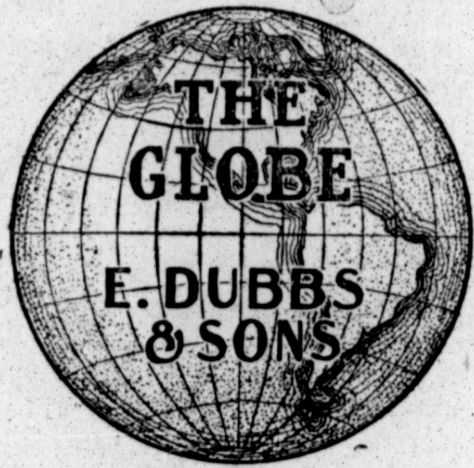




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Do not miss our special sales on Friday and Saturday of each week. We are closing out our entire stock of ready-made men's and boys' suits. One fourth off on regular price on this entire line. One-fourth off on all Hats (except Stetsons) on our special sale days and 50c off on Stetsons. We give you surprising bargains on all other lines, such as neckwear, shirts, hose, shoes, and especially on chinaware. Come to see us if you want bargains.

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—We cater distinctly to those who discriminate. We handle only the Genuine Benedetto Allegretti Co's. Chocolate Creams, 75c per pound. Clarendon Bakery. tf

**Pasturage for Horses.**

Good pasture, plenty of grass and water, five and one-half miles east of town on the Bray road. Terms, 50c per month. Apply to J. C. Scott. 2t

**Sheep for Sale.**

I have a number of sheep for sale and can supply most anything in the sheep line that a man might want. Every farmer should have a small bunch of sheep on his place. See or address me at Clarendon. tf  
JOHN T. SIMS.

—Your wife, your daughter, or your sweetheart can get a valuable diamond ring or ladies gold watch free in voting contest at E. Dubbs & Sons. tf

**For Sale.**

One ceiled, boxed and weather-boarded room 16x20, divided into two rooms 8x16 and 12x16 with shed full length on one side. tf  
T. H. PERBLES.

**Seed Oats.**

Winter White Turf seed oats for sale, \$1 per bushel, at the Beverly ranch. L. C. Beverly, Clarendon, Texas. 43-4t

**Milk Cow Wanted.**

I have a good farm horse which would trade for a milch cow if she is an extra good milker. A good trade for the right party. 2t  
JOHN H. KELLEY.

**For Sale.**

Two good homes in Clarendon. For particulars see me. 3t  
JOHN H. KELLEY,  
Clarendon, Texas.

Hayter Bros. carry the largest and best selected lines of suits for men and boys. Come in and let us show you. it

**TO INCREASE CAPACITY**

Cold Storage Power Company Figuring on Extensive Ice Factory Equipment.

Manager Trent, of the Cold Storage Power Co., is now entertaining figures and propositions on the addition to his present ice factory of improvements which will cost him about \$12,000. If the plans mature the capacity of the plant will increase from five tons per day to twenty per day.

The plant at present is only supposed to supply local demands. Mr. Trent has been called upon so often this summer for shipments to other towns all along the road that he thinks it a matter of expediency to prepare for car lot shipments another season.

On account of the excellent water secured at Clarendon and the fact that it is found easily and in inexhaustible quantities the ice manufacturing business should always prove a paying proposition here, even if some of the other towns do erect small factories. In the gyp belt below here the manufacture of ice can never amount to more than a local proposition, and will even then be found to be surrounded by such serious drawbacks in the shape of natural disadvantages that the plants will prefer shipping in the desired quantity during the dull seasons rather than manufacture the product at home. Of course at the height of the season, when a plant can dispose of its entire product, even serious disadvantages are not to be considered, but when the trade drops off an ice plant can hardly afford to run unless it can look to the outside world for a "boost" trade and can run with the lowest schedule of expense.

Clarendon is peculiarly fortunate in having a citizen with the enterprise of Mr. Trent, while Mr. Trent is peculiarly fortunate in doing business in a town where opportunities are not limited and where nature even takes a hand in the game and gives the wheel of progress a shove.

**Notice.**

All persons are warned from hauling sand or depositing trash in the private road leading north from my house. They will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 43-4t

J. D. JEFFERIES.

**If Your Eyes Trouble You,**

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

**Vote Early and Often.**

You can get tickets with paint and wall paper. Lots of them and rock bottom prices at Stocking's drug store. tf

**Buffalo Horns for Sale.**

A pair of nicely dressed and mounted buffalo horns for \$12. Can be seen at Donley County State Bank. 2t

Snappy school suits in the latest styles and newest patterns at Hayter Bros. it

**OPENING OF AN OLD SORE**

People of Armstrong County: Fighting Against Removal of Railroad Track.

Thursday morning a petition was filed in the office of the district clerk, asking that the Southern Kansas Railway of Texas be perpetually enjoined from removing its track between Panhandle City and Washburn and placing same between Panhandle City and Amarillo.

The petitioners are Jas. Logue, Stephen Bishop, A. Clayton, R. D. Doak, S. B. Stewart, J. G. Rice, W. R. Irby, R. E. Logue, A. G. Sumrall, R. B. Robertson, W. E. Heizer, J. H. Hibbits, H. W. Shuey, H. C. King, and Armstrong county.

The petition alleges that the removal of the roadbed will decrease the market value of property around Washburn, cut petitioners off from market, and deprive the county of much revenue, both by loss of taxes from the railroad and decrease in value of land near Washburn.

The Thirtieth legislature passed an act granting the railroad company the right to make the change and it is the constitutionality of this act that is to be tested. If this piece of legislation should meet the fate of others passed by the same body, when tested in the courts, our Washburn neighbors need have no fears of results.

The attorneys representing petitioners are Crane & Gilbert of Dallas, and W. A. Wilson, of Claude.—Claude News.

**A Sad Death.**

Mrs. Belle Allen, wife of Earl Allen, died at the George Melton place just east of town Saturday afternoon of typhoid fever after being sick only about two weeks. The funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, her pastor, Rev. W. C. Hilburn, officiating.

The death was a sad one, in that Mrs. Allen was a bride of less than a year, having married in December last, moving immediately to this place from Pittsburg, Texas. Her death was something of a surprise to friends whom they had made here, as she had been sick such a short time that few of them were aware of her illness.

The Banner-Stockman joins our people in extending to the young husband, the father and mother, a tender sympathy.

Dr. J. R. Mood, the retiring president of Clarendon College, of Clarendon, is in our city recuperating from a very severe case of sickness. He is accompanied by his wife, and they expect to spend the most of the time at the Cheyenne lake. Dr. Mood's doctors prescribed the Channing latitude for the present, and he thinks he will be much benefited. All his friends here join in hoping this may be true and that he will soon be fully recovered.—Channing Courier.

J. W. Guffin and wife, of Duke, O. T., returning from a trip to the Plains stopped off a day or two the first of the week to visit their old Greer county friends, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McClellan. it

**THE GLOBE'S BIG CONTEST**

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

Increasing interest in the diamond ring and gold watch voting contest at The Globe. Miss Minnie Thorp still leads; Miss Heisler 2nd, while Miss Bessie Caraway and Miss Francis Cooke are close 3rd and 4th. Two candidates have dropped out and Mrs. Chas. McMurtry added with a nice beginning. All the other candidates have received very flattering votes during the week. Below we give total vote to date, August 21.

Miss Minnie Thorpe	858
Miss Ethel Heisler	496
Miss Bessie Caraway	414
Miss Francis Cooke	394
Miss Marian Barnett	251
Miss Sadie Woodward	224
Miss Ruth Atteberry	219
Mrs. Ora Liesberg	197
Miss Pearl Lane	163
Miss Nora Denton	157
Miss Aris Baldwin	146
Miss Fay Dodson	112
Mrs. Chas. McMurtry	61

Respectfully,  
E. DUBBS & SONS.

**Birthday Party.**

Little Miss Catherine Patrick celebrated her third anniversary Saturday by entertaining quite a number of little tots with a birthday party. With her mama's help she succeeded in dispensing large packages of childish joy to all the little folks who could come, followed by unlimited quantities of ice cream, cake and other "goodies." One of the amusements of the afternoon was a contest to see who could, while blindfolded, pin the donkey's tail on straight. Miss Mary Cooke won the prize, a pound package of chocolate drops. The little hostess was the recipient of a large number of presents from her little friends.

**Donley County Apples.**

Mrs. W. M. Crow, five miles north of Memphis, has one of the best apple farms perhaps finest in the state. The trees have been bearing only three or four years and still they have immense crops of fine apples this year. They have gathered eighteen bushels from some trees, and they will average as much as fifteen bushels per tree.—Hall County Herald.

**Lecturer Coming.**

Frank P. O'Hare, of Miles, I. T., will deliver lectures at Rowe and Lelia Lake in the near future, exact dates to be announced later. His subject will be pertaining to political economy.

A. J. and Henry Williams left Monday for a trip to Jacksonville, Cherokee county, where they go to look after some property interests. They have lately become the owners of a 547-acre fruit farm in that county, and on this trip will repair the half-dozen rent houses on same and build some more. They are well pleased with their investment, although the fruit crop this year was cut short in that locality just as it was here.

Walk over and Hayter Bros. will show you a Walk-Over shoe—the best shoe that's made for the money. it



## CONTESTANTS MOVING UP

General Advance All Along the Line  
But no Change in Relative  
Positions This Week.

There was no change in the relative positions of the contestants in the Merchants' Piano Contest this week. All moved up to nice gains, however, and the interest continues good. The vote:

Miss Lora Boles	1058
Miss Adrian Brown	858
Miss Golda Stanton	757
Miss Pearl Lane	588
Miss Mary Shaw	288
Miss Mabel Smith	188
Clarendon Public School	100
Miss Louella Adanson (Hedley)	574
St. Mary's Academy	365
Clarendon College	288
Miss Louise Johnson	250
Miss Grace Tynes	88
Miss Elizabeth Allen	10
Miss L. Davis	1
Miss Myrtle Baker	2
Miss Sallie Davis	2

The following business people give tickets. Call for them when making purchases: Clarendon Lumber Co., Dr. J. P. Stocking, Martin-Bennett Co., The Clarendon Bakery, Imperial Barber Shop, Bagby's Confectionery, A. L. Conally & Co., Steam Laundry, G. B. Liesberg, Miss Porter, McDonald & Carroll, Houser Muller, Nath Goldstein, J. B. McClelland, Hayter Bros., McCone & Hodges, The Hammer-Stockman. Read the rates and regulations on each page.

—Rathjens' are headquarters for school shoes.

Uncle George Smith is visiting relatives at Bowie.

Miss Bertha Besaw is reported quite sick this week.

J. D. or D. P. Ross has returned from the eastern markets.

Mrs. A. M. Beville is numbered among the sick this week.

—Canvas shoes to fit anyone for 25c to 50c at Mickle-Burgher's.

—C. L. Young has all kinds of feed stuff for sale. Phone No. 2.

—The highest grade of school shoes for medium prices at Rathjens.

—Don't fail to see the beautiful patterns of fancy shirts at Hayter Bros.

