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The Schools and Colleges of Clarendon Have Begun Their Year's Work with an Attendance in Excess of last Year.

PUBLIC SCHOOL OPENING.

This Popular Institution Begins the Year with Prospects that are Indeed Flattering.

Almost with the dawning of the morning on September 11, the shouts and glad laughter of children were heard in all parts of our beautiful little city. It was occasioned by the beginning of our public school. Everyone of them seemed glad that the vacation was then over and work was forthcoming.

Long before the signal bell rang for the approach of pupils, perfect multitudes of children awaited the time of opening with great impatience. The presence of great numbers of pupils in and about the school building was but one of the many evidences of Clarendon Public School's popularity.

Interested parents were much in evidence upon this particular occasion; great numbers of them being present with smiles and words of encouragement for both pupils and teachers.

About 9 o'clock the bell rang for all to repair to their respective rooms.

Visitors went from room to room at pleasure and many interesting speeches were made and much good advice dispensed in the different rooms.

Mr. W. H. Cooke made some good sound talks in the different rooms, impressing among many other good points the close relations existing between the trustees and the entire school. He admonished the children that they should always be careful to conduct themselves in a creditable manner, for all the patrons and teachers and the board of trustees were pleased when the school prospered and were made sad on account of all misconduct on their part.

Mr. J. H. O'Neill also made a series of most fitting remarks, which seemed to impress the children beyond the ordinary as they listened with rapt attention.

J. H. Rutherford, our new trustee, showed his interest in the school by being present, and making a few remarks, cheering both children and teachers upon their way.

Judge Morgan was also present seeking whom he might make glad. He sought not only to gladden but to benefit, for he made a few reasonable remarks that were fraught with common sense and good cheer.

We should like to speak more at length concerning our visitors but space forbids.

The school has opened up with 334 pupils, no names repeated. There are 168 boys and 166 girls enrolled.

In the lower grades are the following number of pupils in the room:

Miss Stont, 55, Miss Donnell, 56;

Miss Betts, 48; Miss Stevens, 44; Miss Lide, 35; Miss Harding, 20.

In the high school grades the following is a correct estimate:

Eighth grade, 34; ninth and tenth grades, 41.

Everything in sight points to both a pleasant and profitable year.

The teachers seem exultant and pupils industrious and happy.

We feel that our three new teachers merit special mention.

Miss Lide, teacher of the sixth grade, starts out with a full room of industrious children and is herself brimful of enthusiasm. Having been accustomed to teaching more difficult branches than are taught in this grade we prophesy rapid progress in her room.

Miss Stevens, the newly elected teacher for the fifth grade, seems to verify her former reputation as a good teacher and is accustoming herself to the new surroundings admirably.

Miss Chamberlain seems to be having the best of success as to her music classes. She is of course well equipped, and very conveniently situated, especially with reference to the public school.

Laney-Sherman Wedding.

A ripple of excitement passed through the town Monday morning, September 11, when it was discovered that a surprise wedding had taken place at the district parsonage, Rev. J. A. Laney and Miss Gertrude Sherman being the contracting parties. It is said that "coming events cast their shadows before," but no suspicion of this event had reached anyone. Miss Sherman had, during the day, invited the College Faculty to a little "Tea" at 8 o'clock Monday evening. The invitation had been accepted with pleasure and the appointed hour found Rev. G. S. Hardy and Mrs. Hardy, Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Burkhead, and Miss Betts in the parlor at the district parsonage. Other members of the faculty had sext regrets owing to pressing school duties on Monday evening, and having no idea of anything but a social hour.

Dr. Blackwell, an old friend of the groom, and Mrs. W. B. Dodson, with the relatives of the family, were the other guests present.

Soon after their arrival the guests were notified of the cause for their being present, and Revs. Hardy and Burkhead were asked to assist in the ceremony. At about 8:15 o'clock the bride and groom entered the parlor, Dr. Burkhead read the introductory part of the ceremony, Rev. J. M. Sherman, father of the bride, administered the vows, Rev. G. S. Hardy led in prayer, and the solemn words, "What God hath joined together let not man put asunder," had made the two lives one.

By this time the surprised guests had been able to rise to the occasion and hearty congratulations

and best wishes followed. Light refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake were served, after which the guests said good night.

The bride wore a crepe de chene and the groom the regulation black. Miss Sherman is well known in Clarendon, being the daughter of Presiding Elder J. M. Sherman, and having taught the past year in Clarendon College, where she is now teaching. Rev. Laney is one of the most promising young preachers in this district and is to be congratulated on having won his Presiding Elder's daughter.

Their many friends bespeak for them a very useful and happy life.

A FRIEND.

L. K. Egerton, of the Panhandle Nursery, went up to the Dahlhart fair last week with an exhibit from his nursery. He took along some splendid specimens of stock of all kinds and was well pleased with results, selling quite a nice assortment of stuff and making impressions upon the minds of the visitors which will likely result in much future business.

A Birthday Party.

A charming scene greeted the eyes of the writer on last Saturday afternoon when she was summoned as the last invited guest to little Floy Silvey's birthday party. As she entered the dining room and was shown her place at the head of the table her eyes fell on a rarely pretty scene.

The shades drawn and in the center of a beautifully decorated table reposed the white birthday cake on which burned eight colored candles, thus telling the guests the age of the little hostess. Around the table in dainty attire and with happy faces, stood the little guests of the evening, eating ice cream and cake, drinking iced tea, and helping themselves between whiles to candy and fruit.

Those present were: Nannie Sims, Cassie Craig of Vernon, Cassandra and Muffet Sims, Jennie Dale Powell, Nellie Nelson, Intha Collins, and Mary Cooke.

Little Willie Silvey was the only boy present and the little girls laughing called him the "little old man", "Jack Horner" etc. Several

others had been invited, but the rain prevented their attendance.

After the good things had been disposed of, the birthday cake was passed around that each little guest might blow out a candle with a wish, then the cake was cut and later merry games proceeded and followed the refreshments until the hour came for the girlies to say good-by and go home.

Floy was proudly wearing a new ring, a gift from her papa, and a dainty table held many other gifts all of which were just the things little girls would like.

The occasion was a happy milestone in the life of each little guest as well as of the little hostess.

FLOY'S FRIEND.

Shorthand Teacher.

Mrs. Maude Smith on next Monday will open a school of shorthand and typewriting in the office of the Justice of the Peace at the courthouse upstairs. Parties desiring instruction will please call on her there.

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

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PANHANDLE CALVES.

The Demand in the North and East is Increasing.

"Better calves and better grass I have never seen than in the Panhandle of Texas this year," said Judge O. H. Nelson, president of the Amarillo Stock Yards company, to the Chicago Live Stock World. "A few weeks ago I traversed most of the grass country in Texas and New Mexico, above the quarantine line, and everywhere found conditions superb. The country is long on grass and short on cattle—a most desirable condition.

"Panhandle calves are incomparably better than last year. They are thrifty and will make much better material for feeders' purposes. Last year owing to drouth many early calves died and others were stunted. This year the whole crop has been raised, and calves average about 25 pounds heavier than last year. At weaning time they will average 350 to 400 pounds and will be rolling fat. More Panhandle calves have been dehorned this year than ever before.

