

The Banner-Stockman

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NO. 6

WE ARE THANKFUL

For the splendid patronage accorded us during the first two weeks of our mammoth closing out sale. We could not ask more. Remember the sale continues till Dec. 16. The profit is yours entirely until the time the big sale closes.

Watch this page next week for Christmas Offerings

The chance of a lifetime to save money. We find that we are heavily overstocked in all lines and we are forced to close out some of our immense stock. We have too many goods and not enough money, and this sale is inaugurated to enable us to get some ready cash. We are determined that these goods shall move and have put the moving kind of prices on them.

THE FOLLOWING REDUCTION IN HATS



\$7.00	for	\$6.00
6.00	for	5.00
5.00	for	4.09
GRAHAM AND STERLING.		
\$4.50	for	\$3.55
3.50	for	2.93
3.00	for	2.29
2.50	for	1.99
2.00	for	1.67
1.50	for	1.28
1.00	for	.84

We have an excellent line of Men's Pants which we offer at the following reduced prices:

\$5.00 for	\$3.98.	\$4.00 for	\$3.14
3.25 for	2.49.	3.00 for	2.29
2.50 for	1.93.	2.00 for	1.55
1.50 for	1.09.	1.25 for	1.00

WOOLEN UNDERWEAR.

Best and Medium Grades.

\$2.50 grades for	\$1.98
1.50 grades for	1.09
1.25 grades for	.98

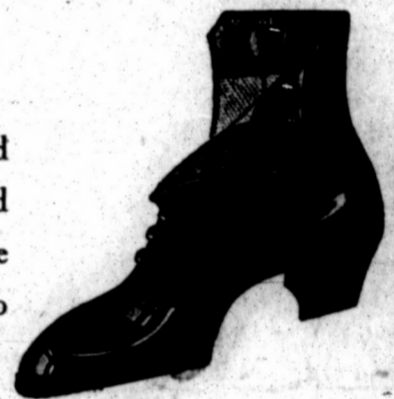
We have a complete line of the best grades of Woolen Overshirts and Underwear which we offer at the following reduced prices:

OVERSHIRTS

\$3.50 for	\$2.98
3.25 for	2.79
3.00 for	2.49
2.50 for	1.99
2.00 for	1.69
1.50 for	1.19
1.25 for	1.09

SHOES

You need shoes; we need money. See what we'll do for you.



Men's \$8.00 Shoe for	\$6.59
Men's 7.50 Shoe for	6.23
Men's 6.50 Shoe for	5.49
Men's 5.00 Shoe for	3.98
Men's 4.50 Shoe for	3.47
Men's 4.00 Shoe for	2.98
Men's 3.50 Shoe for	2.59
Men's 3.00 Shoe for	2.38
Men's 2.75 Shoe for	2.23
Men's 2.50 Shoe for	1.89
Men's 2.25 Shoe for	1.79
Men's 1.75 Shoe for	1.49

BOYS' SHOES

\$2.75 Shoe for	\$2.29
2.50 Shoe for	2.05
2.00 Shoe for	1.59
1.50 Shoe for	1.19

The extensive line of Chinaware now in stock must sell as we are determined to close out this entire line. All we ask is that the ladies come in and see the line, a sight means a sale and the price means a satisfied customer. Come in, look around, and make us an offer.

We have a \$12,000 stock, all of which is virtually new and fresh. We want to reduce it by one-half in the next thirty days, and will give you the best bargains ever offered in Clarendon. You can't make a trade that will pay you better than a bargain purchase of us.

OVERCOATS AND RAINCOATS



When the season of snow and sleet rolls around one's mind naturally turns to heavier clothing. Overcoat time is here, and it is up to you to protect yourself against the cold weather. We have a limited number of overcoats and raincoats just received that cannot be surpassed in this city. We will satisfy you as to price and quality. Call early and get the pick of the lot. They won't last long at the price we place on them.

OUR MEN'S AND BOYS' READY-MADE SUITS



We intend to close entirely. We have some excellent styles and patterns left. Come and make us an offer on them. We will sell these suits if you give us a chance. Price is no object as regards these goods. If it's a bargain you want we have it.

E' DUBBS & SONS

CLARENDON, TEXAS

A DAY OF THANKSGIVING

Holiday Generally Observed in Clarendon Yesterday—Splendid Union Church Service.

Thanksgiving Day was generally observed locally yesterday. Nearly all the business houses closed at ten o'clock and remained closed the balance of the day. Many people went hunting; others spent the day in the country with friends; still others had family gatherings and spent the day quietly at home; a large number went to church in the morning, and nearly everybody ate dinner with the Baptist ladies at the Mulkey building. The dinner was a big success and a handsome amount was realized.

The union church service was the best Clarendon has ever had. The Methodist church was comfortably filled and the program was listened to with deep interest. Talks were made as follows: Rev. Dubbs—"Our Churches." Rev. Slover—"Our Schools." Judge A. T. Cole—"Our Country." Thanksgiving sermon—Rev. W. P. Dickey. All the speakers were at their best. Some special music was had and Miss Neil gave a splendid reading.

Altogether it was the most pleasant Thanksgiving Day the city has ever passed. The weather was fine, and peace, harmony and prosperity were in evidence on all sides.

Resulted Fatally.

Capt. A. J. Rawlings died at his home near Jericho yesterday and was buried today. Capt. Rawlings was the victim of a runaway accident about two weeks ago, the second accident he had suffered from the same team. His injuries were of such a nature that he suffered severely and finally died. He was a member of Camp Sam Lanham, U. C. V., and a good citizen. The Banner-Stockman extends sympathy to his family.

I Will Prosecute

to the full extent of the law anyone found hitching their horses to the awning posts in front of my property. This practice must stop, and stop now.

J. A. BARNETT.

Sunday Drug Service.

Owing to the fact that people want medicine on Sunday the same as week days you will always find someone at our store to fill your prescriptions.

FLEMING & BROMLEY.

For Sale.

300 coming 2-year-old steers; 400 cows and bulls, absolutely clear of ticks. Price \$16. If interested write, J. T. Wright, Anson, Jones Co., Texas.

S. P. Brown Dead.

Mr. Silas P. Brown, father of our townsman, O. N. Brown, died suddenly at his room with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carlisle at about 6:00 o'clock Monday morning, the immediate cause of his death being heart failure. Mr. Brown had been down with fever for several weeks but had been discharged by his physician and had not used any medicine for some ten days. His sudden death was therefore quite a shock. He was a kindly old gentleman, and had made many friends here.

Deceased came to Clarendon about a year ago with his wife in the hope of benefitting her health. She was afflicted badly, however, and died a few months later. Previous to his last illness he had been a very healthy man. He was nearly 64 years of age. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. P. Dickey at the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon. The only relative present was his son, Mr. O. N. Brown, to whom the sympathy of the people of Clarendon goes out in this, his latest bereavement. Since locating in Clarendon this gentleman has felt sadly the hand of affliction, having lost his mother, father and little son. Rev. Dickey in his service touched feelingly on this point and pointed out the real solace for such bereavements. The Banner-Stockman extends to Mr. Brown a heartfelt sympathy.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

The following is the program of the B. Y. P. U. for Sunday, Dec. 1st, 1907:
Subject—God's Part and Our Part.
Leader—Mr. Joslin.
Scripture Lesson—II. Peter 5:3-11.
Prayer. Song.
Paper—God's Great Gift—Rom. 8:31-32—Miss Caraway.
Scripture Reading—Matt. 5:3-11—Mr. Garnett Bell.
Paper—Our Possible Gift—Rom. 12:1-2—Miss West.
Scripture Reading—Gal. 5:22-26—Myrtle O'Neal.
Short talk on Manliness, Knowledge, Temperance, Godliness, Brotherly Kindness—Bro. Bell.
Closing exercises.

ADRIAN BROWN, Sec.

Lost.

Somewhere between the Christian church and the postoffice, a ladies' white silk scarf, shadowed in rainbow colors. Kindly return to Hayter Bros. and get reward.

Strayed.

One bay horse pony wearing leather headstall, scar on one front foot and one hind foot. Any information of him will be liberally rewarded. Thos. Lacy, at Bryan & Land's store.

\$1,000 IN GOLD AS PRIZES

Panhandle Farmers' Congress Will Arrange for Awards by Amarillo Chamber of Commerce.

The Daily Panhandle at Amarillo is authority for the statement that the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce will hang up prizes aggregating \$1,000 as awards for Panhandle products raised during the year of 1908. The winter meeting of the Panhandle Farmers' Congress will arrange and classify these prizes. The Panhandle says further: The general executive committee met Saturday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce rooms and laid definite plans for the meeting here next month. As this meeting is intended to come at the time of the opening of the Amarillo Street Railway, it is impossible to state with certainty the exact dates on which it will be held. The street railway company is making every effort to get the lines into operation by the middle of next month but uncertainties of shipment make it doubtful if the lines can be put in operation that soon. The arrangement committee for the Farmer's Congress and for the other gatherings for these dates are bearing these uncertainties in mind and are making allowance accordingly.

