


# BANNER STOCKMAN



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## Holiday Announcement

We wish to say that we have bought heavily in Christmas and Holiday Goods and that our stock will be out on display next Monday or Tuesday. We have prepared a splendid assortment of Holiday Goods, beginning with Toys for the Children and going on up the line to the better and BEST classes of goods suitable for Xmas presents, including the very finest line of CHINA ever put in stock by any Panhandle house. Aside from these goods we wish to remind you that our regular stock of

*Furniture, Carpets, Pictures, Rugs, Etc.*

Affords unexcelled opportunities for Holiday Shoppers to buy goods for Xmas Gifts which will be lasting, substantial and beautiful as well. Next week we will devote this space to a more exhaustive description of our goods and prices. Just remember this store will be headquarters for the best Holiday Goods. Come in and see us next week.

### H. W. Taylor & Sons

## DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

Are Still Going at Clean Up Prices at our Store. Some of the Values are as Follows:

\$1.50 Quality for	\$ 1.25	85c and 90c Qualities for	75c
1.25 " "	1.00	60c and 65c " "	50c
1.00 " "	80c	35c and 40c " "	25c

We can match these goods in correct trimmings at correspondingly low prices. This sale will be held on a strictly cash basis . . . . .

**The Martin-Bennett Company,**  
Largest Distributers of Merchandise in Clarendon.

## J A Champion Steers, \$198 Around.

That is the Price the World's Fair Champions Brought in Chicago.

Our reporter held a short conversation with Dick Walsh yesterday relative to the JA steers which won sweepstakes at the St. Louis world's fair, and learned that these steers, though taken to the Chicago International by their owner, Dan W. Black, were not entered there in the competition for championship. Mr. Black sold these steers to the Pittsburg Produce Co. at \$12 per cwt. They weighed 1650 lbs. and bought \$198 around. Mr. Walsh expresses his gratification over this sale mildly by characterizing it as "not bad for Panhandle cattle."

These cattle were bought by Mr. Black as calves from the JA ranch in the fall of 1902. They averaged then 400 lbs., and cost him \$20 per head. They were not placed on feed until the 10th of last July. It is estimated that the added

weight cost about the same per head as the price of the original calves, i. e., \$5 per cwt., so the finishing process netted Mr. Black a very handsome sum over and above the valuable premium pulled down at St. Louis.

Mr. Black is a champion feeder and his abilities as such were recognized by Mrs. Cornelia Adair, owner of the JA ranch, by the presentation to him through Mr. Walsh, of a beautiful solid silver loving cup as a token of her appreciation of his success in bringing such honor to the JA ranch.

Mr. Black is evidently not yet through with the JA cattle as Mr. Walsh shipped him from Goodnight this week three cars of steer calves of that brand. We will no doubt hear good news from them at some future date.

The public generally and especially the ladies are invited to call early at Stocking's store and make selections of goods before the lines are broken. Already many pretty things are gone each. Lady if she wishes a beautiful calendar, a real beauty, can have one by asking for it.

A pair of Eucharistic candlesticks have been presented to the Episcopal church by Mrs. Meumann in memory of her husband who died last spring.

Get prices on Xmas goods at Stocking's store and you will save money. tf

## A Kurious Kolumn

By A. Kurus Kusse

Kurus has got one to tell on The Pyle this week. It's all Will Lewis' fault and Will is only alive to enjoy the laugh by reason of having skipped out to New Mexico after perpetrating the joke on The who is carrying a cannon loaded with beef liver and swears to shoot that gentleman on the spot if he can ever locate the spot. It came about thusly: The Trades Carnival manager wished to have a ranchman represented in her delightful concert at the opera house and asked Kurus' assistance to locate a live, up-to-date cattleman who would like to give up two dollars for representation on the stage and an advertisement on the big program of which a thousand copies were printed and scattered broadcast over the land. Will Lewis was just the man "Sure, oh, yes, he would be delighted, so nice, just the thing, and really too cheap." So he pays his money and writes up his ad, but being so modest he just can't see his own name in print and being a generous hearted fellow he decides to give The Pyle the benefit of the printed ad, and here's what he writes: "El Dorado Ranch, T. M. Pyle, proprietor. Located near Newlin, Texas. Always ready to relieve the nester of his surplus stock at lowest market price. Special attention paid to Dogies, Cuts, Sways, Crips and Strays. Correspondence solicited and Kaffir corn for sale." Then Will finds that he just has to go to Mexico on important business so he sneaks down to the train and gets on from the other side. "Oh, thou Brutus, this was the most unkindest cut of all; and me thy life long friend, and thou to smite me thus on hip and thigh; I'll have thy heart's best blood, thou brute." So runs the burden of Pyle's song today. And Kurus is safe; he didn't know nothin' till it all came out in the wash.

The Lime Kiln Klub held its regular kangaroo session the other night and the air was rife with parliamentary tactics and Dixie plug smoke. The regular order of business proceeded quite smoothly and reports of committees was reached without any riotous outbreak. The chair called for the report of a committee which had been assigned an important piece of work and the chairman of same took the floor and stated that the committee had found the time too limited to complete the work, and asked for further time. Chairman Johnsing—"You have heard the report; what shall we do with it?" Bro. Rastus—"I move the report be received and the committee discharged." "I second the motion;" this from a good old brother who had just woke up. The chair looked dazed for a moment and the silence was as thick as the cheese which Rastus had evidently had for supper. Then, "All in favor vote 'Aye.'" A chorus of "Ayes." "All opposed vote 'No.'" More silence, and cheese. The chair looked sorrowfully over the great array of parliamentarians, grinned sheepishly and proceeded to the next order of business. Kurus thinks the chairman of that committee ought to set 'em up.

Medalions and pictures from the cheapest to the best, but all the best workmanship and finish. See my line for Xmas. J. M. Clower & Son.

