desire to do so, county authorities can not economize by cutting off their county agent, for this is not economy. They save some few thousand dollars that go to pay the salary, but they rob the county of from ten thousand to several hundred thousand dollars of income which the county agent will bring into the county by his work. No good county agent should be regarded as an expense, but as a productive agency that brings in wealth to the county many times over his salary every year. It is all right to economize, but care should be taken not to economize by cutting off the source of supplies.—The Progressive Farmer.

F. Traywick left the first of the week to be gone for some time as an employe of a ranch near Silverton.

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The fascination of wireless is so extensive that Amarillo has fallen victim to the popular science of the day, and now boasts of communicating with amateurs within several hundred miles of the place. Several stations are under construction, and any-one wishing information or advice to the selection of equipment of a station, will receive same promptly by addressing, RADIO GISH, Amarillo.

SALARIES BEING BIG NEW REGIME

Austin, Feb. 25.—The salaries of the president of the College of Industrial Arts at Denton and of the heads of the six state normal colleges were reduced \$1,000 and \$500 per annum respectively by the House committee on appropriations, which completed the budgets of those institutions today.

The salary of the president of the C. I. A. was cut from \$5,500 a year to \$5,000 and the pay of the presidents of the state normal

colleges was reduced from \$4,500 to \$4,000 a year. This makes these salaries the same as paid last year, the increase to the present figure having only recently been made.

C. I. A. Dormitory Eliminated
 Chairman Satterwhite said the committee did not follow the recommendations of the Board of Control. The building program was followed except for the C. I. A., which was cut down \$150,000, including an item for dormitories. The East Texas Normal College budget was increased from \$125,000 as recommended by the board, to \$150,000.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Court House on the 5th day of April 1921 for the purpose of electing four Trustees for the Clarendon Independent School District to serve a term of two years. W. T. Clifford is appointed to preside over said election.

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She replied: "Dalhart, I can Hartley leave you. Take good care of yourself. Don't keep the dishes in Plainview for busy bodies always Seymour. You say that

you can bathe in Sweetwater, but I am afraid you won't Washita. Glazier eyes when other women you see. Give the kitten its milk, which you will Gageby the graduated cup. Put Cheyenne pepper in the salad, and don't forget too that the Durham calf must eat Farwell."

And then the linotype man yelled for copy, and the Record editor had to write Goodnight on this romance before he could de-Clar(it)don. We had intended for a hi-jacker to steal the jitney in Lubbock and sell it in Amarillo—Canadian Record.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Methodist ladies, the Christian ladies, Loyal Boosters and Mrs. Willie Nell Baldwin and others who kindly brought flowers to our bedside while a patient in Clarendon recently. These many deeds of kindness will serve to strengthen me for the ordeal which I must face this week at Rochester in a further effort to regain my health. My wife also joins with me in thanking each for these kindly remembrances.

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FARMERS REACH DEFINITE IDEA AT CONFERENCE

SECOND ANNUAL FARMER BANKER MEETING COMES FACE TO FACE WITH ACUTE SITUATION OF TODAY.

College Station, Texas—Though the Second Annual Farmer-Banker Conference held here on March 3 and 4 was not as well attended as the first meeting because of adverse farming conditions over the State, delegates expressed themselves as being impressed with acuteness of the agricultural situation in Texas and the fact at this conference the farmers came before the bankers not with only earnest enthusiasm but with a definite idea—co-operative marketing. The Texas Farm Bureau Federation which was represented by its officials and representative farmers of the State, presented its plans to the conference and particularly its cotton plan. The Agricultural Committee of the Texas Bankers Association passed on the cotton marketing plan with two amendments to the contract "more definite" and their report was adopted by the conference.

The Farm Bureau idea was turned by practically every speaker on the two days program for the principal reason that all talks were direct discussions of the "distressing times" for the farmers.

"The farmer is suffering more from financial distress than from overproduction," President W. B. Bizzell of A & M said in the opening talk.

"The typical American farmer is feeding three times as many persons as in 1880 and twice as many as in 1900, and machinery has not increased our efficiency that much. If we work together we can solve the problem, but if we fail it will be more than a generation before we can make another substantial start."

Following this, Chairman P. L. Downs, of Temple, declared that 75 per cent of Texas bankers are interested in farms and should cooperate with the farmer. He expressed his gratification at the presence of so many members of the Farm Bureau and declared that "of the many organizations, I believe the Farm Bureau is one that is capable of doing real constructive work and the bankers of Texas want to see it prosper."

He then introduced President J. T. Orr of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, who gave the assembled conference its first intimate view of the Farm Bureau Organization.

Mr. Orr declared that through co-operative marketing farmers will be able to live according to "twentieth century standards" and do it without increasing the cost to the consumer. He explained that to market their products to "the four corners of the earth" there must fall upon the banker the responsibility of devising ways of financing the farmers' operations. He went into the details of the farmer's problem and urged the co-operation of the banker and farmer. The audience displayed a very keen interest in his talk and requested him to repeat several passages of his talk for emphasis.

Eldred McKinnon, President of the Texas Bankers Association, said that the co-operative can be financed and that local and eastern banks as well will be willing to loan money and handle papers on cotton that is in the warehouse and insured. There was applause when he declared that "the new Texas Farm Bureau Co-operative Cotton Growers Association will solve the proposition almost in its entirety."

"We have taken the proposition section by section and I believe that it is sound and good. This is a time for service and sacrifice," Ed Hall, banking commissioner, said in speaking on closer co-operation between the banker and farmer. "The banker should study rural life for his own interest as well as for the farmers. Co-operation will materially reduce the number of landless and homeless, I believe."

Thursday afternoon, a stock show was given by the A. & M. students and during the demonstrations, several experts made talks, emphasizing the fact that the banker should know about agriculture and that there is little justice in the practice of lending the same amount of money on a scrub cow as on a purebred animal, which is often attributable to the banker's lack of knowledge and interest in agricultural matters.

Cotton Reduction
John Gorham of McLennan County presided Thursday night and introduced Col. Clarence Ousley, who responded with a typical cotton reduction speech, asserting that the present day cotton system has proven a failure for two generations. In slavery times cotton was adopted by Southern farmers because it was suitable for slave labor and since slavery, farmers have continued to raise cotton, probably because of habit, he said.

"I recently traveled overland to Dallas from Washington and in the 200 mile distance between Yorktown and Lexington, Va., every home I saw was of the sort that you would be content to live in. Not a stalk of cotton is grown there. For 200 miles across the cotton section the other side of Dallas, there were not two percent of the homes that you would live in." Col. Ousley said that the situation with the cotton farm-



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er is so precarious that if it is not improved there is danger of a re-occurrence of the North Dakota case. He showed that the surplus cotton must be absorbed and that unless a third of the acreage is cut off this year, prices will seek new low levels.

Co-Operative Principles
"To the farmer, the term co-operation recalls the long unbroken chain of failures in this country," Walton Petet, Director of Commodity Organizations of the Texas case they have all been along the Farm Bureau Federation said, "Be same principle. We have studied the California system where the number of small farmers and the agricultural prosperity of all has to go to California for our system increased and are not asmed tem."

He outlined the four principles of the Bureau's co-operative marketing plan as follows: Organization by commodity instead of locality, and a separate organization for each commodity; organization exclusively for producers; employment of experts to handle the business of the shippers, and merchandizing farm commodities.

"The Farm Bureau in Texas is not only attracting a large number of farmers but it is attracting a class that has heretofore held aloof. There is a great agrarian move on today and it cannot be stopped. The only question is the direction which it will take, and fortunately for Texas it is in wise hands and is now seeking the



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"Texas will not be a manufacturing State in your day and mine," Col. P. L. Downs said Friday morning, "and we shall be compelled to dig out of the soil everything that we eat and wear." Mr. Downs urged that the present day methods of deriving a living from the soil need changing. "In Texas there are 110,000 farms without a cow, 100,000 without a chicken, 127,000 that have never known the squeal of a porker, 316,000 that don't raise one bale of forage, 306,000 that don't produce a sweet potato, and 330,000 without even a garden."

"There is something wrong with Texas," George F. Oliver, who presided at the conference Friday morning declared. "Why have we scrubby cattle and shacks for our homes? Our land is the best in the world and will raise anything; we work and always produce more than we can market. The trouble is with our marketing system and by co-operation through the Farm Bureau we will create a marketing system that will help both the farmer and his fellow men."

The Farm Banker conference, before it closed, adopted resolutions indorsing the efforts of all agencies conducting and urging a reduction of cotton acreage and expressing a belief that the campaign should be waged to the end of making the reduction fully fifty percent.

The cotton contract was read and a discussion on it was led by Walton Petet at a Thursday night's conference and Friday morning the conference passed on a report of the Agricultural Committee which suggested the following two amendments:

1. That the Association will endeavor to sell the cotton gradually, as the spinning industry requires it, at the best possible price before another crop is produced, but in other cases prices are not satisfactory or production is better than consumption or there are abnormal trade conditions, will hold such part at a satisfactory price and urge the growers to reduce production the next year.
2. That the growers further agree that if the mortgagee desires he will execute in favor of the creditor an assignment of his interest in the cotton which he has sold or will sell to the association for the protection of the creditors and the association agrees to respect the assignment.

DELICIOUS BREADS MADE FROM SUBSTITUTE FLOURS

Wheat bread served three times a day is apt to grow tiresome if not varied by bread made from other cereals. The following recipes are recommended by the Home Economics Kitchen of the United States Department of Agriculture:

Brown Bread
3 cups corn meal.
1 cup flour.
3 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
2 cups water.
1 cup molasses.