"Popularity of the Panhandle calves in Eastern feed lots is developing rapidly. While a goodly proportion of this year's crop will go into Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska, there will be a decided increase in the number sent to Iowa. East of the Mississippi river, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio will absorb the bulk, but we are highly gratified this year at the receipt of orders from New York state and New Jersey. Kentucky, Virginia and Pennsylvania will also be good customers. The Eastern demand for Panhandle feeders is developing by leaps and bounds.

"It is somewhat early to talk prices. I believe trade will be on a basis of steady to strong compared with last year when the bulk of calves, exclusive of tops and tail ends, sold at \$15 @ \$20 per head. Last fall I was quoted as saying that the light calves then selling at bargain prices were the most profitable, although feeders looked askance at them. Here is a case in point. At Fort Madison, Ia., I sold a feeder a bunch of calves six and one-half months old for \$18.50 and another bunch three months old for \$8.50. Despite the difference in price of \$10 a head he was reluctant to buy the small ones and only did so on my personal assurance that a year hence he would not be able to tell the two lots apart. A few days ago I called on him and he said: Nelson, I thought

you were trying to impose on me with those cheap calves, but I can't distinguish between them and the high priced lot now. Three months growth makes a big difference in the calf but in the yearling it cannot be detected. Buyers, however, prefer to buy the big thrifty calves, even paying a stiff premium for them, but it will not be long before the value of the little fellow is appreciated and they will cease to be the bargains they have been.

"Our yearlings and two-year-olds are in good shape and we have no surplus. The whole Panhandle country is fairly reveling in prosperity, good grass, fat cattle and bounteous crops, a combination that cannot be beat."

THREE JURORS CURED

Of Cholera Morbus with One Small Bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mr. G. W. Fowler of Hightower, Ala., relates an experience he had while serving on a petit jury in a murder case at Edwardsville, county seat of Cleburne county, Alabama. He says: "While there I ate some fresh meat and some souse meat and it gave me cholera morbus in a very severe form. I was never more sick in my life and sent to the drug store for a certain cholera mixture, but the druggist sent me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy instead, saying that he had what I sent for, but that this medicine was so much better he would rather send it to me in the fix I was in. I took one dose of it and was better in five minutes. The second dose cured me entirely. Two fellow jurors were afflicted in the same manner and one small bottle cured the three of us." For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

Installation Service.

At eight o'clock tomorrow (Saturday) night there will be special services at the local Presbyterian church. At that time Rev. W. P. Dickey will be installed as pastor according to the rites of the Presbyterian church. Rev. E. B. Fincher, of Amarillo, and Rev. A. W. Crawford, of Hereford, will be the officiating ministers, one of whom will preach the installation sermon. The general public is invited to be present. The same ceremony will be performed at Rowe Sunday morning.

J. E. King, one of last year's graduates at Clarendon College, was here from his home at Childress Saturday. He will enter Southwestern University at Georgetown for the current term, and left Saturday night for that city. Fletcher Isbell will also go to Georgetown this year.



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and beaten, in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

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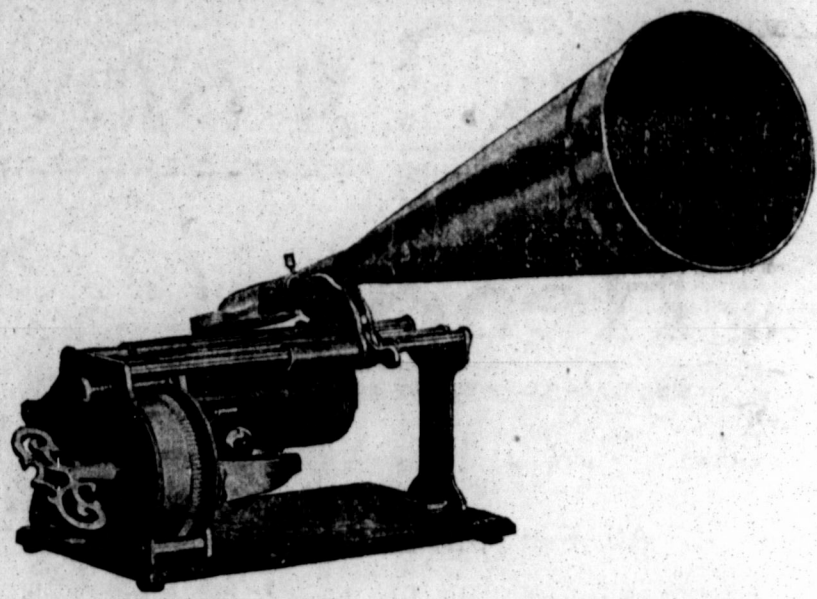
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E. R. CLARK
Abstracter and County Surveyor.

The Lyceum Course.

The college course of entertainments will consist of five numbers, and the entire course will be given at the opera house. First-class talent has been engaged, and a rare treat is in store for the public. Season tickets for the entire course are now on sale at \$1.50 each, one single entertainment will be fifty cents. The course will open Friday night, September 22, with Mr. R. W. Hall, whose reputation as a humorist and classical orator is too well known to need comment. Mr. Hall is the equal of Bob Taylor. See me early if you want tickets. G. S. HARDY.

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Episcopal Church.

Service Sunday morning next. Although this is the regular Sunday which the rector officiates, he will be absent owing to the exchange being made for the fourth Sunday (Sept. 24.), when the bishop will make his annual visitation. Full particulars next week.

The Rev. H. C. Goodman will officiate in Silvertown, Lubbock and Plainview this week.

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The Ladies Cemetery Association will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. R. F. Wood tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members are requested to be present and come prepared to pay all dues as the work of cleaning up the grounds will be commenced soon and all available funds will be needed.

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Rev. W. P. Dickey went to Ft. Worth Monday night, returning Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Dickey who has been undergoing surgical treatment in that city. The Banner-Stockman is glad to be informed that the lady's health is greatly improved.

Clarendon Public School Opens Monday, Sept. 11.

Get your books, tablets, pens, pencils, slates, book satchels, etc., at Stocking's store.

Lodge Notice.

Panhandle Temple No. 58, Rathbone Sisters, holds regular meetings on first Monday night of each month, and also on the second Friday after the first Monday in the afternoon 4 o'clock prompt.

Given Away.

A book cover with every new book bought at Stocking's store, ASK FOR THEM. 1t

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NOTICE.

After this date we will close the forms for the Friday's paper at noon on Thursday and will positively not receive any item for publication after that time. This rule will be strictly enforced.

COOKE & KELLEY,
Publishers Banner-Stockman.
Sept. 1, 1905.

OUR schools are all in full blast, and once more the attention of the public is called to the fact that Clarendon is indeed the "Athens of the Panhandle."

THE Banner-Stockman last week completed a very neat piece of work in the shape of a catalogue for the public school of Channing. The text was well gotten up and the printers did some nice work, and the book as a whole presents a most creditable appearance.

THE talk of starting a city park for Clarendon is beginning to engage the public mind once more. It is to be hoped that the matter will take some definite shape and that the park will be laid out and planted in trees and shrubbery in the near future. The city owns a piece of ground set apart for this purpose, and a few hundred dollars invested now in fencing and planting trees would give the matter a start which would eventually lead to a fine public gathering place. By all means, let us have our park as soon as possible.

First Bale.

