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If You Want Someone to Win the Fine Piano Offered by the Business Men Put in Some Work and Call for Tickets

The Most Valuable Premiums

Ever Offered by Any One Firm in Clarendon

Voting Contest

1st PREMIUM: One 14k Solid Gold Diamond Ring (first quality) \$75.00
2nd PREMIUM: One 14k Solid Gold 17 Jewel Lady's Watch \$40

Will be given away as first and second premium to the two contestants who receive the greatest number of votes. Every 25c purchase entitles you to cast one vote. This applies to anything we have in our store, voting to commence Saturday, August 3, 1907, and ending Dec. 25, 1907, at 9 o'clock, a. m. The number of votes cast for each candidate will be published in the Banner-Stockman and the Chronicle each week until contest closes. No member of the firm or their clerks will be allowed to influence any vote in favor of any of the contestants.

Rules of Contest

- 1st. One vote for each 25 cent purchase.
 - 2nd. Votes may be placed in ballot box at any time to suit purchaser.
 - 3rd. All votes will be counted every Wednesday night at 9 o'clock and a careful record kept in a book provided for that purpose.
 - 4th. All tickets will be carefully preserved until the final count by the judges.
 - 5th. Three reliable, disinterested judges, whose names will be published at a later date, will make the final count and award the premiums.
 - 6th. Any and all purchasers have the privilege of choosing any lady they may wish to vote for and said lady will become one of the contestants.
- WHO MAY ENTER: Any married or single lady in the Panhandle of Texas.

E. Dubbs & Sons

Candy

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

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.

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.

For Sale or Trade.

Twenty head of one and two-year-old fillies for sale, or will trade for stock cattle. Address, M. T. HOWARD, Clarendon, Texas.

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FEED HOGS FOR PROFIT

Figures on Profit from an Experienced Hog Raiser Show Big Money in the Business.

Paper read before the Texas Swine Growers' association by Lee Baker of Paradise, Texas:

The subject assigned me by our president is the subject in which we are all most interested, and one upon which many breeders and feeders differ; they also differ as to what kind of feed and the manner of feeding to obtain quickest growth and best results in general from the amount of feed consumed; but in this paper I intend giving only my personal experience raising and feeding hogs for profit.

I have experimented with hogs under most all conditions in Texas, running them in bottom land pasture without any feed and waiting eighteen months for them to grow a frame to put fat on; also putting up in muddy pens and throwing them a few ears of dry corn each day, with a little water for about eight months, and then feed about fifteen bushels of corn at 50 cents per bushel for each 100 pounds of flesh, then selling for less than the cost of the corn they had eaten. But such methods are now, of course, a thing of the past with us. We of the Swine Breeders' Association of Texas have thrown aside the cloak of carelessness and put on the armor of thrift and ambition, feeding our hogs along scientific lines, and now send to market, hogs just as good or better than those of our neighbor. In the meantime we have learned that there is more in a hog than the name implies. We now know that there is more profit in feeding purebred hogs of any of the standard breeds than there is in scrubs or cross-breeds. Also that we must commence feeding the sow before the pigs are farrowed, and pasturing pigs until they are ready for market, which should not be over ten months of age to realize the greatest profit from feed and time consumed in feeding.

Just a few pointers, or facts, from this year's experience, and I shall have finished. I have now at my place five Duroc-Jersey pigs, on feed, that were farrowed Jan. 10, 1907, which weighed on July 10, 1907, being six months old, a total of 941 pounds, or an average of 188 1-5 pounds each. One, which has always been smaller than the others, weighed 165 pounds, one 179 pounds, one 180 pounds and one 225 pounds. These pigs have been fed a ration of one-third corn chops and two-thirds wheat bran soaked twelve hours before feeding in what sour or skimmed milk we had to spare each day. They have been fed about 2,000 pounds of bran and chops in the six months, and a few ears of dry corn at night. Four of them have been allowed the run of wood pasture after feeding, but the other one, the 225-pound pig, has been in a close pen for two months. The mill feed cost me an average of \$1.25 per hundred weight; corn 40 cents per bushel. There were six of the pigs in the litter, but I sold one at five months of age for a breeder, for \$20. My five that are left are worth on the market (941 pounds at 6 cents) \$56.46, the breeder \$20, making a total of \$76.46 for the bunch. Counting the bran and chops at \$25, corn and milk \$10, making a total of \$35 for feed, I shall have a profit of \$41.45 from six pigs in six months.

And it can be done still cheaper yet, gentlemen, by providing small pastures of wheat and oats, and cowpeas and ground peas to take the place of the wheat bran. I expect to run these pigs on sorghum pasture with a ration of one-half wheat bran and one-half corn chops and dry corn, and put them on the market at ten months of age, averaging 300 pounds.

When the farmers of Texas learn to raise less cotton and more feed and more pigs, marketing them at ten months old weighing 250 to 300 pounds, then will the packing houses have plenty of hogs, the farmer have better land and more money in his pocket, and Texas will be the leading hog state in the Union.

Buffalo Horns for Sale.

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

—Typewriter supplies, this office.

Married at Claude.

Sunday at 3 o'clock Mr. E. T. Miller and Miss Agnes Brummett were married at the home of the bride in Claude. The wedding was a very quiet one, only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties being present. Rev. J. G. Miller, of Clarendon, presiding elder of this district, performed the ceremony. The ceremony was short and very impressive. The young people have been residents of Claude for several years, having come to that town, when "it was first discovered" and have won the admiration of a host of friends with whom they have associated.

The bride is one of Claude's most beautiful young ladies who has grown up there, attended the high school, and after completing the course attended Clarendon College for several terms, finally taking a course in music at Corpus Christi last winter.

The groom is a young attorney with a bright prospect before him. Having attended the state university for two terms, then taking a one year course at Washington and Lee university, and coming home with his bar license only a few weeks ago.

The young married couple expect to make their home in Amarillo after September 1, at Eighteenth and Jackson streets. Mr. Miller will be with the firm of Samuels & Miller.

Seed Oats.

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

S. H. Hunt from the southeast part of the country was in town Monday to meet his daughter, Miss Jessie, who has been attending the summer normal at Clarendon the past few months. Mr. Hunt paid the Star office a pleasant call while in town and told us of a fine field of alfalfa he has, which was planted the 5th day of July and is now over six inches in height. He is very enthusiastic over this valuable forage crop in the Panhandle, and says that if every Sherman county farmer could be induced to plant an acreage of this crop, and plant it properly, that our land would reach \$35 in a very short time. Mr. Hunt purposes to put in twenty-five acres, besides what he now has planted, in this crop next year. —Stratford Star.

Denton county cast about 800 votes in the amendments election at a cost of about \$800. It is safe to say that the election cost the state \$200,000, when the amendments might just as well have been voted on at the regular election next year. A little thing like \$200,000 didn't bother the Thirtieth legislature, tho.—Denton Record and Chronicle.

Andy Stanhope and Mr. Greggs, of Emporia, purchased 265 head of cattle from Rorex Bros. this week, to be delivered tomorrow. Two hundred 3-year-old steers brought \$31.25 per head, 3 two-year-old, \$23 each; 22 cows and calves \$27; twelve yearlings \$17 per head and 6 old cows at \$16 each.—Panhandle Herald.

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

THE GLOBE'S BIG CONTEST

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

The Globe contest is starting out in good shape, increasing interest during this, the second week. Miss Minnie Thorpe still leads. Miss Heisler has moved up to second place, while Miss Cooke is a close third. Miss Fay Dodson has been added to the list of contestants this week. Below is the total vote. Votes counted Wednesday of each week:

Miss Minnie Thorpe	605
Miss Ethel Heisler	308
Miss Francis Cooke	253
Miss Bessie Caraway	205
Miss Sadie Woodward	164
Miss Myrtle Blake	155
Miss Ruth Atteberry	154
Miss Marian Barnett	126
Mrs. Ora Liesberg	117
Miss Lena Davis	112
Miss Pearl Lane	112
Miss Nora Denton	84
Miss Aris Baldwin	79
Miss Fay Dodson	35

Respectfully,
E. DUBBS & SONS.