Mix the dry ingredients and add the molasses and the water. Pour the mixture into a greased coffee can or steaming tin, steam it for 2 hours, and then bake in a moderate oven for 1-2 hour.

Nut Bread
3 cups flour.
3 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon salt.
1-2 cup sugar.
1 cup milk.
1 egg.

1 cup English walnut or pecan or hickory nut meats, cut into small pieces.
Sift together the flour, the baking powder, the salt, and the sugar, and add the milk, the egg, well beaten, and the nut meats. Place the mixture in a well buttered pan and let rise for 1 hour. Bake for 3-4 hour in a moderate oven.

Rolls Oats and Wheat Bread
1-1/4 cups liquid (milk, water, potato water, or a mixture of these.)
1-2 cup freshly mashed potato.
3-1/2 cups wheat flour.
1-4 cake yeast.
1 tablespoon sugar or corn sirup.
2 teaspoons salt.

1-3/8 cups ground rolled oats.
Make a sponge of all the ingredients except the rolled oats, and let it rise in a warm place until very light. Add the rolled oats, which have been ground fine in the food chopper and measured after grinding. Let the dough rise until it doubles in bulk, then knead and mold it into a loaf, brush with melted fat after it has been placed in a pan and allow it to double in bulk again. Bake in a hot oven for 1-1/4 hours.

NEW PUBLICATIONS

The following publications were issued by the United States Department of Agriculture during the week ending February 12, 1921:

Growing and Planting Hardwood Seedlings on the Farm, Farmers' Bulletin 1123.
Plans of Rural Community Buildings, Farmers' Bulletin 1173.
An Agricultural Almanac for 1921, Farmers' Bulletin 1202.
How Teachers May Use Farmers' Bulletin 1087.—"Beautifying the Farmstead." Department Circular 155.
How Teachers May Use Farmers' Bulletin 1148.—"Cowpeas: Culture and Varieties." Department Circular 157.
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ers' Bulletin 1121—"Factors That Make for Success in Farming in the South." Department Circular 159.
Cotton Culture in the San Joaquin Valley in California. Department Circular 164.

Copies of these publications may be obtained on application to the Division of Publication, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. In order to

aid the department in giving prompt attention make your request definite by specifying the distinct class and number of publication desired. For example: Farmers' Bulletin 1173; Department Bulletin No. 862; Department Circular 164.

UTILIZING HEAT FROM DWELLINGS IN HOTBEDS

Home garden owners who have hot-water heating plants in their dwellings may find it convenient to use this source of heat in a hotbed where plants can be grown in early spring, garden specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture say. In case this is done a pit should be dug and the walls built of concrete and a raised floor of boards placed in the pit to hold the soil. Heating pipes or radiators placed beneath this floor. An opening 1 inch wide

should be left around the floor next to the walls for the heat to pass upward into the bed. The tops of the walls are fitted with a frame work of lumber to support the sash. Owing to the scarcity of manure for heating hotbeds the pipe-heated bed is recommended wherever it can be connected direct to the house heating system.

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Mr. Crisp of Alameed was in town Saturday.

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We have rearranged our stock and fixtures and now have the cleanest, most sanitary grocery stock in the city, and our prices are as cheap as Business will justify. Come in and look over our stock and get prices.

Bennett Grocery

Telephone No. 4

Lovell's Tailor Shop

Cleaning, Pressing Repairing.

Dyeing

We dye your clothing and save the price of a new garment.

We call for and deliver. Phone 90 for quick service. Lane's tailor shop under new management.

Lovell's Tailor Shop



New Suits
New Coats
New Skirts
New Blouses
New Dresses

For Ladies and Misses

And Easter is upon us

We Invite Your Inspection

SITNER'S STYLE SHOP

installed the switchboard for the local exchange, left Thursday to install a similar plant for the people of Hominy, Oklahoma.

Giles Todd of Waco was a business visitor in our city the first of the week.

Capt. E. A. Simpson returned Saturday morning from a trip to Amarillo where he had legal business.

Bob Blair of Memphis was up the middle of the week visiting relatives and friends.

Harry Sitner was in Amarillo Tuesday on a small matter of business.

Dr. H. L. Wilder attended the medical convention in session in Amarillo the fore part of the week.

Attorney R. H. Beville was in Amarillo Tuesday on legal business.

Miss Grace Helen Tyree, who is a member of the high school faculty of Quanah, spent the week end with home folks in this city.

Paul Nunn and Pete Hunter of Goodnight were down Tuesday. Paul peddles Supers and states that business is picking up right along.

Claude King of Groom was over Tuesday to visit with his brothers of our city. The brothers are both pharmacists of this city.

Olin Walker has accepted a position in Amarillo with a storage battery concern going up Tuesday to get on the job.

Jess Pool, one of Hedley's leading citizens, was in town Wednesday on a matter of business.

R. V. Reager, prominent farmer of near Altus, Oklahoma, was here Monday looking for a farm investment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kent are attending the state cattlemen's convention in session at San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jeffries are guests of the cattlemen's convention which is being held at San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sims were called to Roswell Sunday due to the death of Mrs. Sims' mother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Goin of Hedley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cox the last of the week.

Stop right here and look at the expiration date on your paper. You may be dangerously near to dropping out and we don't want you to miss a single copy.

Milt Allen and W. K. Davis made a trip this week with Hugh Riley over to Twitty in Wheeler county to visit Hugh's brother, Henry Riley.

Since purchasing the Lane tailor shop, Ernest Lovell has added equipment for dying so that it will not be necessary to continue to send this grade of work out of town.

M. L. Putman, who used to make trades occasionally, was down from Goodnight Saturday complaining that trades were scarce in his part of the country, and that he would like mighty well to get back to our section once more.

The figures following your name show when your subscription expires. Get your renewal in early. Old Donley is making history these days and the News will keep you informed of all that is going on all the time.

G. W. Butler, who lives on the Pierce farm in the Jericho country, was in town early Monday morning and reports that farmers are busy planting barley and rye taking advantage of the excellent season at this time. The acreage planted to small grain is increased in that section by a hundred percent according to Mr. Butler, and all is due to the low cotton price.

J. C. Berry, architect of Amarillo, was in town Wednesday talking over plans for buildings that are to go up this summer, announcement of which will be made later.

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J. V. Greer of Galesburg, Illinois was an over night visitor in Clarendon Sunday night, leaving for the wheat belt early Monday morning with the intention of investing.

Mrs. H. R. Kerbow, who was taken to a sanitarium at Ft. Worth some four weeks ago and whose life was despaired of, is now convalescent and will return home soon.

Jack Butterfield, who probably knows many folks around over Donley county and who has a big bunch of friends along with it, was down Memphis way Tuesday on a matter of business.

B. E. Ray, who makes his home most of the time up on the plains of Donley county, came down the last of the week to spend a few days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Clark of this city.

The first figure on the label on your paper tells the month, the second the day of the month and the last the year in which your subscription expires. You could hardly ask us to mail you a statement after you had been notified 52 times during the year that your subscription would expire on a certain date, could you?

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stewart and the smaller children arrived home Sunday after a visit of a week or more in Cleburne and Alvarado, where they met many relatives and old time friends. Mr. Stewart states that rats are so numerous in Johnson county that rat traps are being kept set out in the fields and that rats are denned up in every clump of bushes, old cellar or any place they may find lodgment. "Rat killings" are staged by the people of the country almost

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
No. 331

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DONLEY,
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF DONLEY COUNTY—

Greeting:
You are hereby commanded that you publish this notice in a newspaper published in the County of Donley and State of Texas for one week prior to the return date hereof:

TO ALL WHOM THESE SUMMONS MAY COME:

You will take notice the Leonard C. Parker, Guardian of the Estate of Walter Henry Swain, a Minor, duly appointed by the County Court of Donley County, Texas, and qualified therein, has made application on the 10th day of March A. D. 1921, to Said Court for an order to execute an oil and gas lease on the following described lands belong to said Minor:

A one-third interest in The West 340 acres of Sec. 15, Abst. 146, Ctf. 3-516, and 235 acres out of Block B, Tarrant County lands, both tracts in Wichita County, Texas.

Applicant asks for an order of the court to allow him to execute leases for all of said lands or multiples of the whole, and attaches to his application a substantial copy of the form of lease to be made.

That said application will be heard on Friday March 18th, A. D. 1921, and any who desire to contest the same are commanded to be present and show cause why said application should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal of said court of Donley County, Texas, in the town of Clarendon, Texas, this 10th day of March A. D. 1921.

W. E. BRAY, Clerk County Court Donley County, Texas.

I certify this is a copy of the original which I have in my office.

J. H. RUTHERFORD, Sheriff Donley Co., Texas.

L. C. Parker, who keeps a look-out on about all that is going on in his line, had business in Electric Saturday.

Jack Montgomery, a member of the force of a Miami bank, was down Saturday to visit relatives, returning Sunday.

Misses Myrtle and Kessie Ardery of Claude spent the week end with friends here, returning home Sunday night.

E. M. Holman, association man of Amarillo, spent Wednesday in Clarendon on business in connection with the cattle raisers association.

C. B. Smith, Claude realty man of note, was in town Tuesday with a report that spring had come and that folks in general were going to work.

Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Jenkins were in Amarillo Tuesday, the doctor being in attendance on the medical convention being held there at the time.

S. M. Hale, who has been occupying the Drew home north of the tracks became the owner of the J. Cobb Harris theatre in Claude Tuesday and will move up to take charge immediately.