The first bale of the season's cotton was brought in Tuesday by Jack Beal who lives seven miles southwest of town in the JA pasture. The gin not being in shape to bale the cotton it was taken back home by its owner, he refusing the ginner's offer of 3c per pound in the seed. Mr. Beal should receive the usual premium given to the raiser of the first bale though we have not heard of any sum being made up as yet. The Banner-Stockman gives Mr. Beal a year's subscription to the paper, also to Holland's Magazine.

Elder C. C. Bearden and family arrived this week from Arlington and will make Clarendon their home. Elder Bearden has accepted the pastorate of the local Christian church, and will also serve the churches at Memphis and Giles. He will preach here at both hours Sunday and a cordial invitation is extended the public in general to attend both services.

Miss Emma Shafer has arrived from St. Joe, Mo., to take charge of the millinery department of B. W. Chamberlain. She is just from the St. Joseph market where she bought the stock which is now on the road and expected to arrive any day.

—FOUND—A ladies' gold watch. Owner can recover by applying at this office and paying 25c for this notice.

CLARENDON COLLEGE NEWS

Our Weekly Budget from the Panhandle's Leading College—News Notes and Items of Interest to School Patrons.

Bro. Hardy spent Sunday in Amarillo, returning Monday morning. He is now almost entirely recovered from his injured foot.

Charlie Rush, an old student from Lubbock, came in Friday. He had thought of going to Polytechnic, but changed his mind and decided to stay at Clarendon College.

T. E. Graham spent Sunday at Memphis visiting, returning home that night.

Miss Burkhead arrived home Sunday on the delayed train. She has spent the summer at Marlin where she took an extensive course in vocal under a very fine teacher, thus fitting herself more efficiently for her work at College. She at once began her duties in the music department.

J. E. King of last year's class came up from Childress on Friday morning, remaining over Sunday, visiting at the College and among his many friends. Those of his society, the Adkissonian, especially appreciated his visit to the society. Mr. King was first honor man of his class and started Monday for Georgetown where he will enter the University.

Baseball seems to be already getting its share of attention. One or two rather enthusiastic nines have been organized and a right spirited game, judging from the noise made took place Saturday afternoon between a college and town team.

Two new classes were organized and put to work in Dr. Burkhead's department. These were the classes in Higher English and Bible, both senior classes.

J. H. Collard of Reed, Okla., one of our preacher students of the past year came in Monday. Mr. Collard's health failed last spring and he is not yet able to begin school work, but hopes to be soon.

Mrs. Tresise returned from Plainview Tuesday where she had been called by the sickness and death of her father. She is very gladly welcomed by her students and many friends. She is now at work again.

Miss Mary Peebles of the class of 1904 visited the Castalian society last Friday. She left Monday night for Georgetown where she will enter the University. Clarendon College feels very proud of the pupils she has sent to the Southwestern, each and every one of them having made good record, and those who are going this time being students who will keep up the record.

Judging from the sounds issuing forth from the Panhandle and Adkissonian society rooms on last Friday afternoon there must have been much eloquence expended. The air seemed charged with oratory and from all reports, interesting sessions were held. Almost all of the new boys have made their decisions and joined one or the other of the societies. The Castalians had a splendid program.

The college students, especially the young men, were very much interested when the announcement was made that tickets were on sale for the Lyceum course. This course promises to be very fine. The fact that R. W. Hall of Vernon is to give the opening lecture insures a good house.

The wedding in college circles caused intense excitement the first of the week, but work is progress-

ing as usual now. Each day, as the teachers look over the fine body of students, they feel that Clarendon College has entered on the best year of her history.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS AT KANSAS CITY.

THE WEEK'S TRADE REPORTED BY CLAY, ROBINSON & COMPANY, LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

OFFICES AT CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, OMAHA, SIOUX CITY, ST. JOSEPH AND DENVER.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 12. Special to BANNER-STOCKMAN.

Receipts of cattle Monday were 20,000. Choice cornfed steers were scarce and sold at steady to 10c lower rates while grassers were uneven, some claiming steady sales and others 15c lower. Cows and heifers were steady to strong early but eased off at the close. Choice and medium stockers and feeders ruled steady to 10c higher; others unchanged. Receipts today are estimated at 23,000. The supply of beef steers was liberal and both cornfed and grassers dropped 10c. Cows and heifers were steady; bulls slow; veals strong. Best stockers and feeders held steady; others dropped 10c. The following table gives prices now ruling:

Extra prime cornfed steers	5.75 to 6.25
Good	5.25 to 5.75
Ordinary	4.50 to 5.25
Choice cornfed heifers	4.75 to 5.25
Good	4.10 to 4.75
Medium	3.50 to 4.10
Choice cornfed cows, heavy	4.00 to 4.50
Good	3.25 to 3.85
Medium	2.75 to 3.25
Canners	1.50 to 2.25
Choice stags	4.25 to 4.75
Choice fed bulls	3.25 to 3.75
Good	3.00 to 3.25
Bologna bulls	2.00 to 2.50
Veal calves	5.50 to 6.50
Good to choice native or western stockers	3.60 to 4.20
Fair	3.25 to 3.60
Common	2.75 to 3.25
Good to choice heavy native feeders	4.00 to 4.40
Fair	3.50 to 4.00
Good to choice heavy branded horned feeders	3.40 to 3.65
Fair	3.25 to 3.40
Common	3.00 to 3.25
Good to choice stock heifers	2.75 to 3.00
Fair	2.25 to 2.75
Good to choice stock calves, steers	4.00 to 4.50
Fair	3.50 to 4.00
Good to choice stock calves, heifers	3.00 to 3.50
Fair	2.50 to 3.00
Choice wintered grass steers	4.00 to 4.50
Good	3.70 to 4.00
Fair	3.25 to 3.70
Choice grass cows	2.75 to 3.25
Good	2.50 to 2.75
Common	2.00 to 2.50

Receipts of hogs Monday were 5300 and the market 5 to 10c lower. Receipts today were 11,000 and trade again 5c lower, closing easy. Bulk of sales were from \$5.20 to 5.35; top 5.42 1/2.

Receipts of sheep Monday were 12,900, and the market 10 to 25c lower, lambs suffering worse. Receipts today were 2000 and trade unchanged. We quote: Choice lambs, \$6.50 to 7.00; choice yearlings, \$5.25 to 5.50; choice wethers, \$4.75 to 5.00 choice ewes, \$4.50 to 4.75.

—Fresh country lard at Powell's.

The Gin.

Farmers are beginning to get anxious concerning the gin proposition in Clarendon. The old owners of the gin have sold the plant to J. H. Clark, and a condition of the sale is that it must be removed from the present location. Mr. Clark is endeavoring to get permission to place the gin on the railroad right of way but so far has not received a reply to his proposition. He has a new boiler for the plant on the road, and the time necessary to receive and install it, together with the removal of the house and machinery will delay matters considerably. In fact, it looks like the gin will not be ready for business sooner than a month, while, we understand, there is a possibility that it may not run at all. In the meantime cotton is beginning to come in and the farmers are quite naturally impatient. The Banner-Stockman will keep them posted as matters shape themselves.

Misses Bessie Chamberlain and Lynn Anderson have begun their classes in music, the former having a room with Mrs. Baldwin and the latter being located with Mrs. Horne, both near the public school building. Both young ladies are accomplished musicians and splendid teachers, and will doubtless enroll large classes.