Local news on every page.

New games at Clowers. tf

See Clower for all the new games. tf

L. W. Chase, of Cleburne, was here this week looking after his electric light, water works, gin and mill business.

See Dr. Cooke at his new dental office. No stairs to climb. tf

Clower is agent for every publication under the sun. Subscribe from him and save money. tf

Dr. Barron, the dentist, has moved his office to the Collins building where he now has neat offices with Dr. Carroll.

This is Santa Claus store. Holiday goods galore. J. M. Clower & Son. tf

A. R. Guill of Rowe took advantage of the slackness in farm work on account of the snow and came to town on business Tuesday.

Burley Boydston left Tuesday for Childress to resume work in the shops. He had been laid off about three weeks with a mashed hand.

A carload of pipe and casing coming. Complete line of fittings and windmill supplies carried in stock. First-class plumber furnished at reasonable rates. CLARENDON WATER, LIGHT AND POWER CO. tf

Cotton picking and crop harvesting was delayed to a considerable extent by the snow the first of the week. From all reports the fall averaged about 4 inches over the county.

Our Christmas goods embrace a varied assortment of first-class goods only. Games, Toys, Medalions, books, pictures jewelry silverware, in fact an assortment calculated to please every buyer and fit any size pocket book. J. M. Clower & Son.

Mrs. Dr. S. L. Barron left Friday night for Brownwood where she will spend Xmas with her parents. The doctor will probably join her in time to play the Santa Claus act.

The snow delayed trains considerably the first of the week. Trains from the north suffered the most and the steam snow shovels had to be brought into play up the road.

### Heart Fluttering.

Undigested food and gas in the stomach, located just below the heart, presses against it and causes heart palpitation. When your heart troubles you in that way take Herbine for a few days. You will soon be all right. 50c. Sold by Fleming & Maulfair.

C. F. Doherty and family, of Agee, Texas, moved last week to Rowe and will occupy Prof. Bain's house this winter. Mr. Doherty was in town Tuesday and made this office a pleasant call. He bought two sections about a year ago from A. Rowe, and is here now to stay, informing us that he would build on and improve his property at an early date. Mr. Doherty thinks this is the ideal country for stockfarming and expects to follow that branch of agriculture, raising a small amount of cotton, and plenty of feed stuffs to feed cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry.

### Posted.

Keep out! All hunters and others are warned not to trespass on sections 65 C 6, 113 C 6, 115 C 6, and 129 E about 8 miles east of Clarendon on head of Lake Creek. They are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

ALFRED ROWE.

Local news—all pages.

# C-A-S-H SPELLS WILLIAMS!

**C** Is for Candy, which Williams is showing.  
You'd know it was good, just to see how fast it is going.

**A** Is for All kinds of bread made to rise  
By the "Golden Label" Baking Powder which sure takes the prize.

**S** Is for Sour Kraut, Sugar, Syrup and Spices.  
Come see us, we're here to make good, easy prices.

**H** Is for Ham, Hominy and Honey.  
You buy cheap at Williams' if you just have the money.

## Williams Bros., The Cash Grocers.

The new Barnett bricks are about completed, only awaiting the placing of the handsome fronts. Powell & Sons will occupy the corner room which will be fifty feet wide by eighty deep. The Witt-Richardson Hardware Co. take the other room, 25x80, and both firms expect to move in before Jan. 1st. These are two of the very nicest store rooms in town and will afford splendid opportunities for displaying goods to the best advantage.

### Dentistry.

I will be in Claude Dec. 12, 13 and 14. Alanreed Dec. 15, 16 and 17. McLean Dec. 19, 20, 21. All persons wishing dental work please take notice.

it S. L. BARRON,  
Dentist.

Why not drop in at Dr. Stocking's and buy a kodak for your best girl.

Note the local ads of the Martin-Bennett Co. calling for threshed Kaffir corn and maize. Mr. Martin informs us that it is likely his firm is now in a position to buy all the grain that may be offered, at the best market price, provided it is threshed.

### 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. All druggists.

For sale by J. D. Stocking, M. D.



This is  
**HOMER MULKEY,**

Clarendon's  
Up-to-Now  
Photographer.

Ready at all times to make you the finest photos ever made in the city. Get your Xmas work done now before the big rush. Do you know of any nicer present than a good, well-mounted, delicately finished photo. I do that kind of work . . . . .

## Buggies and Stoves

I am prepared to save you money on either vehicles or stoves. Positively the best, cheapest and prettiest line to select from in the Panhandle. Call at my store and see what I have to offer. My stock affords a fine opportunity for making a substantial Christmas present.

**B. T. Lane,** The Man Who Makes The Price Right.

## St Mary's Academy.

Clarendon, Texas.

### Select Boarding School for Young Ladies and Girls

Thoroughly planned course of studies. Every facility for Music, Art and Languages. Special attention given to the health, morals and manners of the pupils. Day pupils received with or without board. Session opens Sept. 1st. For terms and particulars address,

Mother Superior.

Call at The Globe for your Christmas presents, fruits, nuts and candies. H. W. Kelley has the contract to build a residence at Claude for a Mr. Rutherford.

**Corn Fed Hogs.**

Harry Clifton was in from the Dr. Morris ranch Saturday and reports farm and ranch interests in fine shape. He says he raised the finest June corn he ever saw and he has 900 bushels, besides his other feed crops. He is not worrying about the price, either, for he intends feeding it all. He now has 60 hogs which he will corn fatten, and says he expects to have 200 by next fall.—Banner-Stockman.

The above reminds us of the good old days we have read about when everybody had plenty of hog and hominy. Nine hundred bushels of Indian corn and sixty hogs is not bad for a Panhandle farmer when it is taken into consideration that nothing has been said of the maize, Kaffir corn and fat cattle which Mr. Clifton doubtless has.