C. B. Locke, prominent business man upon the plains with headquarters at Miami and who is interested in the City Drug Store here, was in town Wednesday looking after his business interests.

G. E. Castleberry was in town the first of the week on his way home from Houston where he represented Alanreed in a double convention of the Woodmen of the World.

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Mayor Watson's Friends Again Announce Him for Mayoralty Race

The following petition was circulated on the streets Thursday morning and was numerously signed. The petition was left at the News office where others may sign it and for the inspection of the public.

Clarendon, Texas.
March 12, 1921

To the Honorable O. C. Watson, Mayor:

We the undersigned citizens and voters of the city of Clarendon, in looking back over the two years that you have served the City as Mayor though confronted with many difficulties and lack of co-operation on the part of the citizenship, we note the material progress that has been made under your administration. Appreciating this service and especially, looking with favor on the efforts you are making for the extension of our water system we want to ask that you let your name be offered for re-election.

It is almost a time honored custom for the Mayor to serve two terms and since you have mapped out such a constructive program that you are unable to complete your first term, we feel that the best interest of the City will be served by your continuing office for another term. We promise you our support in the election that is coming and also, promise to stand by you in your efforts in the material advancement of Clarendon's interest for the next two years.

(Political Advertisement)

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Fix up that yard now.

Just a short time left in which to get your shrubbery set out.

Flop Pyle is in San Antonio for the cow men's meet this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bady spent the week end at the Holland home.

Rev. Sam J. White and Homer Mulkey were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. R. H. Cline left Wednesday night for an extensive visit with her daughter in Dallas.

Mrs. Joe Holland has been on

the sick list the past week but is much better at present.

T. L. Benedict left Thursday night for Hot Springs, Arkansas for the benefit of his health.

Dave Kelley is taking in the cattle raiser's convention at San Antonio this week.

Miss Mamie Herington and mother spent the fore part of the week in Stratford visiting relatives.

B. J. Boone, cable man on the local telephone job, returned to his headquarters at Dallas Thursday.

E. E. Saunders, the expert who

Reduced Grocery Prices

Save on the following:

- No. 21-2 Sunkist peaches, sliced 45c
- No. 1 Sunkist peaches sliced 25c
- No. 21-2 Sunkist peaches, halves 40c
- No. 21-2 Sunkist pears 45c
- No. 21-2 apricots 40c
- No. 10 Boss Baker peaches 80c
- No. 10 Boss Baker apricots 70c
- Small Crisco 65c
- Medium Crisco 1.25
- Large Crisco 1.90
- 25 lbs Meal 75c
- 12 1-2 lbs Meal 40c
- Peacemaker Flour, sack 2.90
- Per hundred 5.75
- 3 lbs White Swan coffee 1.60
- White Ribbon Compound, large 1.25
- White Ribbon Compound, small 65c
- Swift Jewell compound, large 1.25
- Red Salmon 40c
- Pink Salmon 20c
- Chum Salmon 15c
- Cream oil soap, 3 for 25c
- P & G white Naptha soap, 3 for 25c
- Bran, sack 1.75
- Shorts, sack 2.00
- Cream of Wheat 30c
- Puffed Wheat 15c
- Post Toasties 2 for 35c
- Dried Apples 7 lbs for 1.00
- 60-70 Prunes 7 lbs for 1.00

CLAYTON & DEAN

Cash Groceries. Phone 193

No. 1258
Official Statement of Financial Condition of

Farmers & Merchants State Bank

at Lela Lake, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 21st day of Feb. 1921, published in the Clarendon News a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, State of Texas, on the 17th day of March 1921.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 34,812.96
Real Estate (banking house)	1,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,392.50
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	15,019.54
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	450.00
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	5,935.73
TOTAL	\$60,110.73
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 15,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	1,575.35
Individual Deposits, subject to check	28,235.38
Cashier's Checks	300.00
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	15,000.00
TOTAL	\$60,110.73

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY,
We, J. M. Crews, as president, and L. A. Byrd, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
J. M. CREWS,
President.
L. A. BYRD,
Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
Guy Taylor,
B. G. Smith,
R. A. Bowers,
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, A. D. 1921.
ZUAME HOWARD,
Notary Public, Donley County, Texas.



Your Easter Bonnet

Whatever its style or price, your Spring Hat will be as nearly perfect as exquisite materials and expert workmanship can make it, if you buy it here.

Our showing includes original presentations of the new fashion themes, also charming shapes ready to be made up in the style most becoming to you.

Harned Sisters

At Baldwin's Store



Mrs. C. S. Marshall

Announces

On Friday and Saturday
March 18th and 19th

A most extraordinary showing of
Easter Millinery

For the Young Woman, Miss and Matron

Every feminine heart loves pretty millinery and the magnificent assortment we are now showing will make your eyes glitter at the attractiveness of their design and color.

Newest style conception in Celophane, Sipper, hair braids, Lisere Milan, Legan and Lace effects in all the new colorings, grays, flame red, jade bronze, henna, tangerine, harding blue.

IN NEW LOCATION ON GROUND FLOOR.

PHONE NO. 513

CLARENDON, TEXAS

OUR CEMETERY

In last week's issue of the Clarendon News mention was made of so much needed work to be done on our cemetery grounds. The trustees of the cemetery heartily agree with the editor and thank him for mentioning the matter to the people. This work has been somewhat neglected during the past two years on account of the high price and scarcity of labor. However we have a man at work now and some splendid work has all ready been done and if you have not visited the cemetery within the past few days you will be surprised how nice every thing is beginning to look. We had sufficient funds in the treasurer received from the sale of lots to pay the sexton for one month but if we keep him or any one else it will be necessary for us to raise some money by popular subscription. If we keep a sexton the year round, which we should by all means do, we will need \$900.00 for his salary, then we will need other little things that are necessary in order to keep the work going, say \$10.00 for incidental expenses, this makes \$910.00 that we really need to keep the cemetery in first class condition for a year. Several citizens have spoken to us with regard to the putting in of another water works system over on the east addition of the cemetery as the present supply of water is entirely inadequate. This should be done by all means as we cannot get the grass and scrubbery to grow without water. The estimated expense for the digging the well and the erecting of a wind mill and tank would be something like \$500.00. On this amount Mr. T. S. Bugbee has kindly consented to contribute \$150.00, besides his share of the up keep and sexton's wages. This would bring the amount of money needed up to \$1500.00 and we are sure if we make the least effort the amount can be raised. We are all interested alike in the keeping of the place where our friends and relatives are resting.

The following committee of ladies have kindly consented to assist us in raising the money by popular subscription and these ladies will call on you within the next few days for a donation and will ask you to please respond as generously as possible as no other subscription will be taken this year for this purpose. Remember what you give will help pay the Sexton for one year and also help build the water work system. If the committee fails to see you please look them up or mail them a check for such amount as you expect to give to this cause. We are having some circular letters printed and will mail them out to every one that we think would be interested in this work that cannot be reached by the committee; If you know the name and address of any one that has relatives buried in our cemetery that now lives away from Clarendon will appreciate if you will call a member



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No Price is Right Unless
Quality is Right

PRICE may be a very important consideration to you; it often is. But you cant wear "price."

Wear and style is what you buy clothes for; you cant have either without good quality.

The best is the cheapest in the long run. Because of the long service and satisfaction you get, your clothing bill will be less by the year. You will find only the best in standard merchandise here.

Hayter Brothers

The Home of Good Clothes
CLARENDON, TEXAS

MARTIN NEWS

The Martin school baseball team went to Clarendon Friday evening

to play the public school boys. The game was very interesting, the score being 10 to 3 in favor of Martin.

There was a pie supper Friday night for the basket ball girls to help purchase a new ball. A program was rendered very nicely. The pie brought \$21.80.

Minnie Pools spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ruby Mosley.

Gertrude Bain, Ruth Talley, Sam and Frances Cauthern spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of J. F. Cannon.

A party was enjoyed by the young people Saturday night at the M. W. Mosley home. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon spent Saturday night and Sunday in Clarendon with their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Cauthern.

Everybody enjoyed a singing at Mr. Adkins Sunday night.

W. P. Blake attended the Baptist rally at Memphis Tuesday of this week.

ANNOUNCEMENT

This is to announce my candidacy for the office of City Commissioner for the place made vacant by the resignation of H. C. Kerbow. I feel that I am too well known to make any further remarks except to say that if elected, I shall do my best to serve the public in a manner for their best interests.

W. A. Massie. (11c)

TO THE TRADE

We are indeed sorry to announce the fact that we failed to get the desired garments which we had ordered especially for the style show and for that reason we will not be represented.

Yours truly,
Baldwin Bros.

POSTED

The public is hereby warned that hunting and wood hauling is forbidden in the R. O. pasture. All trespassers will be vigorously prosecuted.

W. J. Lewis. (1f)

WARNING

This is official notice that all trespassing upon the grounds of the Clarendon Country Club will be rigorously prosecuted from and after May 6th, 1920.

Clarendon Country Club.

REPUBLICANS WILL MEET

The Republicans of Donley county will hold a rally at the county court house at 2:30 p. m. on April 2nd, 1921. If you are a Republican and believe in the advancement of the principles of the Republican party in Donley county your place will not be vacant at this rally. This will be an opportunity for close association with Republicans and notice to your neighbors and friends that the Republicans are to be hard contenders in the next election. Ladies are extended a special invitation.

Those Republicans who unfortunately can not attend, will please send their names and addresses to the county secretary so that we may place you.