Gen. W. Washington returned Wednesday from a week's sojourn at Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Magee, of Denton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Carroll this week.

Miss Marie Boutin, of Nacogdoches, Texas, is visiting her friend, Miss Lila McClelland this week.

The Standard real estate deal reported last week was made through the agency of Alexander & Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burdett, of Delton, Texas, are visiting their cousin, J. A. Burdett, and friends this week.

Henry Wheeler and wife and Ben Pierce, of Memphis, came up for the funeral of the little Scoggins baby today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burton have been away this week on a pleasure trip to points in the Pecos Valley of New Mexico.

Mrs. N. A. Cole and Mrs. Mittie Smith, of Pecos City, came in Sunday night for a visit to their son and daughter, Hon. A. T. Cole.

Miss Annie Bald, a former pupil of Clarendon girl but now of Amarillo, spent several days here the past week visiting with friends.

Misses Julia and Ada Kemp, sisters of T. S. Kemp, left last week for their home at Goldthwait after a visit in Clarendon.

C. C. Bearden reports having bought two tracts of land in Hardeman county, comprising about 500 acres at a price a shade under \$40,000.

Lou Sweeney has gone to Amarillo where he has a good chance to rope and tie a bookkeeper's desk in one of the banks of the Windy City.

W. H. Norris and wife have just returned from New Mexico, where Mrs. Norris has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wiley, for several weeks.

Mrs. W. M. Cross and children returned Tuesday night from an extended visit to relatives at Brockbridge, Graham, Brasas and Milsap, Texas.

## The Gun Club.

Mr. H. A. Murrelle, of Wichita Falls, was here yesterday in the interests of the Peters Cartridge Company. Mr. Murrelle is a professional trap shooter and an expert rifle and pistol marksman. He intended giving an exhibition of his work in the latter line, but the weather conditions prevented. He does the same character of work as Capt. Bartlett and Mr. Topperwein, both of whom delighted big crowds here in the past.

The weather man let up in his operations in the late afternoon, however, and a few members of the Clarendon Gun Club were hurriedly gotten together and went with Mr. Murrelle out to the shooting range where some nice scores were made, as follows:

	Shot	Broke
H. A. Murrelle	50	54
J. E. Cooke	50	54
J. D. Carr	50	48
R. F. Smith	50	40
H. W. Rucker	50	38
Dr. T. E. Standifler	50	28

Considering the fact that Messrs. Rucker and Standifler have only recently taken up trap shooting they made good scores. Mr. Rucker broke 27 out of his final 35 rocks. The club will hold another shoot next Thursday afternoon at which a full attendance of the members is desired.

## Married at Dallas.

Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Dr. J. R. Briggs, in Dallas, Mrs. Marguerite McCormick, of Clarendon, was united in marriage to Mr. James B. Carson, of Burstow, Texas. Rev. S. A. Hayden, Baptist minister, officiated, using the beautiful ring ceremony, in the presence of near relatives and a number of invited guests.

The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion, roses and cut flowers abounding in profusion, asters and ferns being the flower feature. The bride carried a bouquet of the latter, which was held by Miss Raymond Briggs, maid of honor, while the ring was being placed. After the ceremony refreshments were served.

This wedding is the culmination of "love's young dream." The bride and groom were sweethearts in often days, and time has seemed to prove that they were intended for one another. On account of a recent illness of the bride, Mr. Carson became impatient and uneasy and claimed her for his own sooner than was intended.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson left on the Wednesday morning train for their future home at Burstow.

## Dr. J. J. Hanna.

Of Drs. Hanna & Swearingen, Amarillo, will be in Clarendon at Dr. Carroll's office Aug. 29 and go to treat diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Glasses fitted.

## Show Your Family Right.

When you want to show your family right at least cost, see Brown & Land for "Our Family" shoes. They are made for wear and comfort.

## For Sale.

Good 4-room box house for sale to party who will move it off of the present lot. Apply at this office.

The court house well has been drilled out, made deeper and otherwise put in good shape. With the new tank and enlarged watering trough the stock water proposition is somewhat improved. We still think, however, that the farmers are entitled to a watering trough up town.

H. M. Joseph, of Lampasas, Tex., has accepted a position with Fletting & Ramsey, the druggists. Mr. Joseph is a graduate from the pharmaceutical department of the Galveston Medical College, and is, therefore, a thorough and practical pharmacist.

Mrs. S. C. Walker and three children, of Archer City, are visiting the lady's mother and sister, Mesdames J. W. Goldens and A. J. Williams.

FOR SALE—One LeFevre double barrel shotgun, original cost \$65, recently re-stocked and repaired at factory. Price \$35 if taken now. This office.

## READY FOR THE OPENING

Clarendon College has Been Thoroughly Renovated and is Now Ready for Another Term.

(Contributed.)

The greatest thing in Texas is the Panhandle, the greatest thing in the Panhandle is Clarendon, and the greatest thing in Clarendon is Clarendon College. This, we think, should go without saying.

Clarendon College has been moving on now going on nearly ten years in the eventful way and will continue to do so for the years to come.

Everybody in our city should be jubilant over Clarendon College, and should speak a good word for it whenever an occasion presents itself.

There is nothing that will add more to the material, social and intellectual uplift of our town than the college we have it our midst, and there is nothing more worthy of the support of our citizens.

College Hill has been very busy for the past few weeks and nothing has been heard but the sound of the hammer, the ring of the saw, the tap of the trowel, and the music of the paper hanger.

The young men's home is a hummer, and the young ladies' a daisy, everything having been put in the finest shape, papering, painting, this, that and the other. The young men will be proud of their home and the young ladies will smile and smile at the aesthetics of things.

Messrs. Henry Taylor and A. M. Smith have brought Clarendon College under many obligations for looking after the repairs so closely. When these two men take hold of a thing, something has to happen, even to the building of a railroad or anything else.

Rev. Miller, the excellent presiding elder of the Clarendon district, has been an invaluable accessory in the good work. Bro. Miller has had an eye to see the need of things.

For the past two weeks Mrs. Burkhead has been full of labors, doing this and suggesting that for the betterment of the young ladies' home. She now enters upon her fourth year as matron of Clarendon College.

Messrs. King, Shepard and Taylor, Humphrey and Cottrell have done a work worthy of all commendation, and we can heartily commend them to anyone wanting work in their special lines.

The faculty of the college will all be on hand on Tuesday the 27th instant, when the fall term will open. We think that we can truthfully say that Clarendon College has never had a better faculty than at present.

Dr. Burkhead has consented to take charge of the college until a president can be had and everybody in Clarendon should give him hearty co-operation. The Dr. is well known all over the Panhandle as he has been connected with the college for years.

The college opens Tuesday the 27th instant. There will be a fine program and everybody in the town is invited to come out to the opening.

With a strong faculty on the inside and a good agent, Bro. Wilson, on the outside, the college certainly need to be congratulated.

## Giles Gosip.

Giles, Texas, Aug. 20.

J. P. Johnson, formerly of Delta, Colorado, came in on the 19th inst. and will make Texas his future home as he has sold out all his interests in Colorado.

Miss Clara Wade and friend, Miss Wurtman, came in on Thursday night's train and will visit friends in and around Giles for several days.

Mrs. Chas. Young, of Clarendon, came down Friday morning to visit with her niece, Miss Della Young and Mrs. Chas. Crow. She returned home Tuesday.

The Shoe Bar outfit has been in Giles for several days waiting for a shipment of 2000 pair of shoes from the V-Y ranch in New Mexico.

Several of Giles' citizens attended the picnic at Naylor's Springs on the 19th. All report a fine time and plenty to eat.

Mrs. Lemon and children, of Clarendon, are visiting her son, John Lemon, at Giles this week.

The Methodists commenced a week of protracted meeting at this place Saturday. Rev. A. T. Culbertson is conducting the meeting.

Mrs. May Williams and children, of Dallas, returned home Saturday after a ten days' visit with her father and mother at their ranch two miles northwest of Giles.

Mr. Harris and family from Oklahoma, relatives of Judge Allen, have been visiting here the past two weeks.

The weather is somewhat dry but the crops around Giles are looking fine.

The farmers are about as well as their corn work and will soon lay their crops by and begin their well deserved rest until harvest time.

Doctor Shelton and family and Dick Killebrew and family were visiting in Giles over Sunday.

A fine rain at Giles Tuesday night will provide plenty of moisture to mature the crops.

The Shoe Bar received twelve cars of the V-Y shoes Tuesday.

Nester S. Ray was up from his kaffir ranch near Hedley Wednesday, looking as pleased as any new grandpa with a fine crop could possibly look.

—Souvenir post cards at Bagby's.

ALL people know that the best is the cheapest. That is why our aim is the Best and nothing but the Best. When you trade with us you can have the satisfaction of knowing that you are getting your money's worth.



Mickle-Burgher  
Hardware Co.  
The Quality Store

## YOUR PICTURE

IS, OR SHOULD BE, TRUE TO LIFE, BUT IT SHOULD ALSO POSSESS A STYLE THAT WILL BRING OUT THE BEST FEATURES. DID YOU EVER NOTICE THAT MY PICTURES HAVE THIS STYLE? ..... NOTICE THEM



H. MULKEY

Walk over and Hayter Bros. will show you a Walk-Over shoe—the best shoe that's made for the money.

—The only place in town you can get voting tickets with jewelry is in the jewelry department in Stocking's store.



# LAST CALL

Our special sale that has been on will continue through next week

People have taken advantage of the special bargains and are well satisfied with their purchases. We still have some rare values in Shirts and Hats, Pants and Neckwear. Especially do we mention our line of Hats. Never has there been such values offered. Our Racket Stock has been thinned out and the rest of it goes at a greater sacrifice still. Be sure to look them over....While we are moving these goods we are receiving new goods in our furnishings department. See them. Don't fail to come in and see us this week.

## W. H. Thompson

We serve Cold Drinks and Alta Vista Cream, the best in town

### Furniture For Everybody

WE desire to announce to the public that we are now ready for business with a complete stock of Furniture and house furnishings. This stock is bought right and will be sold right. We are located in our own 50-foot front building, and our manager is an experienced furniture man who will take pleasure in showing you the stock whether you buy or not. We are a new firm and want to make your acquaintance, and know that once acquainted we will get our share of the trade, as our goods and the prices on same will do our talking. Our stock will be second to none in the Panhandle. It will be our aim to be able to supply anything in the furniture line.

We will give tickets on the piano contest with each purchase of 25 cents or over. Someone will get a fine piano free and this is the only furniture store in town giving tickets. Ask for them. Yours for business,

**McDaniel  
& Carroll**

#### SAND OR CEMENT

Which do you prefer? Bricks are made of the soil alone. Cement blocks are made of cement and sand, scientifically mixed and hardened into an indestructible mass. I make cement blocks and make them right.

**J. W. M'CURRY**

### LUMBER LUMBER LUMBER

No matter what your needs in the lumber line I want an opportunity to supply same. Full stock of all kinds of Building Material, Paints, Oil, Glass and WALL PAPER. Best Paint Sold—"B. P. S." Absolutely the largest and best line of Wall Paper ever brought to Clarendon.