The man who will pursue the course as mapped out above will never have cause to complain of his inability to make a living or even make money in this country. All we need to make the Panhandle a most desirable home for the farmer is more men like Mr. Clifton.—Hereford Brand.

"I was much afflicted with sciatica," writes Ed C. Nud, Iowaville, Seligwick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons; all express themselves as being benefited by it. I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." 25c, 50c, \$1.00.—Sold by Fleming & Maulfair.

If you are looking for something very nice for a Christmas remembrance call and see our line of Medallions and pictures. Everyone a work of art and a prize worth having. Every lady wants one or more. M. Clower & Son.

For the happy Xmas time, have the new and snappy... if... for locals.



**A Remedy That No One Is Afraid To Take.**

Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup has been used in thousands of homes for fifty-two years with perfect confidence and the most remarkable results.

The great success of this remedy is due to the fact that its formula (which consists of Buchu, Hydrangea, Mandrake, Yellow Dock, Dandelion, Sarsaparilla, Gentian, Senna and Iodide of Potassium) has been freely published.

Doctors and Druggists everywhere do not hesitate to recommend a preparation which they know contains the best-known remedies for correcting all irregularities of the Liver, Kidneys or Blood, and the diseases caused by the failure of these functions to perform their proper work.

Thousands of sick ones to whom life has been a burden have written grateful letters that others might profit by their experience.

BLOOMING GROVE, Tex., Nov. 13, 1902. I was suffering terribly with indigestion and kidney trouble and sent to my druggist for something to relieve me.

As he sent me a package of Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup I concluded to try it, and now I am deeply grateful to my druggist as well as to you.

I had been a sufferer from these things and a general run-down condition for ten years, and had only received temporary relief from other medicines. But after using not quite two packages of your Liver and Blood Syrup I feel as stout and hearty as I ever did in my life, and I am satisfied that I am entirely cured. I feel no symptoms whatever of kidney trouble, and my digestion is as good as any living man's. I can now eat whatever I choose.

I never had any remedy give me such quick and permanent relief, and I can not put a correct estimate on the value your medicine has been to me. I would not take any amount of money for it. Very gratefully yours, J. C. BROWN.

If you need a medicine write to-day for a free sample bottle and "Dr. Thacher's Health Book." Give symptoms for advice. We simply ask you to try it at our expense. We know what it will do. For sale by all Druggists—two sizes—50 cents and \$1.00.

THACHER MEDICINE CO., Chattanooga, Tenn.

**Go to Work, Boys.**

We well know the subject of the following article will blush when he sees this and would rather it hadn't appeared, but here goes. It's an object lesson in thrift and energy.

The forage crops are white unto the harvest but the laborers are few. The farmers of this part of the Panhandle have had great difficulty in procuring farm hands this fall and yet there are idle men complaining of hard times. Twenty-five years ago a young man from Missouri arrived in West Texas and went to work on a farm at a salary of \$10 per month and managed to save a few dollars each month. Ten years later the editor of this paper met this man at Clarendon who was then manager of a large ranch, receiving \$250 per month and all expenses. Today he is president of the First National Bank of Clarendon and owner of one of the most extensive hardware, implement and furniture houses in the Panhandle, with a home fit for a king. His name is H. W. Taylor, and he neither drinks, chews or smokes.—Dalhart News.

**Revolution Imminent.**

A sure sign of approaching revolt and serious trouble in your system is nervousness, sleeplessness, or stomach upsets. Electric Bitters will quickly dismember the troublesome cases. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the Kidneys and Bowels, stimulate the liver and clarify the blood. Run down systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches vanish under its searching and thorough effectiveness. Electric Bitters is only 50c, and that is returned if it don't give perfect satisfaction. Guaranteed by Fleming & Maulfair.

D. C. Priddy of the Priddy-Reeves Realty Co., of Clarendon came down here Monday and arranged for opening an office here for his company. His father, D. R. Priddy, will have charge of the Memphis office and they will do a general real estate business. They are wide awake immigration people and will do much toward helping to make Hall county known to home seekers.—Hall County Herald.

**A Costly Mistake.**

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for dyspepsia, dizziness, headache, liver or bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at Fleming & Maulfair's.

E. H. Brainard left Tuesday night for Sparrowbush, New York, and will be gone about a month. A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Brainard and Ed seemed impatient to be off. Mrs. Brainard and the little Brainard will return to Canadian with him.—Canadian Record.

**Christmas Goods.**

Our Christmas goods are here and will be placed on display about Dec. 1st. We have bought heavily this year and will have the most complete and best selected stock in town. We call your especial attention to our line of fine china. It is great. Our toy department will be very complete and we want to show you our goods and make prices before you purchase elsewhere.

H. W. TAYLOR & SONS.

Woodbine Camp No. 476, W. O. W., held its regular election of officers Friday night last. The following were chosen: V. K. Wedgworth, Consul Commander; E. A. Taylor, Advisor Lieutenant; J. J. Alexander, Clerk; W. F. Dubbs, banker; W. H. Burke, escort; W. J. Wyatt, watchman, M. W. Andis, sentry; T. H. Westbrook, physician; R. W. Talley and J. E. Cooke, managers. The new officers will be duly installed on the first Friday in January.

Tom Buntin's new residence is approaching the finished state. It is quite a neat cottage and adds to the looks of that neighborhood.

**Holiday Headquarters!**

Old Santa Claus has notified us that he will make his headquarters in Clarendon at our store from now until Christmas.

Collar & Cuff Boxes Toilet Sets Shaving Sets Necktie Boxes Mirrors Dolls Toys

Where Will you Buy Your

**Christmas Presents? That's the Question Now**

We bought our Xmas goods with the idea of supplying the trade with good serviceable goods at a minimum of price. We bought early and made careful selections, and now have our goods on display where you can see, price and buy, and you are invited to call and see our line. There are many new and valuable hints for Xmas shoppers here. We will offer special inducements to Christmas Tree committees and ask the privilege of figuring these bills.