The papers and discussion of the congress throughout will be by practical men. It is intended to have a beet sugar expert here from the best growing section of Colorado to tell the actual facts about the industry, what it returns to the farmer and how it must be organized in order to make it successful. Panhandle alfalfa raising, and hog raising, and the possibilities of the broom corn industry will be other subjects taken up for short discussions. The program committee which is now arranging for the papers and discussions is composed of J. H. Avery, M. S. Park and J. B. Kerr.

Holiday Goods.

A large stock for your stocking at Stocking's store. tf

The Spinsters' Return.

You all remember the "Old Maids' Convention" given by the ladies of the Episcopal church several years ago. On Thursday night, Nov. 5th, the sequel to this funny farce will be given by the same ladies at the opera house for the benefit of the Guild. The new play is known as "The Spinsters' Return," and deals with their trip to the Klondike in search of husbands. In order that the connection may be readily established the first act will review the Old Maids' Convention. The second act will relate their experience in the frozen north and will exhibit some of the husbands captured. It is intimated that some of the dear creatures were handed a lemon instead of a husband, but this will all come out in the play and if you don't see it you will save for yourself a pair of sore sides from laughing.

Remember the date and secure your tickets in advance for the seat sale is sure to be heavy. It's worth the price to see Patrick and Hearn mixed up with a bunch of old maids.

Contract a Drug Habit.

Contract the habit of getting your drugs at Stocking's Store. tf

Bridges on Road.

Mayor Beville informs us that he has received word from the bridge firm that they shipped the two iron bridges for the second and Kearney street crossings on the 14th, and that barring accidents the same will be placed in time to come as Christmas presents to the public. A man from the factory will be here to install them as soon as they arrive.

W. O. W. Election.

All Woodmen are requested to come out on the first Friday night in December and help select the officers for the next year. Don't fail to be present.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE

In order to further reduce our stock of dry goods, etc., before our semi-annual inventory January 1st we will continue our

Big 20 per cent Discount

Sale through the month of December. While our sales have been very satisfactory we still have many GOOD SEASONABLE goods such as every family will have to buy, for winter.

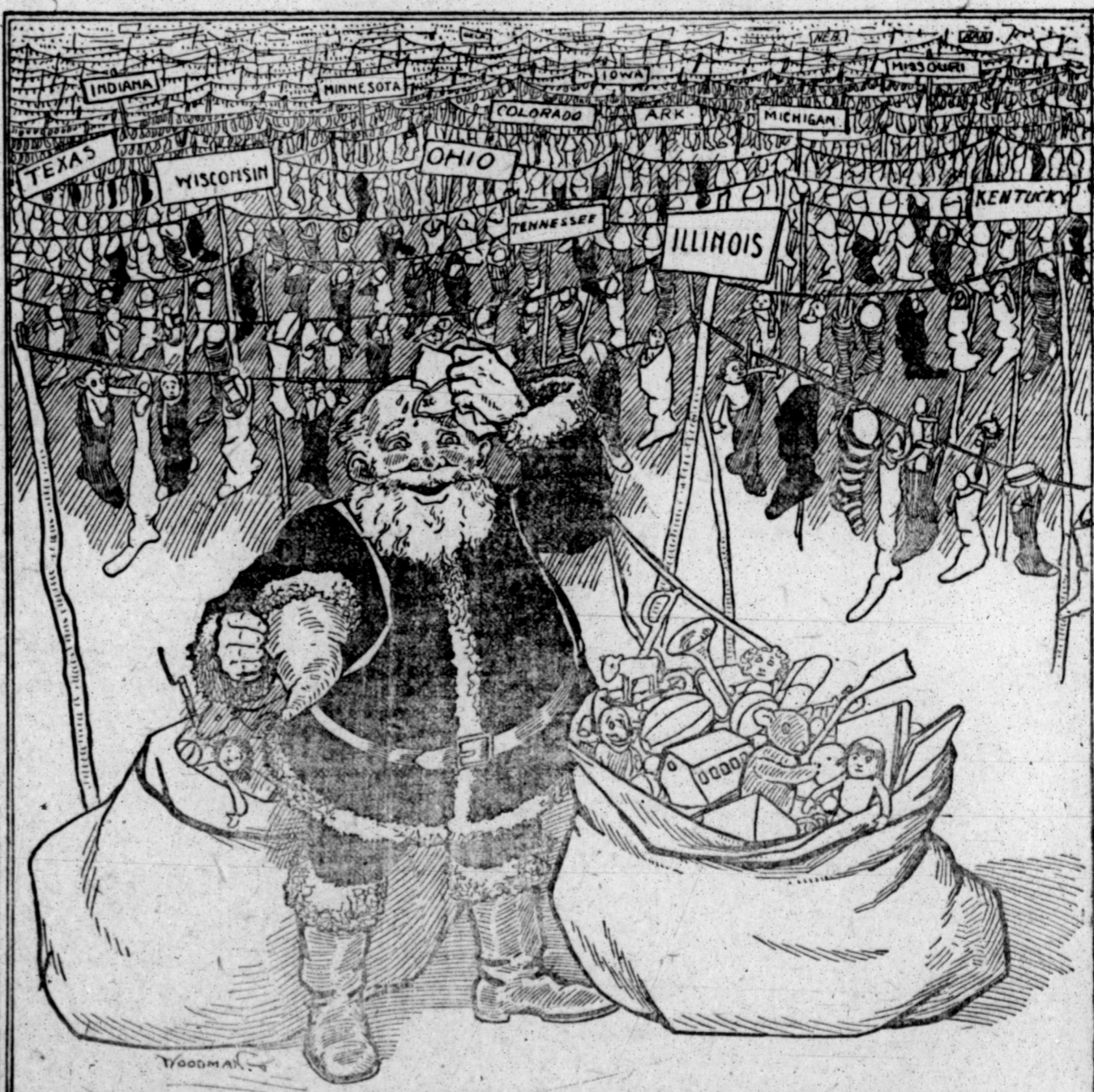
20 per cent Discount

Means \$1.00 saved on every \$5.00 spent in our Dry Goods Department for the next 30 days. WE CALL SPECIAL ATTENTION to our stock of underwear, hosiery and boys' and children's clothing. The values in these lines are GREAT. Bear in mind that your \$1.00 is good for \$1.20 in good clean merchandise at our store.

A nice line of furs suitable for Christmas presents with 20 per cent off brings them down within the means of all.

The Martin-Bennett Co.

IN A POSITION TO KNOW



Santa Claus—"Don't talk about race-suicide to me. This is the most strenuous Christmas I ever put in."

"Star Brand Shoes are Better"

Boys and Girls

require very great care in their footwear. They oftentimes suffer torture from ill-fitting shoes. They also make holes in your bank account unless they are properly shod. Buy the

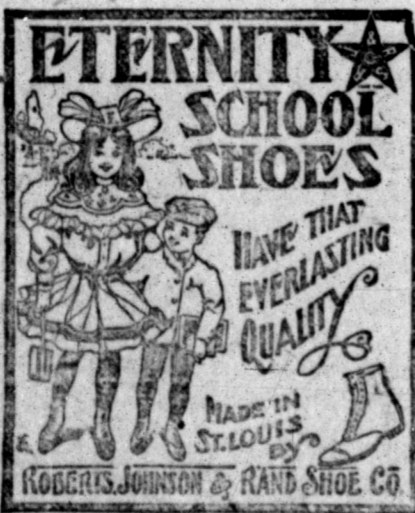
"Eternity Shoe"

Let them kick and scuffle all they please. Let them do their worst. The Eternity Shoe will hold them. They will fit and give comfort.

All the Eternity shoes have two full soles from heel to toe. They are put on with screw fasteners. They are strong and serviceable and at the same time neat and dressy. The upper stock is Dongola and Kangaroo Calf and Box Calf, three of the long-wearing leathers.

These shoes are designed to fit young and growing feet, protect them from the weather and to please parents

Come and Examine Our Stock
Our Prices Will Please You
BRYAN & LAND
CLARENDON, TEXAS.



—For well casing go to Kerbow & Asher. tf

—The Spinsters' return, Thursday night, Dec. 5

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

All members of K. of P. Lodge No. 90 are requested to be at meeting next Tuesday night for purpose of electing officers for ensuing year. C. C. Powell, C. C.

Phone No. 2 when you have a news item.

—Opera house next Thursday night—The Spinsters' Return. Don't miss it.

We are glad to note that Dr. J. R. Mood, who is now living at Channing, has so far recovered his health as to be able to resume his work. He has organized classes in Latin and Spanish at Channing.