**J. W. MORRISON,**

Yard opposite public school.

#### Apples Preserved in Ice.

J. C. Braunbeck, of Wallis Run, Lycoming county, Pennsylvania, adopted a unique method of preserving his apples last fall. He built a bin in the orchard seven feet wide, 14 feet long and three feet high. In the bottom of this he put straw, then filled it with apples, putting straw on the sides and ends. Then he placed straw and corn-stalks on top. He dug a ditch around it to keep the water from standing there. Some water, however, found its way through the top and formed ice about each of the apples, but they were not disturbed until the ice had all melted. The apples were sound, crisp and without a wrinkle.

#### One Step at a Time.

It is wonderful how much practical wisdom about the smallest perplexities of daily life comes to men who keep both their feet and their wishes still until Providence—the world prefers to call it "circumstances"—clears a path for them. No doubt in all our lives there come times when we seem to have been brought into a blind alley, and cannot see where we are to get out; but it is very rare indeed that we do not see one step in advance the duty which lies next us. And be sure of this, that if we are content to see but one step at a time, and take it, we shall find our way made plain.—Rev. Alexander MacLaren.

#### To Satisfy a Grudge.

Sir Thomas Lipton, apropos of bachelorhood and marriage, said in an after-dinner speech in Chicago: "Bachelors, I admit, are villains, but it is a shame to play such tricks on them as it is customary everywhere to do. A nasty trick was played on a bachelor friend of mine at a dance. A woman was reproaching him for never having married, when her husband, a little bored, perhaps, said gruffly: 'He says he could have cut me out and married you if he had wanted to.' The woman started. 'Indeed!' she cried. 'Why didn't he do it, then?' 'He says he owed me a grudge,' the husband explained, with a chuckle."

#### Elephant vs. Crocodile.

An African hunter once found a large crocodile hanging in the fork of a tree about ten feet from the ground. As the place was fully half a mile from any water, it was difficult to account for the crocodile's strange position. When questioned upon the subject the natives explained that it was put there by an elephant. It seems that when the elephants wade into the Lake Ngami to bathe the crocodiles are in the habit of worrying them and biting their legs. Sometimes when an elephant is annoyed beyond endurance it picks its tormentor up and puts it among the branches of a tree and leaves it there.—Tit-Bits.

#### For Sale.

Two four-room residences favorably located, well shaded by the finest shade trees in the city. For prices and terms inquire of Dr. J. D. STOCKING.

#### Happiness.

Happiness in this world, when it comes, comes incidentally. Make it the object of pursuit, and it leads us a wild goose chase, and is never attained. Follow some other object, and very possibly we may find that we have caught happiness without dreaming of it, but likely enough it is gone the moment we say to ourselves, "Here it is!" like the chest of gold that treasure-seekers find. . . . There is something more awful in happiness than in sorrow—the latter being earthly and finite, the former composed of the substance and texture of eternity so that spirits still embodied may well tremble at it.—Nathaniel Hawthorne.

#### How He Got a Drink.

An Indiana travelling man told a story the other day of an incident on the road. He was in the smoking car of an express train reading his paper when a man rushed in from the car behind the smoker, evidently in great agitation and said: "Has anybody in this car any whisky? A woman in the car behind has fainted!" Instantly dozens of flasks were produced. The man who had asked for it picked out the largest one, drew the cork and put the bottle to his lips. With a long satisfied sigh he handed the flask back, and remarked: "That did me a lot of good, and I needed it, for it always makes me feel queer to see a woman faint away!"

#### Troubles of the Ancients.

Perseus had cut off the head of Medusa. "Speaking of snake stories," he said throwing the head, with its wriggling serpents into a bag, "I guess that will hold you for a while." But the appalling realization of what he had done did not burst upon him until he discovered that his hasty deed had turned Pegasus loose upon the world.

#### Dead Heads.

"Conductor," said the gasping passenger, vainly trying to raise a window. There are at least a billion microbes in this car." "You ought to be able to stand that if the company can," growled the street car conductor. "We don't get a blamed cent for carrying 'em."

#### Faulty Statistics.

"The department of agriculture has figured out," he read from the paper, "that rats cost the people of this country \$100,000,000 a year." "John Henry," replied his wife, "I don't believe a word of it. Why, mine only cost 35 cents, some women make their own, and some wear their hair flat. Huh, can't tell me."

#### Foxy Albert.

Grandmother (to little urchin)—"Come here, Albert, and tell this lady how you gained the prize for reading." Albert—"Oh, quite easy. It was George Roussin who got it; but, on coming home, we two had a game of marbles and he lost."

—Fall styles of suits for men and boys on display at Hayter Bros.

### SCHOOLS TO OPEN SOON

Preparations About Completed Looking to Another Busy and Successful School Term.

The vacation season is almost at a close and Clarendon is a busy place just now. The three schools have been engaged for some time getting their buildings in shape for the new term, and much money has been spent by each looking to the comfort of the prospective pupils. The attendance at each of the three promises to be record-breaking in its character. The trustees of the public school anticipate having to provide another teacher and an additional room.

Already the town is full of new people, attracted by the schools. Not a rent house to be had for love or money and applications coming in thick and fast on every mail. Some families have come without securing a home first and have been hard pressed to find a residence. Others who wished to rent have changed their minds and bought homes, or are preparing to build. The rent house proposition in Clarendon gets more serious with each session of school. The demand grows greater, and while the building operations the past year have been wonderful in extent still the problem is not only not solved but there are just as many people seeking shelter as before.

We believe that if every vacant building site within the city proper were occupied by a house a family would be in readiness for each.

#### Notice.

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

#### Barcus Not Coming.

Word was received from Rev. J. Sam Barcus this week to the effect that he would be unable to accept the presidency of Clarendon College. His many friends here will regret the fact, but it cannot be helped.

For the vacant the principal, Dr. S. L. Burkhead, will act as president of the institution, and we predict that the affairs of the school will be found in safe hands. The genial doctor has had about thirty years' experience in such matters and should be able to handle the presidency in good shape.

#### Baby is Dead.

The 3-months-old baby boy of Mr and Mrs. Arthur Scoggins died at the home of Mrs. J. C. Scoggins yesterday morning after an illness lasting almost the entire span of its short little life. Several weeks ago Mr. Scoggins was forced to take his wife to the coast on account of the desperate condition of her health, and as the mother was altogether unable to take care of the baby it was left with its grandmother. All that was possible to be done for it was done, of course, but to no avail—it was destined to join the angels and a merciful Father called it home. To the bereaved young mother and father so far away the tenderest sympathy of our entire people goes out in this sad hour of grief.



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### BUSINESS NOTICE.

On account of the conflict in date and to avoid confusion and misunderstandings the advance in subscription price of the Banner-Stockman will not go into effect until Nov. 2nd, the same date on which the piano contest closes. Up to Nov. 2nd, 1907, one dollar will pay for a year's subscription, either back dues or in advance. After Nov. 2nd the price will be \$1.50 per year.

WONDER what's the matter down in Hall county? Some time ago the sheriff resigned, and now the county attorney and three of the county commissioners hand in their resignations in one package.

CHILDRESS has landed a corporation which will put in city water works, electric lights and an ice factory, and now according to the Index she is to be "the leading city of the Panhandle." That's what you said five or six years ago, Ed. What's that old saw about weather prophets? Wonder if it wouldn't apply in this case!

Elmer Stovall exterminated Johnson grass on fifty acres of land, six miles south of Waco, by grazing the land with sheep and occasionally plowing it over. The task was accomplished in two years at an estimated expense of \$1 per acre. The land was thoroughly sodded in Johnson grass and this year not a blade is to be seen.—Bridgeport Index.

Texas is experiencing one of the worst drouths in its history, and crops of all kinds are being damaged and the loss to farmers will be heavy.—Ft. Worth Telegram.

This immediate section of Texas must be excepted from the sweeping statement of The Telegram. There has been no drouth in Donley county and crop conditions and prospects were never better. As we write the ground is muddy from a splendid rain, which, following the one of two weeks ago, insures a bumper corn crop. In fact Donley county don't know the meaning of the word "drouth." She has never had one.

We are in receipt of a letter from Editor Thomas of the Childress Post in reply to our request for the name of the victim of the alleged Clarendon hotel hold-up of July 4th. Brother Thomas not only declines to give the name for publication but also denies us the privilege of publishing his letter. We are therefore, compelled to call the investigation off so far as we are concerned. The matter resolves itself into a charge of extortion by a nameless party and a denial by the hotel men of Clarendon. As the latter have expressed a desire to have the matter sifted, and as the former seems unwilling to do more than stand in the dark and make charges through another, the public, thus left to form its own conclusions in the case, will doubtless render a verdict of "not guilty." The Banner-Stockman is through with the matter.

S. D. Parks, of Stamford, with his family, came in last week to make Clarendon their home. Mr. Parks is the gentleman who recently purchased the Dubbs business building.

A. J. Haney, of Wilbarger county, was here Monday looking for a rent house for his family which he expects to move here for school benefits.

### Miss Cornie Caldwell Married.

A Roswell paper has the following account of the marriage of a former Clarendon girl:

A quiet home wedding was that of Mr. Bernard Gunsul, the well known electrician, and Miss Cornie Caldwell, which occurred last night at 7:30 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Caldwell, at 210 North Pennsylvania avenue. While many expected the happy event, it came somewhat as a surprise to all except the close relatives. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. Townsend, of Little Rock, Ark., grandfather of the bride, who arrived recently for a visit with relatives. Only the members of the bride's family attended. For the present the couple will make their home at the Woolace residence on North Pennsylvania avenue. Both bride and groom have many friends in Roswell, and all will join in wishing them every happiness and success.

### Miles A. Beckner.

Miles A. Beckner, the 21-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Beckner, died at the family home three miles west of town at an early hour Tuesday morning after an illness of only seven days with typhoid fever and pneumonia. As a fever patient he was doing nicely, but when pneumonia set in he only lived about 24 hours. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock, Rev. W. C. Hilburn of the M. E. Church, south, officiating, the services being held at the grave.

Deceased came here with his parents a year or so ago from West Virginia. He was a quiet, hard-working, gentlemanly boy, and had the entire respect and esteem of all who knew him. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America, and the local members of that order were present at the funeral.

The Banner-Stockman begs to extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

—Watches? Sure, J. M. Clower;

—You get tickets with everything you buy at Stocking's. tf

—Canvas shoes to fit anyone for 25c to 50c at Mickle-Burgher's.

—Fall styles of suits for men and boys on display at Hayter Bros. it

T. L. Benedict, the affable "hello man," is able to be out in his buggy again after a month's enforced idleness caused by his broken leg. He says he will soon be ready for duty again.

J. T. Morrow and family are entertaining Mrs. Sarah Parker, of Ft. Worth, and Mrs. Sarah Robinson, of Bedford, Texas. Mrs. Parker is Mrs. Morrow's mother. They will remain several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Todd, of Comanche, on the return trip from Cool Colorado, stopped off in Clarendon this week for a few days with Mrs. Todd's sister and brother, Mrs. Crockett Taylor and G. C. Skinner.