We have now en transit a big stock of general racket store goods, also another shipment of Xmas goods now on the road. When received our stock will be the best ever brought to Clarendon.

Jewelry for Xmas Presents Books All the Latest Games Xmas Candies Fruits Nuts

**The Globe Confectionery, E. DUBBS & SON, Proprietors.**

**Rowe Dots.**

Delayed from last week.

The Thanksgiving services at this place were a success in every way. There was plenty to eat and some to spare as some of the boxes were not opened. Bro. Hardcastle made a short address at noon which was most appropriate. Bro. Story also made an interesting talk at the supper hour. Judge Moran came down with Bro. Story and feasted on the good things with which the table was so bountifully spread, and sold seven of the nice cakes, which were left and added twenty-five dollars more to what had already been taken in, which made eighty-four dollars in all. How is that for a little place like Rowe?

Messrs. Scoggins and Fry of Jones county are here looking out a location and are highly pleased with this part of the Panhandle.

Dr. C. F. Wilson of Wise county is here with a view of buying land.

Mr. Doherty's family came in Sunday night and are now at home in Prof. Bain's house.

Mrs. Nat Smith left Monday for Denison to be gone some time.

BORN—To Sam Cornelias and wife on the 30th ult., twin girls.

The Young People's Club will meet at Mr. Blair's Saturday night.

Miss Nana Adamson is suffering with tonsillitis.

Dr. Brown has been confined to his bed for some time but we are glad to see him up again.

Messrs. Maulfair and Gathing have been here this week trying to buy grain but the farmers say they don't have to sell yet. The thresher is at the shop for repairs and will start in a few days.

Mr. Johnson of the Cicero Smith Lumber Co. was here this week looking after the interests of his company.

We hear strong talk of another store going up at this place.

Bro. Farmer filed his appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

**Cured Paralysis**

W. S. Baily, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Balliard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also used it for old sores, frostbites and skin eruptions. It does the work." 25c, 50c, \$1.00.—Sold by Fleming & Maulfair.

**YOU CAN'T DO BETTER**

Than to examine our new fall stock if you are wanting to buy a

**New Suit OR Overcoat**

Our line of Mens' and Boys' Clothing and Overcoats is simply superb. These garments are made to fit and conform to Fashion's dictates. Call and see the goods. You will be surprised at the values we give for so little money.

**Ben W. Chamberlain, Clarendon's Oldest Merchant.**

**Those Awful Headaches**

Are sure indications of some form of stomach trouble, biliousness or a bad liver. Malaria will next overtake you. Don't risk it, and above all, don't take calomel or quinine—both are dangerous.

**HERBINE**

has all their virtues—none of their deadly effects. HERBINE taken regularly will forestall headaches, put the digestive organs in perfect condition, head off biliousness, headaches, liver ills, keep you in good health.

**TRY IT TO-DAY.**  
50c a Bottle. All Druggists.

For Sale and recommended by Maulfair & Fleming.

**A Frightened Horse.**

Running like mad down the street dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, cuts, sores, eczema and piles, disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c at Fleming & Maulfair's drug store.

Prettiest line pictures and Medallions in the whole Panhandle at Clower's.

**Pete's Barber Shop,**

Best service in Clarendon. Good workmen, clean towels, sharp razors.

Only Bath Rooms In the City

Your Patronage will be Appreciated.

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## DONLEY COUNTY SHEEP.

J. H. Roberts has been giving sheep raising and feeding a test the past year or so and has found it profitable. In addition to the flock held over from last year he recently bought from Castro county parties 100 breeding ewes and 250 feeders and placed them on his farm four miles south of Clarendon. He now has 200 breeding ewes and a number of fine Persian bucks, and anticipates a fine crop of lambs. The feeders will be fattened on kafir corn and roughness and shipped to market.

Mr. Roberts says he is making a success of the sheep business and there is money in it. He is also turning his attention to hog raising and is preparing to fence hog pastures and go into the business deeper. What he can do others can. The Panhandle is no longer a cattle country only. It is not a cotton country alone. It is a cattle-cotton-corn-hog-grain-sheep-vegetable-poultry-fruit-horse and mule country, and diversification, in stock as well as in crops, is the key which will unlock the door of success to the farmers.

Let's have more hogs in Donley county; more sheep; more poultry, and just enough cattle to get good and fat on the bounteous products of our soil; then will success perch upon the banner of the farmer; then will our merchants be richer and our whole people more prosperous, and even the newspaper man will thrive and wax fat.

THE county commissioners have contracted with the Clarendon Water, Light & Power Co. for the proper lighting of the court house and jail, also for water service at the jail. All the rooms and corridors of the court house will be lighted and an arc light of 750 candle power will grace the district court room. This is a good move and one which we have long hoped for. Now let the city dads do their part and order arc lights for the principal business streets. The present incandescents furnished free by the light company can then be moved to less important locations and the city will show up well at night and cause belated travelers to rejoice in the city tax.

THE city council is to meet today and we understand the subject of street lights will come up. Now that we have a first-class light plant street lights are in order and we hope the council will make a contract at once.

THESE nights when the dark is very dark and the mud very muddy impress the mind of the average citizen of the need of street lights.

The city and county in conjunction have purchased the big road grader at \$350. It will do the work of a dozen teams and scrapers and do it better. The first work will perhaps be done in town in the early spring.

## Clarendon College.

The snow the first of the week was a delight to the pupils, but a terror to some of the teachers who are from a more southern climate.

J. F. Isbell, who has been with us a part of the fall, armed himself with a certificate Friday and Saturday and on Sunday he departed to begin his duties in the Sikeet school.