J. W. SHERMAN, Secretary. (11c)



Old U. Tellem sez.

"When I was a boy, courting the ladies, competition was just as keen as now, but defense and offense in our methods were different. The actual use of a fellows first or the presence of them eliminated most of his competitors in a pinch.

"Modern methods are better and of wider range. Where the fellow used to wear leather boots and creases pants, and many other inconveniences which did not enhance his charms, he now has a shiny new car, and a snappy suit all tailored, and the fellow with the most brains makes the most money and wears the best clothes. And to make his chances with the girl greater, he has the modern candy store with delicious candies dressed in attention-compelling boxes, and the little lady is caught with this before she knows it.

"Speaking of progress, I think the love business has made the greatest. The R. A. Long Drug Company will help you make it even greater."

"U tellem cop; you got the bull."

R. A. Long Drug Co.
The Rexall Store
Get it where they've got it.

of this committee and give them such information as you can. This will assist us very materially. We would like also for as many ladies as can do so for as many ladies as possible and assist us in making this cemetery one of the nicest in the Panhandle. Let us all get busy and do something. The total amount of subscriptions received will be published each week in the news so every one will know how we are progressing.

Committee of ladies in charge:
Mrs. W. C. McDonald, Chairman;
Mrs. Sarah M. Stocking, Mrs. Crockett Taylor.

This above committee will name other committees to aid them in this work.

Respectfully,
J. B. McClelland,
H. Mulkey,
W. W. Taylor,
Trustees.

ANNOUNCEMENT

In announcing in this issue of the News as a candidate for the office of mayor, I do so upon the solicitation of friends and citizens and believe that I can give the city a clean, honest administration. I assure the voters that I shall do my best at all times.

A. W. McLean.

"Say it with Flowers"

Come to the Annual Easter Flower Sale of the Y. W. C. A. Where?—College Building. When?—Saturday, March 21

10:15—12 a. m.
1.00—4 p. m.

Kind of Flowers—Pot Plants, Sweet Peas, Carnations, Lilies, etc.

From The Clarendon Plant and Floral Company

Make some one happy by sending flowers at Easter. Y. W. C. A. receives 20 percent. A silver tea and offering. Be There !!

OF ADVANTAGE TO YOU

Because our success is based on your good will we seek your advantage in every purchase we make. If we know of a better buy for you anywhere else, it will be our policy to direct you there rather than to make the sale to your disadvantage.

Our definite policy is to make this store and its service of advantage to you.

Phone 5

CASH AND PAY LESS
CLIFFORD & WILKERSON
CASH GROCERS
CLARENDON, TEXAS

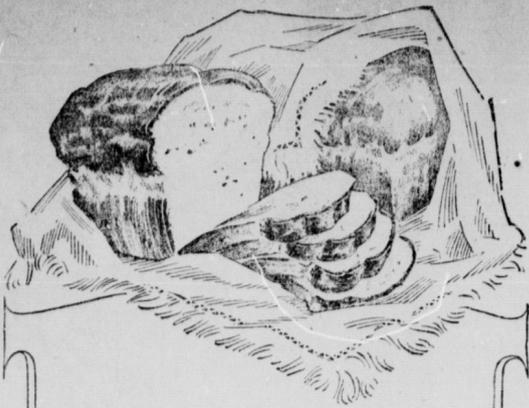
Glorious Easter

Easter Eggs
Easter Rabbits
Easter Roosters
Easter Ornaments.

—of most any kind that will properly commemorate this eventful day

A. O. Bauer

PHONE 247-2R



Good bread is a real test of two things—the cook's skill and the flour's quality.

Nobody ever changes from
GLADIOLA
unusual quality FLOUR AT YOUR GROCERY
CITY GROCERY Telephone 38



DECREASE IN LIVE STOCK ON FARMS GROWS ALARMING

Nearly 10,000,000 less head of live stock were on farms in the United States on January 1, 1921, than a year preceding, according to estimates based upon reports of agents and correspondents of the Bureau of Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture. Horses decreased about 602,700 head, or 2.9 per cent; mules decreased slightly, 42,000 or 0.8 per cent; milk cows decreased 298,900 or 1.3 per cent; other cattle decreased 1,880,000, or 4.2 per cent; swine decreased 5,078,000 or 7.1 per cent; and sheep decreased 2,047,000, or 4.3 per cent.

The total numbers on farms and ranges January 1, are estimated as follows: Horses, 20,188,000; mules, 4,993,000; milk cows, 23,321,000; other cattle, 42,870,000; swine, 46,649,000; and sheep 45,967,000.

The result of the 1920 Census of Live stock have been issued for a few States only; the two sets of figures (Census and Crop Esti-

mates) are not made from the same basis, and therefore are not comparable, in that the Bureau of Crop Estimates figures are the result of applying yearly estimated changes to the census figures of 1919, which were taken on April 15, instead of on January 1, as was done in 1920. No attempt has been made to readjust the bureau's 1920 figures to the new census basis in the few States for which census figures have been published. Readjustments will be deferred until the census will be complete for all States.

The total value of live stock has declined \$2,271,576,000 or 25.7 per cent during the year, that is, from a total of \$8,507,145,000 on January 1, 1920, to \$6,235,569,000 on January 1, 1921. This decline is due partly to the reduction in numbers, but more to the lower value per head.

Horses, with a value of \$82.45 per head as compared with \$94.42 a year ago, are lower than they have been since 1906. The total value of horses is estimated at

\$1,694,166,000, which is \$298,337,000 or 15.3 per cent, less than a year ago.

Mules have declined in price relatively more than have horses, due, probably, to the depression in the cotton States, where mules are largely used. The January 1 price, \$115.72, is the lowest value since 1916, whereas the value a year ago, \$147.07, was the highest on record. The total value of mules is \$578,473,000, a reduction of \$102,227,000 or 22 per cent as compared with a year ago.

Milk cows have declined 24.8 per cent in value per head, from \$85.00 to \$63.97, and in total value per cent, from \$2,010,128,000 to have declined \$518,228,000 or 25.8 per cent. Other cattle have declined 27.3 per cent in value per head, from \$43.22 to \$31.41; and in total value have declined \$587,520,000 or 30.4 per cent, from \$1,934,185,000 to \$1,346,665,000. All cattle have thus declined \$1,105,748,000, or 28 per cent, from \$3,544,313,000 to \$1,934,185,000.

Swine have declined in value per

head 31.7 per cent from \$19.61 to \$13.29; and in total value have declined \$497,636,000, or 36.6 per cent, from \$1,363,269,600 to \$865,633,600.

Sheep have declined in value per head 39.1 per cent from \$10.52 to \$6.41, and in total value have declined \$206,928,000 or 41.8 per cent, from \$495,650,000 to \$288,722,000.

PERENNIAL CROPS WILL ADD VALUE TO THE HOME GARDEN

Planting of perennial fruit and vegetables add to the interest and value of every home garden. In localities where they may be grown some fruit trees and bush fruits should be planted wherever space permits. In addition to the small fruits there are a few permanent vegetables which should not be overlooked.

One of these is asparagus, which will thrive almost anywhere, provided it is planted in good soil. A plot of ground 15 to 20 feet square in one corner of the garden will supply all of the asparagus needed by an average family.

A few hills of rhubarb in sections where it will grow can be planted along the garden fence and furnish the family supply. The same is true of horse-radish and of a number of the herbs, including thyme, tarragon, and sage.

Grapes of the type and variety suited to the locality should always be included in the home garden. These can be grown on an arbor over the walk where they require no extra space. Four to six vines of the standard varieties and one or two of the southern type in their proper locality, will be sufficient.

In planning the garden, plant the perennial things where they will not interfere with the preparation of the ground and the cultivation of the regular vegetable garden. Place them around the out-buildings, along the fences and in the corners where they will not be in the way. Bulletins telling how to cultivate the various small fruits can be obtained from the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

HOME GARDENING, LIKE GOLF, LEADS TO FRIENDLY RIVALRY.

Gardening can be made a very interesting game with many of the features of friendly competition which make golf, tennis and other summer sports so fascinating to many people. Like these sports, skill and practice increase the probability of winning honors, but unlike them it is remunerative and is enjoyed by the entire family, who can take part in the garden work and enjoy eating the vegetables produced.

Gardening becomes a contest or game when there is rivalry between neighbors to see who has the first mess of peas or the first ripe tomatoes, or who can raise the largest potatoes or melons. There is a pride, too, in having some prize product exhibited in the window of the local store or seeing a notice of some accomplishment published in the home newspaper.

Beating Jack Frost. To those who enter the game of gardening to evade the honor of having the first ripe vegetables, gardening specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture offer some suggestions for beating Jack Frost and getting garden operations in motion before the open season for plants. These suggestions are of equal value to those who desire to lengthen the growing season or produce vegetables for market.

At least four weeks' time can be saved, specialists say, for many crops like tomatoes and cabbage, by starting the plants in the house. If operations are to be conducted on a small scale, two or three glass boxes filled with soil and placed in a south window furnish a seed bed for starting a few plants. For most home gardens

a more desirable seed bed can be made by placing good soil in a flat tray 3 inches deep and of convenient size to fit in a well-lighted window with southern exposure. A little care will be necessary in keeping the tray properly watered. If too much water is applied the plants will decay—"Damp off," the gardeners call it—at the surface of the soil. If too little water is applied the plants will make a stunted growth. Only experience can show exactly what the right degree of moisture should be. Essentially, however, the surface soil should not be allowed to dry out and the plants should be given enough water to keep them growing properly.