Pastor Called.

At the morning hour Sunday the First Baptist church of Clarendon called for its pastor Rev. W. A. Reagan, now of Carthage, Panola county, Texas. The call was unanimous, and it is hoped that Rev. Reagan will be able to respond immediately. He is said to be a strong man in the church, and it is expected that he will fill the local niche nicely.

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.

J. D. JEFFERIES.

The little 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Morgan was bitten by a poisonous snake while playing in the yard at home last Friday evening. Dr. Standifer happened to be in the neighborhood and within a very few minutes was applying remedies which no doubt saved the child's life. It was thought to have been a rattlesnake, but as it was not seen by anyone except the child the fact is not certain.

The commandery lodge of Masons here are doing a great amount of degree work. It requires two or three nights per week to keep up with their work. This fraternity is very strong here and owns valuable property that will some day make them rich. If they could arrange to sell their present hall and build an east and west hall 50 feet wide they would be the gainers.—Hall County Herald.

W. C. Stewart has secured the contract to supply the Goodnight Industrial Institute with a complete electric light outfit. He will go up there this week to begin the work of installing same, and will be there about twenty days. The plant will consist of a 9-horse-power gas engine, with the necessary dynamo and other apparatus pertaining to the proper lighting.

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

THE VERY BEST

READY-MADE GARMENTS



AT PRICES ANYONE WANTS TO PAY

This is an important message to every man who wants to be well dressed with durable garments at a small cost. It means greater value for the wearer. It means an opportunity for economy such as has never before been offered. The cost of being convinced is only a few moments of your time. No man can fail to appreciate the full worth of our suits after he has inspected our Kantbebeat and Kirschbaum lines of clothing. Opportunity in clothing values is knocking at your door. Read below.

Suits we bought to sell for \$22.50 and 25.00, and worth every cent, we have cut to \$15.00

Suits that ought never to sell for less than \$18.00 to 20.00 we have chopped to \$13.50

Suits worth \$16.00 now being closed out for \$11.50

Splendid values we counted on selling \$12.50 now \$9.50

Rare assortment of \$9.00 and 10.00 Suits going at \$6.00

We want to show you why our Kantbebeat and Kirschbaum lines are superior. Come in and look through our lines.



MICKLE-BURGER

HARDWARE COMPANY

DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES

CLEARANCE SALE

We are starting in this week to clean up and move out the remnants in the broken stocks of Hats, Caps, Pants, Shirts and in fact all lines, and to do this we have cut the price regardless of the cost. If you are looking for real bargains you should not fail to attend this sale. Note some of the prices:

One line \$2.50 pants, this sale \$1.50
 One line 1.50 pants, this sale 1.10
 One line 1.00 pants, this sale .80

HATS

Special prices on all hats. One line of the cheap grade to go at cost.

SHIRTS AND NECKWEAR

In shirts and neckwear we will make you some eye-opening prices. Don't fail to see the shirt bargains.

We still have a small assortment of Racket Goods left. We will offer some of the greatest

bargains in this sale ever offered in Clarendon in this line.

Don't forget that while this sale is going on we are also serving the best ice cream and cold drinks to be had in Clarendon.

Be sure to call in and see how far one dollar will go at our store during this sale.

W. H. THOMPSON

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^cCURRY

TO ORGANIZE ASSOCIATION

The Elberta Peach to be Grown Extensively Locally if Present Plans Mature.

C. C. Crady, general manager of the Abilene Nursery Company, is in the city laying a proposition before certain farmers and individuals looking to the organization of an Elberta Peach Growers' Association. Conditioned upon the placing of a minimum of 5000 trees Mr. Crady submits three propositions, as follows:

1st.—His company will furnish all or any part of the 5000 (or more) trees, taking in payment one crop of fruit for same.

2nd.—Will invest one-half the amount necessary to planting, growing and cultivating the trees, for one-half of what they will produce during the first seven years.

3rd.—Will sell trees outright at wholesale prices, ranging from 3c per tree up, and guaranteeing 90 per cent of trees to live.

Any one of these propositions looks good, and it is quite likely that Mr. Crady will succeed in organizing the association. By such an organization, and the planting of a large commercial orchard, car lot shipments are assured and a market available. Mr. Crady has facts and figures at his command which it would do any fruit raiser good to hear and we bespeak for him a careful audience.

We all know that this county raises as fine peaches and as many of them as any county in the state, and we all realize the benefits of raising any product in quantities sufficient to enable the producers to ship in car lots, therefore it should not be a hard matter to get the peach raisers together.

Giles Gossip.

Giles, Texas, Aug. 13.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Mrs. J. M. Shelton was taken quite sick on Tuesday night. Dr. Mickle, of Memphis, was called in and soon gave her relief.

Mrs. Geo. Coursey left on the 9th, overland for Texico, N. M., to visit her father, W. J. Owens. Her brother and family, who have been visiting here the past two weeks, returned to their home at Texico the same time.

Mrs. W. A. Iseman, her son, Edal, and traveling companion, Miss Clara Butler, all of Pittsburg, Pa., are visiting Mrs. Iseman's aunt, Mrs. E. L. Mevis, of this place.

W. J. Hinsley, of Milam county, Texas, is visiting with Mr. Ally the first of the week and doing some prospecting. Mr. Kinsley is a relative of Mrs. Ally.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crow on the 14th inst., a boy.

Miss Dessa Young and Miss Clara Butler took in Memphis Tuesday.

E. H. Watt and family and Judge Akers and family are all off on a fishing trip this week.

Mr. Neeley and family attended the revival meeting at Hedley Tuesday.

Fishing parties are the order of the day in and around Giles. Several Giles families have been out the past few days and report plenty of fish and lots of fun.

Judge Akers has relatives visiting him from Greer county.

Mrs. Agnes Smith and sister, Devine, were visitors at Mrs. Parkes several days this week.

NESTER.

W. B. Sims and family, of Lelia Lake, are this week enjoying a visit from a party of friends and relatives from Versailles, Mo., the former home of Mr. Sims. The party consists of Mr. Press Young, wife, sister-in-law and son; also Mr. John Draffen. The entire party spent yesterday in Clarendon, guests of Prof. W. R. Silvey and wife.

John Lane is sick with typhoid fever, being now in his third week.

\$5000 Residence.

"I started the work this morning on what will prove to be the finest residence in Clarendon," said W. C. Cottrell, the stone mason, to our reporter Wednesday.

Mr. Cottrell had reference to the new home for W. A. SoRelle. Mr. SoRelle has decided to make Clarendon his permanent home after all, and accordingly has resumed his plan to build an elegant residence on his quarter block just west of J. M. Clower's on College Hill territory. The plans call for a two story house, the first story to be of cement blocks, the second frame. We understand when completed the house will have cost in the neighborhood of \$5000. Mr. SoRelle considered for a time his removal to Plainview, and the Banner-Stockman is glad to know that he will remain a citizen of our city.

Christian Tabernacle Meeting.

The meeting continues with unabated interest. The sermons and solos are highly spoken of. Large audiences have been present every night during the meeting. The singing of the large chorus under the direction of Prof. McVay is getting better every night.

Evangelist Jackson has been called by the congregation to be the temporary pastor until a minister can be called for permanent work. He and his wife are now assisting in the meeting. The meeting will continue throughout the coming week and tomorrow night "The Passion Play" will be given. Admission 15 and 25 cents. These pictures are wonderful. Illustrated songs will also be sung. The proceeds go toward paying the expenses of the meeting.

You cannot afford to miss a single service.