—Rathjen's for school shoes. tf

—Typewriter supplies, this office. tf

—For bargains in real estate and city property see Kersey & Martin, Clarendon, Texas. tf

—We now have a complete stock of the popular McCall patterns. Just such a stock as the large department stores in the cities carry. The Martin-Bennett Co. tf

JUST A WORD

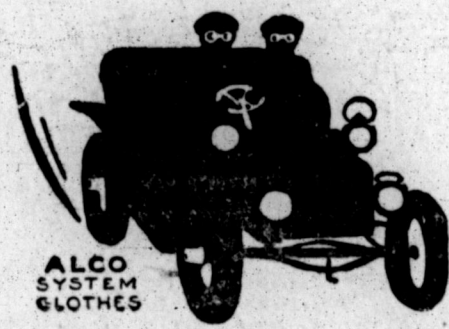


Your tailor will lose a customer if you once rest your eyes on our ALCO or H. S. & M. suits. You never owned a suit that had more style in it than one of these.

Come in and try on one of these suits. There's a pleasant surprise in our store for you when you do. You'll find that you have a suit that fits at once. The collar and lapels lie snugly in place, the shoulders are graceful and so is the sweep of the coat. No fooling away your time at a tailor shop for a week or two, trying to get what he can't give you. We've got what you want, and when you want it.

The PRICE is right, too. Any price you want to pay—\$12.50 to 30.00.

REMEMBER we're headquarters for anything in men's and boys' ready-to-wear garments and furnishings—anything from a shoe string to a \$30.00 Raincoat. If you contemplate purchasing, just step in and see the bargains we have in readiness for you.



HAYTER BROS. MODERN CLOTHIERS

CLARENDON ABSTRACT CO. Office in Court House J. C. Killough & Son, Abstracters

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

The Banner-Stockman is now \$1.50 per year. It is worth it too.

—The highest grade of school shoes for medium prices at Rathjen's.

—These cold mornings a hot drink at Bagby's is just about the proper idea. Large selection of drinks.

—On ready-made clothing you can pick your suit at your own price during Dubbs' big closing out sale. We need money and you need the clothes; price and take.

—Have just got in a new line of heating stoves. Kerbow & Asher.

—Our new bread "Mothers Bread" is the best you ever ate; ask for it at the Clarendon Bakery.

—See our display of Christmas candies in packages. The swellest line ever in town. The Bon Ton.

Commissioners court was in session Saturday for the purpose of approving the bonds of the new commissioner, Frank Naylor, and also of the new justice of the peace, Mr. Smith.

BOUND TO RISE.



"Well, little boy, what do you want for Christmas?"
Willie—"Oh, I guess I'll have an nautyboat, a golf championship ob de west, a steam yacht, an' a option on de lake front, an' a pack o' cigars, t'anks!"

—New books at Dubbs'.

THE GLOBE'S BIG CONTEST

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

The diamond ring and gold watch voting contest will close December 25th at 9 a. m. Below we give the standing of each candidate at the close of the count today, Wednesday, November 27, 1907:

Miss Minnie Thorpe	4624
Miss Beesie Caraway	4152
Miss Marion Barnett	3774
Miss Ethel Heisler	3684
Mrs. Chas. McMurtry	2566
Miss Nora Denton	2056
Miss Ruth Atteberry	1933
Mrs. Ora Liesberg	1073
Miss Lena Davis	1021
Miss Tugwell	691
Miss Fay Dodson	628
Miss Aris Baldwin	459

Respectfully submitted,
E. DUBBS & SONS.

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

Oscar Reeves shipped nine cars of cattle to St. Joseph Saturday.

—Nails, fence staples, barbed and hay wire at Kerbow & Asher's.

Mrs. G. B. Bagby has been quite ill the past ten days but is now improving.

—See the old maids in "The Spinners' Return" at opera house next Thursday night.

Geo. F. Morgan will leave Sunday to attend the meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge.

Mrs. O. N. Brown and two children arrived from Boulder, Colo., Wednesday and will spend the winter in Clarendon.

—Have just received a nice line of linoleums. Call and see them at Kerbow & Asher's. tf

All the hunting dogs and most of the men were out after the Bob Whites yesterday.

—Have you seen the display in Clower's window? Don't buy a thing in the way of china until you see his line. tf

Dr. J. J. Hanna, the ear, eye, nose and throat specialist, was here Saturday as per advertisement. The doctor is a most pleasant gentleman whom we are always glad to see.

—Whatever you do don't neglect to look over our stock of holiday goods before the assortment is broken. We have a fine selection. G. B. Bagby. tf

H. C. Jackson was in from Windy Valley Saturday to see his father-in-law, Mr. Jones, off to Hood county, where he goes to spend the winter. He has been here since June and likes the Panhandle fine.

—See the beautiful Japanese gold ware at Clower's. If you are a lover of fine china you can never rest till you own some of this line.

G. T. Hamlin, good fellow, good citizen and good socialist, of Jericho, was here Friday and made this office a pleasant call. Mr Hamlin is one of our oldest subscribers, and while he and the Banner-Stockman do not agree on politics we always get along like three in a bed.

—Our Christmas Goods are now on display and we solicit your early selection. The Bon Ton, G. B. Bagby. tf

Miss Lida Mace, daughter of J. R. Mace, was married to Mr. J. A. Warren at the court house last Thursday, Judge Morgan officiating. The Banner-Stockman went to press last week too early to extend congratulations but we do so now with pleasure.

—Everything in the house at a reduction. Read our big ad. and note the prices. They are given in plain figures, E. Dubbs & Sons.

How they view schools in Texas is pretty well shown by the action of the people of Clarendon; Donley county, who a few days ago raised \$50,000 for a Methodist college there; the conference of the church agreeing to raise another \$50,000 to make the school one of the many good ones in Texas.—The Panhandle Progress, of Friona, Texas.

MURDER TRIAL SENT HERE

Most Noted Murder Case in History of Panhandle Will be Tried in Clarendon.

At the next term of district court for Donley county the celebrated Docrkay murder mystery will be threshed out. This is the case where the boy, Earl Dockray, was found murdered in Amarillo and which baffled the officers for so long to obtain a clue leading to an arrest. The Amarillo Daily Panhandle says:

On motion by Judge L. C. Barrett, attorney for Frank Ellsworth, the court this morning allowed change of venue in the Ellsworth case and set the trial for Donley county. This trial will come up at the first term of court for the new year in January at Clarendon.

This is the most widely known case on the docket. At the last term of court Ellsworth was sentenced to life imprisonment. The higher court reversed the case, however, and ordered a new trial. Over fifty witnesses were summoned at the trial last June for testimony on points in the chain of circumstantial evidence by which the state sought to fasten the guilt of the murder of Earl Dockray upon the defendant Ellsworth and his alleged accomplice, Joe Burk, and the trial took a whole week.

Resume Business.

G. S. Patterson will today reopen the City Meat Market which has been closed for several days by the former proprietor, W. I. Lane. J. E. Carroll will have charge of the business and they have announced that they will endeavor to keep on hand a full supply of the best in beef, pork, fish, oysters, etc., and solicit the patronage of the people. it

For Trade.

A good serviceable second hand buggy to trade for corn, kaffir or baled hay. This office. 2t

For Rent.

Good four room house across the street from public school building. G. S. Patterson, city. it

Claude Cox, of Alanreed was here Saturday on business.

An informal dance was enjoyed at the opera house Tuesday evening.

Will Stewart is at Goodnight this week finishing up the electrical work on the new college building.

J. W. Morrison is doubling the capacity of his lumber yard by fencing in the balance of his lots on the block facing the public school building.

D. W. Taylor and wife, of Monroe City, Mo., are in Clarendon visiting the families of their brothers, H. W. and E. A. Taylor.

Mrs. Dr. T. E. Standifer and children went over to Canadian to spend Thanksgiving with the family of her brother, Dr. Caylor.

Al Warner, of Loveland, Colo., has moved his family to Clarendon and they are now occupying their new home, the old Eyer place bought recently from J. E. McCombs.

Mr. George Archer has been busy the past week building shelting and arranging the interior of the Mulkey building for his stock of Racket Goods. His holiday stock has been purchased and he hopes to have it on display within a few more days.

The Panhandle Teachers' Association at Claude this week is being attended by ten of Clarendon's progressive instructors, as follows: Public School—Supt. Silvey, Misses McLeap, Stevens, Willis, Proctor, Maggie and Katie Stout, College—Principal Burkhead, Prof. Morton and Miss Tugwell.

Recent snow and rain over the Panhandle has put a fine season in the ground and blacksmiths everywhere are busy sharpening plow-points.

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CLARENDON has her George Washington. Henrietta has an Edgar Allen Poe.

THE Panhandle "knocker" should be treated to a trip over Donley county just now. He would see crops being gathered, piles of corn, bales of cotton, tons and tons of kaffir corn and maize heads, hundreds and hundreds of acres covered with shocks of feed and all the other evidences of a thrifty people and a glorious farming country. Donley county stands ready to "show" the knocker, whether he be from Missouri or elsewhere.

OUR old friend, Joe Smith, is making of the Pampa Crony a first class county representative. He will soon change the nightmare name his paper now sports to the better one of "News," and will make other improvements. Joe used to sell the writer spelling books readers and arithmetics when we were small a boy at school in Bonham. He made his escape from the book and drug business long ago, however, and broke into the ranks of the quill pushers where he "made good." Here's best wishes for "The Pampa News."