On Friday afternoon the county board of Examiners adjourned at the Public School Building and met at the College for the night session. All the applicants, four in number, were made happy Saturday afternoon when it was reported that all would receive certificates.

We are sorry that John Hendrix was forced to go home this week. His eyes were the cause of his going. The doctors thought it best for him to rest until after the holidays.

The November grade cards were sent out the first of the week and the December number of the Magazine was mailed at the same time.

It was in last week's notes that the next attraction of the Lyceum Course would be Dec. 16. An error was made. Prof. Ash Davis, who is a cartoonist, is said to be a fine entertainer. Every one delights to see people, places and things appear on the canvass. The posters were put out this week.

Roy and Maile Dodson entered the College this week; some other children of Bro. Dodson entered the Primary.

Miss Betts was sick Wednesday morning and Mr. Garrison took charge of the room. He seems to be at home in the Primary room. Patience is a wonderful thing for a young man to have.

Bro. Sawyers came over from Lubbock last week. He was moving to his new work as Canadian. He remained over Sunday and preached Sunday night.

The Adkissonian Society will give an open session Friday afternoon. The boys have been doing some good work on the program and it promises to be interesting.

### Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, it has pleased the Sovereign Commander of the Universe to remove from the fellowship our camp our beloved brother, Sov. H. C. Patton, therefore be it

Resolved: That in the death of Sov. Patton this camp has lost one of its most worthy and esteemed members; one who was always ready to listen to the cry of distressed and the moans of the afflicted and whose many acts of brotherly kindness and love classed him as among the most worthy of Woodmen. That his wife has lost a true and loving husband, and the community at large one of its best and most respected citizens; and be it also

Resolved: That this camp hereby tender to the relatives of deceased our sincere sympathy in their hour of grief, assuring them that we mourn his loss with them, though believing that he has only gone to a better home on High which the fellowship of Woodcraft teaches us is to be more desired than the success and riches of this life. Be it further

Resolved: That the charter of this camp be duly draped in mourning for a period of thirty days in memory of our deceased sovereign; that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the camp, a copy furnished to the family of deceased, and a third copy to the local newspapers of the city for publication.

Done by order of Woodbine Camp, No. 476, Woodmen of the World, this 25th day of November, A. D. 1904.

J. E. COOKE,  
W. L. SKINNER, } Com.  
J. J. ALEXANDER, }

Adopted by the Camp W. O. W. Nov. 25, 04.

J. J. ALEXANDER,  
Clerk.

Long range weather forecast:— Prohibition takes effect December 31, followed by squalls and local disturbances; rain, snow and a spouter at the railroad well.— Childress Index.

Haskett, if you had left off the spouter we wouldn't have said a word, but how about that old saw, "weather prophet, fools and new comers?" Man, why will you tempt a kind and generous providence?

See that pyramid of beauty on the stage at Trades Concert Monday night. Curtain rises promptly at 8 o'clock.

## Public School Notes

Baby visitors at school are numerous of Friday afternoons. Curiosity from hearing older brothers and sisters talk about the school is no doubt the prompting motive in most cases.

When parents refuse to furnish their children excuses for absence, as prescribed by the rules and regulations of the school, the teachers take it for granted that the absence of the pupil was not with the parents permission and the pupils are held responsible.

The snow this week has furnished fine sport for the pupils and considerable annoyance to the teachers, but no serious accidents have occurred. To protect the floors from the mud made by the melting snow in the afternoons, no recess was given.

A water pipe burst day this week from the freezing of the water in it. As a result the back yard was flooded with water until workmen could be summoned to mend the break.

Miss Anderson reports the accession of two new pupils to her music class making a total of 21 pupils now. She speaks in very complimentary terms of the progress her pupils are making in their music.

The primary teachers realized \$17.50 from the entertainment given by the little folks on the evening before Thanksgiving. This is an evidence of the appreciative attitude of the parents for the efforts of the teachers in trying to furnish proper reading matter for the children.

After waiting for two months the pictures of the public school have been received. We have been reminded that there are two bad paymasters; one pays beforehand and the other never pays. We paid for them before hand.

The teachers of Clarendon Public School but reflected the results of their labors in their school work here at the Association in Amarillo, still their productions were among the best things delivered during the session. Merit will assert itself.

Some parents and many pupils seem to think Friday, because it is the last day of the week, is unimportant and the pupils are permitted to stay out of school. Such attendance as this is very demoralizing in its effects upon the school, besides a hinderance to the pupil's education.

The noblest, most useful and most lovable men and women that have blessed the world have been teachers of the race, those who taught mankind by word and act and example.

The class in English Literature has been making a special study of the "Visions of Mirza" for the last week. The outlines of this story and the special written work presented by some members of the class give promise of excellence in literary work soon.

J. M. Carroll, E. E. King and George W. McDaniell, a committee appointed by the educational commission of the Baptist State Convention will visit Goodnight next Tuesday to make an inventory of Goodnight College with a view to accepting it as a gift from Col. and Mrs. Chas. Goodnight. We understand no strings are tied to this deal except a possible indebtedness of a few hundred dollars which, of course, will be paid by the new owners, providing the property is accepted by them.

Bring your fat hens and turkeys to the Martin-Bennett Co. and get best prices. tf

Don't fail to hear Ash Davis the Cartoonist and Artist if you want an evening of high grade entertainment and fun, Saturday night the 10th, at College chapel.

Turkeys wanted by the Martin-Bennett Co. Any quantity at good prices. tf

Episcopal church services next Sunday evening with sermon 7.30. All cordially invited.

Dr. Cooke uses none but the best gum teeth for artificial sets. No stairs to climb. tf

This is Santa Claus store. Holiday goods galore. J. M. Clower & Son. tf

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With this  
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Sale the remainder of  
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Street Hats.