Kaffir Corn

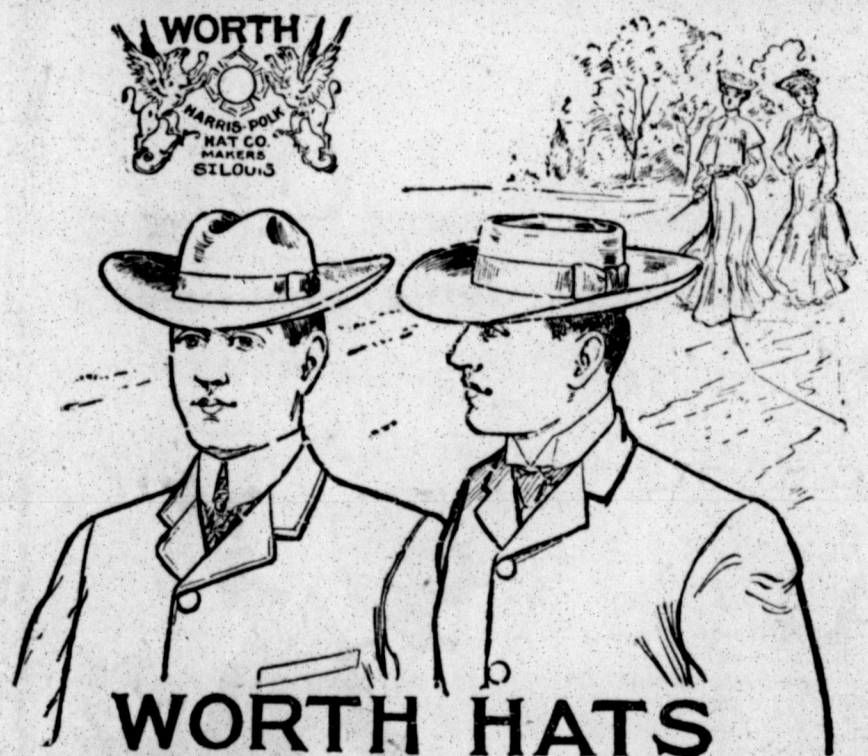
Headers

All that remains to be said about this tool is that it is now in operation around Clarendon and is giving entire satisfaction.

One customer said: "It does better work than I expected and I am well pleased."

There is no doubt but that this header will prove a permanent success and it is tool that no practical farmer can afford to be without.

Witt - Richardson Hdw. & Imp. Co.



Are noted for style and good wear. Be sure to see our new samples before you buy that winter suit.

BARGAIN STORE

Stockmen--Notice!

Do you ever ship anything to market? If so, the selecting of your commission firm is a matter that should be carefully considered. It is important to you. First of all, your interest demands absolute reliability. You want to know for a certainty that your money will be returned to you after your stock is sold—returned promptly too. You want to be sure your stock will be sold for all it is worth on the market; a poor sale can undo your work of a long time. Your stock must be handled carefully and correctly; a good "fill" helps materially to pay shipping expenses. Because our service insures you all these good features we merit your business. Consign your next shipment to us.

Clay, Robinson & Co., Stock Yards, Kansas City

CHICAGO SOUTH OMAHA SIOUX CITY SOUTH ST. JOSEPH
DENVER SOUTH ST. PAUL EAST BUFFALO

Read our market letter in this paper. Write us for any special information desired.

S. B. Burnett has sold to A. E. de Ricques, of Denver, 500 2-year-old heifers from his Dixon creek ranch in Carson county. Delivery at Panhandle on the 15th inst. Terms private.

—We would appreciate your school supply trade. Come let us show you our line. Jno. M. Clower & Son.

—Fresh lot of pickles at Powell's.

J. W. Morrison left yesterday morning for his Hall county ranch. His renters have 200 acres in cotton and the prospect for a big crop is very fine.

—Fresh lot of pickles at Powell's.

The Best Way

To cure your children's eyesight is to take care of them before they are hurt by unsteady light during the study hours. The school season is on you now, and this is a vital question. How common it is to see the boy fall behind in his classes on account of lack of study at home. And this because he hasn't

The Good Light He Needs

Give him an ELECTRIC LIGHT and fine aluminum shade and watch him forge ahead, and you won't be hunting a specialist and spending hundreds of dollars to cure his eyes later on. Then think of the Convenience, Comfort and Safety that good Electric Lights add to your home. Clarendon now has an electric light service second to none. Ask the manager about the cheap rates. When once you have lights you won't give them up.

Yours for good service,

Clarendon Water, Light & Power Company

H. Gleason, Manager

Where Summer Days Hottest

ARE FORGOTTEN

Just a Short Trip via the



Free reclining chair cars, parlor cafe car, through palace sleeping cars. Convenient connections at all Junction Points to the Grand Lakes and Mountain Resorts North and East—Old states.

Quick time, all new wide vestibuled equipment and excellent train service—makes your trip delightful and pleasant all the way.

Summer tourist tickets on sale daily. For full information regarding rates, schedules, etc. See Cotton Belt Agent, or write

Yours to command,

D. M. MORGAN, Traveling Passenger Agent, Fort Worth, Texas.
GUS HOOVER, Traveling Passenger Agent, Waco, Texas.
J. W. FLANAGAN, Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent, Tyler, Texas.

Rates are Low-- Where will You go?

To Colorado's majestic mountains, with their tonic air that adds zest to every pleasure? To the Golden West by the shores of the great Pacific? To Portland and its mighty Exposition? To Chicago, greatest of summer resorts because of unnumbered advantages? To Michigan, Wisconsin, Canada, New York, Minnesota, with their charming lakes and quiet rivers, fascinating landscapes and temperate climates? To the Southeast, with its mineral springs, its long loved hills and crystal streams? Wherever you go, the Rock Island can take you there, and its train service from Texas is unsurpassed.

Through Sleepers to Denver and Chicago Daily.

Quickest and best service to Nebraska and Western Iowa. Write me now, stating about when and where you wish to go, and I will immediately give you full information. I have descriptive literature regarding Colorado, California, also northern and eastern resorts that I will gladly send free.



PHIL A. AUER, G. P. A.,
Fort Worth, Texas.

The Range Contest.

Voting in the range contest was rather light this week. It begins to look like all the candidates were holding back their votes to come in on the home stretch. The home stretch is a good way off yet and candidates would do well to cast their ballots as soon as acquired. There is no change in the standing of the contestants although both Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Bain have strengthened their positions since last report. The figures now read: Mrs. W. J. Adams, Clarendon, 2750 Mrs. W. B. McKeown, Clarendon, 1680

Mrs. J. T. Bain, Bray, 1465
Mrs. J. O. King, Lelia, 1035

In the watch contest Misses Trigg and Baldwin are tied for first place, while Miss Lamberson, of Bray, who has just entered the contest, is beginning to climb.

County Attorney Peebles' recent notice to merchants regarding observance of the Sunday law has had its effect and those addicted to the weed must now buy their smokes Saturday night or go without next day. The Sunday lid is on and fits tight.