THE mail order industry will have the parcels post bill introduced in congress this winter in a new form. The Postmaster General is said to favor this bill. In whatever form it may be it can be nothing less than detrimental to the retail merchants of the country. When the U. S. government goes to carrying parcels of heavy weight by mail, and at so cheap a cost, then will country merchants feel the effects in no uncertain volume. It behooves every small merchant in the country and, every country newspaper as well to do all in their power to defeat this measure. Every merchant should write his congressman on the subject.

If Your Eyes Trouble You,

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

J. T. Morrow informs us that since he began to advertise his pecan crop in the Banner-Stockman he has sold between 4000 and 5000 pounds of the nuts to the people of the Panhandle. He favored us with a quantity of the nuts and we found them very fine indeed with a thin shell and plenty of meat. He is still offering them for sale in any quantity at from 10c to 15c per pound.

Calf For Sale.

Heifer calf from good milk stock for sale. Apply at this office.

—Nice pencil box given free with every pair of child's school shoes bought at Rathjen's Shoe Store. it

Matinee tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock "Tony, the Convict." Everybody wants to see it again. Admission, adults 25c, children 10c. No reserved seats. New and attractive readings.

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Clarendon, Tex., Nov. 29, '07

TO PREVENT ACCIDENT.

The hunting season is now in full blast, and almost every paper you pick up tells of some one being killed or wounded by the accidental discharge of a gun. There are two rules which hunters should make it a habit to observe closely, and the violation of which is responsible for nine-tenths of the accidents: Never carry your gun loaded while in the buggy; always unbreach your gun before attempting to cross a fence. These rules apply to every hunter, no matter how careful he thinks himself.—Banner-Stockman.

It is also a good plan to hunt alone. In every hunting party of half a dozen members there is sure to be one in the party who handles his gun as if it were an umbrella or a stick horse. Another way is to stay at home and sport with an ax at the wood pile.—Dallas News

IN 1906 Oklahoma adopted a boll weevil quarantine against the entire state of Texas. Since statehood went into effect the governor has issued a proclamation raising this quarantine as applied to the following counties in the Panhandle: Armstrong, Carson, Collingsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman and Wheeler. There are no boll weevils in the Panhandle and the new state takes cognizance of the fact.

THE Texas railway commission has ordered a number of roads to buy additional equipment. The Denver Road is among the number, and the commission stipulates that this road shall invest as follows: Six locomotives, four passenger coaches, 200 freight cars, first year; six locomotives, three passenger coaches 200 freight cars, second year; one locomotive, 100 freight cars, third year. The Denver Road's equipments are already first-class, and with a good road bed her troubles will soon be at an end.

THE town of Childress at last realizes the need of water and has voted bonds to construct a splendid water works system. Evidently the people were all of one mind, as the vote stood 172 for 16 against.

SALOONS have quit business in the new state of Oklahoma. It is approximated that 560 saloons were affected, and that \$5,696,000 has been spent annually in that country for intoxicants.

M. T. Howard sold last week to Henry Exall, the fine horse man of Dallas, a bunch of fillies at \$75 around. These fillies were of Mr. Howard's own breeding and were from a blooded horse which he purchased from Mr. Exall a few years ago. They were shipped to Dallas Sunday last. This sale would indicate that there is money in all kinds of stock in the Panhandle, especially when the proper attention is paid to breeding and raising.

This week A. B. Gardentire and J. W. Davidson sold to Dr. O. Robinson of Kansas City sixteen sections of land laying in this and Wheeler counties. This is a large tract of land and brought a handsome sum, the consideration being \$136,600.00. We are informed that Mr. Robertson bought this property for speculative purposes.—Gray County Herald.

SUNDAY S. CONVENTION

Will be held at Giles, Texas, December 20th, 1907—Program.

The following is the program for the district Sunday School convention to be held at Giles, Dec. 29th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Song by convention.
Invocation..... W. M. Horn
Welcome Address..... J. M. Shelton
Response..... W. M. Cavness
Song..... by Hedley Class
A Brief Historical Discussion of the Sunday School and the Benefit it has Been to Mankind.

Prof. J. G. Hendrix,
C. D. Akers,
W. A. Womack,
G. A. Oiler.

Discussion general.
Song by Giles Class
Paper on subject of own selection

Mrs. Annie Sims
Song by Bray Class
NOON.

Song by Rowe Class
Reports of Secretaries.
Business Meeting.

Paper on subject of own selection.
Mrs. J. D. McCants.
What Constitutes a Live Sunday School.

Lee Blair,
J. O. King,
G. W. Cash,
J. P. Johnson,
T. N. Naylor.

Song by Lelia Class.
Paper on subject of own selection.
Mrs. G. A. Wimberley.

Should the Sunday School be for the Young Exclusively?
E. H. Wall,
J. T. McHan,
W. A. Womack.

Song by convention.
All those on the program who know they cannot attend the convention please notify President Lee Blair, so he can appoint others to fill vacancies.

Cause For Thanks.

THE Ft. Worth Telegram recently quoted some of the Panther City's great men as to the many causes the people had for Thanksgiving. Among the number the president of the board of trade contributed a gem of English composition, an extract from which reads:

"The business hearted men and women that make ful for the brashp; a people that can bryve any danup her citizens institution that mean its business ger, loyal to the increase of the habitation and the wel progress, thdle."

To all of which the "business hearted" people will doubtless say "amen."

For Sale.

Pecans in any quantity. Phone or address J. T. Morrow, Clarendon, Texas, or J. M. E. Morrow, Arlington, Texas, R. F. D. No. 6. Small rush orders filled from Clarendon, large orders will be filled direct from the farm at Arlington. 4t

HELP WANTED—Men or women to represent The American Magazine, edited by F. P. Dunne ("Mr. Dooley"). Ida M. Tarbell, Lincoln Steffens, etc. Straight proposition. Good pay. Continuing interest from year to year in business created. Experience and capital not necessary. Good opportunity. Write J. N. Trainer, 23 West 20th Street, New York, N. Y.

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For Rent.

One four-room house with well and wind mill, two blocks south of public school; terms reasonable. Apply to Louis F. Beckner, city. tf

To Trade.

A dry cow for a good, fresh milk cow. Will pay the difference in value. T. E. Williams, city. 2t

The Strenuous Life.

The soldier, rough rider, miner or any follower of the strenuous life are "easy on shoes" compared to the average boy of girl. Try "Eternity" shoes on them. Bryau & Land.

—Those lovely Xmas boxes are going at Bagby's. Better choose one before it is too late. Nothing like this line ever before in the city.

DANGER ON THE DENVER

Emigrants Now Refused Permission to Ride in the Cars With Their Goods.

The enforcement of the Denver's new rule prohibiting emigrants from riding in the cars with their goods and making them stay in the caboose saved a man's life in the wreck near Vernon yesterday morning and incidentally saved the road a heavy damage suit. When the ill fated freight left this city yesterday morning it carried several immigrant outfits and the crew found one man who insisted on riding in the car with his goods. The rule was explained to him and he finally consented to go back to the caboose without further argument.

The wisdom of the new rule was given a striking example, for, the car in which the man started to ride out of the city was reduced almost to kindling wood in the wreck and it would have been almost a miracle if he had escaped instant death.

Fireman Tidwell, who escaped with slight injuries, has returned to this city and was able to be out in town this morning. He says the locomotive ran two rails length before it turned over. When the rails first gave way, he says that Engineer Simmons could have saved his life by jumping, but as the engine looked as if it would stop before overturning, he stayed with it until too late. Sims was instantly killed by being crushed to death.

The engineer's body was taken from beneath his engine three hours after the wreck occurred and was taken to Vernon, where he was embalmed and was shipped last night to his home in Corbin, Ky.—Wichita Falls Times.

A Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

We have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home for seven years, and it has always proved to be a reliable remedy. We have found that it would do more than the manufacturers claim for it. It is especially good for croup and whooping cough.

Rev. James A. Lewis,
Pistor Milaca, Mass., M. E. Church.
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Take Notice.

After this date the Banner-Stockman will accept no advertising matter or news items of any character for publication in the current issue after noon Thursday. Advertisers and others please take notice. This rule is adopted in the interest of our subscribers, that they may get their paper on time each week. tf

PRINTERS ATTENTION!

The Banner-Stockman has for sale cheap a complete stone outfit for a five column quarto paper, including best chases, side and foot sticks, head rules, column rules, etc. Also about fifty good job cases, mostly California. The entire outfit is as good as new and can be bought at a big discount from supply house prices. Address Banner-Stockman, Clarendon, Texas.

—Whether you need one dish or a set of china you can't afford to pay someone a big profit when we allow you to take your choice at almost give-away prices. Ladies should investigate. E. Dubbs & Sons. tf

—We have the nicest assortment of dress goods and silks ever shown in Clarendon. This is a strong statement but we can make it good. Come and see. The Martin-Bennett Company. tf

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—If you don't see it at Dubbs' store, don't think it isn't there, but ask for it. tf

LIVESTOCK LOW, MEAT UP

Biggest Slump in History of Cattle Trade Does Not Affect Prices to Consumers.