—See those bargains in shoes, 25c to \$1.00 at Mickle-Burgher's

—A better line of jewelry, watches, clocks, etc., than ever before, and that is saying a good deal, for you all know that Clower never buys anything but the best. When you get it from Clower you know it is right. tf

Mrs. James McNeil and daughters, Misses Maggie and Helen, of Teneha, Texas, on their return home from Amarillo stopped over a day or two in Clarendon for a visit with their old friends, W. A. Land and family.

—A book satchel free with every pair of school shoes at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

A jolly crowd of young people came down from Claude Sunday morning to take in the camp meeting and incidentally to visit Miss Leslie Antrobus. Misses Ethel Davis, Carrie Smith, Gertie Griffin, Elsie Hargross and Messrs. Bounds Howe, Earl Blanton, Claude Howe and Hood Brown. All expressed themselves well pleased with our little city.

—Read E. Dubbs & Sons great premium contest on first page.

### TRICK NOT ALWAYS AMUSING.

Sometimes Hubby Is Entirely Unable to See the Joke.

This is a simple trick, and every married woman can perform it; but it requires the assistance of a confederate with a big bag of shining tinware on his back. First get a husband with an extra pair of slightly worn trousers in his wardrobe; then have the confederate—the man with the bag of tinware—come to the back door and knock gently. The wife must then peep out in a frightened way, and immediately the man with the tinware tells a tale that resembles a mining stock advertisement. The wife stops to think a few minutes. Suddenly she must rush to the wardrobe, but only after the man rattles the brilliant tinware to arouse her. The wife must walk back to the man again with the trousers. The man must take them and hand the wife a few tin pans. All the while the man with the tinware must smile happily. At last the transaction is completed, and presto change! the husband's trousers have disappeared and in their place appears some tinware on the kitchen table. This trick is very novel, and will amuse the husband greatly. The trick should not be performed while the husband is in bed, unless he has an extra pair of trousers.—F. P. Pitzer, in Judge.

### Notice.

CLARENDON, Tex., Aug. 15, 1907.

Complying with Section 20, Article 164, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by the 30th Legislature and effective July 16th, A. D., 1907; notice is hereby given that the commissioners court of Donley county will convene on Monday, the 16th day of September, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of considering proposals made in accordance with the requirements of said chapter, from any banking incorporation, association or individual banker in Donley county, Texas, looking to the selection of a depository for the funds of said Donley county.

The right is reserved to reject any and all said bids or proposals. Done by order of the commissioners court, made and entered of record on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1907.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 15th day of August, A. D. 1907.

GEO. F. MORGAN,  
County Judge.

### Will Take Boys.

St. Mary's Academy will take boys under 14 years of age in their day school this coming term. Parties having children to enter will please take notice.

### Lodge Directory.

Panhandle Lodge, No. 60, Knights of Pythias, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend the lodge. C. C. Powell, C. C.; H. W. Kelley, K. of R. & S.

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

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

Clarendon Chapter No. 215, R. A. M., meets regularly the first Friday night in each month. J. W. Morrison, H. P.; Wade Willis, Secretary.

Woodbine Camp, No. 476, W. O. W., meets every Friday night; visiting choppers welcome. D. C. Sullivan, C. C.; J. J. Alexander, Clerk.

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

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

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THIS SHAPE IS THE

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WESLEY KNORPP, Cashier.

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Clarendon, Texas

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Will Take up Land Notes and also Accept Them as Collateral

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## We Call the Attention of the Public

To our new lock stitch machine and the work it is doing. Come in and let us show you. We are now making all our harness, also still have the most complete line of saddles in the Panhandle. Yours for trade,

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IS ALL I WANT. Having bought the Berry & Potts barber shop I respectfully solicit your patronage. Mr. Potts remains with me, also Ed Leithausen. With three chairs and two bath rooms we are equipped to handle your trade in first-class style.

...J. R. Tucker

## Panhandle Steam Laundry

Respectfully solicits the ENTIRE patronage of the Clarendon public and always GUARANTEES SATISFACTION. Phone 88.

## G. C. Hartman

All kinds of Tinwork, Flues, and Flue Repairing. Shop on north side of track near residence. Your patronage is solicited.





LOTS OF PEOPLE WEAR GOOD OUTER CLOTHING BUT NOT GOOD SHIRTS. THEY SAY, "WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE?" THERE IS A DIFFERENCE. A WELL FITTING SHIRT FEELS COMFORTABLE BECAUSE IT IS VERY CLOSE TO YOU. TO BUY GOOD SHIRTS IS ECONOMY. THE LAUNDRY YOU KNOW IS HARD ON CHEAP SHIRTS. WE THINK OF THIS WHEN WE BUY OUR SHIRTS. THEREFORE WE BUY FOR YOU GOOD F. McK. SHIRTS.

\$1.50 SHIRTS FOR \$1.25  
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RESPECTFULLY,

*Martin-Bennett & Buster*

**The Limit of Life.**

The most eminent medicine scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limit of human life is many years below the attainment possible for advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period, that determines its duration, seems to be between 50 and 60; the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged; carelessness then being fatal to longevity. Nature's best helper after 50 is Electric Bitters, the scientific tonic medicine that revitalizes every organ of the body. Guaranteed by J. D. Stocking, druggist, soc.

**A Bargain.**

A No. 1 shed room, 10x12 feet, weatherboarded over head, for sale cheap. See C. L. YOUNG, City.

**Steffens Cream.**

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

**Endorsed by the County.**

"The most popular remedy in Otsego county, and the best friend of my family," writes Wm. M. Dietz, editor and publisher of the Otsego Journal, Gilbertsville, N. Y., "Is Dr. King's New Discovery. It has proved to be an infallible cure for coughs and colds, making short work of the worst of them. We always keep a bottle in the house. I believe it to be the most valuable prescription known for lung and throat disease." Guaranteed to never disappoint the taker, by J. D. Stocking druggist. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

All good shoes at Rathjen's.

C. W. Adair, of Clarendon, has bought the interest of W. L. Wheat in the saddle and harness business of Adair & Wheat, and the firm name in future will be Adair Bros. Mr. Adair is now arranging to move his family here at once as soon as he can arrange for a house and get into active business. Like his brother he is a practical workman and the firm will make a strong one. They will turn out some fine harness and saddles and expect to do a good business this fall.—Hall County Herald.

Hugh Morgan "stumped his toe" and rolled down the back stairs at home Monday morning, sustaining divers bruises and contusions as a result. He was stunned for a few minutes, but was himself again in a short time. Hugh says he will stick to the old fashioned way of "sliding down the banisters" after this.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Bushnell, of Clarendon, are in Channing visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Horn. Messrs. Bushnell and Horn have been spending the greater portion of the week at the Magenta Lake fishing. They report having had splendid success, and caught about all the fish they wanted, besides an extra large turtle.—Channing Courier.

The Banner-Stockman will supply you with all kinds of papers for typewriting, also carbon sheets and ribbons at prices no larger than you pay Clark & Courts or Dorsey. Call and see.

**MEMPHIS WATER WORKS**

Hall County Herald Tells of the Plans for Securing Abundant Water.

The system of water works now being placed in Memphis by Capt. D. Browder and son, J. D. Browder, is an enterprise worthy of the most enterprising citizens, and would be a credit to a town many times the size of ours. While it is generally understood in this section that Memphis is soon to have water works yet little is known of the details of the system by people outside of a limited locality. Good healthful water is quite an item in the Panhandle, or anywhere else as to that, and the town that has an abundance of it is at once a desirable place in which to live. By virtue of this fact Memphis is such a place.

The water is to be conducted by a 6-inch main from a point six and one-half miles northwest near the Denver Railroad in Donley county. From six or seven springs flows cool, bright and sparkling water that chemical analysis shows to be the best. The basin of these springs is at the head of a canyon which extends toward Memphis for some distance. The water from these springs will be conveyed by pipes into the main leading to town. Each spring, except one is walled in and covered. The total discharge is about 125 gallons per minute, or 180,000 gallons per day. This will be sufficient to furnish a barrel of water to each of 5,000 people and allow five and one-half gallons each for wastage. The elevation of the springs above Memphis is 266 feet—a good strong head. Theoretically, this will give a pressure per square inch at the points of distribution of 115 lbs.; but making allowance for friction, the pressure will be reduced to from 75 to 90 pounds. For this reason pipes of special strength are being used.

The section of land on which the springs are located belongs to Capt. Browder and his son. They have secured the right-of-way for the main into town. The surface of the right-of-way slopes gradually; there being only two slight depressions along the whole way.

There will be six and one-half miles of 6-inch main and about four miles of 4-inch pipes. The 4 and 6-inch pipes are being made at the Rusk penitentiary, and the 2-inch pipes being made at Pittsburg, Penn. They will be laid two and one-half feet under the surface of the ground to prevent the water freezing. The larger pipes are cast iron and the smaller ones are steel.

There are now twenty-two men and several teams at work. The system will be in operation by early fall. Delay in laying the pipes has been occasioned by the slowness of railroads in delivering pipes and lead. But in a short time Memphis will have a system of water which, considering the supply and the nature of the water, will surpass anything of kind in the Panhandle.

**Remedy for Diarrhoea. Never Known to Fail.**

"I want to say a few words for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used this preparation in my family for the past five years and have recommended it to a number of people in York county and have never known it to fail to effect a cure in any instance. I feel that I can not say too much for the best remedy of the kind in the world."—S. JEMISON, Spring Grove, York county, Pa. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

**Notice, Cotton Ginners.**

The Thirtieth Legislature passed a law creating a Bureau of Cotton Statistics in the department of agriculture. The object of this Bureau is directly to benefit the cotton growers by furnishing accurate information in regard to the condition of the Texas cotton crop during the period when this crop is actually being marketed. The fact that Texas produces one-third of the entire cotton crop of the United States will at once show the need of such a bureau and the importance to the cotton grower of the information to be furnished by it. This information is to be based upon actual figures whose accuracy is sworn to. There is to be no guess work or estimating about any part of it.

The plan devised for the collection of these statistics is as follows: BEFORE ENGAGING IN THE BUSINESS OF PUBLIC GINNERS, each ginner shall obtain from the county clerk of the county in which gin is located a certificate (free of cost) showing that he has taken the oath prescribed by this law. The oath provides that the ginner shall make correct reports to the Commissioner of Agriculture. The county clerks are to send to the commissioners of agriculture the certificate number, name and postoffice address of each ginner that qualifies. The Commissioners of Agriculture shall send to each ginner blanks and envelopes for the official cotton report. The ginner shall make their report between the 1st and 3rd of each month. On the eighth of each month the Commissioners of Agriculture shall open and compile these reports in the presence of three witnesses, appointed by the Governor for this particular purpose. The result shall be published at eleven o'clock a. m. on the ninth of each month. The law places a severe penalty upon all ginner who fails to comply with its provisions.

**"Everybody Should Know"**

says C. G. Hays, a prominent business man of Bluff, Mo., that Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the quickest and surest healing salve ever applied to a sore, burn or wound, or to a case of piles. I've used it and know what I'm talking about." Guaranteed by J. D. Stocking, druggist, 25c.