PACKERS ADVANCE PRICES

Beef and Pork Shoved Up But Quotations for Cattle Are Unchanged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 12.—The wholesale prices of meats have advanced by the packers. All grades of pork and beef are from 1/2 to 2 1/2 cents a pound higher now than they were a few days ago. This has caused a corresponding advance in the retail prices of meats and the butchers are kept busy explaining to their customers that the packers, and not the retailers, are responsible for the charges.

This is the season of the year for pork and beef prices to decline. Instead prices are climbing higher each week and the butchers say there is nothing to do but to submit, because the big packers have everything their own way.

ALL MAKE THE SAME PRICES.

The packers deny there is a secret understanding about prices, but all packers give out the same prices every morning. If a butcher complains that the prices of the Armour Packing Company are too high and in an effort to find cheaper prices, goes to Fowler's, Cudahy's, Swift's, Morris' or any of the large packers he will be met with the same quotations.

Pork loin which the packers sold at wholesale a few days ago for 10 and 10 1/2 cents is now 12 1/2 cents. It is being retailed at 15 cents, a raise of 2 1/2 cents by the butchers, also. Boneless pork, which sold for 7 1/2 and 8 cents at wholesale, is now 10 cents. It retails for 12 1/2 cents. Bacon which the butchers bought for 16 cents a short time ago, is now 18 cents. There has also been a raise of 2 cents on dry salt pork, 1 cent on hams and 1/2 to 3/4 cent on lard.

The prices of dressed beef have been advanced 1/2 cent. The packers explain that the hog and cattle market is unusually high for this season of the year, but the quotations from the stock yards yesterday indicate the packers are holding the prices down.

Groom Gossip.

GROOM, TEXAS, Sept. 11.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

The Ladies' Aid Society will give a box supper at Groom school house on Friday night, September 21. 25 cents will be charged for boxes, proceeds to help paint the school house. Everybody invited to come and bring boxes.

Farmers are very busy cutting feed stuff.

Land buyers are plentiful now.

Our school began September 10, with Miss Saddler, of Amarillo, as teacher.

The Christian meeting was very well attended but there were no conversions. Bro. W. L. Harris, the Methodist minister, is holding a meeting now.

Bro. Thomas, of Goodnight, will hold a meeting here beginning the fourth Sunday.

C. H. Harris has been shipping cattle lately and is now gone to Kansas City. C. E. Forde has just returned from there having taken cattle.

COR.

The Musicales given by the ladies of the Cemetery Association at the home of Mrs. F. D. Martin last night was a very nice affair indeed, and the performers acquitted themselves most creditably. The attendance was good and about \$15 was added to the treasury.

—The time to go to work for that \$45 range and \$25 gold watch to be given away by the Banner-Stockman is NOW.

F. D. Martin and little son, Edwin, have returned from St. Louis.

—Clocks! clocks! all kinds of clocks at John M. Clower & Son.

—Go to Dubbs for anything you want and you will save lots of money in a short time. tf

Fall and Winter Dry Goods

NOW HERE

TO THE PUBLIC:—Our Fall and Winter stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Dress Goods, Men's Furnishing Goods, Men's, Boys, Ladies and Children's Underwear Men's and Boys' Shirts, Boots and Shoes, Overcoats, Cloaks, Wraps, Blankets, Comforts, Ladies' Skirts, Corsets, Notions, Etc., has arrived and is now ready for your inspection.

We have bought heavily and have the best and most complete stock of goods we have ever had. Our store is full, and as usual we have bought with the idea of giving the public BIG BARGAINS. If you need anything in fall and winter goods we can fill the bill, we

care not what it is. Our stock is complete with the exception of a few late shipments which are now on the road, and we cordially invite the public to call and see our goods.



We call especial attention to our line of CORSETS. We are making a leader of the justly famous HENDERSON, fashion's latest and best. This corset was made to sell at \$1.25 to \$2.00, but we have marked them \$1.00 to \$1.75. Ladies are invited to see this corset before making a purchase elsewhere.

J. D. & D. P. ROSS,
CLARENDON, TEXAS

A New Grocery Store

I have bought the remnant of the Lowrey stock of groceries and have ordered a big assortment of the freshest and best Staple and Fancy Groceries which are now arriving. I am ready for business and solicit the trade of the public, promising that all business transactions will be strictly on the square and that I will do as well by you as any other merchant in the county. I own the building, have no excessive clerk hire to pay and buy my groceries for the cash, taking advantage of all discounts. The result is I will be able to sell you CHEAP groceries and GOOD groceries at MODERATE PRICES. Call and see me. I am here to stay and want your business. Very truly,

T. H. ALLEN

\$45.00 Steel Range Coupon.

This coupon is good for FIVE (5) votes in the Banner-Stockman Range Contest when clipped and presented at the Banner-Stockman office. Contest closes December 24, 1905, at noon.

It is cast for

\$9,000 Land Sale.

G. Elwert, of Falls county, was here this week and bought from J. G. Campbell his one-section improved place south of town, consideration \$9000. This is the place sold by T. H. Allen to Mr. Campbell a few weeks ago, the consideration in that deal being \$7,000. The new owner of the property is a German and a substantial citizen. He will move his family here about the first of November, or as soon as he can gather his crop in Falls county.

Read all the pages for locals.

St. Mary's Academy.

St. Mary's Academy opened its doors for another term Monday. The initial attendance was quite good and the institution has good prospects for a successful term. There are a number of boarding students already in attendance and others to come in. This is a select boarding school for young ladies and little girls, and every facility is offered students in all departments.

SCHOOL CHILDREN—Will need hats and caps. I have them in large quantities, new styles and low prices. Mrs. A. M. Beville. 2t

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DR. BLACKWELL,

General Practice of
Medicine and Surgery.
Office: Up-stairs over Fleming & Maulfair's drug store. Day or night.

G. N. HARRIS,

Dentist.
(Successor to S. L. Barron.)
Clarendon, Texas.
Office Collins Building. Phone 45.

W. L. GRAY,

Physician and Surgeon.
Graduate St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons; 17 years experience. Residence, Eyer house; phone 32-2 rings. Office at Dr. Stocking's drug store. Phone No. 75.

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Dentist.
Office corner First and Sully streets. Residence phone No. 25 2-rings.
Clarendon, Texas.

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Special attention given to
Obstetrics and Diseases
of Women and Children.
Office at Drug Store, phone 75. Residence phone 42, two rings.

T. W. CARROLL,

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Sold at live and let live prices. Your patronage will be appreciated. Shop on Main Street. Phone No. 33.

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NOCONA, TEXAS.

H. J. JUSTIN, the celebrated Cowboy Boot Maker. A postal card will bring you a self-measuring order system of the BEST Cow Boy boot made in the west.

A. M. RAMP,

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Respectfully solicits a share of your drayage, promising prompt attention and reasonable charges. Special prices on contract work or on handling large jobs, such as unloading cars, etc. Phone No. 10.

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DRAYMAN**

Respectfully solicits a share of your business. Special attention paid to the careful handling of household goods.

PROMPT SERVICE AND
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A Remedy Without a Peer.

"I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used for stomach trouble," says J. K. Klote, of Edna, Mo. For any disorder of the stomach, biliousness or constipation, these tablets are without a peer. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

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Clarendon, Tex., Sept. 15, 1905

It takes a swift coon to dodge the numerous lynching bees in the lower country.

It is our opinion that Johnnie Rockefeller isn't taking the Kneipp cure so much for his health as to save a shoe bill.