Which may go at cost until they are closed out. This is a splendid opportunity to secure some choice new goods at about half price. In this sale we will also include all PLUMES, FEATHERS and FLOWERS. Just received shipment of

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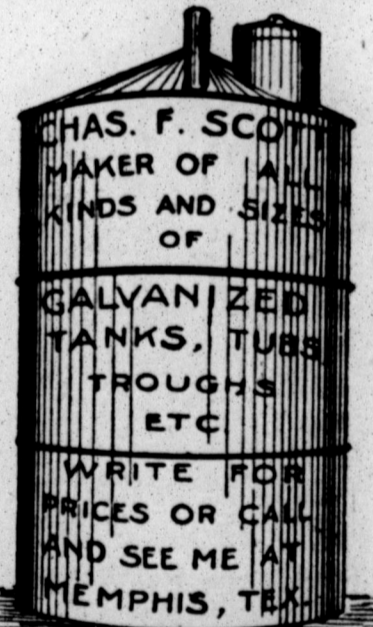
### Early Snow.

Saturday was a very cold day and Sunday morning, following a light sleet, snow began falling, continuing, at times lightly, then heavy, all day and into the night. Monday morning found about four inches of "the beautiful" covering the ground. Mild weather followed and the snow was soon melted. This was the earliest snow in several winters. It did no particular harm to anything and cowmen say it is a great benefit to the range.

Dr. Stocking says he may be overstocked but he put them at prices that will move them. tf

N. J. Nelson returned Tuesday from Wautonga, O. T., where he found his horses and the thieves. He brought the horses back with him but the men refused to come without requisition papers. The men protest their innocence, claiming they bought the horses from other parties in Oklahoma. Sheriff Patman secured the necessary papers and started after the men last night.

Those beautiful china dishes at Stocking's store are going like hot cakes; his prices are right on china-ware sure. tf



### Calf Blabs.

I am agent for the Etcheson Rubber Calf Blab, the best calf weaning device made. Can sell them by retail, ranch right or county right. Agent for this territory. See me at Clarendon, Texas, for particulars.

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I have 160 acres fine stalk field and 160 acres good grass all together, for lease for grazing, five miles south of town. See or write C. A. WRIGHT.

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New line fine cigars, best in town, at The Globe Confectionery.

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I have just received a full line of the prettiest Nullifiers and warm Lined Shoes for ladies and children. They are pretty, serviceable, and make a fine Xmas present for wife, daughter or sweetheart.

**John H. Rathjen,**  
The Boot & Shoe Man.

Xmas goods at The Globe. tf

Read all the pages for locals.

We buy turkeys and fat hens. The Martin-Bennett Co. tf

Joe Humphreys has sold his residence to W. G. Stewart.

Threshed kaffir corn and milo maize wanted by the Martin-Bennett Co. tf

Santa Claus is unloading more goods every day at his headquarters, the Globe Confectionery.

Rev. G. S. Hardy is enjoying a visit from his brother, a business man from Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Gray's studio over Fleming & Maulfair's Drug Store will be open Wednesday until Saturday inclusive. No classes held on Mondays and Saturdays. tf

Frank Johnson has bought a four-room house from J. H. O'Neal. He will add another room and occupy the house soon.

The Globe Confectionery's line of jewelry is guaranteed. You can find no nicer present for a lady friend. tf

Don't fail to see that love horn critter in druggists' scene on third part program Monday night at Trades Concert. Admission 35c. Reserved seats 50c.

Don't forget to take time while shopping to examine the book table at Stocking's; more beautiful gift books than have ever been handled before in Clarendon. tf

W. A. Caldwell has sold his residence to G. W. Baker for \$1600, taking Mr. Baker's home at a smaller figure.

The Elite Barber Shop, Lloyd Blackwell proprietor, is making substantial improvements by enlarging the shop, repapering and renovating. Two good barbers. Your patronage solicited. tf

Grand Trades Concert Monday night, Dec. 12. Seats on sale at Cold Storage Market. Admission 35c. Reserved seat 50c.

Mrs. John E. Cooke and little daughter, Agnes, returned Wednesday from a visit to Dallas.

Christmas shoppers will save themselves trouble and time if they will call at the Globe Confectionery first. tf

Don't miss the old time Georgia Weddin' at the Trades Concert Monday night. It is alone worth the price of admission.

See the ladies in every avocation of life at Trades Concert. Hear the fine music. See the grand military drill, pantomime, tableaux and stage pictures. Miss Jackson is an artist; hear her. Seats on sale at Cold Storage Market.

Every page a local page.

**For Xmas Goods Go to Stocking's**

Right now is the time to be selecting your holiday remembrances. We extend you a cordial invitation to come in and see our magnificent display of Holiday tokens at your earliest convenience.

This year's line exceeds by far any line of Holiday Goods ever seen here. Not only is it larger, but it affords a greater variety and contains all the latest novelties.

It will pay you to see our line as soon as possible. Whether you want to buy or not we want you to see it now while it is complete.

Come soon and avoid the rush.

**Notice Farmers.**

We will buy your threshed kaffir corn and milo maize at best market price. Can use any quantity but it must be threshed. tf THE MARTIN-BENNETT CO.

**Turkey Dinner and Christmas Sale.**

The Woman's Guild of the Episcopal church will serve their celebrated annual "Hot Turkey Dinner" at Powell's new brick store on Main street. The high reputation of this annual feast is sufficient advertisement to the general public, as everybody will be there to enjoy themselves and also purchase their Christmas gifts for papa and mama and the children. Don't forget the date, Thursday next, Dec. 16th.

Those Sunday school teachers or others who wish beautiful class presents will do well to call at Stocking's store. tf

**The Cold Storage Market Has**

- Colorado Celery.
- Fresh Oysters.
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- Swift's Boiled Hams.
- Swift's Jersey Oleomargarine for cooking.
- Boiled Tongues Saturday for Sunday luncheon.
- Cold Storage Lard and Compound.