**NEWS ITEMS FROM HEDLEY**

Happenings of the Week Tersely Told. Good Cotton Growing Weather and no Sickness.

(Delayed from last week.) Hedley, Texas, Aug. 15.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN: Hedley, the town of fresh water. Hot, dry weather.

No sickness in our neighborhood. F. H. Petree, of Memphis, has been in Hedley the past few days on business.

Cecil and Mabel Blair were in Memphis Saturday to see the dentist of that town.

Miss Emma Reed, of east Texas, is visiting her uncle, W. A. Kinslow, this week.

E. R. Clark, our county surveyor, has moved his family from Clarendon to his ranch, two miles east of here.

Rev. Culbertson, of the Methodist church, is conducting a very successful revival meeting at Hedley this week.

Clint and Charley Philips were in town Wednesday on business.

W. J. Thaxton, of Giles, was seen on our streets one day last week.

Messrs. Seb and John Harris and sister, Miss Mary, were in town from the ranch this week visiting friends and attending the revival meeting.

Messrs. McCarroll, the merchants of Bray, were in Hedley Tuesday on business.

W. F. Waldron has bought for his daughter a nice piano which adds more pleasure to their nice home.

Miss Alice Lewis, of Memphis, is visiting the Misses Miller in the north part of town.

Cashier G. A. Wimberly gave Mrs. Wimberly a surprise one morning this week by placing one of those nice pianos in the home.

Mr. Tarpley has begun the erection of a business house on the lot bought of the town site company just south of the public well.

Messrs. Johnson & Johnson, of Estelline, have rented the Adamson store building on Main street and will build another room on the lot joining, and will open a full stock of hardware and furniture at once.

Mr. Willis, of Gainesville, has arrived to take charge of the J. C. Woodriddle Lumber Co. yard at this place.

Homer Wilkins has just completed one of the nicest cottages in town, and is now at home.

A number of prospectors from Cooke and Athens county have been in town this week. They say Hedley is the best located town they have seen in the Panhandle.

Our school trustees moved from the town of Rowe the school building and located same in the northeast part of Hedley.

The basket ball team is doing some nice playing these days. A. C. Carson is umpire for the team.

W. E. Reeves is not seen on our streets very often, owing to the fact that he has a new piano and a new boy both at his home.

J. R. Boston said, "Well, it is a 13-lb. boy, is all right, too." Came to the home on August 14.

The Hedley Sunday school with a number of friends went out on Indian creek last Wednesday for a day's outing and picnicing. A most enjoyable time was had. Swings of ropes were fixed on the limbs of the large trees and the small, the middle aged and the old children had a nice time. Ice water was free. Master Homer Graham was there with the best of ice cream and wax to make the day pleasant.

Chas. Kinslow, Ed Dishman and Will Warren went to Naylor Springs to day to take in the big Farmers' Union picnic. They got one more square meal they say.

**Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Better Than Three Doctors.**

"Three years ago we had three doctors with our little boy and everything that they could do seemed in vain. At last when all hope seemed to be gone we began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and in a few hours he began to improve. Today he is as healthy a child as parents could wish for."—MRS. B. J. JOHNSTON, Linton, Miss. For sale by all druggists.

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When you want to shoe your family right, at least cost, see Bryan & Land for "Our Family" shoes. They are made for wear and comfort.

**For Sale.**

Good 4-room box house for sale to party who will move it off of the present lot. Apply at this office.

**FOR SALE—One LeFevre double barrel shotgun, original cost \$65, recently re-stocked and repaired at factory. Price \$25 if taken now. This office.**

**The Clarendon Cash Store**

**Be Careful**

In your buying as we are in ours and you will be a gainer, which is equivalent to saying that our method of merchandizing, while it nets us a nice little profit, still helps you. We watch the market as the proverbial cat watches the proverbial mouse, and you profit in grocery purchasing when you purchase from us.

**NOTE THESE PRICES.**

Best lightbread flour per hundred.	\$2.85
Good biscuit flour per hundred.	\$2.50 to \$3.00
Bran	1.45
Chops	1.45
Potatoes, pk	.40
Jewel Compound (lard) 10 lb.	1.00
Cottolene, 10 lb.	1.25
Dry Salt Meat	12 1/2 c
Smoked Bacon	.15
Standard Sugar Corn, 3 cans	.25
Farmer Jones Sorghum, gal.	.50
Bear Brand Sorghum, gal.	.50
Rock Candy Syrup, gal	.60
Fancy Table Syrup, gal	.45
Evap. Peaches, per lb	.14
6 lbs. Good Coffee	1.00
5 lbs. Arbuckle Coffee	.95
2 cans Red Salmon	.25
5 gal. Coal Oil	.90
Sweet Pickles, gal.	.75
Sour Pickles, gal.	.45
Lemons, doz.	.30



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## A PREMIUM OFFER.

The Banner-Stockman is continually going after new home subscribers. We never let up in our efforts to get the paper into every Donley county home, and never expect to let up on that work until our efforts are crowned with success. We went into the Merchants' Piano Contest solely for the reason that we saw an opportunity to increase our subscription list in the county, and we believe after several weeks' trial that our foresight was good. Now in order to get new Donley county subscribers, also in order to stimulate interest in the Piano Contest, we make the following premium offer to the young ladies who are contestants for the piano:

To the contestant who by her own work or through the assistance of her friends brings us the greatest number of new yearly subscribers living in Donley county we will give choice of any lady's \$20.00 winter wrap in stock of any of the Banner-Stockman's advertisers.

Remember, that with each subscription the contestant gets 100 votes in the piano contest. There are no strings to this offer. The contestant to whose credit we find the greatest number of new names when the piano contest is over will get the order for the \$20 wrap, no matter if there are not more than a dozen new names added to the list in all.

New subscribers living out of the county will not be considered in this offer. It is Donley county readers we want, not foreign subscribers. Contestants will be furnished with lists of names of parties in the county not now subscribers to the paper on application to this office, and may go to work at once. The price of the Banner-Stockman will remain at \$1.00 per year until Nov. 2nd, on which date the contest closes. Names should be turned in as fast as secured.

Now, girls, get to work personally, and also get your friends to help you. If you don't get the piano you may get this premium.

The Banner-Stockman has refrained from making suggestions to the council regarding needed reforms on account of the scarcity of funds, but while this street work is being done we desire to say that some little money should be expended on the main business street. It is in a very bad condition, and in some places has large holes in it, so large in fact, that it is necessary to slow up in driving over them. The street should be graded and graveled again, but if the funds will not permit of this it should at least be repaired in the worst spots.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Guill called yesterday to have their paper changed to Rowe, having moved back to that point from Arlington. They both say they will be content to stay with Donley county in the future, although Mrs. Guill enjoyed fine health while at Arlington.

LOST—A Past Matron's O. E. S. pin somewhere between the lodge room and my residence. "Clarendon Chapter No. 6 O. E. S." engraved on the bar, and the year date on gavel. Reward for return to Mrs. H. D. Ramsey or to this office.

J. L. Powell, of Brookston, Lamar county, was here this week prospecting. He was delighted with our county and returned home to dispose of his property there so as to be able to move here.

## Christian Tabernacle Meeting.

The meeting at the Christian church tabernacle has already been a success in point of attendance and bringing people into the church. A large number have already taken membership with the church and many more are expected to do so before the meeting closes. Tonight Evangelist Holmes preaches on the theme "The Three Judgment Bars."

Tomorrow evening (Saturday) will be the entertainment. The program will consist of moving pictures, illustrated songs by Prof. McVay. The world's most famous paintings will be reproduced and Cartoons from "The Rams Horn." Admission 15c and 25c. This will be a high class entertainment in every respect.

Sermon Sunday a. m. "The Church Real and Ideal." Sunday evening, "Does It Pay." Solo at each service by Prof. McVay.

Those attending the Farmers' Union picnic at the Lattimore grove on Lake Creek last Thursday report a magnificent time. It was an old fashioned gathering of the kind where everyone made himself at home and was glad to see his neighbor. The Fort Worth speaker who was to make a farmers' union speech failed to show up, and beyond an address of welcome by W. M. Cavness and a response by J. T. McHan there was "nothing doing" in the line of oratory. Sheriff Patman says he has never seen such a spread as the dinner proved to be. His gait indicates that he foundered himself. In the afternoon a baseball game was played between Rowe and Lelia Lake, and a splendid game was the result. There was a big crowd present and the entire day was a success.

## A New Flour.

Barnett, Smith & Thornton have just received a car of light bread flour. Every sack guaranteed; try a sack. We are still selling groceries cheap. You can save money by paying cash for what you eat.

Chas. Whitstien, who is located on the Capelhart place twelve miles north of town, called this morning and reported six inches of rain in his locality this week. Yesterday afternoon saw the climax in one of the hardest rains he ever saw. So far as he knew there was no damage done to farming interests.

## Notice.

Hereafter all work and supplies will be cash unless satisfactory arrangements are made. Dated 8-1, 07. 2t STEWART & GILLIAM.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Chestnut are entertaining all their children, as well as other guests, this week, and a very happy family reunion is reported in progress. Those present: Horace Chestnut and family of Nocona; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges of Groom; Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Paine of Nocona; David Hodges and wife of Nocona.

## For Rent.

Three or four rooms to small family. Apply at this office. 1t

High Brown says E. R. Clark is tickled to death with his shallow well just completed at the ranch. He secured an inexhaustible flow at 125 feet. Mr. Brown is operating two well drilling outfits and reports a hard time keeping up with his orders.

Wednesday night gave us another good rain of the ground-soaking kind. In all we have had about an inch and a half of rainfall this week, up to Tuesday morning. No Donley county man has a grinch this season.

Mrs. W. H. Martin and daughter have returned from a visit to Amarillo. Mrs. A. L. Daily, of that city, will come down Sunday for a visit of several days with Mrs. Martin.

Bob Collins has sold his interest in the grocery business at Amarillo and will sojourn in Colorado for awhile for the benefit of his health, says the Amarillo daily.

Mrs. Alvis Weatherly is this week entertaining her sister, Miss Mary McClelland, of Quanah, and her cousin, Mrs. W. F. Carter, of Wichita Falls.

—Jewelry? Why, Clower, of course!

—W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon, Texas. 1t

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Taylor on the 22nd, a fine girl.

—Don't fail to attend the closing week of the clearance sale at Thompson's. 1t

Miss Selma McCloud, of Wichita Falls is here on a visit to Mrs. Nath Goldston.

J. O. Whittington and family are spending the week with relatives at Silverton.

—Take advantage of the special bargains at Thompson's this week. He will save you money. 1t

The case of F. Collinson vs. the Ft. W. & D. C. R'y has occupied considerable time in county court this week.

—One \$75.00 diamond ring and one \$40.00 ladies gold watch given away. See E. Dubbs & Sons offer on first page. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stocking came in last night from Petaluma, Cal., and will again make Clarendon their home.

J. E. McCombs is again on the sick list, this time with fever. He had only been up from a spell of appendicitis a few weeks.

—The Donley County State Bank invites your patronage. All the courtesies of a safe and conservative banking system at your disposal. Call and see us. 1t

Mrs. Pauline Lemkin, of Houston, after a visit with her childhood friend, Mrs. A. L. Journeay, in this city, left Tuesday night for her home in Houston.