If the strike of the Donley county hen were only subject to arbitration things would present a rosier hue. The hens lay on the fence now, and eggs are getting higher every day.

THE dates for the Texas State Fair at Dallas have been changed in obedience to a request from State Health Officer Tabor. The new dates are Oct. 28 to Nov. 12. The change shows wisdom.

AND now the almond eyed celestial will have his head cut off if he persists in boycotting American goods. The Chinese know how to break a boycott "all samee," and their methods are better than a protective tariff.

OKLAHOMA is a productive country, but her productiveness lies along peculiar lines. At Sulphur an old soldier is growing a foot that was amputated during the war, and at Guthrie this week the fire department extinguished a burning box of dynamite before it had time to explode. We love a prevaricator but these Oklahoma newspaper men suit us too well. We would swallow the foot story through editorial courtesy, but draw the line at dynamite.

WE have discovered though the assistance of the Associated Press another rich editor, or rather he was an editor up to the time he got enough money to go into the cattle business. His name is John J. Rhodes and he was formerly editor of the San Angelo Press. Late dispatches state that he has just purchased 3300 head of pure bred Hereford cattle, the same being the famous Adams herd of Colorado. The price paid was \$70,000.

TEXAS only has \$2300 to her credit in the gold mining column. This probably accounts for the scarcity of the yellow metal among the newspaper fraternity. Some one should try mining a little out close to Plainview. There is \$180,000 buried near that place, so it is said. We own one share in the rumor, and as rumors are quoted below par at present will dispose of our share so reasonably that the fellow who acquires it will think he is picking up one of the snaps in the Banner-Stockman's premium offers.

County Commissioner R. H. Jones, accompanied by Mrs. Jones and her sister, Mrs. Corder, from Greer county, were in town Monday and made the Banner-Stockman a very pleasant call.

—Fresh country lard at Powell's.

Established 1888
Paid in Capital,
\$300,000.00

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**THE NATIONAL LIVE STOCK
COMMISSION COMPANY**

GIVES A SATISFACTORY SELLING SERVICE.

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Mrs. W. H. Martin entertained last Thursday afternoon with a most enjoyable card party. Whist was the game and Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain carried off the prize a handsome cutglass vase. Mrs. C. J. Spittal won the consolation prize—a beautiful framed picture, while little Miss Francis Collinson carried away the card puncher's memento, which was a silver drinking cup. This little lady utilized the cup to good advantage next day, as she left then for Lexington, Ky., to attend school. An elegant luncheon was spread during the afternoon, the refreshments being of a most dainty and substantial nature. Some thirty ladies were in attendance, and all united in expressions of delight at the afternoon's entertainment. Mrs. Martin as a hostess is par excellence.

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world at Dr. Stocking's drug store; 50c and \$1; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

G. O. Hunter and daughters, Misses May and Alma, of Sherman, spent a day or two of last week visiting friends in Clarendon. Mr. Hunter is one of the proprietors of the Sherman Democrat. The Banner-Stockman acknowledges a very pleasant call from him.

**McClellan, Crisp &
Vinson
REAL ESTATE**

Live Stock & Commission Agents

List your lands with the old timers, the men who know the country, have wide acquaintance throughout the state, and are therefore in better position to sell your land. Write us for land lists and descriptive matter of the Panhandle country. We bring buyer and seller together.

The Ideal Restaurant

I have just opened a new restaurant in the Barnett brick building on Main street. Short orders at all hours. Regular meals at noon hour. Private apartment for ladies and their patronage solicited. Everything clean, neat and food well cooked and properly served. Give us a call.

F. W. WELLS, Prop.

Donley Co. Abstracts.

We are the only abstractors in the county who back up their work with a professional knowledge of the land laws of the state. Our abstracts have been received and approved by the best land lawyers and the biggest loan companies in the state. We not only abstract the records, but we cure defects and aid you to make your title good at the lowest expense to you. We have been abstracting titles longer than any other abstractors in the county, and we know the records. Our abstracts are correct, accurate, and neatly type-written. Our work stands on its merits, and we pay no rake-off.

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Miss Lindley Anderson

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Special Instruction in
Theory and Harmony

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IS WHAT THE PARENTS
HAVE TO THINK OF in a
few days, for the school be-
gins soon and the children
need school shoes. We have a big variety in all leathers and styles,
just the thing the children want. We sell them at live and let live
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Yours for business,

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Low Round Trip Rates Every Day. Write for tips.

C. W. STRAIN, G. P. A., Fort Worth, Texas.

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W. J. BERRY
Proprietor.

I have just opened a shop in the Barnett brick building on Main street, with new furniture and fixtures, and a first-class bath room for hot and cold baths. Patrons are assured of first-class work and clean service. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

Give the New Shop a Trial.

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Postoffice: Clarendon, Texas.
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Additional Brands:
Left Shoulder: **J** Left Shoulder.
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P. O. Clarendon, Texas.
Range on Salt Fork and Turkey Creek in Donley County.

Additional Brands:
Left Thigh: **L** Right Hip, **L** Right Side.

T. S. BUGBEE.



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

Additional Brands:
Right Side: **5** Left Shoulder: **+**

Right Side: **T7** Right Side, **TC** Right Side, **T** Left Shoulder.

ROBERT SAWYER,



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

KNORPP & BUGBEE.



P. O., Clarendon, Texas.
Ranch on Salt Fork in Donley and Armstrong Counties.

Additional Brands—
Left Side: **OXO** Left Side, **O** Hip, **T** Right Side.
Left Side: **OXO** Left Side, **O** Hip, **T** Right Side.
Left Side: **OXO** Left Side, **O** Hip, **T** Right Side.

Dr. Wm. H. COOKE.



Postoffice, Clarendon, Texas.
Range, Sections No. 12 block R. and No. 128 block C6, eight miles west of Clarendon.
Mark, Underslit the right.

This range is posted according to law. All trespassers will be prosecuted.

P. C. JOHNSON.

P. O. Giles, Texas.
Range north of Giles in Donley county.
Brand may also appear on ribs' hip.
Ma "k"—Hole in left ear



Are You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember, that, after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided, by keeping their digestions in good condition with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown, of Bennettville, S. C., says: "For years, my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, until she lost her strength and vigor, and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." Dr. Stocking druggist, sells and guarantees them, at 50c a bottle.

To Surrounding Towns.

We have in the past sold lots of school books and supplies to surrounding towns. We will be better prepared this year than formerly to meet this growing trade and appreciate your patronage. J. D. STOCKING, Clarendon, Texas.

See this office for late style wedding invitations.

Stock News.

Alvis Rude sold to G. D. Pence this week 24 head 3-year-old steers, weighing 991 pounds, at \$29.73 per head. Mr. Pence will feed them at his ranch five miles west of town.—Claude News.

C. E. Thornton, of Memphis, was here Saturday. He reports the sale by himself, father and brother, to T. M. Pyle of this city, and Mr. Andrews of Claude, of their entire land and cattle holdings in Hall county. There were nine sections of land and a number of cattle represented in the deal, and the total consideration was \$23,000.