Miss May Grove, of Gainesville, traveling in the interests of organized Women's Foreign Mission work, will be in Clarendon next Wednesday and wishes to meet the ladies of the Presbyterian church, as well as all others who may be interested, at that church at four o'clock in the afternoon. All who care to attend the meeting will be welcomed.

Sam Harle, the Memphis druggist, was here Wednesday looking into the ice situation. Memphis people are up against it this summer on the ice question, and Sam says an ice factory is sure to follow for his town next season. Now that they have secured plenty of good Donley county water it will be an easy matter to acquire an ice factory.

So far, on account of the telegraph strike, Rev. J. Sam Barcus, the newly elected president of Clarendon College, has not been heard from. A letter is expected on every train.

R. K. Lane and family have returned from a lengthy visit to the Jamestown exposition.

J. B. Pope and family have returned from their outing to points on the coast.

Mrs. J. D. Camp and children returned yesterday from a visit to Corpus Christi.

MISS BOLES NOW LEADS

Passes From Second to First Place in the Merchants' Piano Contest. Voting Quite Heavy.

The principal news item of interest in the Piano Contest this week is the passing to first place by Miss Loxa Boles who was second last week. She now leads Miss Brown by a very small margin. Golda Stanton holds on to her third place and has advanced upon the leaders materially this week. Miss Lane is still in fourth place, Miss Shaw fifth. Miss Mabel Smith makes a most substantial gain this week, jumping from about 300 to more than 1500. Her vote but illustrates the fact that a race of this kind is never ended until the last vote is counted. The count yesterday, nearly all boxes reporting:

Miss Loxa Boles	6072
Miss Adrian Brown	6011
Miss Golda Stanton	5113
Miss Pearl Lane	4646
Miss Mary Shaw	2352
Miss Mabel Smith	1548
Miss Marian Barnett	699
Clarendon Public School	518
Miss Louie Adamson (Hedley)	514
St. Mary's Academy	345
Clarendon College	321
Miss Louise Johnson	176
Miss Grace Tyree	60
Miss Elizabeth Allen	16
Miss L. Davis	6
Miss Sadie Davis	2
Miss Lelia Ross	1

The following business people give tickets. Call for them when making purchases: Clarendon Lumber Co., Dr. J. D. Stocking, Martin-Bennett Co., The Clarendon Bakery, Imperial Barber Shop, Bagby's Confectionery, A. L. Connally & Co., Steam Laundry, O. D. Liesberg, Miss Porter, McDaniel & Carroll, Homer Mulkey, Nath Goldston, J. B. McClelland, Hayter Bros., McCrae & Hodges, The Banner-Stockman. Read the rules and regulations on sixth page.

Resolutions of Sympathy.

Whereas, the cold hand of death has entered the home of our beloved sister and co-worker, Mrs. W. P. Powell, and claimed as its victim her devoted husband, and whereas we recognize in this sad dispensation of divine providence an affliction that must fall very heavily upon both the heart and home of our sister,

Therefore be it resolved that we, the Woman's Home Society of Clarendon extend to her and her children our heartfelt sympathy, and reach forth our helping hands.

Resolved second that we commend them to God who alone can comfort them in this their deep affliction.

Resolved third that we unite in our prayers at the Father's throne in their behalf that His grace may sustain and comfort them in this their sad bereavement, and that He may so preside over their destinies as that some sweet day they may form an unbroken family circle in the home of the pure and good, where sickness can never come—where the farewell word will never be spoken and where all tears shall be wiped away.

Respectfully submitted,
 MRS. J. G. MILLER,
 MRS. W. R. SILVEY,) Committee.

"Regular as the Sun"

is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the raising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe, unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed by J. D. Stocking, druggist. 25c.

The farmers' union picnic yesterday on Lake Creek attracted a number of Clarendon people. We go to press too soon to give any news connected with the affair.

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F. W. & D. C. TIME TABLE

No. 2, southbound.....	7:55 a. m.
No. 8, southbound.....	8:13 p. m.
No. 1, northbound.....	9:17 p. m.
No. 7, northbound.....	10:04 a. m.

Clarendon, Tex., Aug. 16, '07

MR. CRADY'S fruit tree proposition looks like a case of heads you win; tails he loses.

AND next it will probably be "thirty" for the daily newspaper. Some are pretty well tied up by the strike.

WE are betting as high as two to one that Quantrell, the guerrilla chief, wont stay found. Not very many years ago Jesse James was discovered, but soon developed into a fake.

IT is a good idea to "freeze on to a good thing" wherever you find it, and right now the towns along the Denver are awfully sorry that some of their monied men have not formed the freezing habit and acquired an ice factory.

THE Claude News is out with an excellent industrial edition this week. The illustrations are good and the subject matter ditto. The paper would have looked better from one standpoint if it had contained more business, but otherwise it was all right.

WE are glad we are not making a noise like a Standard Oil magnate. If there is truth in the biblical saying in regard to the final destination of the rich some of those fellows are going to hit sheol so hard that the brimstone will slobber on every side of the lake.

CROP conditions are reported tip-top by all the farmers in Donley county whom we have been able to hear from. The cotton plant is putting on lots of fruit and the present stretch of warm weather has been beneficial to its growth and development. Corn is made, while kaffir, maize and the forage crops are reported doing fine.

THERE is an ice famine from one end of the Denver Road to the other. Several towns are having a hard time to keep in ice and offering to pay any old price to get it. Clarendon is to be congratulated on having a good ice factory and a man running it who will not take advantage of the necessities of the people by putting his prices up because of the scarcity of the product elsewhere. The Clarendon plant could ship entire daily product at almost its own price if so desired.

THE idea of providing a building for the local camp of Confederate veterans is all right. It is good in sentiment, and not nearly so impractical as would appear on first thought. When it is taken into consideration that the old soldiers themselves are interested and willing to put up money on the building, the matter simply resolves itself into a proposition to help Camp Sam Lanham establish itself in a home of its own, same to be constituted also into a kind of museum as explained last week in an article in these columns. If the citizens of Clarendon will extend moral and financial assistance the local camp will gain their home, so we are informed by the captain commanding.

After November 1, every subscriber to the Herald will pay \$1.50 per annum for future time. Up to that date we will receive \$1 per annum for as far in advance as a subscriber wishes to pay. This rate will be to all, without discrimination. Remember the date.—Memphis Herald.

Now that has the right ring to it. There is no Farmers' Union

man, or any other man who desires to see his home paper take rank among the best, who will stop his paper for a measly little old 50-cent piece. If there is, let him stop. A more public-spirited man will take his place. The 50 cents would never be asked if it wasn't necessary to enable the newspaper man to hold his head up and look his subscribers in the eye.—Wheeler County Texan.

The Dallas Fair association is making a program for press day at the opening of the fair this fall. If the management can make arrangements for the boys to pay the railroad fare to Dallas there will be a large attendance. The anti-pass law will hit the fair association about as hard as most anyone, as the association depends upon the country papers boosting the fair for the little feast that is spread on the opening day, and as the newspaper men will not feel like paying fare to boost the show the attendance on their part will be small.—Childress Index.

A Seasonable Rebuke.

The Thirtieth legislature was swatted hard in Tuesday's election.

Perhaps the sapient lawmakers who made that body memorable in the political annals of the state will resent the suggestion that the ignominious defeat of all save one of the amendments they proposed to the constitution was a rebuke to them.

The general public, however, will share none of that resentment, for the fact is the general public is coming to regard the Thirtieth legislature as the most radical and ill-tempered one that ever plunged the State into confusion or laid a handicap on its development.

In the main the amendments were possessed of merit, and the one ratified of so much merit that even a resentful electorate permitted it to stand.

Humanity and gratitude called for an indorsement of the proposition to provide for the care of helpless Confederate widows; but as these sentiments could not be invoked to the aid of other amendments, however meritorious, they were slaughtered by a ruthless ballot.