All garden plants are dependent upon light for growth, and when started in the window immediately begin to turn their heads toward the light. To overcome this the box in which they are grown should be turned around a lay. Out of doors they get light from all sides, but in the window they get it from only one side.

Transplanting the Seedlings. When the seedling plants are big enough to handle—that is, when they have formed about two leaves in addition to their seed leaves—other boxes of soil should be provided and the plants transplanted about 2 inches apart each way to give them plenty of room. More window space must be provided, and it may be necessary to build a stage and support one box above another. The same precautions as to watering and turning to get uniform light will be necessary. On warm days the boxes can be put outdoors. This will tend to harden the plants and get them used to outdoor conditions, so that they will not feel the change when set in the garden.

Earthenware or paper pots purchased at the seed store can be used for transplanting the seedlings, one plant to each pot. Another method is to take rather stiff paper or light cardboard, cut it in strips and form bands, called dirt bands; place these in shallow boxes, fill with soil, and plant the seedlings in them. Tin cans with both ends cut away also make good bands in which to grow the plants.

When it comes to planting in the garden, the plants grown in boxes are cut apart with a cube of soil around the roots of each. Those grown in pots are panned loose, turning the head of the plant downward with the stem of the plant between the first and second fingers of the left hand. Where tin cans without bottoms are used, the ball of earth is pushed nearly out of the can. The plant is then set with the can sticking up around it as protection against cutworms. After a week or two the can is lifted over the top of the plant. This practice is being extensively followed by commercial gardeners in certain sections, who by the aid of one of the little can-sealing machines now on the market cut off the tops and the bottoms of thousands of discarded empty cans for use in transplanting plants. Some gardeners dip the cans in a thin solution of shellac to keep them from rusting.

One way of extending the garden season and getting ahead of neighboring gardeners is by starting several early crops in a hotbed. In addition to starting plants, the hotbed is useful for growing a few early vegetables for the table.

PRUNED TOMATO PLANTS PRODUCE SUPERIOR FRUIT

A thrifty tomato plant left to itself will spread over a space from 4 to 6 feet in diameter and will produce a peck or more of tomatoes. If staked and pruned it will yield about the same quantity of fruit, the tomatoes will be larger, cleaner, better flavored, and superior in every respect, and enough space can be conserved to accommodate five other plants cared for in a similar manner, say garden specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. The staked and pruned plants are easily sprayed, and will continue to produce fruit later in the fall than plants which are allowed to spread naturally. As a rule, also, the pruned tomatoes will mature earlier. On the scale on which tomatoes are grown in the home garden, staking and pruning require little trouble, and will fully repay the effort.

When the plants are to be staked they may be set 2 feet apart each way, or every 18 inches in rows 3 feet apart. Any substantial stake of sufficient size to bear the weight of the plants and 4 or 5 feet long is suitable for tying up tomatoes. Straight saplings, 2 inches in diameter at the base, make very good stakes. Sawed strips or laths may be used. A stake is driven about 3 inches from each plant, which is tied to it at intervals of 8 or 10 inches as the stem develops. Soft string or narrow strips of cloth are used for this purpose.

When the plants begin making a vigorous growth, shoots will appear in the little pockets where each leaf joins the stem. Later the blossoms appear on the opposite side of the stem. In pruning the plant, remove all these side shoots and those around the base of the plant, being careful not to disturb the blossom clusters. The shoots, sometimes called suckers, should be pinched off shortly after they appear. The main stem can be carried to the full height of the stake, then allowed to hang over. By this time six or seven blossom clusters, on which the fruit is developing, should be set on the stem.

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FARM FINANCING FUTURE PROBLEM

College Station, Texas, March 3.—Methods of financing the farmer's operations have not advanced since the days of the Colonists, but the banking industry will progress more in the next few years in working out various ways of adapting business to the changing world conditions than in the past century.

J. T. Orr, President of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation said in addressing the Farmer-Banker Conference which opened here today.

Mr. Orr appealed earnestly to the bankers to do their part in bringing about a general prosperity through prosperous farms.

"It takes more than the desire to diversify, buy livestock, erect buildings, and buy machinery," he said. "We need a plan that will permit the farmer to borrow money over a period of years so that the principal can be returned from the sale of surplus stock or from the proceeds of the stock or machinery. We can expect an over production of cotton and all of the attendant evils unless a system of middle term credit, as well as long term credit, is worked out."

Through co-operation marketing, the farmer can live according to Twentieth Century standards and do it without increasing the cost of his products to the consumer, Mr. Orr explained briefly, but to raise food and clothes and "market them over the four corners of the earth" there must fall upon the banker the responsibility of devising a way to finance the farmer's operations.

"Agriculture is in its infancy," Mr. Orr said. "We have wanted the fertility of the soil and have made miserable business failures at farming in the old system. The financial system, the money lender, typically forced the debtor and the landlord have practised tenant farmers to grow only cotton, while we know that only diversified agriculture which has the livestock industry at its foundation is of the permanent sort. In the future we shall have to go further in financing agriculture and will need money for the processes of production and for the processes of marketing."

"We ask the bankers' whole-hearted co-operation in working out a financial system with the idea of sound financial banking practice and good business policy. The banker does not do the thinking of the community as was the case a generation ago, but his responsibility is as certain and direct to those who have been under his influence as it has ever been.

"I would burn it upon your minds that in order to have general prosperity you must have prosperous farms and while thousands have realized this there has been no definite co-operation effort made to bring about the prosperity of the farmer. Many farmers have worked hard and faithfully for a generation, constantly battling insects, unfavorable weather conditions, and many other hardships with a spirit of endurance and manifest confidence in their ability to wrest from the forces of nature a livelihood which will permit them to provide for their families in a decent and respectable manner as would become a man of energy and good business judgment. Only to find that their meager harvests were being anxiously awaited for, whatever the crops might be, by a group of speculators and sharks, and unfortunately some of these have found a rendezvous within the walls of some of our banks.



"Today the farmers are united and determined that in the future they are entitled to, and will make an effort to receive, a fair portion of the prosperity they produce. In this worthy enterprise and in realizing that whenever the farmers are prosperous all classes of our business interests are prosperous, we solicit the good will and the active support of all classes of our people in bringing about this desirable end for the good of the entire commonwealth."

TAX EXEMPT BONDS NUMEROUS ARTICLE

Dallas, Texas.—The action of the Supreme Court in holding the Federal Farm Loan Act as valid is a matter of great importance, according to officials of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation, who expressed themselves as being very pleased with the decision.

The action against the Federal Land Bank Act has directed attention in a very strong way to the entire matter of tax exempt bonds. H. C. McKennie, who has been investigating federal taxes the American Farm Bureau Federation, says that the total amount of tax exempt bonds in the United States, including State County, Municipal, School, Road and special bonds, will total from \$16,000,000,000 to \$20,000,000,000. These bonds have been bought in large numbers in recent years by wealthy persons he declares, because they are tax exempt, and if they were all placed in the hands of men with \$100,000 income and up, none of these men would have to pay one cent of income tax.

During the delay of the Supreme Court in rendering its decision, President Howard of the Farm Bureau had several conferences with banks and real estate men, at which he pointed out the absurdity of attacking the Federal Land Bank Act because its bonds are tax exempt, and allowing to pass unchallenged the enormous amount of land and other tax exempt bonds. Mr. Howard served notice that if the Federal Land Bank Act had been declared unconstitutional the farmers of the country would have insisted on all other bonds being subject to taxation.

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Big Lights Make Big "Light" Bills

A few years ago the only electric lamp on the market of any value was the old style carbon lamp. The average commercial sizes were eight, sixteen and 32 candle power. These lamps used a great amount of current and gave out very little light. Later the new Mazda lamps were invented and put on the market. The introduction of this lamp made quite a change in the electric lighting industry. A 25 watt Mazda lamp would give more light and use less than one half as much current as a 15 c. p. carbon lamp. The same or a better proportion prevailed with larger lamps. The new type "C" or nitrogen filled lamp is another stride in helping the consumer get more light for less money.

At the present time there is very few carbon lamps in service any where and very few dealers carry them in stock. But some people remembering the time when the Mazda lamps were first introduced, are of the opinion that big lamps use less light than smaller ones. This idea is false, the bigger the Mazda lamp you use, the more current it will consume.

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Just as soap and hot water cleanse and refresh the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the eliminative organs. Those who wake up with bad breath, coated tongue, nasty taste or have a dull, aching head, sallow complexion, acid stomach; others who are subject to bilious attacks or constipation, should obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to demonstrate the value of inside bathing. Those who continue it each morning are assured of pronounced results, both in regard to the health and appearance.

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PLATT JONES ENTERTAINS STUDENTS

READINGS AND IMPERSONATIONS AFFECT STUDENTS, FACULTY MEMBERS AND MINISTERS ALIKE

The last number of the lyceum course for this year was given in the auditorium last Thursday evening in the form of Impersonation and delightful entertainment by Platt Jones, one of the foremost artists of that type now touring the country. The number was thoroughly enjoyed, and the public and the student body of C. C. in particular, ardently hope for other numbers of this kind of next year's course.

Mr. Jones opened his program by giving a sort of welcome address in a high, hoarse voice, which he explained, had been acquired through the sudden change in altitude on coming south, and also by a slight congestion in his left lung, but he continued, breaking suddenly into his normal, clear, penetrating voice, "my right lung is all right." This unique and humorous way of introducing himself at once appealed to and pleased his audience and gave them fair promise of the quality of the numbers which followed.