George Doshier and C. W. Bennett have had a telephone line erected out to their respective farms and are now connected up with the local exchange. Call Bennett up and ask him "how's craps?"

Phone the Banner-Stockman your news items; we want them each week. Let us know when you have visitors or when you or any member of your family are going away. Phone No. 2. 1t

There have been pleasurable society events the past week, culminating on Wednesday evening in a dance at the opera house given by the young men. On account of press of business we have failed to get any further particulars.

Clark & Williams have sold their gin at Rowe to the Farmers' Union organization at that place. The new owners will, we understand, shape it up in first-class order for the season's business, and will be prepared to handle all the cotton that comes their way.

—The greatest bargains ever offered in Clarendon are at Thompson's racket sale of glass and queensware. 1t

Wm. Patman returned this week from Sulphur Springs where he has been visiting homefolks for a month. He will be glad to meet you again at Thompson's soda fountain.

M. H. Barwise, of Wichita Falls, chief engineer on the W. V. R. R., with his wife and daughter on their way to spend vacation in Colorado, stopped off Tuesday to see Clarendon and old friends here. They lived here about fifteen years ago.

All nature and most all the people are smiling since the rain of Tuesday night. While the fall did not measure up heavy it came in such an easy, gentle style as to be of as much benefit as a 2-inch dashing rain. It rained all night. This puts a quietus on the croker and doubly insures the corn crop. Cotton was doing well without any moisture but will not be hurt any by it.

The Passion Play as shown by Evangelist Holmes at the tabernacle on Saturday night delighted a large audience with its beauty and impressed them with its solemnity. The preacher did not preach; no sermon was needed after an exhibition so realistic of the life and death of Christ. While there may be some who do not admire this kind of gospel preaching we do not believe there are any who can witness the Passion Play without having been helped religiously, be they priest or sinner.

# \$350 PIANO Given Away

The merchants of Clarendon named below, and the Banner-Stockman, will give absolutely free on Nov. 2nd to the young lady, school or church in Donley county receiving the largest number of votes, a

## \$350 Valley Gem Piano

This piano is one of the famous Baldwin makes, and is as good as is made by any piano concern for the money.

This promises to be the most interesting contest ever held in Clarendon. It will be fairly and honestly conducted. No schemes, no unfair advantages, no trickery, allowed.

The object of this premium contest is to advertise Clarendon and to draw custom to the firms who give it. By a number of them contributing to it the cost to each is small enough to justify selling at as low prices as the other merchants, while at the same time giving their customers absolutely free this valuable piano.

## THE PLAN.

For every 25c. spent with either of the following firms you get one voting coupon, entitling you to one vote for your choice for the premiums. Your goods do not cost you one cent more.

In fact, these firms are going after business as they never did before, and they are determined to make prices that are just as interesting as the piano which they are to give away.

N. B. By special arrangement The Banner-Stockman will give 100 votes with each dollar paid on subscription, either by old or new subscribers. Also one vote will be given with each 25 cents paid on advertising or job printing during this contest.

Following are the firms, which will give on and after July 24, one vote with each cash purchase of 25c. spent with them.

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THE BON TON CONFECTIONERY, G. B. Bagby, Prop.

A. L. CONNALLY & CO., Hardware, Implements and Vehicles.

CHAS. L. McCRAE, Panhandle Steam Laundry.  
O. D. LIESBERG, Drayman and Coal Dealer.

MISS SARAH PORTER, Millinery.  
McDANIEL & CARROLL, Furniture.

HOMER MULKEY, Photographer.  
NATH GOLDSTON, Restaurant.

J. B. McCLELLAND, Real Estate.  
HAYTER BROS., Men's Furnishing Goods.

McCRAE & HODGES, Livery and Transfer.  
BANNER-STOCKMAN, The Best Panhandle Paper.

## RULES FOR THE CONTEST.

ANNOUNCEMENT:—This contest will be conducted on strictly honest and business principles, with perfect justice to all concerned. Under such conditions a premium contest is sure to be a success.

1. One vote with each 25c. CASH purchase.
2. No votes given on credit purchases.
3. Each business establishment in this contest will receive the votes issued by itself at time and place of sale preserving same for future count.
4. Votes must be cast at time and place of purchase.
5. Each must make count of votes in hand every Wednesday evening and the list turned over to the Banner-Stockman for publication Thursday morning. This rule is important.
6. They will preserve all tickets after counted for the final count by the judges. This is very important.
7. Positively no votes will be sold. Votes issued by merchants will have the firm name on them.
8. In case of withdrawal of a contestant the votes received by such contestant can not be transferred to another party, but will be thrown out and not counted at the close of the contest.
9. Contest closes at 6:00 p. m., Saturday, Nov. 2, 1907.

## WHO MAY ENTER.

Any young lady in Donley county, or any school or church, in the county, is eligible to place in the contest, and each 25c. purchase entitles purchaser to vote for any such young lady, school or church.

The piano is a first-class \$350 Valley Gem instrument, made by the Baldwin Piano Company, and is now on exhibition at the Clarendon Bakery.

An awarding committee of three well-known citizens will make the final count and award. No one connected with or interested in any of the firms herein named shall enter or assist any contestant.

Awarding committee:  
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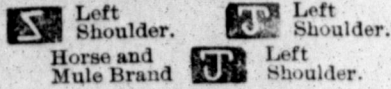
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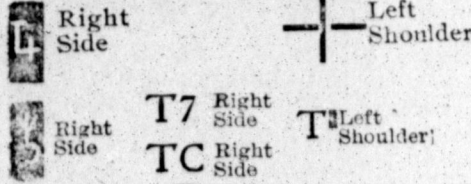


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Texas.  
Ranch in Donley and  
Armstrong counties.  
MARK—Right ear  
pointed.

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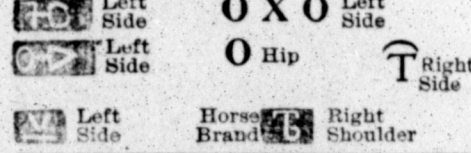
P. O., Clarendon,  
Texas.  
Range on Salt Fork  
in Donley county.  
Mark—Underslope  
left ear.

**WESLEY KNORPP.**



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unsolicited testimonial. About a year  
ago when I had a severe case of measles  
I got caught out in a hard rain and the  
measles settled in my stomach and  
bowels. I had an awful time and had it  
not been for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera  
and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not  
have possibly lived but a few hours longer,  
but thanks to this remedy I am now  
strong and well. I have written the above  
through simple gratitude and I shall al-  
ways speak a good word for this remedy.  
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sale by all druggists.

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property or young cattle.  
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Rev. Cullum H. Booth, of Aus-  
tin, came in yesterday morning to  
join his wife who has been visiting  
her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. N.  
Eddins, the past six weeks.

—Best shoes at Rathjen's. tf

**The Boy and the Rats.**  
In a large warehouse in Liverpool a  
boy named Edward Scott was em-  
ployed to run errands. There were  
many rats about the place and he was  
told that if he could catch one and  
singe its tail all the others would  
leave. A trap was set and a rat was  
caught but while singeing its tail ac-  
cording to directions the lighted paper  
blew into a pile of straw and started  
a conflagration that burned four big  
buildings and inflicted a loss of half  
a million dollars. There are some  
smart boys in this world, but there  
are also some smart rats, and it is  
just as well to keep them apart. If  
the rat had caught the boy and singed  
his hair there might have been eight  
buildings burned.

**Foibles of Letter Writers.**  
The London Chronicle wants to  
know how you date your letters. If  
they are dated at all or which of the  
nine ways appeals to an individual's  
taste or laziness. There are some  
persons who do not take the trouble  
to date their letters at all, and the  
Chronicle is brutal enough to add  
"they are mostly women." Who does  
not receive letters with signatures that  
beat the Dutch for illegibility? Or,  
perhaps with no address, no date,  
and the signature "that would puzzle  
an archangel and split a linotype ma-  
chine." But the worst of it is so many  
people rejoice in their illegible sig-  
nature! It lends an air of distinction  
to the baldest missive.

**Patrons of the Coutts Bank.**  
The Coutts bank in London, found-  
ed in 1692, with which the name of  
the late Lady Burdett-Coutts will be  
forever connected, enjoys the distinc-  
tion of having had a larger number of  
sovereigns as customers and more  
nobles as partners than any other in-  
stitution of the kind in the world.  
The first royal customer of the bank  
was King George II. of England and  
after him every English monarch in  
turn has banked there, including Ed-  
ward VII., as well as five kings and  
one emperor of France, a German em-  
peror and his widow, the late Empress  
Frederick, the present Queen Chris-  
tina of Spain and Czar Alexander II.

**As Far as He Could Go.**  
In his infant breast, possibly, he is  
cherishing the hope that he will ulti-  
mately reach the age when "the fel-  
lers will call him Bill," but at the  
present time he has "just turned two,"  
and Willie is a conventionalist of no  
mean attainments for his years. The  
other day he was taken out visiting,  
and, among other things, was called  
upon to "count the cars of a freight  
train." He was compelled to rely up-  
on his memory, but "counting the  
cars" is a favorite daily occupation as  
they pass within sight of the windows  
of his home. This is the way he did  
it: "One, two, three, four, five, six,  
seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, cab-  
oose."

**Right of Way.**  
As a train from Washington recent-  
ly glowed up before the station at a  
small town in Virginia the mail bag  
was thrown to a ducky lad of perhaps  
12 years, who at once started off at a  
brisk trot to the post office. He had  
not gone more than ten yards before  
a large negro boy ran into him, al-  
most knocking the youthful messenger  
off his feet. "Look here, niggah!"  
exclaimed the messenger, with a  
glance of indignation, "Youse tryin' to  
git in jail, ain't you? Youse inter-  
ferin' wid de United States mail, nig-  
gah. When yo' jars me yo' jars de  
government of de United States!"—  
Harper's Weekly.

**Worshippers Carry Fire.**  
While seeing many people leaving  
the cathedral I entered to look around  
the interior of the fine chancel. In-  
side I saw numbers of men carrying  
huge wicker baskets filled with tri-  
angular earthenware dishes in each  
of which still smoldered some glowing  
embers in a bed of white ash. These  
they carried into the cloisters and  
emptied solemnly into great metal  
bins. On reentering the building the  
secret stood revealed. Owing to the  
extreme cold each member of the con-  
gregation hires for a doppelganger, or the  
sum of 2d., an earthen dish with a  
block of glowing peat under the little  
wooden perforated footstools with  
which each chair is provided.—Tit-  
Bits

Two tadpoles lived in a meadow  
Penalty of Vanity.  
"Why, you  
are the lowest thing in all the mead-  
ow!" said the new frog. "Why, you  
up!" said the old frog. "Hurry,  
other tadpole was stung." "Hurry  
to the dignity of a frog. The  
other tadpole was stung." "Hurry  
and kicked around until he devel-  
oped a pair of pale green legs and  
rath and kicked around until he devel-  
oped a pair of pale green legs and  
One tadpole was exceedingly  
Two tadpoles lived in a meadow  
Penalty of Vanity.