This experience may not teach the gentlemen who constituted the Thirtieth legislature any lesson of value, but will perhaps convey to those who are to be their successors the substantial lesson that the people will do nothing to honor lawmakers who make arbitrary and useless laws.

The public judgment was plainly that men who could not be trusted to make good laws could not be safely trusted to amend the constitution, for it is easier to repeal absurd and despotic legislation than to take a bad patch off the organic law of the State, once it is put there.—Ft. Worth Star.

Robert Sawyer, Jr., returned Sunday from Norfolk, Va., where on the Wednesday before he was discharged from the naval hospital after a stay in that institution of five months. Bob enlisted in the navy about seven months ago. After two months of service he was stricken with spinal meningitis, hence his hospital experience. His recovery was for many weeks a matter of gravest doubt, and when he was at last pronounced well he was given an honorable discharge from the service on account of disabilities resulting from the attack. His back is yet very weak, and the hospital physician told him that the chances were against him ever being strong again. Bob says he is glad to get home and his friends are indeed glad to see him again.

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.

—Watches? Sure, J. M. Clower

Resolutions Adopted by Clarendon Lodge No. 700 A. F. & A. M.

Again death has invaded our rank and we are called to mourn the departure of a brother beloved.

At 9 p. m. July 12, 1907, Brother W. P. Powell completed the building of the temple of his life and character, and cast upon the altar the habiliments of mortality and at the summons of the Grand Master of the Universe, entered upon his reward.

While we feel so keenly the loss of this our friend and brother, we find in our hearts the sentiments of him who said:

"I hold it true what'er befall,
I feel it where I sorrow most,
It were better to have loved and lost
Than to have never loved at all."

Bro. Powell was born November 2, 1849, being nearly fifty-eight years old. Counting by the number of years this was not a long life, but life is not numbered by years alone, but by noble deeds, and his was a life filled with acts of kindness and labors of love.

He joined Bartlett Lodge No. 602, A. F. & A. M. at Bartlett, Texas, January 4, 1892, and from that time until his death he lived a just and upright Mason exemplifying in his life and conduct the noble principles of the order.

Embodied in our deceased brother, were to be found the elements of the christian gentleman the enterprising citizen, a true husband and father. Therefore he it resolved:

1st, that in the death of Brother Powell, Clarendon lodge has suffered a great loss. His church has lost one of its most consistent members. The community has been deprived of one of its best citizens, the family has been bereft of a kind and affectionate father.

Resolved, 2nd: That while it is with deep sorrow we say good bye to our brother we bow in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, 3rd: That this report be spread upon the minutes of the lodge, a copy be furnished the family of the deceased, and published in the local papers of the city.

Respectfully submitted,
W. C. HILBURN,
J. D. STOCKING,
J. J. STANTON,
Committee.

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"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.

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One day as a leading lawyer and a judge, both of Boston, were walking together the lawyer said: "Judge let's go into partnership. You furnish the money and I'll furnish the brains." The Judge quickly pulled out a two-cent piece from his pocket, and holding it in the palm of his hand said to the lawyer: "Very well, old chap, cover that."—Ex.

A Mr. Ireland, father of Mrs. Joe Hastings, who had only moved to Clarendon last Sunday week, died at the home of W. W. Hastings Sunday night, the immediate cause of death being hemorrhage of the bowels. He had been sick for some time, but had only been in bed about a week. The remains were shipped to Tulsa for interment.

—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.

Charley Lewis left Sunday night for Washington City where he will resume his work in the Customs Department.

F. D. Martin and C. W. Bennett made a business trip to Jericho Wednesday.

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, 50c.

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YOU WISH SATISFACTION, DO YOU NOT? AND DO YOU NOT WISH TO GIVE SATISFACTION TO OTHERS? IF YOU WORK FOR OTHERS YOU WILL BETTER SATISFY THEM IF YOU COME TO YOUR WORK NEATLY CLAD. REMEMBER YOUR EMPLOYER IS SEEKING TO ADVANCE YOU. BOTTOM MEN ARE EASY TO GET. TOP MEN ARE HARD TO GET. THE FIRST MAN YOUR EMPLOYER LOOKS FOR WHEN HE HAS A RESPONSIBLE POSITION OPEN, IS FOR SOME MAN WHO ALREADY HAS A POSITION IN HIS HOUSE. CLEAN THOUGH YOU BE IN YOUR HABITS, YOU MUST ALSO BE CLEAN IN YOUR "HABIT." WEAR GOOD CLOTHES. THEY WILL HELP YOU.

NOTHING GOES FURTHER TO MAKE UP A NEAT TOILET THAN WELL-SHOD FEET. WE CAN SHOE THE WHOLE FAMILY WITH NEATNESS AND DISPATCH, FROM THE BABY WITH DAINY SOFT SOLES TO GRANDPA IN THE OLD GENTS' COMFORTS. NEW STOCK JUST OPENED. DON'T FORGET THE BARGAINS IN BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.

Look for the Red Price. It means something saved, therefore something made.

RESPECTFULLY,

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Don't drive oxen just because your ancestors did. If your collar is made from **ENGLISH LONG-CLOTH** it costs more, wears longer and launders better. It's found only in collars stamped **STERLING BRAND**. **TWO FOR 25¢**. This shape is the **GILEAD**. POINTS 2 1/4 IN. BACK 1 1/2 IN. QUARTER-SIZES. AT LEADING DEALERS.

For Sale by E. Dubbs & Sons.

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

Big Hereford Bargain.
N. N. Martin, proprietor of Douley county's famous Lone Star Herd of Registered Herefords, having sold his ranch is now looking for a purchaser for his herd. The herd consists of 8 bulls, 11 yearling heifers and 31 head of cows from two years old up. Anyone who may be desirous of acquiring a strictly first-class herd of registered stuff will do well to investigate this proposition. We understand that the herd can be bought for \$50 around, this spring and summer calves thrown in. These cattle cost Mr. Martin from \$100 to \$160 per head when they were yearlings, and all of them are of the very best strains of blood. Mr. Martin's address is Clarendon. He will make terms to suit purchaser. tf

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

THE S. S. PRIMARY CLASS

How to Make the Sunday School Interesting to the Little Folks.

The following is the paper prepared by Mrs. G. A. Wimberly, of Hedley, and read before the meeting of the District Sunday School Association at Lelia Lake, Aug. 4th:

First the teacher must have a great personality: "People with small souls should never try to teach. Still personality is capable of cultivation. It is largely an affair of our own making."

Some Sunday school teachers have become messengers of joy "Where one of these is at work there the world looks sunny and cheerful." A beautiful church and decorations may contribute to the brightening of the Sunday school, but they cannot give that something which is needed to make the school a temple of joyous activity. This something must dwell in the superintendent's and teachers' hearts. "It is the Spirit which seeks to increase the sum of human happiness in the world. No corner is too small or too wretched but can be transformed into a sacred shrine by this. Just loving ones' neighbors, that is all it tries to do, but with a might. It relieves distress, dispenses comfort, and cheers those who are most in need of cheer."

There are discouraged children in many classes, they are known only as indifferent, often the history of their growth and indifference would reveal a heartbreaking story of discouragements. Honest effort may be misunderstood or not recognized at all by grown-ups. Do you not think that a sympathetic teacher could do much for him if she but knew? "The sympathy and encouragement beaming from the teacher's eyes are to the pupil what the light and warmth of the sun are to the flowers of the garden field."

Always meet your class with smile of genuine pleasure and gratitude that God has assigned to you so important a task in his vineyard and you will not fail of reaping that harvest of contentment and joy which is the reward of true success.

Be sure you begin aright by having a proper conception of the noble character of your office. Cultivate good nature, keep it alive under all circumstances. It is worth more than the riches of Croesus.

Another essential element is regular and prompt attendance. First, the teacher must set the example, then try to impress on each little mind the importance of being present each Sabbath. One of the following is usually the reason for irregular attendance of healthy children, either the failure on the part of the teacher to make the lesson interesting or lack of comprehension on the part of the parents as to the importance of a child being present every Sunday.