First on the program, Mr. Jones gave a delightful impersonation of "Tradin' Joe," one of James Whitcomb Riley's humorous short poems. It was true to life and the wonderful manner in which it was presented to the audience made it one of the most heartily appreciated numbers of the entire evening.

Next came a wordless impersonation of the awkwardness of a bachelor in the simple (?) process of sewing on an ordinary button. Mr. Jones made this proceeding ludicrous and unspookably funny. But, perhaps the best numbers of all and in fact, the majority of the entire program, consisted of his characterizations both in dress and manner, of the confederate and northern veterans, the "nutty" Englishman, the youthful orator and the funeral eulogist.

Mr. Jones' impersonation of the northern veteran in his delight at being among his comrades of war once more and his childish gratification at being able to tell them of his reconciliation with an old pal before going into battle was given with a vital appeal and such pathos that it will not soon be forgotten by any who had the good fortune to hear it. But this number was equaled and even surpassed by the impersonation, by both

song and story, of the wounded confederate soldier.

The concluding numbers of the program were each and every one enjoyed and they produced more laughter than C. C. has known in many a day. The daring impersonation of the Englishman, telling of his first ride on the American street car, the side splitting imitation of the country boy, with an extremely bad cold and sore throat, giving in a heroic manner, "The charge of the Light Brigade," and last but not least the funeral eulogy given by the oldest inhabitant of a country neighborhood, all brought down the house, and established a lasting reputation for Mr. Jones, as being the best impersonator who has ever visited C. C.

THE PRESS CLUB MEETING

The Press Club met Monday afternoon at 1:30 for a short business session. The roll was called in a very original way. Each member responded with a brief sketch of the life of some cartoonist when his name was called. The main part of the program was not rendered owing to the examination the week before and the ones on the program were unable to prepare their parts. A report was not made of the "Popular" election of the two societies as the votes had not all been recounted. They will probably have a report for next meeting. Plans for the club banquet were discussed and it was suggested to have an outdoor function. After much deliberation it was dismissed until a later date. The program for next meeting was read and the club adjourned.

THE ORTHONIAN MEETING

Last Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the Orthonians met in a very important business meeting. The meeting opened by singing the "Purple and White," after which was held the election of officers for the spring term. The following were elected:

Miss Irma Lewis, President; Miss Jessie Morrison, Vice-president; Miss Lelia Burrell, secretary; Miss Fray Stallings, treasurer; Miss Aileen Parks, Chaplain; Miss Willie Davis, sergeant-at-arms.

Each member present was presented with a certificate of membership to the Adkissonian Literary Society. These will long be treasured by all who received them as a lasting monument to their wisdom. The annual election of the popular Add boys was held, William Jefferson McMurry, Jr., and Montith Absalom Warren being the unfortunate young gentlemen.

Misses Inez and Avis Christina and Helen Martin served delightful refreshments to the society.

COLLEGE "DRAMATISTS" ENJOY LINE PARTY.

Members of the Dramatic Club who comprised the cast for "Valley Farm" were literally "tickled to pieces" last Tuesday night, when, after being "shot" again, in an attempt to get a decent print for the annual they were told by Miss Galey that all the pleasure of a "line party" was to be theirs on Thursday night.

The evening came, at 6:15 found a motley group in Miss Reed's studio, listening to Lizzie Anne Tucker's latest gossip, which she was perfectly willing to impart. Ver-

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beny, having discarded her apron and done up her "pig-tails," looked really pretty in a new spring hat, except when her mouth flew open at some of Miss Tucker's most astounding bits of news. Alvira Holcomb, having formed the habit of listening to her "borrowing" neighbor relate the scandal of the village, did so now with few (?) interruptions. No less attentive were Azariah Keeps and Jennings, the former, though "deaf" by watching the facial expression of the rest, was able to interpret most of Miss Tucker's speeches. Apparently Jennings had lost all tract of that becoming dignity and stolidity manifested on other occasions. Even the haughty Mrs. Rutledge, with less of condescension in her manner than she has been known to portray, lent an appreciative ear, but Harold Rutledge and his lovely young wife (who was Hetty Holcomb) heard little of the gossip the others enjoyed, for they were engrossed in each other. But when have newly weds cared for gossip? Silas Holcomb and Perry Dean were sorely missed at this gathering, but "business is business and it has to be did!"

Finally, the procession filed forth. There was nothing strange in the sight of young Mrs. Rutledge hanging on the protecting arm of her husband, nor Alvira Holcomb gigglingly following her deaf lover, but when Jennings presumed to escort Lizzy Anne Tucker every one received a distinct shock and wondered what "he" (of the wonderful capacity for molasses cakes) would do about it. Mrs. Rutledge, Miss Wilson, Miss Koontz, Verbeny and Miss Galey furnished ample chaperage of course, but, still, it did not seem just right for a common but her (of all people) to escort another man's wife, even to the village show. On the corner, the procession was joined by that designing, vampirish Isabel Carney and her worthy uncle, Mr. Hildreth.

Arriving at the show, excellent seats were obtained in the front rows of the balcony and the entire party settled back to enjoy Katherine McDonald in one of her best productions. When the last close up, fade-out had ended this part of the evening's joy, the Pastime Confectionery was invaded, and there a delicious "special" pleased even the critical taste of the aristocratic Mrs. Rutledge. Jennings, no doubt due to the fact that instead of serving, his usual task, he was relaxed visibly and joined by Lizzy Anne, Alvira and Azariah, grew almost in his mirth.

Leaving the confectionery, Stocking's drug store was the next stop, where Jennings proved his ability to pick out records that were pleasing to all.

Told that they "really must go" the party begged for one more record and when the last beautiful notes of "La Paloma" died away, the leave was accomplished, and thirteen happy people began the homeward march, feeling amply repaid for every trying rehearsal and thanking Miss Galey over and over for the jolly good time she had given them.

CITY WELFARE DISCUSSED BY MR. MEFFERD

In his address to the Economics class, Wednesday morning, Mr. Mefferd, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Clarendon, interestingly discussed the problems of city planning and development. He gave a short history of city building and explained the most vital points to be cared for in planning a modern city. "This is a subject which has been discussed from the earliest ages down to the present

time when we are all interested in it. The history of city planning—in the years of B. C. a system of geometric blocks was used. Later there was no geometric system used but the towns were built with the markets and main buildings in the center, visible from all parts of the city. In the fourteenth century the Romans were more sensible in the planning of their cities. London, until 1666, was just a bunch of houses thrown together with no system whatsoever. After the fire of that date, a self-explanatory plan was made but not carried out, hence we find London without a city plan. In 1791, Baron Hausmann planned Paris in such a manner that it was accepted by Napoleon. As a result we have Paris, the most beautiful city in the world today. Washington, D. C., the second most beautiful city of the world, is responsible to a French engineer, L'Fante. Had his plans been followed in full Washington would have surpassed Paris in beauty."

"The fact that there is over a million homes short in the world today makes the tendency of building to be rushed through with no particular regard to system. The future of city building is to be considered seriously. The French government has been using a compulsory plan of city building."

Our industries today are being planned by city experts. Dawson, Colorado is a splendid example of a well planned city. It is a mining town and is very beautiful. "You can't build a city without zoning—restricting certain districts for certain things. There are a number of arguments for zoning: 1. It stabilizes and helps to protect property values. 2. It helps to maintain homes and home neighborhood. 3. It offers a safe district in which industries may be located without fear of protest to do business. 4. Prevents undue congestion of population and unsanitary conditions. 5. It helps to regulate traffic in the city. 6. Makes the city more convenient, attractive, orderly and better to live in."

"In the planning of the city transportation of people, raw materials, and finished products must be handled by an electric railway system touching every section of town. A fireproof warehouse system must be maintained. The cities food supply must be handled by markets and prompt deliveries. An adequate and expansive water supply must be provided for. The electric light and telephone poles disfigure a town and should not be. There are two systems of a city that should be extremely effective—the fire signal and the police signal."

"The organizations that help in city regulations are (1) City Government, (2) Chamber of Commerce, (3) City Welfare Organizations, (4) All Educational Institutions."

A Chamber of Commerce is an organization of the citizens of a town that strives to meet every emergency that might come up before the city. The largest Chamber of Commerce in the world is the United States Chamber of Commerce. The next largest in the world is the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in which there are over 5,000 towns and cities."

The Southwestern Megaphone summarizes the last two basketball games. They defeated the Mustang from S. M. U. 18-16 and lost to the Texas Longhorns 22-15. The Megaphone tells of much activity among the Frogs and Societies.

Cockerels for Sale—S. C. Rhode Islands Reds. Only three or four left. Prices \$2.00 to \$3.50. F. A. Story. (81c.)

MISS VAUGHAN'S EXHIBIT

The construction, handwork and industrial exhibit of the primary department of the college under the direction and supervision of Miss Wattle Vaughan was most excellent. It showed the great ability of Miss Vaughan and the splendid work she is doing in training the little people to use their hands as well as their minds.

All the work in the exhibit was done by the little folks of the first four grades. The first thing that impressed one on entering the room was the artistic arrangement of the work. One's attention was next drawn to the dainty little Japanese lanterns hung true to Japanese style, on cords stretched across the room. Varicolored paper chains were also fastened on the walls and on cords across the room.

The little silhouette drawings were next in the line of vision. There were fruits, animals, birds, children, the Liberty Bell, scenes taken from stories that children all like so well, such as "The Three Bears, Red Riding Hood, Jack Horner, Jack Be Nimble." There were scenes representing our various holidays and gala days; Christmas, Thanksgiving Day, Washington's Birthday, Saint Valentine's Day and Easter, all done in black on a white background. Many of these were done in colors also.