During the month of October and thus far in November one of the worst slumps in the history of the livestock trade began and continued. Whether it has reached its culmination only the future will disclose. For the present it suffices to say that prices are on an extremely low level in all branches of the cattle trade, the decline amounting to 75 cents to \$1 per hundred on steers, fully that on butcher cows, while calves have had a variable market and are now selling at 25 to 50 cents lower than at the highest point in October, or about \$1 worse than at the highest time of the season.

Hogs have been hit the hardest of any class of livestock, the decline now amounting to about \$2.25 from the best price of the season.

Sheep have shared in the general decline, the loss to feeders and shippers running between 85c and \$1.

The downward movement began about the time of the excessive runs of western range cattle to Chicago, say the second week in October. A corresponding increase in the movement of western cattle was noted at Kansas City, and Fort Worth felt the same impetus of cattle marketward, receipts increasing from 21,700 head the second week of that month to 37,500 on the fourth week. Market demoralization followed excessive receipts at Fort Worth as well as at other livestock centers.

It will thus be seen that the primary cause for the slump in the cattle market came from an over-supply of range stuff. But its continuance is quite another matter. Curtailment of supplies almost to 50 per cent, has had but slight effect on the general market, which still continues as low as during the time of demoralization at the end of October.

Something may be due to tightness of the money market, which resulted in curtailing the buying of outsiders on the market to some extent, but the monetary stringency is not alleged by the trade to have exerted any bearish effect on prices except in the case of stockers and feeders.


When one reflects that the head hog buyer of one of the great Chicago packers predicted six weeks ago that hogs would drop to 4 cents, one hesitates between admiration of his prescience and indignation at the business methods that have brought it to pass. And where is the compensation for all this loss to the producer and shipper? It does not come to the consumer for the price of fresh meats over the counter of the butcher has not decreased. Porterhouse and ribs, chuck and round, fresh ham and shoulder cuts, sausage and pork chops, veal roast and leg of mutton all are costing the consumer the same that they did before the slump was engineered.—Ft. Worth Record.

Notice.

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FACTS IN FEW LINES

Great Britain owns more land in North America than the United States. The icefields of Greenland, ages old, are estimated to be a mile and a half thick.

Johannesburg, in the Transvaal, has a prosperous American club and two husky baseball nines.

The 1904 dollar is the only one of the last pattern issue that is of sufficient rarity to command a premium.

New York city is the second in the Union for size of per capita debt, it being \$113.25; Newton, Mass., coming first, with \$125.58.

In Philadelphia a goat chewed off the tails of Policeman Gilbert's coat while the officer was watching a pair making love.

Recently a two-year-old Fall River baby's Teddy bear fell out of a second story window, the baby tumbled after it, and the doctors couldn't find a scratch on either bear or baby.

While C. L. Derby of Ludlow, Vt., was plowing recently his wife picked up from the dirt thrown out by the plow a British copper coin of the issue of 1747, just 160 years old.

Teddy Schoppeler at his hotel in the Bronx, New York, recently held a raffle for a tombstone, the winner to have his name, date of birth and death engraved on it free of charge.

After a stillness of more than a year, due to a broken rope, the curfew bells in a Plainville (Conn.) mill are ringing again. This ancient custom has been observed in the town for a half century.

A Kafir in Cape Colony bought an American broom some months ago and, noticing some seeds in the straws, planted them. He now has a fine field of broom straw growing and may have found an important industry.

One Bowdoinham (Me.) residence has an unusual night watchman. It is a fat woodchuck that guards the property carefully from cuts and dogs. Every evening he roams over the grounds and disappears at sunrise.

A schoolteacher in England noticed that it always rained when the Inspector happened to call on her. One day she mentioned it to the Inspector as a curious fact and received the answer, "That's because I play golf on fine days."

One of the Ohio girls who recently visited London aroused the ire of some of the editors by remarking that London was the biggest she had seen "on this side of the ocean." The Globe scornfully asks whether "Onehorseville, Mich." is bigger.

Up to this time the diameter of the globe has not been arrived at within a thousand feet, but Nikola Tesla says that his system of wireless telegraphy will be the means of reducing this margin of error to within fifty feet or less.

The dreaded nun butterfly is appearing everywhere in Bohemia, threatening the devastation of the forests. The neighboring woods of Saxony and Silesia are also threatened. The ministry of agriculture has named a commission to investigate.

Yale is far less honored in England than in Harvard. The residence of Elihu Yale at Plas Grano has been pulled down, and it is difficult to identify the site. Yale's tomb, a solid mass of masonry, at the base of Wrexham church tower, is almost his sole visible memorial.

The costliest lot of land in Boston was taken the other day by the Boston transit commissioner to provide entrance and exit for the new Washington street tunnel. The lot, which contains 1,955 square feet, is located at Winter and Washington streets, and the price paid was \$250 per foot.

Dennis J. Buckley, president of the Kerry Men's P. and B. association, has made the statement that the people of the famous County of Kerry, Ireland, have decided to officially repudiate the title of "kingdom," which has hung to it for 1,720 years.

The London Express says the golf links of the country are fast becoming "vast harpin cemeteries" and that unfortunately most of the millions of harpins in them are only half buried, "with their business ends uppermost," to the annoyance and even danger of players.

The volunteer fire department of Rockville Center, N. Y., must have the reputation of the proverbial messenger boy. At a recent meeting of the trustees of the village it was suggested that when a fire breaks out the members of the department be notified by postal card.

Tuberculous patients that live and grow fat are reported by Dr. Guilhaud, a French physician. He has found a form of tuberculosis that remains in the condition of a local lesion, is usually associated with an excessive deposit of adipose tissue and is curable. He believes it arises from implanting attenuated Koch bacilli in so called scrofulous persons.

Mrs. John Hays Hammond, the wife of the clever engineer of South Africa, has a most wonderful bathroom in both her New York and Washington homes. The tub is an immense affair, the shape of a shell, and when the lights are turned on and the tub filled the bottom of the tub appears to be full of water lilies, reeds and waving grass. The floors and walls are of tinted marble.

The New York courts have decided that a huge automobile filled with two dozen sightseers has no more rights in the public streets than a pushcart. The machines that stand on the street in wait for a load of passengers must move on at the command of a policeman and must keep moving.

"The streets belong to the people, not to individuals," said the police magistrate who announced the above as the law. The manager of a line of "rubber neck" wagons had pre-empted a part of Broadway to the large advertising of his business and a saving of rent.

NEWS OF THE PANHANDLE

Being a Summary of the Recent Happenings as Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

The move for a national park in Paloduro Canyon is reaching big proportions. A committee of seven from the several interested counties now has the matter in charge.

The location of the Panhandle Presbyterian College has been postponed for a time, awaiting the cessation of the "money panic" boosters.

Money invested in Panhandle lands is safe.

Panhandle City has voted to issue bonds to the amount of \$17,000 for the erection of a public school building. Nowhere does the cause of education receive more attention than in the Texas Panhandle.

Near Canadian in Hemphill county, Geo. W. Little, a stockman, was killed by a stallion, the animal catching him by the arm and tearing it from the body.

The Wheeler county seat muddle has been "reversed and rendered" by the court of civil appeals. Thus Moberly loses the county seat and Wheeler, a new town in the center of the county, gets the plum.

W. D. Fisher, of Canadian, has been appointed district attorney of the 31st district, vice Ben H. Kelly, resigned. Mr. Fisher once studied law under Gov. Campbell, and won out easily over several other applicants.

Emmett LeFors of Gray county, had his collar bone broken last week, caused by being thrown from a horse.

Reports of the fall crop of Irish potatoes are now coming in from various parts of the Panhandle. It is a well known fact to those who have experimented that two crops of these tubers can be raised in any part of this country every year. The Panhandle raises as fine Irish potatoes as can be grown in Colorado or any other state. Donley county perhaps leads in that respect.

The Wheeler County Texan tells of a nine-year old printer who has been setting type since he was four years old. The Texan is pretty good at telling of wonderful Panhandle productions, and is always entirely truthful.

Deaf Smith county is considering the erection of a \$75,000 court house.

Childress has voted bonds for city water works. Editor Haskett having realized his fondest dreams in this respect is now going after a new telephone system.

Castro county will vote on the proposition to issue \$28,000 in bonds with which to build a court house. Election Dec. 19.

A new \$12,000 Christian church is one of the possibilities at Hereford in the near future.

Recent snow and rain over the Panhandle has put a fine season in the ground and blacksmiths everywhere are busy sharpening plow-points.

LINGERING COLD
Withstood Other Treatments but Quickly Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I caught a very severe cold which lingered for weeks," says J. Urquhart, of Zephyr, Ontario. "My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and guaranteed it, so I gave it a trial. One small bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best I have ever used." This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

Ladies: There are few of you but need something in the way of dishes. We are closing out this line and you can make your own price. The stock is quite complete yet, and we don't care how we get rid of it; it must go—we need the money tied up in it and you will be surprised at how much you can buy for a few cents. E. Dubbs & Sons.