One plan to stimulate regular attendance is to have a piece of white cardboard tacked on the wall of the primary room. On this is written the pupils' names. Each Sunday they are present a small red star is placed to the right of each name, and four red stars make a white one. The race is to see who gets the most white stars during the year.

Of course the teacher must be well up on the subject and tell them a nice little lesson story; then ask them questions to bring out the points and truths; then have each one tell as much of the story as they can. It is well to go briefly over the previous lesson at the close and to give an outline of the next Sunday's lesson, as it takes repeated stories for the little ones to remember them. At the end of the quarter go over the quarter's subjects, topics truths and golden texts and give reward of merit to those who can tell the most of the lesson stories they have studied. Impress on their little minds the usefulness of bringing their little pennies each Sunday.

It is well to visit the little one's homes and talk to their parents and let them know you are interested in their children. Although this cannot be accomplished in a day, keep at it, for when parents see a teacher is interested in their child, I think they become doubly interested. Ours is a noble calling and to make it the highest success we must put our whole soul into it. May we all seek to do our best, to make our class all it ought to be. We are not all constituted alike and what may suit one may not please another, but we can all create an interest if we try, and then half the battle is won.

There's never a bloom beside the road
But makes the greensward brighter
There's never a smile in kindness given
But makes some sad heart lighter;
There's never a cloud at sunset time
But adds its shade of glory;
There's never a drop of diamond dew
That is lost among the flowers.
God gives us all some way to help
Make glad this world of ours."

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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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.**

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Most Any Kind of Weather With the Sweltering Kind... Predominating...
AUGUST

The bullfrog boometh from the ooze, the gentle cowfrog softly moos, the wife makes sweet blackberry tarts, and the kids are out collecting warts. The corn-belt farmers pray for rains, the boys have watermelon pains, and the newborn colt, though somewhat frail, bats horse-flies with its stubby tail.

The little brains that dogs possess become as sawdust, nothing less, and the crafty butterfly, unseen, is making oleomargarine.

August was named for Augustus Caesar, who resigned in Rome during the dull season, when Julius Caesar, was spending the heated term at his summer villa on Fairbanks Cove. Augustus Caesar was a silly hairpin, and he made the silly season in Rome historic. Instead of chariot races in the Coliseum, he had races between messenger boys with fire-crackers in the seats of their pants. Another of the favorite silly season spots of Augustus was to have the gladiators go into the arena and have pillow fights. To a populace accustomed to the most bloody encounters between these big bullies, the spectacle of seeing them chasing one another with a bolster full of pin-feathers was so utterly ridiculous that the booby-match couldn't handle the crowd.

The summer boarder wakes at dawn To hear the rooster going on, To hear the lusty ducks and drakes All the fuss the guinea makes. He hits the bedroom doot a whack, Demands to have his money back, And dons his trousers front behind The while he speaks his angry mind.

The wobbly calf, ingenious thing, conducts its mother to the spring, contrives to push her where her bag will in the cool, clear water sag, and when her milk is made ice-cold, he calls her out and seizes hold to give his tummy Paradise the while his short tail slugs the flies.

The chautauqua puts on more horsepower, and the outdoor lecturer has a hemorrhage of bad English in the shades of the sheltering elms. The word chautauqua is from the Greek letter chau (to), tauq (talk) and ua (long), meaning to talk long. The long-named artist comes out from the city to paint a purple cow, and a brindle bull hits him where it will do the most good, dropping him into a distant briar patch with the nice precision of a golf player. The automobile comes out on the country road and has cirrhosis of the carburetor, in the throes of which it rids its stomach of the odd lot of nuts, bolts, screws and scrap-iron. The farmer hitches a span of mules to the thing and haul it back to town, and the mules amuse themselves all the way in kicking the horn and hearing it go honk.

The pumpkin vine begins to run And drags the pumpkin through the sun Until what had been plump and round Grows round and slim from covering ground.

The fool young horse before the load beholds the roadster on the road and scatters passengers and freight from breakfast to the barnyard gate.

The boy whose wisdom has not dawned Goes swimming in a green-scummed pond And gets, besides parental whack, Some sort of green rash on his back— Though what he gets from mother's hand Is lower down, you understand.

Mars will retire to a position more remote from the Earth, and the Moon will be full on the 23rd, which will be 23 for the Moon. The scientist who went to the Andes to view Mars from Nature's grandstand will start home, and they will compare notes on the ship. Prof. Longazo will claim to have seen one thing, and Prof. Munsterbitzenbossensduzen will insist it was something else. They have passed into eclipse hammering each other over the hay-mows with their note books. Prof. Munsterbitzenbossensduzen will kick a fine assorted lot of vermicelli out of Prof. Longazo.

And then the welcome fall will come, And frost will nip the roofless bum, The paw-paw will come down kasquash, And a thicker shirt go in the wash. The farmers' wheat will go to town, The price will spot him and go down, And the corn-fed hogs, ere long to die, Will banquet in the fatal sty.

But let us, even though we sizz, extract from life what cheer there is. Let dogs, not men, in consequence of dog days, feel like 30c. September dear is almost here, and faintly falls upon the ear the sweet, harmonious ku-chung of cider from the small brown jug.

DOMINOCARDS—The new game that combines and excels both Cards and dominoes. Local canvassers wanted to introduce in every community. Sample game and particulars, postpaid, 50cts. **DOMINOCARDS CO., 1807 Chouteau Ave., St. Louis, Mo.**

"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.

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 light bread 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 1/2c
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



Have you ever studied out that cash plan? Look into it this month; let us "show you" whether you are from Missouri or not.

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F. W. & D. C. TIME TABLE

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

Clarendon, Tex., Aug. 16, '07

THAT OVERCHARGE MATTER.

In its first issue after July 4th, the Childress Post made the statement that a Childress man claimed to have been charged \$2.00 for a bed at one of Clarendon's leading hotels. The article was quite strenuous, though not more so, we admit, than was right or proper if the charge was true. The editor of the Banner-Stockman showed the article to the two hotel men of this city, Messrs. Atteberry and Adams, and asked them for a statement. Both indignantly denied the accusation and asked that the Banner-Stockman demand of The Post either a retraction of the charge or proof of same. This we did. Last week we hurried The Post up a little, thinking perhaps the editor had forgotten the matter. This week's Post comes back with the following:

Some time ago Brother Cooke, of the Clarendon Banner-Stockman, took the Post to task about a report it published concerning a charge of extortion made against one of the leading hotels up there. We were asked to either brand the statement as false or produce the evidence. The gentleman who asked for the bed at one of the hotels, registered his name, went into the room on July 4th but refused to take it when informed that the price was \$2.00, has been out of town for some time but is here now. He is a reputable, responsible citizen of Childress and declares the report is true. His name will be furnished in a private letter to any interested citizen of Clarendon on application to the editor of the Post. We regret that this matter was ever mentioned but as the Clarendon parties seem to be insistent we are ready to give our authority in a private manner. The gentleman is not certain which hotel it was but says it is just opposite the depot. He further says that his name can be found on the register for July 4th but was marked out on his refusing to pay the price asked. Don't suppose he cares to make a trip to Clarendon as Bro. Cooke demands but suppose he can be found here almost any day.

Replying, the Banner-Stockman would say that it has never asked the gentleman to make a trip to Clarendon, nor intimated that such a trip would be asked or demanded. All we wanted was the gentleman's statement in the Childress paper over his signature, and with his proof. The editor of the Banner-Stockman claims to be an "interested citizen of Clarendon," and has asked for the name in a private letter, but at the same time plainly stated that if the name was given him he would publish it. We think this is the way to do it, and that no man should make a charge of this kind and rush into print with it unless he stand ready to prove his charges to be true. Then the matter will be up to the hotel men and the gentleman in question, and the Banner-Stockman can take down its sign in the matter, as can also The Post.