Marching in a sedate way across the top of one black-board were the hectographs or little cut-out, jointed animals, fowls and children. These were very natural looking and very cleverly and carefully done. To appreciate them properly one must see them.

Adorning the top of another board was a row of hens and chicks cut from black paper and mounted on gray cardboard. Stenciled on the boards were the sunbonnet babies, the overall boys, bouquets of flowers, an Easter chick, a Christmas calendar and a Thanksgiving calendar. There were cherries and hatchets for Washington, pumpkins for Thanksgiving, holly for Christmas, country scenes, city skylines, maps, cunning little pumpkin babies, done in colors. There were dainty little May baskets, Christmas cornucopias, paper towels, valentine hearts, beautiful Easter baskets filled with colored paper eggs, large cut-out bowls filled with fruit, woven mats, one large crayon painting of Rer Riding Hood and many other things, almost innumerable.

Some exceptionally good freehand cut work occupied a prominent place. These were scenes, cut from black paper and mounted on white cardboard, representing the story of "Henry Penny" and the story of the boy who could not get the goat out of the field.

But the thing which the many visitors exclaimed over most, was the typical country home, built on the sand table. A large two story house, with a red chimney, built of heavy cardboard was furnished with little cardboard furniture. It was complete even to a little celluloid lady dressed in a blue apron and a dust cap.

A little square-topped garage sat in one corner of the table. The doors were wide open and a small celluloid man was in the act of driving a tiny pasteboard car inside. A small pasteboard servant house was there. A celluloid dog kept watch in the yard, a Dutch windmill stood in the corner, a tiny pasteboard wheelbarrow and a white paper picket fence completed the scene.

Those who failed to take advantage of their opportunity to see this exhibit, missed seeing an exhibit which according to those who are competent to judge, was

CLARENDON WINS OPENER

COLLEGE NINE DOES EXCELLENT FIELDING IN FIRST GAME.

The Clarendon College nine defeated Childress High School Friday afternoon, at the College Park, by a close score of 5 to 4. This was the first game of the season for both teams, but was well played and interesting. The batting was not high but there was a marked absence of errors on the part of both teams. The college boys especially showed good material considering the short workout they have had.

Walker for Clarendon did good work in the box, getting eight strike-outs in six innings. Jefferies pitched the entire game for Childress and got ten strike-outs. Smalley struck-out five in three innings. G. Close scored twice for C. C. Hysinger one, Cook one and Skeen one. Coffey scored two for Childress. Jefferies one, Vaught one. Clarendon men making good batting averages were: Dozier, G. Close, Cook, Hysinger. Childress's best batters were: Coffey, Vaught and Jefferies.

The Childress lineup was as follows: Jefferies, p. Norris, c. Pryor, 1b. Vaught, 2b. Kenzie, 3b. Coffey, ss. Mickey, 1f. Slack of Dyche, rf. Substitutes were: Wright for Slack, Slack for Vaught, Vaught for Norris, Norris out. The team is in charge of Coach Parsons.

Clarendon played in the following formation: Walker, p. Skeen, c. Cook 1b. Dozier, 2b. Noble, 3b. Verner, ss. Lewis, 1f. G. Close, cf. Hysinger, rf. Smalley was substituted for Walker.

With the strenuous training that Coach Burton is giving the College team they should soon be able to take-on and interest some big players.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

The ministerial students met in regular session, Tuesday evening, at 6:30 o'clock.

President Thompson called the association to order, and the program began promptly. The features of the meeting were talks by J. O. Allen and M. L. Wentz. J. O. Allen discussed in a very interesting and instructive manner the subject of "Honest Christian Effort." M. L. Wentz delivered a sermonette from the text "Verily, verily, I say unto you except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God." (John 3:3.)

The meeting was of interest throughout. Let us all attend the association regularly and thereby derive the most help from it. Meet us at Dr. Slover's office next Tuesday evening at 6:30.

DR. SLOVER HONORED

President Geo. S. Slover has been named and elected to a place on the executive committee to represent the Junior Colleges of the south west.

This is indeed an important position as this is the executive committee for all the Junior Colleges of the United States. At the regular meeting of the organization in St. Louis, thirty-four colleges were represented. From so many college officials to choose from we are indeed honored in having Dr. Slover on the committee.

Only three more Texans were named: G. F. Winfield of Meridian was named president, L. C. Perry of Texas Military College vice-president of Texas colleges and J. C. Humphreys of the college of Marshall on the standard committee.

equal to a state exhibit.

The college is certainly to be congratulated on having such an excellent primary teacher as Miss Vaughan, and the little folks who are in her charge are very fortunate indeed.

PLAY VISITS M'LEAN

EXCELLENT TRIP ENJOYED. ACTING BETTER THAN AT HOME.

After having enjoyed a "hit" at Clarendon, the Dramatic Club carried its play "Valley Farm" to McLean, the evening of March 28. A splendid response was given by the people of McLean, and the play seemed to have been enjoyed to the fullest extent.

The four cars left about one thirty in the afternoon and journeyed over to McLean without appreciable trouble, arriving some three hours before the time for the curtain to rise.

After completing the arrangement of the stage scenery, inclinations turned to the cars, and an hour or so was used in riding, viewing the town and surrounding scenery. That was bad luck. When one car started to turn round to go back to McLean, it was the signal for the car to stop, succumbing temporarily to bearings burnt out. Accompanying actors and actresses were motored back to the hotel where nothing dismayed, a hearty dinner, was indulged in, lamentably hurried however.

Promptly at seven thirty, the plot began to form. Miss Lorena Wilson's playing at the piano, between acts, received almost as much applause as did the play itself. The audience was doomed to miss what was probably, the most humorous, semi-tragic though it was part of the play. Mr. Cunningham had a date with the Rock Island at an alarmingly near time, the poor fish was forced to board the train with half his old man's make-up, here and there scattered over him.

After the last scene, everybody embarked for home. The cars arrived shortly after midnight, suffered a moments delay, wishfully listening to the music at the Opera House.

Miss Galey was absent home, Miss Koontz acting in her place. Clarendon hearts entertain a warm spot for McLean.

The Aglaian Club published the last week Lass-O. We do not know what variety of a club this is but we will admit that they published a "cracker-jack."

CARELESS READING AND SIGNING

The story goes that a bet was made by a man who said he could get everybody in the community to sign a petition to hang himself, and so a carefully drawn paper was written and so worded in the opening lines as to convey the thought to the careless reader that it was intended to suppress crime, but before the petition ended it requested that the "signer hereof shall be hung." The man who prepared the petition carried it through the community; he read the few lines to every intended victim and told him that it was a petition for the suppression of crime and asked him to sign it. He won his bet by getting practically every man in the community to sign a petition the substance of which was that he deserved to be hanged and requested the authorities to hang him.

ITCHING ECZEMA DRIED RIGHT UP WITH SULPHUR

"Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation. It soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth."

It never fails to relieve the smart and discomfort. Sufferers from skin trouble should get a little jar of Mentho-Sulphur from any good drugist and use it like a cold cream.

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Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuff-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

EASTER TIME

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Everything to make Easter an enjoyable affair. Watch for the real live rabbits in the window.

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FRIDAY 18TH OUR BIG NIGHT
Ruth Roland in **RUTH OF THE ROCKIES**, the serial that will please you. Also Larry Semon, the great comedian and Pathe News.

SATURDAY 19TH TRIANGLE AND FOX PICTURES
Matinee: Roy Stewart in **CACTUS CRANDUL** and he will not disappoint you.
Night: Eileen Percy in **WHY TRUST YOUR HUSBANDS**. This is a dandy comedy drama. You can not fail to enjoy. Also the best 1-reel comedy on the market.

MONDAY 21ST SELECT PICTURES
Eugene O'Brien in **WORLDS APART**. This popular star is at his best in this society drama. Also Mutt and Jeff cartoon comedy.

TUESDAY 22ND PARAMOUNT PICTURES
Bryant Washburn in **SIX BEST CELLARS**. This is a prohibition story that has humor from start to finish.

WEDNESDAY 23RD FIRST NATIONAL LATERACTION
Katherine McDonald in **NOTORIOUS MISS LISLE**. Shall a woman be judged by her past? What is the verdict? Do not overlook this.

THURSDAY 24TH ART CRAFT PICTURE
Douglas McLean and Doris May, the two people that so well entertained you in 23 1-2 Hours Leave, will more than entertain you in this comedy drama, for they are the best pair of comedians on the market.

—Cut This Out Now and Save For Future Use.

MATINEE EVERY DAY 2:00 O'CLOCK

Pastime Theatre

MEMBER CLARENDON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

FOUR CERTIFICATES ISSUED TO DOMESTIC SCIENCE GIRLS

Four domestic science girls, pupils of Mrs. Ida Chitwood, county demonstration agent, were the happy recipients of certificates Wednesday for their first year's work. The presentation speech was made by Tom C. Connally at the College auditorium Wednesday morning in his best style and most effective manner. Those receiving certificates were Miss Verne B. Goldston of the Goldston community, Miss Ruby May of the Martin community, Miss Hazel Bynum of Lela Lake and Miss Willie Morelan of the Sunnyview community. The young ladies have worked faithfully the past year and have much to show for their efforts in the way of knowledge and skill. No little credit is due their instructor for her zeal and untiring efforts and her special training for this all important work.