—The Bon Ton for Xmas gifts.

ABOUT PALODURO PARK

Representative Bowman Responsible for Legislation Authorizing Acquiring of Title.

The Banner-Stockman is in receipt of a letter from State Representative J. R. Bowman, of Amarillo, in which he says:

"Some few weeks since I noticed in your paper that the bill pertaining to the establishment of a national park was introduced by John H. Stephens. This is a mistake. House bill No. 476 was introduced by me Feb. 19, 1907; finally passed March 6, 1907. On page 782 of House Journal is found: 'House bill No. 476 by Bowman on third reading. On motion of Mr. Bowman, by unanimous consent, the pending business was suspended to take up and have placed on its third reading and final passage house bill No. 476, a bill to be entitled "An act to authorize the government of the U. S. to obtain title to land for a national park to be located in the counties of Randall and Armstrong in the state of Texas, and to condemn same, and to define procedure for such condemnation." The speaker laid the bill before the house, it was read the third time and was passed. The above is the caption of the bill. This bill provides that the state of Texas shall cede to the United States authority to purchase such lands in the counties of Randall and Armstrong in the Paloduro Canyon and contiguous thereto as may be necessary to establish a national park."

The move put on foot at Canyon City recently is reaching large proportions and the U. S. congress will doubtless be called upon to establish the park. The territory embraced lies in one of the most picturesque spots in America and is an ideal location for a national park.

Farming Lands for Sale.

About 3500 acres of the Bugbee lands, one to four miles west of Clarendon and south of the railroad. All level agricultural land, over 1000 acres in cultivation, houses, windmills, tanks, etc., on several tracts. For sale in tracts to suit purchasers. For price apply to J. B. McCLELLAND, 46-tf Agent.

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MULKEY'S NEW STUDIO

Clarendon Now Boasts the Finest Photographic Studio in the Panhandle.

We are not exactly up upon the latest method of doing fine aristocratic work and really can't tell whether it is pyrogallic acid or soda that the photographer uses in his photo washes; in fact our knowledge of the noble art of photography is extremely limited, but we have an eye for beauty and know a nice thing when we see it. For instance, when we stepped into H. Mulkey's new studio and looked around we knew that a lady, man, or child should take a good picture in such a pretty place whether they are as beautiful as Phoebe or as homely as the homeliest girl in the Panhandle. Mr. Mulkey assures us he can take a better picture in his new quarters. He says the surroundings put him on his mettle, that he has put many a dollar into decorations and is compelled to get inspiration from the beauty that surrounds him to make it pay dividends. Be that as it may we know he is doing a fine class of work and deserves even more than the fine patronage that is now accorded him.

One important innovation was called to our notice by Mr. Mulkey. It was his new Goetz lens, the finest probably in the Panhandle and costing more than we imagined one small chunk of glass could cost. The best feature in the new studio is the perfect lighting. The skylight is twelve by fifteen feet and is composed of hammered ground glass the best material known for photograph light, giving a clear white light at all times.

Many other new features have been added, all fitting in to advantage and all facilitating and improving the work of the studio. Mr. Mulkey is justly proud of his new photograph home, and it is what he needs for he has strained every effort to give the people the worth of their money in his line, winning an enviable reputation for himself, not through the cheapness of his product but through its excellence.

Posted Notice.

The owners of farming and pasture lands on Kelly creek, a few miles northwest of Clarendon, have posted the same according to law. Hunters and other trespassers must keep out of the farms, meadow or ranch under penalty of prosecution. 3-tf J. B. McCLELLAND.

Strayed.

One bay horse pony wearing leather headstall, scar on one front foot and one hind foot. Any information of him will be liberally rewarded. Thos. Lacy, at Bryan & Land's store. -at

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Our Candy case, Nut assortment and Stationery is complete.

A Word About Holiday Goods

We have always been in the front row with Holiday Goods and will be there again. At the proper time we will have on display a complete line of everything in that line and will say here that our prices will be in keeping with the times. It is to your interest to see us before buying anything we carry.

Yours for honest goods and honest prices **W. H. Thompson** The Gents' Furnisher and Confectioner

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Column

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society had a delightful meeting on last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Camp, with Mrs. Camp and Mrs. Kelley as hostesses. Twenty-nine ladies were present, and all members of the society except one. Mrs. Ross, the president, was in the chair. Splendid reports of the work were given by the various officers. The secretary, Mrs. Barnett, rejoiced over the goodly amount of dues paid in and the liberal response to the call for money on the \$60 pledge of the society. This pledge money supports a Mexican girl in our school in the City of Mexico.

After the meeting closed a social hour followed. Light refreshments were served by the hostess and everybody had a general good time. Those who missed the meeting missed a rare treat. Owing to the large attendance since the addition of so many new members, it was decided to meet at the church next 4th Monday.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Foreign Mission Week of Prayer will begin on Thursday, Thanksgiving afternoon and continuing through Saturday, closing with a sermon by the pastor on Sunday morning. All ladies of our own and other churches are cordially invited.

HOME MISSION MEETING.

The business meeting of the Home Mission Society will be at the regular time—the 1st Monday afternoon. Come.

THE JUNIOR LEAGUE AND JUVENILES.

The Junior League and Juvenile Missionary Society, two organizations with the same children and the same leader, Miss Anna Doak, have been having a contest which ended last Sunday. A little picnic in which the losing side will be

hosts, is planned soon. Last Sunday was Juvenile day, and the opening of mite boxes was an important part of the service. They pledged \$10 on a Mexico scholarship and are raising their money nicely.

THE MCEACHEN BRIGADE AND BABY ROLL.

This work is again being taken up and the sound of pennies and nickels can almost be heard by the department leaders as they fall into the pretty little mite boxes. A good time is being planned for them soon.

MR. BRYAN'S ANSWER.

An Englishman told William Jennings Bryan that America is "wholly given over to commercialism." Mr. Bryan told him that to India, from which we never draw a dollar, we send annually almost as much money through missionary channels as England, which annually draws from India \$100,000,000. "He could hardly credit the statement at first," said Mr. Bryan, "but I convinced him of its accuracy. I told my English friend that Great Britain spends ten times as much each year to maintain an army in India as she does for education in that country. I told him that while we Americans can not boast that the sun never sets on our empire, we can boast that the sun never sets on our philanthropy."

A Good Liniment.

When you need a good reliable liniment try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It has no superior for sprains and swelling. A piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm is superior to a plaster for lame back or pains in the side or chest. It also relieves rheumatic pains and makes sleep and rest possible. For sale by all druggists.

Market Report.

Clarendon business people are paying prices as indicated below for country produce. Report corrected each Thursday:

Cotton, lb	.....	around 10c
Corn in ear, bu	.....	50c
Oats, bu	.....	65c
Irish potatoes, bu	.....	\$ 1.25
Sweet potatoes, bu	.....	75c to 1.00
Cotton seed, ton	.....	16.00
Kaffir heads, ton	.....	9.00
Maize heads, ton	.....	10.00
Alfalfa hay, ton	.....	\$12.50 to 15.00
Millet hay, ton	.....	10.00
Prairie hay, ton	.....	8.00
Butter, lb	.....	25c
Eggs, doz	.....	25c
Chickens, each	.....	25c

A Reliable Remedy for Croup.

Mrs. S. Rosenthal, of Turner, Michigan, says: "We have used Chamberlain's Cough Medicine for ourselves and children for several years and like it very much. I think it the only remedy for croup and can highly recommend it." For sale by all druggists.

Vicar Julius Stein is now located in Clarendon as Panhandle missionary for the German Lutheran church. He will make this point headquarters, holding regular services on the fourth Sunday in each month. The balance of his time will be devoted to the work of his church throughout the upper Panhandle country. There are quite a number of his faith in Donley county and they are all among our very best citizens, too, and will be glad to know they are now to have their church represented in person by a pastor.

Posted.

My pasture about ten miles west of Clarendon is posted and any one hunting in same or hauling posts from same will be prosecuted.

HARRY WEATHERLY.

—Big clearing out sale at the Globe; profit is no object during the sale; investigate.

A GANDEBONE FORECAST

Being a more or less brilliant expectation upon every known subject; more especially the weather.

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December of the drifting snow
And yule-log blazing bright;
December, when the cold winds blow
Across the fields of white;
When winter's ring is in the ground
And the nights are clear and still,
And the boys go belly-buster down
The slick and shiny hill.

December of the Christmas tree
And childhood's brightest dream;
December of the ecstasy
Of hallowed Christmas e'en;
When the last sweet lullaby is sung
And children's whispers cease,
And the wee sweet stockings all are strung
Along the mantel-piece.

December of the drum and horn
And bundles slyly hid;
December of the one great morn
Of mornings for a kid;
When the chimps of sweet and mellow bells
Are welcoming the dawn,
And the house rocks with the merry yells
Of kids with nighties on.