By the way, doesn't it strike you as pretty good evidence that Donley county is well watered when you learn that a town the size of Memphis is to derive its entire system of water works from one spring in Donley county?

At this writing the telegraphers' strike has the commercial interests of the entire United States by the throat and a well-developed strangle hold on same. Both the Western Union and Postal systems are tied up entirely. The Associated Press operators have also joined the strikers, and the big daily papers are suffering perhaps the worst blow of any of the interests affected. It is the greatest strike on record and bids fair to eclipse anything of the kind ever before known, both in length of time and complete stagnation of business. The latest news is that President Roosevelt has been appealed to to

use his offices in inducing a settlement of the differences existing between the operators and their employers.

Dr. Standifer Sells.

One of the surprise deals of the week was a sale by Dr. T. E. Standifer of his residence property and brick office building to L. P. Holland, of Paducah, Ky., who is visiting in the city.

The doctor's property was not on the market and he so stated to Mr. Holland, but it seemed that the latter named gentleman wouldn't be turned down and finally induced Dr. Standifer to set a price, which was immediately given. The total consideration was \$7000, cash.

Dr. Standifer asks us to say that this must not be taken as an indication that he will leave town. He is located in Clarendon "for keeps" and will immediately buy other property and build a still nicer home, and will also buy other business property. He says he sold simply for the profit in the deal and for no other reason. He retains possession of his old property for one year, thus giving him ample time to build another residence before having to move.

We understand that Mr. Holland will remove to Clarendon before the year is up. He is a gentleman of means and will add materially to our citizenship.

Eastern Star Officers.

The local chapter, O. E. S. elected the following officers last night: Mrs. James H. Kelley, Worthy Matron; W. H. Cooke, Worthy Patron; Mrs. J. A. Barnett, Associate Matron; Mrs. Lee Patterson, Secretary; Mrs. H. D. Ramsey, Treasurer; Mrs. Ella Williams, Conductress; Mrs. Sarah Caraway, Associate Conductress.

Next Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock the chapter will convene for the conferring of degrees. There are five candidates for initiation at this time. On the 31st the new officers will be installed.

Dog Tax Notice.

I am now collecting the 1907 Dog Tax of one dollar for each dog kept by any resident of this city. Let all persons take notice and be ready with the payment when I call for it.

C. L. FRY,
City Marshal and Tax Collector.

Coal, Coal, Coal.

I will soon open a coal business in Clarendon and now have orders out for several cars. Have plenty of bin room and am in the race to stay. I solicit the patronage of all.

CLINT A. LEE.

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.

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.

Dr. J. J. Hanna.

Of Drs. Hanna & Swearingen, Amarillo, will be in Clarendon at Dr. Carroll's office Aug. 29 and 30 to treat diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Glasses fitted.

Notice.

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

Notice.

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

C. C. Bearden informs us that he has acquired a stock of merchandise from an Oklahoma firm, invoicing \$8000, which he will bring to Clarendon. That he has leased the Mulkey building for a term of three years, and will have his business under headway by the middle of September. The line embraces dry goods, clothing, etc.

—All good shoes at Rathjen's.

—Jewelry? Why, Clower, of course!

Mrs. J. N. Adair, of Graham, is visiting her son, C. W. Adair.

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

G. B. Cullins, of Heath, visited J. B. Crisp and family this week.

Mrs. Robert Preston, of Elida, N. M., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Taylor.

J. M. Clower and wife visited R. S. Thompson and family at the ranch on Whitefish this week.

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

T. H. Peebles is beginning the erection of a commodious and handsome new residence on his place east of town.

D. L. McClellan sold for Mrs. J. M. Hill her house and lot opposite the jail to Jim Wilson, of the J A ranch, price \$2000.

—I still have that piano and phaeton for sale, and each is a bargain which you had better investigate. C. C. Bearden. 1t

Mrs. W. L. Logan will return home to Seymour Sunday after a visit with the families of her brothers, W. T. and J. S. Hayter.

Drew Burton, who has been employed as a freight brakeman on the Rock Island out of Dalhart, is at home for a visit this week.

Henry Walters, brother of W. A. Walters, came down from Amarillo Wednesday night and has accepted a position with the Cold Storage Market.

—Friends for dinner? Don't worry; phone the Clarendon Bakery for a French or Cream loaf, a fresh layer cake, bag of cookies—in fact anything you want. 1t

—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

There will be no preaching services at the Presbyterian church for two weeks, as Rev. Dickey will be at Hedley next Sunday and at Estacado the Sabbath following.

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

N. N. Martin has bought the old Dr. Eddins residence property from M. T. Howard. He informs us that he will build a nice home in the near future, probably a two-story house of modern design.

Miss Leona Bennett returned home to Whitesboro Monday after an extended visit with the family of her aunt, Mrs. D. C. Sullivan. Her father, Matt Bennett, also visited here the past week while prospecting.

C. W. Adair and his brother have bought the Wheat saddlery business at Memphis and will take charge next week. Mr. Adair has been in the saddlery business here for the past year or so, recently selling his interest to J. L. Davis. He is a pleasant fellow and a good citizen.

B. T. Lane now has his cement block machines at work turning out blocks for the erection of a new residence for himself on his lots opposite the Baptist church. He also talks of building a new business house to accommodate his blacksmith and machine shop business.

H. C. Kerbow and J. C. Asher returned the past week from a trip embracing considerable portions of west and south Texas and including Corpus Christi, Beeville and Stamford. They report having seen Woods Collins at Beeville, and that his health is better and his business good.

Rev. J. R. Mood and wife left Saturday for Channing. They will proceed to Pueblo, Colo., and from there will go down through New Mexico and on to Old Mexico, where it is hoped the climate will greatly benefit the doctor's health. The best wishes of Clarendon people go with them.

—Rathjen for Oxfords. 1t

\$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.

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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.

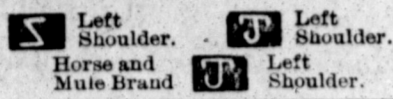
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CLARENDON LIVE STOCK CO.
J. D. Jefferies, Mgr.



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Counties, Texas.

Additional Brands.

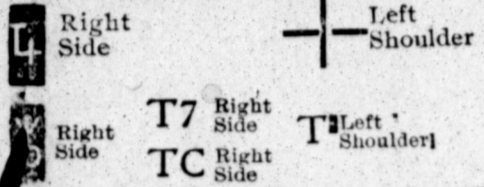


T. S. BUGBEE.



P. O., Clarendon,
Texas.
Ranch in Donley and
Armstrong counties
MARK—Right ear
pointed.

Additional Brands



ROBERT SAWYER,



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

WESLEY KNORPP.



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Texas.
Ranch on Salt
Fork in
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Armstrong
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Additional Brands—



BLACKLEGOIDS

Simplest, Safest, Surest
vaccination for the prevention of
BLACKLEG in
CATTLE.

NO DOSE TO MEASURE.
NO LIQUID TO SPILL.
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Just a little pill to be placed under the skin of
the animal by a single thrust of the instrument.

NOTICE.
For a limited time we will give to any stock-
man an injector free with his first purchase of
100 vaccinations.

Now is the time to
Vaccinate Your Stock

J. D. STOCKING
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Call or write for free booklet.

D. L. McClellan
The Old Reliable Land Man
of Donley County.

Have been here longer, know the
country better, can find better bargains
and more of them, than any other man
in the county. Do a general commis-
sion, rental and collection business.
Office upstairs over drug store.

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Respectfully solicits a share
of your drayage, promising
prompt attention and reason-
able charges. Special prices
on contract work or on hand-
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Special attention given to obstetrics
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Successor to Dr. Wm. H. Cooke
I am permanently located in Clarendon
upstairs in Borchers building, office with
A. T. Cole, where I will be pleased
to meet all of Dr. Cooke's former patrons
as well as the public generally.
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DR. P. F. GOULD,
Dentist.