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No. 8, southbound	8:13 p. m.
No. 1, northbound	9:17 p. m.
No. 7, northbound	10:04 a. m.

Clarendon, Tex., Aug. 23, '07

## A PREMIUM OFFER.

The Banner-Stockman is continually going after new home subscribers. We never let up in our efforts to get the paper into every Donley county home, and never expect to let up on that work until our efforts are crowned with success. We went into the Merchants' Piano Contest solely for the reason that we saw an opportunity to increase our subscription list in the county, and we believe after several weeks' trial that our foresight was good. Now in order to get new Donley county subscribers, also in order to stimulate interest in the Piano Contest, we make the following premium offer to the young ladies who are contestants for the piano:

To the contestant who by her own work or through the assistance of her friends brings us the greatest number of new yearly subscribers living in Donley county we will give choice of any lady's \$20.00 winter wrap in stock of any of the Banner-Stockman's advertisers.

Remember, that with each subscription the contestant gets 100 votes in the piano contest. There are no strings to this offer. The contestant to whose credit we find the greatest number of new names when the piano contest is over will get the order for the \$20 wrap, no matter if there are not more than a dozen new names added to the list in all.

New subscribers living out of the county will not be considered in this offer. It is Donley county readers we want, not foreign subscribers. Contestants will be furnished with lists of names of parties in the county not now subscribers to the paper on application to this office, and may go to work at once. The price of the Banner-Stockman will remain at \$1.00 per year until Nov. 2nd, on which date the contest closes. Names should be turned in as fast as secured.

Now, girls, get to work personally, and also get your friends to help you. If you don't get the piano you may get this premium.

The Banner-Stockman has refrained from making suggestions to the council regarding needed reforms on account of the scarcity of funds, but while this street work is being done we desire to say that some little money should be expended on the main business street. It is in a very bad condition, and in some places has large holes in it, so large in fact, that it is necessary to slow up in driving over them. The street should be graded and graveled again, but if the funds will not permit of this it should, at least be repaired in the worst spots.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Guill called yesterday to have their paper changed to Rowe, having moved back to that point from Arlington. They both say they will be content to stay with Donley county in the future, although Mrs. Guill enjoyed fine health while at Arlington.

LOST—A Past Matron's O. E. S. pin somewhere between the lodge room and my residence. "Clarendon Chapter No. 6. O. E. S.," engraved on the bar, and the year date on gavel. Reward for return to Mrs. H. D. Ramsey or to this office.

J. L. Powell, of Brookston, Lamar county, was here this week prospecting. He was delighted with our county and returned home to dispose of his property there so as to be able to move here.

## Christian Tabernacle Meeting.

The meeting at the Christian church tabernacle has already been a success in point of attendance and bringing people into the church. A large number have already taken membership with the church and many more are expected to do so before the meeting closes. Tonight Evangelist Holmes preaches on the theme "The Three Judgment Bars."

Tomorrow evening (Saturday) will be the entertainment. The program will consist of moving pictures, illustrated songs by Prof. McVay. The world's most famous paintings will be reproduced and Cartoons from "The Rams Horn." Admission 15c and 25c. This will be a high class entertainment in every respect.

Sermon Sunday a. m. "The Church Real and Ideal." Sunday evening, "Does It Pay." Solo at each service by Prof. McVay.

Those attending the Farmers' Union picnic at the Lattimore grove on Lake Creek last Thursday report a magnificent time. It was an old fashioned gathering of the kind where everyone made himself at home and was glad to see his neighbor. The Fort Worth speaker who was to make a farmers' union speech failed to show up, and beyond an address of welcome by W. M. Cavness and a response by J. T. McHan there was "nothing doing" in the line of oratory. Sheriff Patman says he has never seen such a spread as the dinner proved to be. His gait indicates that he foundered himself. In the afternoon a baseball game was played between Rowe and Lelia Lake, and a splendid game was the result. There was a big crowd present and the entire day was a success.

## A New Flour.

Barnett, Smith & Thornton have just received a car of light bread flour. Every sack guaranteed; try a sack. We are still selling groceries cheap. You can save money by paying cash for what you eat.

Chas. Whitstien, who is located on the Capehart place twelve miles north of town, called this morning and reported six inches of rain in his locality this week. Yesterday afternoon saw the climax in one of the hardest rains he ever saw. So far as he knew there was no damage done to farming interests.

## Notice.

Hereafter all work and supplies will be cash unless satisfactory arrangements are made. Dated 8-1, 07. 21 STEWART & GILLIAM.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Chestnut are entertaining all their children, as well as other guests, this week, and a very happy family reunion is reported in progress. Those present: Horace Chestnut and family of Nocona; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges of Groom; Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Paine of Nocona; David Hodges and wife of Nocona.

## For Rent.

Three or four rooms to small family. Apply at this office.

Hugh Brown says E. R. Clark is tickled to death with his shallow well just completed at the ranch. He secured an inexhaustible flow at 125 feet. Mr. Brown is operating two well drilling outfits and reports a hard time keeping up with his orders.

Wednesday night gave us another good rain of the ground soaking kind. In all we have had about an inch and a half of rainfall this week, up to Tuesday morning. No Donley county man has a grouch this season.

Mrs. W. H. Martin and daughter have returned from a visit to Amarillo. Mrs. A. L. Daily, of that city, will come down Sunday for a visit of several days with Mrs. Martin.

Bob Collins has sold his interest in the grocery business at Amarillo and will sojourn in Colorado for awhile for the benefit of his health, says the Amarillo daily.

Mrs. Alvis Weatherly is this week entertaining her sister, Miss Mary McClelland, of Quanah, and her cousin, Mrs. W. F. Carter, of Wichita Falls.

—Jewelry? Why, Clower, of course!

—W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon, Texas. tf

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Taylor on the 22nd, a fine girl.

—Don't fail to attend the closing week of the clearance sale at Thompson's. tt

Miss Selma McCloud, of Wichita Falls is here on a visit to Mrs. Nath Goldston.

J. O. Whittington and family are spending the week with relatives at Silverton.

—Take advantage of the special bargains at Thompson's this week. He will save you money. tt

The case of F. Collinson vs. the Ft. W. & D. C. R'y has occupied considerable time in county court this week.

—One \$75.00 diamond ring and one \$40.00 ladies gold watch given away. See E. Dubbs & Sons offer on first page. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stocking came in last night from Petaluma, Cal., and will again make Clarendon their home.

J. E. McCombs is again on the sick list, this time with fever. He had only been up from a spell of appendicitis a few weeks.

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

Mrs. Pauline Lemkin, of Houston, after a visit with her childhood friend, Mrs. A. L. Journeay, in this city, left Tuesday night for her home in Houston.

George Doshier and C. W. Bennett have had a telephone line erected out to their respective farms and are now connected up with the local exchange. Call Bennett up and ask him "how's craps?"

Phone the Banner-Stockman your news items; we want them each week. Let us know when you have visitors or when you or any member of your family are going away. Phone No. 2. tf

There have been pleasurable society events the past week, culminating on Wednesday evening in a dance at the opera house given by the young men. On account of press of business we have failed to get any further particulars.

Clark & Williams have sold their gin at Rowe to the Farmers' Union organization at that place. The new owners will, we understand, shape it up in first-class order for the season's business, and will be prepared to handle all the cotton that comes their way.

—The greatest bargains ever offered in Clarendon are at Thompson's racket sale of glass and queensware. tt

Wm. Patman returned this week from Sulphur Springs where he has been visiting homefolks for a month. He will be glad to meet you again at Thompson's soda fountain.

M. H. Barwise, of Wichita Falls, chief engineer on the W. V. R. R., with his wife and daughter on their way to spend vacation in Colorado, stopped off Tuesday to see Clarendon and old friends here. They lived here about fifteen years ago.

All nature and most all the people are smiling since the rain of Tuesday night. While the fall did not measure up heavy it came in such an easy, gentle style as to be of as much benefit as a 2-inch dashing rain. It rained all night. This puts a quietus on the croker and doubly insures the corn crop. Cotton was doing well without any moisture but will not be hurt any by it.

The Passion Play as shown by Evangelist Holmes at the tabernacle on Saturday night delighted a large audience with its beauty and impressed them with its solemnity. The preacher did not preach; no sermon was needed after an exhibition so realistic of the life and death of Christ. While there may be some who do not admire this kind of gospel preaching we do not believe there are any who can witness the Passion Play without having been helped religiously, by they priest or sinner.

# \$350 PIANO Given Away

The merchants of Clarendon named below, and the Banner-Stockman, will give absolutely free on Nov. 2nd to the young lady, school or church in Donley county receiving the largest number of votes, a

## \$350 Valley Gem Piano

This piano is one of the famous Baldwin makes, and is as good as is made by any piano concern for the money.

This promises to be the most interesting contest ever held in Clarendon. It will be fairly and honestly conducted. No schemes, no unfair advantages, no trickery, allowed.

The object of this premium contest is to advertise Clarendon and to draw custom to the firms who give it. By a number of them contributing to it the cost to each is small enough to justify selling at as low prices as the other merchants, while at the same time giving their customers absolutely free this valuable piano.

## THE PLAN.

For every 25c. spent with either of the following firms you get one voting coupon, entitling you to one vote for your choice for the premiums. Your goods do not cost you one cent more.

In fact, these firms are going after business as they never did before, and they are determined to make prices that are just as interesting as the piano which they are to give away.

N. B. By special arrangement The Banner-Stockman will give 100 votes with each dollar paid on subscription, either by old or new subscribers. Also one vote will be given with each 25 cents paid on advertising or job printing during this contest.

Following are the firms, which will give on and after July 24, one vote with each cash purchase of 25c. spent with them.

**CLARENDON LUMBER CO., A. C. Morgan Mgr.**  
**Dr. J. D. STOCKING, Drugs, Books, Jewelry and Notions.**

**THE MARTIN-BENNET CO., Everything to Eat and Wear.**

**THE CLARENDON BAKERY, Modern Bakers.**  
**THE IMPERIAL BARBER SHOP, Lloyd Blackwell, Prop.**

**THE BON TON CONFECTIONERY, G. B. Bagby, Prop.**

**A. L. CONNALLY & CO., Hardware, Implements and Vehicles.**

**CHAS. L. McCRAE, Panhandle Steam Laundry.**  
**O. D. LIESBERG, Drayman and Coal Dealer.**

**MISS SARAH PORTER, Millinery.**  
**McDANIEL & CARROLL, Furniture.**

**HOMER MULKEY, Photographer.**  
**NATH GOLDSTON, Restaurant.**

**J. B. McCLELLAND, Real Estate.**  
**HAYTER BROS., Men's Furnishing Goods.**

**McCRAE & HODGES, Livery and Transfer.**  
**BANNER-STOCKMAN, The Best Panhandle Paper.**

## RULES FOR THE CONTEST.

ANNOUNCEMENT:—This contest will be conducted on strictly honest and business principles, with perfect justice to all concerned. Under such conditions a premium contest is sure to be a success.