Eight cars of cattle, belonging to different parties, went from this place to Kansas City and St. Joe Saturday. Following were the shippers: J. E. McCombs, 1 car of cows and calves to St. Joe; L. C. Beverly, 1 car of cows to St. Joe; C. E. Ryan, 2 cars of cows to Kansas City; McClelland & Derrick, 2 cars of cows to St. Joe; LU Cattle Co., 1 car of cows to St. Joe; G. C. Ferguson, 1 car of cows and 1 car of calves to Kansas City and St. Joe.

The Denver Road will again put on its special stock train next Sunday. The train will leave Amarillo at 6 o'clock Sunday morning, and will land the cattle on the Ft. Worth market at an early hour Monday morning.

\$25 to California.—From September 15 to October 31st, inclusive. The Texas & Pacific Railway will sell one-way second-class colonist tickets to California common points at rate of \$25 from all stations west of Mineola, Texas, and proportionately low rates from all East Texas and Louisiana points. Tourist sleeping car privileges may be obtained in connection with above tickets at less than one-half the regular Pullman rates. For further information call on any ticket agent, or write E. P. TURNER, General Passenger Agent, Dallas, Texas. 3t

Cured of Lame Back After 15 Years of Suffering.

"I had been troubled with lame back for fifteen years and I found a complete recovery in the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm," says John G. Bisher, Gilam, Ind. This liniment is also without an equal for sprains and bruises. It is for sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

The Banner-Stockman has received a good many complaints of late from subscribers who fail to get their paper. Those who fail to receive it regularly should call at the office and get another copy, at the same time registering their "kicks." We really think that Uncle Sam is to blame in the majority of cases, but we do not claim to be infallible and will cheerfully supply extra copies on request.

Cause of Insomnia.

Indigestion nearly always disturbs the sleep more or less and is often the cause of insomnia. Many cases have been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

Prof. Clack, of Stonewall county was here the past week to place his daughter, Miss Lucy, in Clarendon College. They came overland in a buggy, and Mr. Clack reports having been rained on the entire distance. He reports his country in fine shape.

L. W. Gribble was in town Monday enroute to Clarendon, where he will have two girls and one boy in college this year. Wellington has been a rich field for Clarendon and Goodnight Colleges.—Hall County Herald.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

Some Prices Paid for Panhandle Cattle at Kansas City Last Week.

Kansas City, Mo., Friday, Sept. 8th, 1905. Some sales of Panhandle and New Mexico cattle at Kansas City this week:

Sowder & Popham, Miami, Tex., 60 steers, 791 lbs., \$2.50.

R. Walsh, Paloduro, Texas, 57 cows, 738 lbs., \$2.27½; 60 heifers, 512 lbs., \$2.40; 10 bulls, 930 lbs., \$2.00.

T. E. Money, Canyon City, Tex., 37 steers, 886 lbs. \$2.95; 30 calves, 240 lbs., \$4; 16 heifers, 835 lbs., \$2.45.

O. A. Wellingham, Corona, N. M., 59 cows, 770 lbs., \$2.50; 20 calves, 183 lbs., \$5.

Beatty & Huff, Canadian, Tex. 35 cows, 836 lbs., 2.50.

Adair & W., Southard, Texas, 68 heifers, 534 lbs., \$2.25.

C. H. Slavin, Alanreed, Texas, 49 steers, 1123 lbs., \$3.35; 42 cows, 834 lbs., \$2.40.

R. Moody, Canadian, Texas, 200 steers, 1153 lbs., \$3.50.

L. G. Hensley, Stratford, Tex., 56 calves 151 lbs., \$5; 31 cows, 834 lbs., \$2.50.

Walker & Co., Marfa, Texas, 97 steers, 926 lbs., \$2.90; 76 steers, 928 lbs., \$2.80; 3 cows, 720 lbs., \$2.

T. D. Hunt, Hereford, Texas, 35 steers, 658 lbs., \$3.10; 51 cows, 873 lbs., \$2.50.

Herron & Farmer, New Mexico, 53 steers, 807 lbs. \$2.60; 37 steers, 602 lbs., \$2.60; 2 stags, 1135 lbs., \$2.25.

W. S. Thompson, Texas, 39 cows, 867, lbs., \$2.40; 13 heifers, 643 lbs., \$2.25.

Some sales of New Mexico and Arizona sheep and lambs at Kansas City this week:

W. T. McIntyre, New Mexico, 925 sheep and yrils, 90 lbs., \$5.

C. Clark, Arizona, 746 lambs, 71 lbs., \$7.10; 130 wethers, 100 lbs., \$5.40.

Mr. Peacock, New Mexico, 194 goats, 74 lbs., \$3.00.

C. Schultz, Flagstaff, Ariz., 465 lambs, 69 lbs., \$6.40; 148 Fdg. lambs, 65 lbs., \$5.75.

J. A. RICKHART, Cor.

Tom Arnett, of Guthrie, Texas, spent Monday in the city visiting his grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Weatherly.

—Girls, see that gold watch at Clower's; the Banner-Stockman will present it to some young lady. See plan elsewhere in this paper.

A FOOLISH PLAN



'Tis a joy to eat—I welcome my dinner hour; Because I rout indigestion with August Flower

Constipation is the result of indigestion, biliousness, flatulency, loss of appetite, self-poisoning, anemia, emaciation, uric acid, neuralgia in various parts of the system, catarrhal inflammation of the intestinal canal and numerous other ailments that rob life of its pleasures if they do not finally rob you of life itself.

"I'm bound in the bowels," is a common expression of people who look miserable and are miserable—yet who persist in "letting nature take its course."

What a foolish plan, when nature could be aided by the use of Green's August Flower, which is nature's own remedy for constipation and all stomach ills.

August Flower gives new life to the liver and insures healthy stools.

Two sizes, 25c and 75c.

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Location Beautiful. Healthfulness unsurpassed. Full Literary Course.

Special advantages in Music, Art and

Oratory. Enrollment last term 345.

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Blacksmith and Woodworkman

Am running a strictly first-class shop between the wagon yard and lumber yard and solicit the patronage of the public for any kind of work in my line. Have a new cold tire surinker and know how to use it. Horseshoeing a specialty. All kinds of repair work done on short notice and at reasonable prices with a strict guarantee on every job. Give me trial and I will make a regular customer of you.

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Kinloch PURE RAW LINSEED OIL

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When we sell you paint, you buy the linseed oil separately. We know from our experience that paint without fresh linseed oil is not going to last very long. Of course, it may look well in the beginning—but in the end—what?

We're here in business to stay and when we recommend Kinloch Paint we certainly must be positive of its staying qualities, too. We can give you some real information on painting. When you are ready to buy come and see us about

Kinloch PURE RAW LINSEED OIL HOUSE PAINT

We will supply you at the same time with fresh, pure linseed oil.

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AN ANTISEPTIC that stops Irritation, subdues Inflammation and drives out Pain.

PENETRATES the Pores, loosens the Fibrous Tissues, promotes a free circulation of the Blood, giving the Muscles natural elasticity.

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W. S. Bailey, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which effected a complete cure. I have also used it for old sores, frost bites and skin eruptions. It does the work."

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For Sale at Doctor Stocking's Drug Store.

First New Goods!

OUR FIRST SHIPMENT of Fall Prints, Gingham and Percales just in. See them. They are pretty. Our special

25 Per Cent Discount Sale

On Ladies' Muslin Underwear is still on and will be during next week. The values are excellent.