Clarendon, Texas.
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Carroll's.
Res. Phone 188 Office 45-2

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Clarendon, Texas

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Surveyors

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water works, dams, irrigation, highways,
railroads, bridges, etc. Room No. 5,
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Special attention given to diseases of
women and children and Electro-
Therapy. Office phone No. 66; resi-
dence phone No. 55-3 rings.

Wm. GRAY,

Physician and Surgeon,
Graduate St. Louis College of Physi-
cians and Surgeons; Residence, phone
78-2 rings.
Office over Fleming & Maulfair's drug
store.

T. W. CARROLL,
Physician and Surgeon.

Surgery and Diseases of Women
and Children
Graduate of the Medical Department
of the State University.
Office in Nelson building. Residence
phone No. 38-2 rings. Local surgeon for
F. W. & D. C. Ry. Office phone 45

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Agent. Land and Collecting Agent, and
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List your lands with the old timer,
the man who know the country, has
wide acquaintance throughout the state,
and is therefore in better position to
sell your land. Write me for land lists
and descriptive matter of the Panhandle
country. I bring buyer and seller
together. Office in Dr. Cooke's old
office, corner First and Sully.

HAD AN AWFUL TIME

But Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and
Diarrhoea Remedy Cured Him.

It is with pleasure that I give you this
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.
—SAM H. GWIN, Concord, Ga. For
sale by all druggists.

Some trades of the week in Clar-
endon:—J. I. Oldham, house and
lots near the late lamented lake, to
Mrs. Edda Miller, \$1250. Same
party to W. E. Ballew, three
vacant lots on East Second street,
\$200. Mrs. Edda Miller to J. I.
Oldham, one-half section north-
west of town \$15 per acre. H.
Lott to A. T. Culbertson his new
residence, \$3000. C. C. Bearden
to H. Lott, house and lot and other
property, price not learned.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Regular Quarterly Term of the Court
in Session the First
of the Week.

Commissioners court in session the first
three days of the week transacted the
usual amount of routine business, and,
as usual the past year or two, devoted by
far the biggest part of the time to the
discussion of road matters. The follow-
ing proceedings were had:

D. Browder, the Memphis water works
man, was given the right-of-way along the
county road near Memphis for a pipe
line to convey water from a spring in this
county to supply the city of Memphis
with a system of water works.

Quarterly reports of J. M. Clower,
treasurer, and J. T. Patman, tax col-
lector, examined and approved. County
clerk's action in vacation also ap-
proved.

Road petitions by J. S. Daugherty, et
al., and J. H. Altizer, et al., were heard
and the following jury of view appointed
for both: J. H. Altizer, W. B. Webb, J.
D. Pickering, John Clark, Geo. Her-
mesmeyer.

In the road petition of J. A. Wade, et
al., the report of the jury of view was
rejected and the petition dismissed.

Road petition of W. R. Shook, et al.,
for change in public road, was dismissed.

Report of Justice of the Peace W. M.
Cavness examined and approved.

J. C. Arden, et al., road petition; Jury
of view appointed: J. R. Leathers, J. H.
Roberts, T. B. Lumpkin, J. O. King,
Tom Powell.

An order was issued authorizing ad-
vertisement to be made for bids by banks
for the county depository. This ad-
vertisement appears in another column of
this paper.

Two new voting precincts were es-
tablished, one at the Watson school
house, the other at the Bray school
house.

An order was made denying the use of
the court house for any purpose other
than by county officials. No public
meetings to be held unless by special
authority of the commissioners. This
action was taken on recommendation of
the last grand jury.

Notice,

CLARENDON, Tex, Aug. 15, 1907.

Complying with Section 20, Ar-
ticle 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 Septem-
ber, 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 commis-
sioners 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.

Workmen are at work this week
overhauling the public school build-
ing and grounds getting everything
in shape for the beginning of the
next term, Sept. 2. A large num-
ber of new seats are being installed.
If the attendance justifies (and it
is sure to do so) another teacher
will be added to the faculty as
soon as school begins, and another
room provided.

Clarendon Heights property is
being further enhanced both in val-
ue and appearance by the erection
of two excellent new homes. One
by T. E. Williams, the other by
A. L. Bruce. Both are two-story
eight-room residences, well built
and to be handsomely finished.

Frank Kendall returned Wednes-
day from a trip to the south plains.
He bought from F. C. Ramsey, of
Lockney, 200 steer yearlings at p.
t. The bunch is in one straight
mark and brand and Frank says
the prettiest bunch in that country.

Mrs. W. H. Martin and daugh-
ter, Miss Elizabeth, are visiting
Mrs. A. L. Daily and other friends
in Amarillo. Mrs. Daily will re-
turn home with Mrs. Martin next
week for a visit in Clarendon.

Miss Katherine Crawford, of
Paris, Texas, arrived Wednesday
for a visit to the family of D. C.
Sullivan.

Wm. Peel, of Whitesboro, is
visiting his old friend, D. C.
Sullivan, and prospecting in Clar-
endon this week.

B. F. Flowers, Pres. B. H. McCarty, Vice-Pres. H. G. Shaw, Sec.
Wm. Tilton, Treas. O. N. Brown, Gen. Mgr.

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SUCCESSORS TO REEVES & SORELE

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We conduct regular excursions from Colorado and Iowa every
two weeks, hence it will be to your advantage to list your property
with us if you wish immediate results.

We have a large and desirable list of the best lands for sale in
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Its our business to secure worthy investments for our customers.

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Furniture, Stoves, General Racket Stock Goods,
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We Save Our Customers Money Every Time



The Dog Knows

His master's voice when it
comes to him through THE
VICTOR. Likewise all
human beings understand
THE VICTOR better than
any other talking machine.
It is the best. I am ex-
clusive local agent. Any

price. Call and ask.

J. M. CLOWER

CLARENDON ABSTRACT CO. Office in Court House

J. C. Killough & Son, Abstracters

J. C. Killough, Attorney-at-law; land titles and probate matters
exclusively. We have an up-to-date abstract of title to all lands, city
and town lots in Donley county. Prepare abstracts and perfect land
titles.

J. C. KILLOUGH & SON.

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.

McCrae & Hodges Livery Stable

Safe, Speedy and Reliable Teams; Good Rolling Stock.
Bus meets all trains and answers all calls. Phone No. 11.

Roy Stocking Coming Home.

In answer to a proposition Roy
Stocking, who is now at Petaluma,
Cal., has wired his father that he
would be in Clarendon the latter
part of August to take a position in
his father's store. Roy and his
wife have both grown up among
us, and we are glad they are com-
ing back to Clarendon. Roy was
a pretty fair druggist before he left
home. In 1903 he went to St.
Louis and entered the St. Louis
College of Pharmacy where he
graduated in pharmacy in the
spring of 1906 and accepted a posi-
tion in Roswell which he resigned
to accept a position in Petaluma,
California, in April. Married Miss
Eliese Coulter, March 4, 1907, in
Dallas and left at once for Califor-
nia. A change of ownership in the
firm for which he worked and a
proposition from his father looked
good to Roy and his wife as they

were a long way from town out on
the Pacific coast.

Their many friends will join the
Banner-Stockman in welcoming
them both back to the home of
their childhood.

To Trade.

Good horse and jack for town
property or young cattle.

M. W. WOOTEN,
43-2t Clarendon, Texas.

Two or three of the business men
on Main street have arranged to
sprinkle the street in front of their
houses by the use of a hose. This
is a matter that could be followed
up by all the business houses to ad-
vantage. They could club in and
put in ordinary hydrants every 50
or 100 feet, and with a length of
hose sprinkle the dust down as
often as they liked, all for a moder-
ate sum. Really it is a matter
which ought to be looked into by
all our business people.