December was the ninth-month in the old Roman calendar, and its name is from decem (ten). When Julius Caesar became Big Stick of the empire, the month contained but twenty-nine days. He allowed two more—one more to make ready for Christmas and another to recover from it. Christmas gifts originated with the Greeks. Hence the saying, "Beware of the Greeks bearing gifts." Santa Claus was invented by the toy manufacturers of Newburgh, Germany, where the Teddy Bears came from.

The motto for this month will be, "Shut the door!" Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Bryan will be the leading presidential candidates, and prohibition will continue the burning issue. The liquor interests will build walls around Peoria, Ill., St. Louis, Louisville and Milwaukee, and their war balloon will make daily observations of the movements of Mrs. Nation. The Anti Saloon League has consented to let the Winter Solstice of this year begin at 7 p. m. on the 22d; but there must be no drinking, and every one must be in by Curfew. The 21st will be the shortest day in the year. This will be on Saturday, and if you are at church next day and stay for the sermon, you will notice that the 22d is much longer. The moon will be full on the 16th and the sign of the zodiac for the month will be Capricornus the goat. This will make butter go up and send kids to Sunday school.

The old mill pond will freeze again, and every one will skate;
The mollycoddle, modest swain,
Will thither go with Kate,
She'll slip in such a way that she
Will see a brilliant star,
And he will deeply blush to see
How long her stockings are.

The money scare will quiet down—unhappy circumstance—and money will frequent again the pockets of our pants. The new gold coins they're making now without "In God We Trust," will turn up in the hat at church as prized as any dust. The scrip we have will be retired, and real dough will look good, but the old subscriber will insist on paying up with wood.

On the 2d Speaker Cannon will assemble at Washington, where he will re-elect himself and resume the enactment of law in the presence of the Democratic minority and other onlookers. The final edition of the President's message will be read, Wall street will be given another physic; and it will be officially declared that this country cannot exist half capital and half water.

Mr. Fairbanks will take refuge in the dignity of the Senate from his cocktail

Are you thinking of having your picture made? If you are, you can get the work done at a cheaper price than ever before, providing you call before December 18. I make a big reduction in order to get people in the habit of coming to my new studio, and also to get as much work finished before Christmas as possible. You can't get better work than mine. H. MULKEY

persecutors and several new members will be taken into that exclusive club of multi-millionaires. Congress assembled will take up great public questions like the need for a new federal building at Polk and Coyote Center; the growing demand for a more elastic currency, and why nobody will stay in the army at the generous inducement of \$13 a month and found—dead in the Philippines.

Persons born under the sign of Capricornus the goat are great orators, thinkers and teachers; self-conscious and not meddlesome; good story tellers, eat too much, are distrustful, and can keep a secret (if males). They are selfish, and never get the hot end of it in an exchange of Christmas gifts. They continue to hang up their stockings when it is a hardship upon others to fill them. Girls born in Capricornus are hard to win, generally preferring a parrot to the stork.

The want-wolf's wail will ride the blast
Where poverty prevails.
A few late laggard geese will pass
With winter on their tails.

The sleigh will jingle up the road,
The lines around the whip, and George
and Nellie in the robes, will love's own
honey sip. The sleigh will hit a 10 foot
bank, and they'll go rolling down, with
Nellie's foot in George's face—and walk
six miles to town.

The new rules for farmers promulgated by the Farmhands' Union will go into effect on the 1st, viz: Farmers will provide automobiles for all help and will serve as chauffeurs; they will eat at the second table, and sleep in the hayloft; they will rise at 4, do the chores, and serve breakfast to the hands in bed at 9; they will provide a phonograph and the current magazines; hands will supervise the farm work from 11 to 12, and from 2 till 3, the earnings of the farm will be placed in a bucket every Saturday and poured through a ladder placed horizontally, with the ends on two chairs; what goes through, the hands get—and what sticks on the Fungs goes to the farmer.

Santa Claus will make the usual rounds on the night of the 24th. Men will get cigars, neckwear and mustache cups. Ladies will get the money—which they would much rather have. Children will get the stomach ache and its complications.

And then comes January 1st
To plague us with some ancient bill
As only January can
Disturb the happiness of man.

Then Leap Year dread shall come again
with nineteen hundred eight; when
woman-kind of growing years and single
up to date, will hit the bachelor's plain
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Farm and Garden

FANCY STRAWBERRIES.

Some Kinds That With Proper Culture Produce Large Fruit.

An interesting account of the Millionaire strawberry is given in Rural New Yorker, which says:

Five years ago Henry Jerolaman, the New Jersey strawberry man, produced a seedling, specimen fruit, which is here shown. When the increase of the first plant had made a row eight feet long Mr. Jerolaman on going away one day told the boy left in charge that no berries were to be sold from those plants for less than \$1 per quart, thinking that would be prohibitive. On his return the boy handed him \$4, a customer having taken four quarts, all that were ready at the time. Next day the same man returned and got three quarts more. This was running into money so fast that Millionaire seemed an appropriate name for the berry. This year the finest of the crop has wholesaled at 40 cents in New York. The fruit illustrated was two inches in diameter and about as large as any seen. Many run from one and a quarter to one and a half inches. The shape is uniform, no coxcombing being noted; color bright red, with a fine gloss; quality good, above the average to my taste. Its season is long and nearly every berry is matured. The foliage is strong and abundant, the plants standing from ten to fifteen inches high by actual measurement.



MILLIONAIRE STRAWBERRY.

In the same journal is given an illustration of Kevitt's new seedling, which is said to promise well. In regard to growing fancy strawberries Mr. Kevitt writes: For fancy trade plant New York, President, Oom Paul, William Belt, Dixon, Marshall and Glen Mary. To produce strawberries of mammoth size, so that a dozen berries will fill a quart basket, plants should be set out in the early part of August in good, rich soil and kept well cultivated during the growing season. All runners should be kept off the plant. Emil Graf, a grower of the Dixon, also says: I like to set strawberry plants for large fruit in August or early September on land well enriched with fresh stable manure the previous spring.

Farm Wood Lots.
Throughout a very large portion of the United States nearly every farm has a certain part of its area under wood, either planted, as in regions otherwise treeless, or of natural growth. The value of this wooded portion, besides affording protection from the wind, is chiefly for fuel, fencing and railroad ties, with some building material and the wood needed for special uses about the farm. Without the wood lot the farm very often would be an unprofitable investment, because the farmer could not afford to buy the wood which now costs him very little except the labor of cutting and moving it, but in the majority of cases this part of the farm is far less useful than it might easily be made. This is true because the farmer does not study its productive capacity as he does that of his fields and pastures, and hence does not make it yield as fully as he might, with little or no additional labor, if he went about it in the right way.—Gifford Finchot.



KEVITT'S NEW SEEDLING.

Methods With Cotton.
The man who leaves his cotton eighteen inches in the drill and grows an average of fifteen bolls to the stalk will not make as much cotton as the one who cuts out to three and one-half feet and raises sixty to a hundred bolls to the stalk.
A simple calculation in arithmetic ought to convince the most skeptical on this point, writes a Texas planter in Farm and Ranch. It takes nerve to cut out the crop in the early spring, because it looks to the casual observer that there is no stand, but later on, when the warm days begin to get in their work and the plant begins to spread and put on forms and blooms, and keeps it up until frost, the planter sees the advantage over the little spindling crowded stalks in the eighteen inch drills that stop blooming in mid-summer and just begin to put on top crop in time to get caught by early frost.

Feed Crops.
With the highly improved southern farms the question of cheap feed is settled, for there is probably no section of America that can produce cheaper feed. Especially is the great variety of legumes that thrive in the south worthy of notice, and these crops, with cottonseed meal, settle the question of protein.—B. H. Rawl.

Celery in Solid Beds.
Where celery planted in solid beds is banked with earth the entire quantity of soil required must be thrown up by hand. Under these conditions banking with soil is not profitable except on a very limited scale.—W. R. Beattie.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Reasons For the Slow Development of This Industry.

The general dislike for milking and attending to the details of dairying in the south has contributed to slow development in this industry. Any one who has traveled to any extent through the more unfrequented part of the central south at once recognizes this fact, remarks Iowa Homestead.

In a great many of the states a large portion of the dairy products used is brought in from neighboring states. It is estimated that not more than 5 per cent of butter and cheese used in Arkansas is produced within the boundaries of the state. While the paucity of the homemade products is probably greater in this state than in any of those adjacent, it nevertheless points to a good opportunity for the development of good dairy herds and factories for the making of butter and cheese not only in Arkansas, but in a good part of the southwest.

The Local Market.

The local market for all the products of the dairy is good the year around. Those who are engaged in the retail work find, almost without exception, a big demand for even the byproducts of the dairy. We know of dairymen who sell at good prices the year around every ounce of milk in some form or other that comes from the herd. There is always a good trade in buttermilk, especially among the lower classes, and we have known farmers who utilized the skim milk for this purpose by mixing it with what buttermilk they have and allowing the whole to ripen to a degree of sourness required in the real article. It makes a first class product too.