The first installment of boys' and youths' school suits just opened and they are the best goods for the money we have ever offered. Call and see them, no trouble to show our goods.

Our grocery department has just received a car each of Albatross and Belle of Wichita Flour. If you want the BEST flour either of these brands will supply the want. See us for everything in Dry Goods and Groceries.

The MARTIN-BENNETT CO.

—Fresh country lard at Powell's _____ tf

George Jowell, of Bisbee, Ariz., is here this week.

—Keg pickles sweet and sour at Powell's. _____ tf

Perry Pardue and W. R. Page were here from Amarillo Monday.

—Fresh country lard at Powell's. _____ tf

Ed Harding has gone to Fort Worth to enter a business college.

—Keg pickles sweet and sour at Powell's. _____ tf

—Dubbs sells Columbia Graphophones at low figures. _____ tf

Miss Pruda Barnett went to Memphis Tuesday to spend a month visiting her sister.

—Keg pickles sweet and sour at Powell's. _____ tf

—Come and see our line of Seth Thomas clocks, new and guaranteed at Jno. M. Clower & Son. _____ tf

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kelley left Saturday morning for a three weeks visit with relatives at Enid, O. T.

—Fresh country lard at Powell's. _____ tf

—Chalk crayon at Stocking's store. _____ tf

Mrs. W. B. Ware, of El Paso, was here this week shipping out her household goods, also Mr. Ware's office furniture.

—Fresh country lard at Powell's. _____ tf

Miss Lizzie Gracey, of Dallas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Morrison, this week.

—Shirts, ties, socks, suspenders and a general line of gents' furnishing goods at live and let live prices at Dubbs'. _____ tf

Mrs. R. L. Downs and children, of Ft. Worth, visited her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Adams, last week.

—How about that winter suit? We have some elegant new samples and can take your order and guarantee to fit and please you. E. Dubbs & Sons. _____ tf

WANTED:—To lease good fresh pasture about 400 acres with good tank water and no stock on it this year. Apply to Lewis F. Beckner, Clarendon, Texas. _____ tf

Notice to Farmers.

Believing that the raising of alfalfa in this section is going to be of immense value to this country, and wishing to do all in our power to encourage the planting of same, we have made arrangements with the largest and most successful growers in Kansas to supply us with choice Turkeystan Highland alfalfa seed. Every farmer in this section should plant at least a few acres. Call on us and let us know how much seed you want and we will see that you get it. New crop seed will be ready for shipment about the last of August. We want to know as early as possible about how much seed we must order. So come early and give us your name and amount of seed wanted.

THE MARTIN-BENNETT CO.

The Cash Store

FLOUR

Pride of Decatur, "unexcelled" at _____ \$2.80
White Dove, High Patent..... 2.60

PRODUCE

Country Lard wanted, per lb..... 11c
Eggs, "new comers" per doz..... 12c

COAL

Lump Coal, per ton..... \$6.50

OIL

5 gallons Eupion..... 90c

SKIRTS

Underskirts, black..... \$.75
Underskirts, blue, green, pink..... 1.00
Underskirts, white, embroidered and tucked..... 1.50
Dress Skirts, repellent cloth..... 2.50
Dress Skirts, worsted..... 3.50
Dress skirts, serge and flannel..... 5.00
New styles, assorted colors and sizes, direct from the "Progress Skirt Factory."

STATIONERY

24 sheets paper and 25 envelopes for..... 5c
Box papers, the nicest..... 25 to 75

GLASSWARE

Sugar bowls, large size..... 10
Butter dishes with covers..... 10
Cream pitchers, beaded edge..... 10
Fruit stands, small..... 10
Opalescent fancy shape tray..... 10
Decorated opalescent boxes..... 20
Tea strainer, potato masher, egg beater, lasting spoon in box all for..... 10

HATS

"Beaver" brand hats closing out at..... \$2.50
"Rough Rider" fur hats..... 1.00
Soft Crusher hats..... .50

QUESTION

What is your dollar worth?
Is it 100 cents of labour, or 6 bits? If \$2.00 worth of labour gets \$1.60 worth of goods, how much do you get a day?

T. R. Garrett
MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Blackboard slating at Stocking's store. _____ tf

—Fresh country lard at Powell's. _____ tf

There will be services at the Catholic church Sunday at 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.

—Dubbs & Sons are the leading tailors. We make 'em right and make 'em fit. We also make the price right. _____ tf

—It takes a little grit to pay a little more for good clocks, but it pays. Come and see us and let us show you. Jno. M. Clower & Son.

Mrs. Dr. J. R. Briggs and children will leave tomorrow for their home in Dallas after spending the summer with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Cooke.

Lost—Ladies' stick pin, wreath of olive leaves in gold, blue star in center on which appear letters "S. H. N. I.", also "02." Please return to this office. _____ it

Mrs. S. E. Houk and family, of Plainview, have rented the Widow Graves house and will make their future home in Clarendon. They will be established in their new home next week.

—Prepare for winter and the long evenings by buying a Graphophone for your family. You can get them at Dubbs' for almost nothing. _____ tf

Clothes Clothes Clothes

We offer our Clothing for the next thirty days at 10 to 25 per cent discount to make room for our fall stock which is arriving



ALL summer dress goods, laces and embroideries going at reduced prices.

Our bargain counter is still loaded down with good values at little money in shoes. Get you a pair before they are all gone at 25 to 50 per cent discount. *We now carry a complete stock of patterns, so you will not have to send off for them.

Grocery line always complete and fresh. Just received shipment of SWIFT'S BREAKFAST BACON.

The POWELL TRADING COMPANY

—Fresh country lard at Powell's. _____ tf

Ira Barnett has gone to Dallas to attend a business college.

—Fresh country lard at Powell's. _____ tf

—Tablets, ink, pencils and school supplies at John M. Clower & Son.

Mrs. June W. Taylor has been quite sick this week but is now reported better.

—Buy a talking machine at Dubbs and make the children happy. _____ tf

For Sale or Exchange.

Second-hand buggy and set new harness for sale, or will exchange for kaffir corn. See J. K. Porter, Clarendon, Texas. _____ 2t

Mrs. A. M. Beville returned the first of the week from St. Louis where she bought millinery goods in profusion, judging from the looks of her store since her return.

Married.

Mr. Wylie Stockett and Miss Pearl McRae were married at the college by Rev. S. E. Burkhead Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. The contracting parties are most worthy young people and have the best wishes of many friends, including the Banner-Stockman. _____ tf

—Fresh country lard at Powell's. _____ tf

Messrs. R. H. Collier, Tom Crawford and S. O. Cook, of McLean, were here this week for the purpose of receiving the Chapter degrees at the hands of the local Masonic lodge.

John McClellan, who has been visiting relatives in Stratford the past week, returned home Monday morning accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Eugene Noland, who will visit her parents several days.

Notice.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, the Amarillo eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, will be in Clarendon for the practice of his profession on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 27 and 28. Office with Dr. T. W. Carroll. _____ 45-4t

W. K. Howze this week moved his family to his ranch up near Channing. He says he will return to Clarendon at some future time, but for the present it is too inconvenient to live here and run a ranch at a distance.

Want a Home Cheaps.

\$900 will buy a nice home in Clarendon, very convenient to churches and schools, 100 foot front, good five-room house, stable, city water. For particulars apply to this office. _____ tf