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. 1½

Get this at

ALLEN & GOODMAN'S

Mrs. W. W. McMicken and family left Wednesday for Clarendon where they will be connected with Clarendon College the coming term. They have resided near Memphis more than fifteen years and we regret to see them go from this community.—Hall County Herald.

**WEAR THE
Patriot
SHOE FOR MEN
\$3.50 and \$4.00**



Made by experts in a specialty factory, out of best leather tanned. Goodyear welt flexible sole. Smooth inside as a glove. Best sole leather bottom. Sewed with best silk thread. Finished by artistic hands. Is stylish and handsome. Made in 42 different styles. All the new toe shapes. All the popular leathers. The price, \$3.50 and \$4.00, places it in reach of all

GUARANTEED

A capital of Two and One-Half Million Dollars cash and an established reputation as honest shoemakers, stands behind every pair of Patriots.

COME IN
AND
EXAMINE
OUR
BIG STOCK

Bryan & Land

CLARENDON, TEXAS

—Best shoes at Rathjen's. tf

—Souvenir post cards at Bagby's. tf

John M. Clower was on the sick list last week.

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

P. C. Johnson, of Amarillo, visited in Clarendon Sunday.

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

C. O. Abernathy spent the first of the week at home with his family in Clarendon.

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

J. E. Carroll's father, who has been visiting him the past month, left Tuesday for his home at Velasco.

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

R. M. Varnell and H. M. Reed, of Cleveland, Tenn., are in Clarendon this week visiting the family of M. C. Reed.

—Vote for your favorite in the Merchants' Piano Contest. Get tickets at the Clarendon Bakery. tf

Mrs. W. W. Perry left Sunday for her home in Nacogdoches after a visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. C. O. Abernathy.

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

C. N. Bushnell and family are spending a week or ten days with relatives and friends on a hunting and fishing trip in the Channing country.

—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

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thornton and little daughters, of Goodnight, were here Saturday on business for the Goodnight Industrial Institute.

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

R. B. Braly and family accompanied by Mr. Braly's father and Mr. Neal, of Clarendon, left yesterday morning for an outing in Crosby county.—Silverton Enterprise.

—The Clarendon Bakery gives votes on all cash purchases. Help your favorite get the piano by trading at the Bakery. tf

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wilson and little daughter, of Graham, Texas, visited the family of D. C. Brooks the past week. Mr. Wilson is an old cow-boy of this country and is prospecting in the west.

—Call and see the piano to be given away in the Merchants' Contest. It is at the Clarendon Bakery, where you also get tickets with each 25c purchase.

R. H. Britain and family, of Oak Cliff, are visiting the family E. C. Britain and will remain in the Panhandle country about a month. They are highly pleased with our cool climate.

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

The Cash Store

TRUNKS

Soon will be time to prepare for school. We have a large assortment of trunks. Double tray ladies' trunk.....\$10
" " mens ".....\$9
Misses and boys ".....\$8.50 to 2.50

UNDERWEAR

Underskirts with embroidery and lace only.....\$1.50
Undershirts wide embroidery, narrow tucks.....1.25
Underskirts, good material, trimmed 75c
Night gowns, very neat nicely trimmed 1.25
Night gowns well made, lace yokes.....75c
Chemis, soft cambric with lace.....\$1

EMBROIDERY

Corset embroidery heavy swiss, yd.....80c
" " deep edging.....60c
" " sheer cambric.....50c
" " wide open work.....36c
" " 18 inches wide.....28c
Nansook hemstitched in sets to match 16c
Wide Hamburg edging.....12½c
Cambric insertion, good quality.....6c

TENTS

10 oz duck wall tent with poles.....\$15

DIVIDENDS

Set buggy harness.....J. F. Bradley
Turkish rug.....Major McCanne
Set abestos irons.....J. G. Hays
Boys wagon.....W. F. Cunningham
Pr lace currain.....W. E. Johnsey
Clothes basket.....Mrs. Anthony
Pr. lace curtains.....W. A. Capps
Bed spread.....W. S. Richardson
Berry set.....W. S. Favor
Alarm clock.....Will Brown
Seth Thomas clock.....J. W. Griffith
Set knives forks and spoons.....H. W. Jenkins
Bread box.....J. M. Thompson
Set smoothing irons.....G. W. Williams
Flour bin.....R. F. Eslinger
Graphophone record.....J. N. Bartlett
Oil can.....J. W. Anthony

GOBLETS

Hotel size set.....30c

DUST PANS

Long handle, no stooping.....25

NEW FLOUR

Gold Medal Colorado patent, 100 lbs.....2.50
Cupola Illinois soft wheat ".....2.60
Rival Best Oklahoma ".....2.75

FRUIT JARS

Half gallon size Mason jar, doz.....75
Quart size, doz.....60
Jar tops, doz.....25
Jelly glasses.....25

FRUIT PROSPECTS

The fruit crop is short and all kinds of dried and canned fruits will be high priced this fall. Hall county has some good peaches and apples, which you can get now at low prices but the home supply will soon be exhausted. Why not use the chance and put up all you want. Jars are cheaper than ever before in Memphis and you can get sugar at low prices. Now is the time. Don't delay if you want home packed fruit.

T. R. Garrett 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

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

J. B. Carson, of Barstow, visited the family of Mrs. Dr. Cooke Sunday.

Miss Berta McDowell, of Hillsboro, is visiting her friend, Miss Lola Killough this week.

—Tickets for the contest at the Clarendon Bakery. See the piano here and call for tickets. tf

Mrs. Dr. Wm. H. Cooke and daughter, Mrs. Marguerite McCormick, left Sunday night for a visit to Dallas.

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

Mrs. Ashel Cross and mother, Mrs. Susan Cross, of the J J ranch, and Mrs. John Cross and Miss Jane Cross, of Texico, returned home Sunday after a visit with the families of W. T. McDaniel and W. M. Cross.

Hugh Brown reports both his well machine outfits crowded with orders just now. One of them he has in the Hedley community where he has just finished wells for several parties including W. T. White and Surveyor E. R. Clark.

—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

L. P. Holland and wife, of Paducah, Ky., are visiting the family of W. C. Cole this week. Mr. Holland is looking over this country with a view to buying both city and country property, and may decide to locate with us.

County Surveyor E. R. Clark moved his family down to ranch near Hedley the first of week. Mr. Clark has not resigned his office, and parties who wish his services can address him at Hedley. He will keep in close touch with his surveying. Mr. Clark has some half a dozen rent houses on his place, and is paying attention to the raising and feeding of hogs.

Attorney A. T. Cole went over to Hereford the first of the week, having been retained to defend one J. W. Bailey who was charged with horse theft. We don't know whether Mr. Cole's reputation as a staunch "Bailey man" was the cause of his being retained by the defense or not. The case is set for the second week.

Do your friends the honor of having their names in the paper when they come to see you. Phone the Banner-Stockman. Your friend will appreciate the compliment and your editor will be likewise appreciative of your effort to help him give the news.

E. H. Willis, of Gainesville, a son of our Thos. Willis, came in Saturday with his family. He will be manager for the new lumber yard at Hedley and his family will remain here until the business is established and he moves there. The Banner-Stockman is glad to welcome them to citizenship in Donley county.

All kind of attractions are features of picnics now-a-days. At a Farmers' Union picnic near Cooper Saturday a boy baby was born. We are not told whether or not this was previously announced on the program.—Childress Index.

Nearly Invoice Time

I always invoice stock on hand in August and in order to reduce stock before taking stock I will put on

A Clearance Sale

for the rest of July. Every article in the store at a great discount from regular price and many seasonable goods and odds and ends of several lines

At and Below Cost

Ladies, now is your time to secure some great bargains in all lines. Come in and look through my stock.

MRS. A. M. BEVILLE

"THE MILLINER AND LADIES' FURNISHER"