Four certificates will entitle one to credits for two year's work in any state school where domestic science is included in the curriculum. This work is given under the direction of the state A & M college and is free to any one interested.

R. F. Smith of Claude was in town Monday talking business with local fellows who buy and sell realty stuff. Mr. Smith informs us that prasa is coming on the plains and wheat never did look better in the history of the Panhandle.

REPUBLICANS HOLD COUNTY CONVENTION TUESDAY

A county convention of the republicans of this county was held at the courthouse Tuesday of this week. The attendance was very large owing to the fact that not few knew anything about the meeting date. The principal object of the meeting was to elect officers. Dr. T. W. Carroll was elected to fill the post of county chairman for the ensuing term, C. E. Skinner was elected vice chairman and Jim Sherman was elected secretary of the body. The perfecting of the organization of the party in this county at this time is in keeping with party actions all over the nation and no doubt has to do with looking after political "plums" that are due to fall thick and fast the next few weeks. The party in this county includes some of our most highly respected and influential citizens and a good vote was polled at the time of our last election.

J. P. Cauthen, venerable citizen of seventy years past of Hedley, is in town today.

A marriage license was issued Monday to Eunice Springer and Arthur Canady of Lakeview.

STRAWBERRY Plants—Choice Burbank variety. \$1.00 per hundred. Jack Sorrell, Phone 281. (11c)

We want to buy 100 head stock hogs. CLARENDON GRAIN CO.

LEGAL PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, KNOW YE:

That, whereas, pursuant to a judgment in the District Court of Donley County, Texas, in Cause No. 1110 wherein Wm. Gray was plaintiff and L. F. Gregory, Ida L. Gregory, W. D. Johnson and Geo. W. Sitter were defendants, wherein the said Gray recovered a judgment of and from the defendant, L. F. Gregory, in the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Seven and 97-100 Dollars, together with the foreclosure of the vendor's lien on all of the W. 1-2 and the S. W. 1-4 of Section No. 14, in Donley County, Texas, said premises containing 480 acres of land, and lying about 7 miles northeast of the town of Clarendon and being known as Hootenpyle Place. The Clerk of said Court did, on the 9th day of January, 1921, issue an order of sale directed and delivered to me as Sheriff of Donley County, Texas, authorizing and requiring me to seize and sell said premises as under execution, as the law in such cases provides.

Now, therefore, Know that as directed and in pursuance of said writ after having seized said premises I shall on the First Tuesday in April, 1921, the same being the 5th day of said month at the court house door of Donley County, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., at public vendue, cry off and sell such premises to the highest and best bidder for cash pursuant to said writ in the following manner: First, I shall offer and tender for sale all of the S. E. 1-4 of said Section and all of the E. 1-2 of the N. W. 1-4 of said Section, and all of the N. W. 1-4 of the N. W. 1-4 of said Section, and all of the N. 1-2 of the S. W. 1-4 of the N. W. 1-4 of said Section, all containing 300 acres of land, and in the event the last above described premises shall procure a good bid for cash in sufficient sum to satisfy said judgment, together with 10 percent interest and costs of suit and the executive of this writ, then I shall strike off the same to such bidder, he being the highest and best bidder; but in the event the premises last above described shall not procure a bid sufficient to satisfy said writ and the cost of executing the same, then I shall offer for sale the whole of said premises in Block to the highest and best bidder for cash. These are, therefore, to notify you to be there and there present at the time of such sale that you may bid thereon if you may so desire to do.

Witness my hand at Clarendon, Texas, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1921.

J. H. RUTHERFORD, Sheriff, Donley County, Texas. (12c)

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible class at 10 o'clock. Preaching at 11:00. Also 7:00 in the evening. All lessons will be edifying and a Thru. Saith the Lord for our work and worship. Thos. E. Millholland, Minister.

RHODE ISLAND RED and White Leghorn eggs for hatching. Pure blood. Price \$2.50, rd \$5 per hundred. Incubator eggs \$10 per hundred. H. A. Ferguson, Amarillo, Texas. R. I. box 37 A. (11c)

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For Sale

FOR SALE—Fresh cows and young calves. C. A. Wright. 50 tfe.

FOR SALE—Several spans of good work mules. E. M. Ozler. (8tfe)

FOR SALE—Cotton seed that makes 35 to 40 percent lint; matures 110 days. First come, first served. Better hurry. M. W. Mosely. Phone 223 2-R. (11c)

EGGS—Rhode Island Reds. My hens lay every month in the year. I have introduced new blood every year—the best I can get. Never have been inbred. Eggs now at \$2.00 per 15. Phone 387. Mrs. O. E. Dever. (14p)

Thirty or forty Rhode Island pullets at a sacrifice. Phone 113. (9tfe)

SUDAN SEED—At 5 cents per pound. No Johnson with it. Raised on my farm. Frank Hardin. Phone 232 4R. (11p)

FOR SALE—My home, close in. A bargain. Reasons for selling, want suburban property. Phone 410. 10tfe. Jno. A. Shawver.

FOR SALE—Eggs from White Leghorns, Johnson and Ferris strains. 1st pen \$3 per setting; 2nd pen \$1.50 per setting. Phone 101. W. E. Bray. (2tfe)

Wanted

WANTED—Man to take charge of the Singer sewing machine business in Donley county. Hemstitching machine furnished agent to be run on shares. Singer Sewing Machine Company, Amarillo, or see L. G. Runyon at Ford garage. (11p)

PHONE 15 and buy your fresh vegetables, produce and garden seed in bulk from the Johnson Produce Company. (11c)

NOTICE

The following citizens will please act as a committee in the making of a ticket for the election of four Trustees for the Clarendon Independent School District on April 5th, 1921: Chas. Baldwin, Sam W. Lowe, Tom F. Connally, John T. Sims, President. W. W. Taylor, Secretary. (11c)

FINISHING TOUCHES ARE PUT TO PASTIME THEATRE TUESDAY

The finishing touches were put on the Pastime theatre building job Tuesday with the installation of the handsome sectional glass front in the large space over the entrance. This completes the job that has taken a number of months to whip into shape. The building is a credit to any town.

R. W. Talley returned from Wichita Falls Monday night where he had legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Baker and Robert Patton left Sunday for Lamesa for a visit with a daughter, Mrs. Cox, and family. Mr. Cox is ranching near Lamesa, having formed a partnership with Frank Sims of Panhandle last fall.

Mrs. John Beverly will visit in Waxahachie and other places before returning. John received a nice box of flowers from her Tuesday and states that his wife evidently thought he had died. John has the dishrag located and, with the assistance of some good neighbors, is managing to keep the house in order pending the return of his mistress.

Pal Skillman of Amarillo visited friends here Monday. Sheriff Pressley of Memphis was in town on legal business Wednesday.

Miss Roy Howell, a student of C. C. is visiting friends in Wichita Falls for the week.

Henry Lynch, high sheriff of Armstrong county, landed here today on a matter of business in connection with his official duties.

The Presbyterian Ladies' aid society will meet next Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. C. Y. McDonald.

Frank Hardin and family and sister, Miss Mamie Hrdin, visited with relatives and friends at Texola, Oklahoma from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kerbow and son Bennett, left for Rochester, Minnesota Tuesday, making an overland trip to Pampa to have a direct line with few changes between here and the Mayo brothers' hospital to which place Mr. Kerbow goes for an examination and a possible operation for stomach trouble.

E. A. Thompson returned Monday from Axtell, Texas to which place he was called to the bedside of a brother R. C. Thompson, who passed away Monday. The News joins with the many friends of our esteemed fellowtownsman in expressing sincerest sympathy to the bereaved.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The leader of the mission study class, Mrs. John A. Shawver is directing the work in such a way that no member of the society can afford to miss a lesson.

The subject of the last lesson was "The Travels of the Book." Mrs. D. P. Ross, Mrs. G. M. Richards, Mrs. Harwood Beville, Mrs. Fred Wiedman and Mrs. Ingram gave interesting talks upon various topics connected with the study. Then the leader asked the class a number of good thought questions that covered the remaining work thoroughly.

The subject "Resolved that the King James version is a more correct copy of the Bible than the American Authorized" was debated with Mrs. Parker as affirmative and Mrs. Ross Anthony, negative. After the debate there was a lively discussion of the subject and the society resolved to make a closer study of the two versions in order to decide for themselves which is the more correct.

Mrs. C. A. Burton, president of the society outlined the work of the next meeting in a few words and expressed her desire that there be a large attendance.

Rev. Sam J. White, pastor of the Christian church, has accepted an invitation to address the Quannah chamber of commerce at a rally held in that city on Thursday night of this week.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Clarendon, Texas will hold an election on the First Tuesday in April 1921, same being the 5th day of the month, for the election of a Mayor and one Commissioner, the Mayor to be elected for the regular term of two years and commissioner to be elected to fill an unexpired term of one year. Said Election to be held at the County Court House and J. T. Patman is appointed Judge of same.

By order of the City Commission this the 2nd day of March 1921.

CITY OF CLARENDON, By Claud McAllister, Clerk.

We want to buy 100 head stock hogs. CLARENDON GRAIN CO.

NOTICE

All persons having in their possession any road machinery of any nature belonging to Donley county are specially requested to return the same at once to the county commissioner of their precinct.

In future any persons desiring to use any county road machinery will first secure the permission of their county commissioner.

The commissioners court ordered that this notice be published in all county papers hoping it will expedite the return of much of the county road machinery now in the possession of private persons.

By order Commissioners' Court this 17th, March, 1921.

W. T. LINK, County Judge. (11c)

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