A. V. Lipe has bought 250 feeder sheep and has them on his place east of town preparing them for market.

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**A Valuable Tract of Land Near Goodnight College.**

137 acres within the "College section" and 640 acres adjoining the College section on the north.

I will sell altogether or in parts as follows:

(1) 35 acres with good 5-room house, 300 young peach trees, good new barn, dirt tank. This place has four or five subdivisions with good fences.

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(3) The section as a whole, or in quarters or half sections. The section corners with the main College plant. It has a nice building site half a mile from the boy's dormitories.

My object in selling is, having resigned the presidency of Goodnight College, I desire to continue my college work in another locality. Purchaser can get these lands NOW at a bargain.

MARSHALL MCILHANY,  
Former Pres. Goodnight College,  
7-4t Goodnight, Texas.

**Notice to All.**

I have the only hair cutting chart that is perfect; compiled by Prof. Napoleon Leblanc. I am the only possessor of this famous method of hair cutting in Clarendon. Come and give me a trial and be convinced of what I tell you. I also can shave you without pain and your face will feel better than it ever did after a shave. You will find me at Pete's barber shop on front chair. Dr. p in and try me on a good, easy, cool shave. I am yours for business,  
T. N. PRITCHARD,  
Tonsorial Artist.

Rev. W. L. Skinner on last Wednesday evening handed in his resignation as pastor of the First Baptist church, same to take effect Jan. 1st. The church took no action but appointed Wednesday night, Dec. 21st, to vote on same. Bro. Skinner has been pastor here for four years and five months, and has proved the best pastor the church has ever had. He has more than tripled the church membership, built a \$1500 parsonage and improved the church building to an amount of \$1700, quite a good record. He has scores of friends who will regret his departure.

**Fight Will be Bitter.**

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Miss., has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles cured her." Guaranteed by Fleming & Maulfair, druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

The grand Trades Concert will be Monday night, Dec. 12, instead of Friday night as first announced. Don't miss this rare treat. Tickets on sale at Cold Storage Market.

**Turkeys Wanted.**

Will buy all turkeys offered us at best market price. Rush them in from now till Christmas. Will also buy fat hens. tf THE MARTIN-BENNETT CO.

**Baptist Church.**

Preaching by the pastor, W. L. Skinner, Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject: "Church Attendance." 7:15 p. m., subject: "Achan's Sin." Welcome to all.

**20%**

**Our Moving SALE**

The Barnett Building will soon be completed and as soon as it is finished we will move our stock to it and in order to reduce our stock and to avoid the trouble of handling a Large Stock of Stoves we will reduce the price on Heating Stoves 20 per cent and on Cooks and Ranges we give 10 per cent discount for Cash.

Remember these goods are fully guaranteed. Buck's Stoves never fail to give satisfaction and if you need a stove now is the time to get a bargain. Don't overlook your hand and let it pass. Watch our store. We will put on a nice line of Holiday goods in the near future, at Rock Bottom Prices. And don't forget that each cash 50c purchase entitles you to one chance at \$80 worth of premiums. This contest will close Dec. 31st and the Little Girl's Contest closes Dec. 31st. We want your business and don't you forget it.

**Look at our Bain Wagons Before You Buy**



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Just Received A Big Shipment Of Fine Candies And Cigars.

OUR STOCK is now complete, showing all the newest things in a Holiday Assortment. The well known fact that we lead in low prices and quality of goods make it imperative that you see this stock and make your purchases early as the longer you wait the worse broken it will be to select from. Our Special Sale on Gloves and Hats continues to be a special feature of our sales.

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I have a large stock of fruit and  
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been in this country many years  
and know just what varieties are  
best adapted to this soil and cli-  
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News agency, books, papers and  
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Foxy Grandpa, Sherlock Hol-  
mes—new games for Christmas at  
Clower's.

Will Lewis left last Friday night  
for New Mexico to look after his  
cattle interests.

Judge Geo. F. Morgan, Jim  
Trent, W. H. Meador, Whit Car-  
hart and H. D. Ramsey are repre-  
senting Clarendon Masonic lodge  
at the Grand Lodge meeting at  
Waco this week.

I have the best stock of Xmas  
games to be found. Chuck-a-luck,  
Scarf, Sherlock Holmes, Foxy  
Grandpa, Sir Hinkle Funny Duster,  
Progressive Queries, and  
others. See my stock. J. M.  
CLOWER & SON.

A round dozen prospectors from  
Northern states have been at Groom  
the past two weeks but we hear of  
no land sales except 70 acres by  
Sam Whatly at \$8 an acre. Pros-  
pectors have been quite numerous  
about Groom and Jericho the past  
2 months and considerable land has  
changed hands. J. H. Harris sold a  
section to a Mr. Fisher at \$4000.  
Mr. Harris then bought a section  
in Hansford county for \$850. Mr.  
Fisher also bought four sections  
from H. R. Gibson at figures  
around \$5 per acre and will cut the  
whole up into small tracts and sell  
to northern prospectors. Mr.  
Fisher himself is from the north.

**Holiday Rates Via Rock Island System.**

Rate of one fare plus two dollars  
for round trip, limited thirty days,  
will be in effect December 20, 21,  
22 and 26, to points in Colorado,  
Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Minne-  
sota, Missouri, Arkansas, Illinois,  
Tennessee, Kentucky, Alabama,  
Mississippi, Georgia, Florida,  
North and South Carolina.

To Oklahoma and Indiana Ter-  
ritory, the rate will be one fare  
plus fifty cents, selling December  
24, 25 and 31 and January 1st,  
limited January 4th.

Locally in Texas, rate will be on  
convention basis, one and one-third  
fare for short distances and one fare  
plus ten per cent, to points beyond  
one hundred miles, selling Decem-  
ber 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, January 1,  
limited January 4th. See local  
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Agent Phil. A. Auer, Fort Worth,  
Texas, who will advise regarding  
train service, changes, schedules,  
etc.