1. One vote with each 25c. CASH purchase.
2. No votes given on credit purchases.
3. Each business establishment in this contest will receive the votes issued by itself at time and place of sale preserving same for future count.
4. Votes must be cast at time and place of purchase.
5. Each must make count of votes in hand every Wednesday evening and the list turned over to the Banner-Stockman for publication Thursday morning. This rule is important.
6. They will preserve all tickets after counted for the final count by the judges. This is very important.
7. Positively no votes will be sold. Votes issued by merchants will have the firm name on them.
8. In case of withdrawal of a contestant the votes received by such contestant can not be transferred to another party, but will be thrown out and not counted at the close of the contest.
9. Contest closes at 6:00 p. m., Saturday, Nov. 2, 1907.

## WHO MAY ENTER.

Any young lady in Donley county, or any school or church, in the county, is eligible to place in the contest, and each 25c. purchase entitles purchaser to vote for any such young lady, school or church.

The piano is a first-class \$350 Valley Gem instrument, made by the Baldwin Piano Company, and is now on exhibition at the Clarendon Bakery.

An awarding committee of three well-known citizens will make the final count and award. No one connected with or interested in any of the firms herein named shall enter or assist any contestant.

Awarding committee:  
Geo. F. Morgan, J. T. Patman, W. H. Patrick.

NEVER BUY REAL ESTATE WITHOUT AN ABSTRACT OF TITLE

## Donley County Land Title Abstract Co.

—Unincorporated—

**I. W. CARHART, Abstractor**  
Clarendon, Texas

I have abstract books complete up-to-date in the county, of land and city property. Eighteen years experience in the land business.







WE submit below formulas that are very superior for putting a smooth and delicate polish on jewelry and tableware—does not scratch and is easily applied.

- FOR SILVER ARTICLES,  
 Calcined Magnesia..... Av. oz. 1  
 Jewelers Rouge..... Grains 50
- FOR GOLD ARTICLES  
 Calcined Magnesia..... Av. oz. 1  
 Jewelers Rouge..... Av. oz. 1
- FOR GENERAL PURPOSES,  
 Magnesium Carbonate..... Av. oz. 1  
 Chalk..... Av. oz. 1  
 Jewelers Rouge..... Av. oz. 1 1/2

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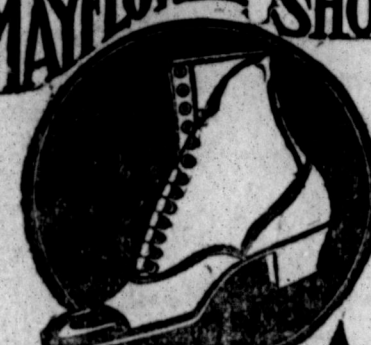
**ALLEN & GOODMAN'S**

J. S. Williams and family came in from Beaver county Okla., Saturday and will likely locate in Clarendon. Mr. Williams is an old friend of G. A. Anderson.

—The only place in town you can get voting tickets with jewelry is in the jewelry department in Stocking's store. tf

**WOMEN'S MAYFLOWER SHOE**

**\$2.75 and \$3.00**



**STAR BRAND SHOES ARE BETTER**

**MODERN STYLES OLD-TIME HONESTY**

A Shoe as good as the name it bears

SOME time ago the manufacturers, Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., set about to produce a shoe of high quality that could be sold at a medium price.

They have reduced the process of shoemaking to a scientific basis and the result is the

**"MAYFLOWER"**

This is a shoe that could besold for a great deal more money than \$2.75 and \$3.00. However, there is a demand for a shoe at these prices, and we have it.

There need be no hesitancy in buying the "Mayflower." It is made right and backed by the manufacturers. If they are not honestly constructed in every way we will refund your money.

We have styles enough to please the most particular.

**COME IN AND LOOK AT OUR BIG STOCK**

**Bryan & Land**  
 CLARENDON, TEXAS

—Best shoes at Rathjen's. tf

—Souvenir post cards at Bagby's. tf

—Buy your school supplies at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

Hayter Bros. carry the newest in men's and boys' wear. tf

—Everybody is sending souvenir post cards. Bagby's, two for 5c. tf

Mrs. J. B. Williams and children have returned from a visit out of town.

Horace Burdett left Sunday for Rocky, O. T., where he will visit relatives.

School shoes for boys will be found in abundance at Hayter Bros. tf

Dr. T. W. Carroll is enjoying a visit from his mother whose home is in Dallas.

—Don't buy tablets until you see Bagby's stock. His stock is especially for the children. tf

Hubert Ziegler, of the J A force, left Tuesday for Denton on a visit to his mother.

—A new shipment of "American Beauty" corsets at Mickle-Burgher's.

Mrs. Finis Simpson returned last week from a visit to Fort Worth and Mineral Wells.

Miss Ruth Wiley spent last week with Miss Florence Antrobus, taking in the camp meeting.

—Don't forget that Bagby's place will be headquarters for school supplies of all kinds. tf

—A book satchel free with every pair of school shoes at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

Miss Gypsie Sullivan and friend, Miss Katherine Crawford, returned Monday from a visit to Foard county.

Miss Mabel Smith returned last week from a summer's visit to Ft. Worth, Blooming Grove and elsewhere in that part of the state.

—A complete assortment of "American Beauty" corsets at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

D. L. Smith, of Dilly, Texas, a brother of A. M. Smith, is here for a visit. They are down on the South Plains together this week.

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

John Grady, of Brice, was here Monday and informed us that he had rented his new residence and would not move his family here for the present.

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

Mrs. Jane E. Killough and daughter, Mrs. Francis Powell, of Hubbard, Hill county, are visiting their son and brother, J. C. Killough and family in Clarendon this week.

—Two valuable premiums positively given away. Find full description on first page. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Blackstock, of Gracemont, O. T., came in last week to be with their daughter, Mrs. Earl Allen who was sick, and who died Saturday.

**The Cash Store**

**SILKS**

Heavy lustrous black Taffeta, guaranteed by Belding Brothers to wear, very durable, full width, yd.....\$1.50  
 Medium weight taffeta, warranted to wear marked on the selvage.....1.25

**SHIRTS**

Men's Negligee size 17 and 18.....1.50  
 " Cream Galatia cloth 17 and 18 1.25  
 " white Madras 17 and 18.....1.00  
 " tan, light blue madras 17 and 17 1/2 75c  
 " cream Soisette, size 13 1/2, 14, 14 1/2 1.00  
 Boy's assorted colors and styles.....50c  
 Men's " " " ".....50c  
 " heavy work shirts assorted.....50c  
 A big lot of new shirts and good variety of styles, material, colors, sizes and grades.

**SOAP**

Crystal white, floats like ivory, bar.....5c  
 This is good laundry soap.

**SHOE POLISH**

Brown polish for canvas slippers.....10c  
 Gray " " " ".....10c

**WAISTING**

India linen, good, yd.....10c  
 Wide " " " ".....12 1/4  
 Mercerized raised figures.....20  
 " jacquard.....25  
 Soft-persian.....25  
 Sheer linen.....25  
 Very nice linen.....30  
 Silk Mauseine.....30  
 Narrow cord dimity.....20  
 Lace strip.....25  
 Pure linen lawn.....50

**FEED**

Corn chops, sound and fresh, sk.....\$1.45  
 Bran, mill run.....1.40

**FLOUR**

Colorado Gold Medal 100 lb at.....\$2.50  
 Oklahoma Rival 100 lb sack.....2.75  
 Best Pearl meal, sack.....50

**JELLY**

10 lb bucket assorted flavors.....50  
 3 lb " apple butter.....50

**COTTON BATS**

Clean white cotton.....10c

**SCREEN WIRE**

24, 26, 28 inches wide, yd.....15

**T. R. Garrott Co.**  
 MEMPHIS, TEXAS

**An Ice Cream Girl**

of refined taste and intelligent discernment, will tell you that ALLEGRETTI'S CHOCOLATES AND BON BONS are the only kind she cares for, as their delightful fruity flavors, their real creamy richness, their purity and healthfulness, gives them a quality that cannot be surpassed by any imitations. Also Cakes, Fancy Cakes, Pastry and Bread fresh every day.

**THE CLARENDON BAKERY**  
 MODERN BAKERS

Telephone 29

—Rathjen's for school shoes. tf

—Don't forget those 25c shirts at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

—Steffens cream is the best; go to E. Dubbs & Sons. tf

—A few more bargains in ladies' skirts at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

—A new shipment of "American Beauty" corsets at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

—Post cards of new college building, public school, court house and street scene at Bagby's. tf

W. L. Wheat and Ben Pierce have formed a partnership and engaged in the grain and feed business.—Hall County Herald.

Mrs. J. A. Laney, of Tulia, left Wednesday for her home after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Cooper Morgan, who has been quite sick, but who is better this week.

—Don't forget those 25c shirts at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

On account of a change of dates Rev. W. P. Dickey will be at home Sunday and will occupy his pulpit at the Presbyterian church both the regular hours. A cordial invitation extended to all.

—A few more bargains in ladies' skirts at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

Mrs. H. C. Brumley and family came in the first of the week and will again make Clarendon their home. —Harry has bought the Jack Mann house just vacated by G. B. Bagby.

—See those bargains in shoes, 25c to \$1.00 at Mickle-Burgher's.

Dr. Ed Crawford, of Silverton, was here the first of the week on his return from Dallas.

—Typewriter supplies, this office. tf

—Buy your school supplies at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

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

Miss Irene Burdett left Tuesday for a visit with friends in Tulia.

—Every 25 cents you purchase at the Globe will give you a vote. See first page. tf

—A complete assortment of "American Beauty" corsets at Mickle-Burgher's. tf

Mrs. J. G. Adams and children returned Sunday night from a visit to relatives at Cleburne.

Miss Cosy Randall returned Friday from an extended visit to relatives at Vernon, Denton and Denison.

—Large shipment of Douglas and Walk-Over shoes for fall just received at Hayter Bros. tf

Dr. Standifer reports a new girl stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dubbs since an early hour Monday morning.

An internal revenue officer was in the city one day last week but got so thirsty that he left for Amarillo on the first train.

New goods, new goods are coming every day at Hayter Bros.

Miss Elizabeth Stephens returned Friday night from Austin where she has been taking a summer course in the State University.

Prof. C. M. Morton came in the first of the week from Austin where he spent the summer in a special course at the State University.

**Invoice is Over**

And I find my stock too large. It has been a prosperous season. I very greatly appreciate the large trade I have enjoyed. In the odds and ends and in seasonable goods I offer

**Some Rare Bargains**

Always get my prices and you will save money.

**New Fall Hats**

My trimmer, Miss Mahaffey, has been away to market for two weeks now and I am expecting my first shipment of Fall Street Hats by next week.

**MRS. A. M. BEVILLE**

"THE MILLINER AND LADIES' FURNISHER"

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A Rec  
 The sale o the Gregory mile south o record breaker and comfortab of the Berksh all parts of the was made und in the midst o oaks on a r spot is an idea Col. F. M. live stock au Neb., did the enstein and R. ed as clerks. Star Maste 102,000, farro broke the worl for the enorm He was boug Laughlin of Farm of Kir conceded to be the world. There were