**The Big Show.**

Never since the first invasion of  
negro minstrelsy before the foot-  
lights has there been such a collec-  
tion of talent as the one that Rich-  
ards & Pringles Famous Georgia  
Minstrels have in their big show,  
which will appear at Opera House  
Friday, Dec. 16.

The comedians, singers, dancers,  
acrobats, in fact, all that goes to  
make a minstrel show complete,  
have been selected with more than  
ordinary care, and the result is  
the biggest show of the kind ever  
produced. A special train of pal-  
atial Pullman cars, model conven-  
ience, comfort and elegance, has  
been constructed to transport this  
mammoth production.

The scenery and costumes used  
are veritable triumphs of the scenic  
artists' and costumers' skill, and  
form a brilliant, dazzling 18-karat  
setting in which reposes this first-  
water diamond of minstrelsy.

The big street parade at 11:30  
a. m., every particle of which, in-  
cluding stock and vehicles, is car-  
ried by company, is one of the  
features, including, as it does, two  
brass bands, the Pickaninny drum  
corps and the entire company.

Reserved seats 75c, seats on sale  
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lence—Men's and Women's  
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Special—Men's \$3.50 and  
Women's \$3.00 Shoes.  
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mond—Men's Women's and  
Children's every day Shoes.  
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—Men's, Women's and Chil-  
dren's heavy service shoes.  
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**\$10,000** To Charity if any  
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ten years experience, will have charge. He will be glad to  
meet you, and will extend you any and all courtesies possi-  
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Having bought the Sawyer business wish to say to the  
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P. O., Clarendon, Texas.  
Range on Salt Fork in Donley county.

Mark—Underslope left ear.

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Postoffice, Clarendon Texas.  
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Mark: Crop right and under slit left ear.

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Mark—Underslope each ear.

DR. WM. H. COOKE



Postoffice, Clarendon, Texas.  
Range, Sections No. 12 block R. and No. 123 block C. eight miles east 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 right hip.  
Mark—Hole in left ear.



Z. C. COLLIER & Co.

P. O. Turkey, Texas  
Range in Hall and Briscoe Counties.  
Marks—Swallow Fork and Underbit left ear.



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Best and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

Lost.

Blood bay mare, with black feet, two slits in right ear. Return to Powell & Sons and get reward.

**Stock News.**

Tom Haines, of Stillwater, Texas, bought 50 cows with calves from Mr. Gray at \$18 per head last week.—Higgins News.

L. Walton, of Shattuck, sold quite a bunch of 2-year-old steers for \$17.50 to T. H. Haines, of Stillwater.—Higgins News.

STRAYED—One heifer yearling, red muley, both ears cropped, underbit left ear, branded JHK. Liberal reward for return to J. H. Kelley.

D. Hunter sold his steers on the St. Louis market at \$3.15 and his cows at \$2.40. He afterwards took in the big fair.—Claude News.

Poke Spears sold 54 black calves to E. J. Wall last week which averaged over 400 lbs., and were probably the best bunch ever raised in Hardeman county. Mr. Wall will exhibit part of the herd.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

Dan Badgely and Kelcy Hunt were in Kansas City last week with cattle. Dan realized \$3.40 for his steers, \$2.85 for heifers and \$2.35 for cows. The gentlemen returned by way of the St. Louis fair.—Claude News.

A. M. Jines, of Jines, Texas, shipped 4 cars of fat cattle to the Kansas City markets last week and received \$2.85 for the steers which averaged 925 lbs., and 250 for the cows which averaged 815 lbs.—Higgins News.

A. H. Elliston of Hereford this week sold his ranch and stock nine miles south of town to A. L. and Monroe Cobb, for \$10,200. Mr. Elliston get the Albert Cobb home place in the deal. This is one of the nicest little ranches in the county and the Cobb brothers got a bargain.—Claude News.

Fred Fleming a few days ago bought 30,000 acres more from the OX's which included headquarters. Mr. Fleming is now utilizing the old quarters which are centrally located within the new ranch. The OX people have about 60,000 acres left and will go to building themselves.—Quannah Tribune Chief.

Sam Davidson of Ft. Worth purchased from J. C. Smith of Big Springs, 6,000 head of cows and steers. It is understood that the consideration was \$10 around for the cows and \$16 around for the steers. The cattle will be delivered to Mr. Davidson next spring. Mr. Davidson will send the animals to his New Mexico ranch. The cattle are all high graded stuff and are today in pretty fair condition.

**Coughing Spell Caused Death.**

Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat, Dec. 1, 1901. Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 25c, 50c, \$1.00.—Sold by Fleming & Maulfair

Russell Craft of Clarendon was here Tuesday. He says he will move here as soon as he can finish gathering his crop at Clarendon, and will improve his land recently bought of J. B. Cole.—Hall County Herald.

Al Lucas was given 20 years in the pen at Dalhart last week for murder of Lee Cannon last February. His attorney gave notice of appeal.

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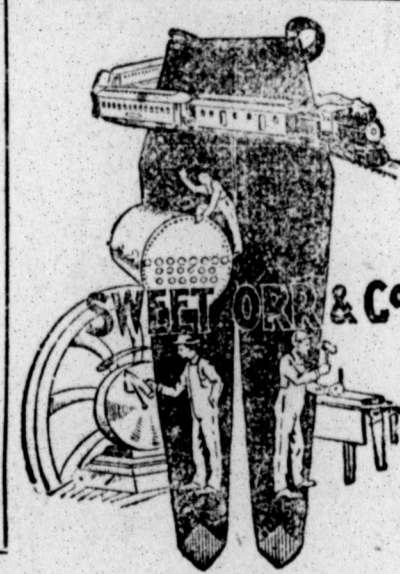
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