Ideal Conditions.

It has often seemed peculiar to us why this branch of farming has been neglected as it has. From observation and experience it would seem that ideal conditions exist for dairying in a large part of Arkansas, Missouri and states of similar land topography.

ROCKY FORD MELONS.

They Are Successfully Grown Over a Large Area.

The far famed Rocky Ford cantaloupes are being successfully grown over a large area. The specimens here shown were produced in the Blue



ROCKY FORD CANTALOUPE.

Ridge mountains in Washington county, Md. The most common and uniform grades shipped from this section run about forty-five melons to the crate, the crates measuring 12 by 12 by 24 inches. The larger melons run thirty to the crate. Another grade runs forty-eight to fifty to the crate and, as a rule, are not packed uniformly. Still another grade packs from seventy to seventy-five melons to the crate. In the Rocky Ford district of Colorado a good crop is estimated at 130 to 150 crates to the acre, says New England Homestead. It is not uncommon to find cantaloupes grown in California wrapped in tissue paper and sold in the New York market at certain times in the year at fancy prices. Farmers who produce high grade melons are reasonably sure of good prices in leading markets. The production of these melons is becoming more popular each season.

NEW SHORT STORIES

Staggered the Interviewer.

It was announced at 26 Broadway that William Rockefeller, treasurer of the oil trust and possessor of a reputed fortune of \$250,000,000, was "down and out."

This apparently sensational news was made public by George Washington Jackson, one of Mr. Rockefeller's personal representatives. It was made public in this way:

An American representative called to see the oil magnate for the purpose of substantiating an interview which, according to the ticker tape, he had given out in regard to the financial situation. Mr. Rockefeller was quoted as saying that better times were coming and that the railroads were overwhelmed with freight they could not handle.

As the reporter entered a dark complexioned but extremely courteous representative of the "system" emerged from behind a desk and said:

"Lookin' tuh see Massah Rockefeller, I reckon? Wall, suh, Massah Rockefeller is down and out."

"Down and out!" exclaimed the reporter, staggered by the thought of a tremendous "beat" announcing to the



"LOOKIN' TUH SEE MR. ROCKEFELLER"

world that the powerful financier who had hitherto conquered all before him in the triumphant march of Standard Oil was at last "down and out."

Then, plucking up courage, the newspaper man added: "What do you mean? Has Mr. Rockefeller resigned from Standard Oil?"

"Well, suh, I reckon he don't do dat just fo' de present," responded the courteous George Washington Jackson. "I mean Massah Rockefeller come down tuh his office today, but he's jest now stepped out, sah."—New York American.

Big Tim Lifted the Lid.

Seven words spoken by Timothy D. (Big Tim) Sullivan in the assembly at Albany killed a bill for the passage of which the ways had been well greased.

One of Sullivan's colleagues who had opposed the bill at previous sessions, but was now supporting it, was explaining his change of attitude. "In previous years," he declared, "I was unable to support this bill because the sly trail of the lobby was on it. These worms of the corridor were offering stocks and bonds for votes for the bill. This year, I thank God, the bill is in new hands, and no one charges that stocks and bonds are being distributed to effect its passage."

"No, Mr. Speaker," "Big Tim" interjected, "this year it's cash."
The bill didn't pass.—Albany Journal.

Reckless Railroad.

Jesse Lewisohn, the financier, told at a shareholders' meeting in New York a railroad story:

"America has a good many railroad accidents," he began, "but we must remember that America is an immense country, with an immense railroad traffic. Our roads, on the whole, are carefully and intelligently managed. They are not managed in the least like a road I heard a story of the other day."

"It was before the war, and a northerner was travelling on a little railway in New England. Suddenly in an out of the way spot the train halted, and the brakeman leaped out and ran up the track. On the brakeman's return the tourist said to him: "This is a queer place to stop. There is no station here. What's the trouble anyway?"

"Oh, nothin' of any consequence," the brakeman answered. "The signal wuz agin us, that wuz all. I've jest sot it right, an' now we'll go on agin directly."

Dividing the Responsibility.

Early in Baron Huddleston's career at the bar he shared rooms with another barrister. Bodkin went one evening to take tea and wine with the future baron, and he particularly noticed the dirty, slovenly appearance of the clerk who waited upon them and of whom the host had for the nonce assumed exclusive possession.

Bodkin strongly advised Huddleston to insist on a change in the treatment of the youngster's person and appearance, and said it was scarcely decent to have a person in that dingy condition about him. "I do not much like to interfere," was the reply, "he looks upon Mr. T. as his master, and at the utmost I cannot claim more than half of him."

"Then," said Bodkin, "I would at all events make 'hwa' wash my half of his face."—Bench and Bar.

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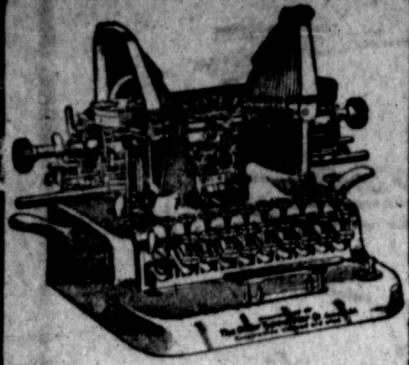
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The Bitter End

In a small village school a teacher asked the scholars in her class to write a sentence, finishing with the two words, "bitter end." One boy wrote, "The Russians had to fight to the bitter end." Another said, "The holiday came to a bitter end." But the sentence that caused an uproar was written by a bright boy of 10, whose name was Tommy, it ran thus: "Our bull pup ran after Murphy's black cat yesterday, and as she was running through the wooden fence, he bitter end."—Exchange.

Conductor Harrington was quite seriously injured by a Mexican passenger Thursday evening. Mr. Harrington was collecting fares after leaving Amarillo and when he reached the Mexican instead of receiving a ticket the greaser pulled out an ordinary pencil from behind his ear and jabbed it entirely through the conductor's jaw. The Mexican was taken in charge by the train crew and returned to Amarillo on the north bound train. Mr. Harrington was compelled to turn the train over to an assistant.—Claude News.

Mrs. W. H. Meador was down from Amarillo and spent Sunday with her parents and relatives.—Hall County Herald.

Miss Lillie Shepard came down from Clarendon and spent Sunday with her brother, B. F. Shepard.—Hall County Herald.

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J. W. Massie has moved back here from Clarendon and will help run the rooms of the Cobb hotel.—Hall County Herald.

Wagon for Sale.

Low wheel wagon, 4-inch tire in good condition, for sale. See V. Tallon, city.

CHOICE MISCELLANY

Why He Was Tired.
A man alighted from a train, and after walking laboriously up the short flight of stairs which led to the waiting room, stopping a few times on the way to rest, he looked round for a place to sit down. His wan, thin face, heavy eyes and general appearance of weakness and dejection attracted attention, and a kind old gentleman accosted the stranger and asked if he could be of any assistance.
"No-o, thanks," the young man drawled out. "I'll get along if I take my time about it."
"Are you ill?"
"No-o, I'm not ill. But I feel as if I were completely done up."
"Been in an accident?"
"No-o, I'm just tired, that's all. Thanks. You may call a hansom for me if you will. Don't believe I could ever walk out to the tramway. I don't mind if you carry my bag. I'm so tired."
"What's the matter with you?"
"Oh, nothing much! I'm just returning from my vacation. I'll be all right in a week or two."—Exchange.

Lazy Mexican Laborers.
There is no more independent person in the world than the Mexican laborer, says an American who has capital invested in that country. Especially is this true of the peon of the tropics. It would seem that he works for Americans who have big plantations to develop more as a matter of accommodation than from necessity. He demands a snug sum in advance, too, on which to have a good time at the "festas" before he settles down to several months of drudgery. No native Indian has to work for white men in the tropics to gain a livelihood. His wants are few, his ambitions are limited to a desire for enough to eat, a thatched hut and a little cotton cloth. The hut he can make for himself. There are fish in the river and game in the forest. There is plenty of unoccupied land upon which he can raise a few cereals to trade for the things he cannot produce himself. There is no winter to provide against, and, though the rainy days come often in summer, they only mean more rest.—New York Tribune.

Rich Los Angeles.
The increase in the city assessment for this year as compared with last year approximates \$62,000,000. The total figure after all the pruning by the board of equalization is about \$285,000,000. The aggregate of deductions by the board is unexpectedly small, being less than \$7,000,000. These figures indicate that Los Angeles is the richest large city in the world per capita. The total assessment is equal to nearly \$1,000 for every inhabitant, or nearly \$5,000 for every family. But that relates to assessed valuation, which averages about one-half the market value. The actual wealth of the city per capita therefore is nearly \$2,000, or \$10,000 per family. And the total wealth largely exceeds \$500,000,000.—Los Angeles Herald.

Dr. Auer's Latest Discovery.
Dr. Auer of Welsbach, the inventor of the incandescent mantle, has just discovered in the metal wolfram a much superior filament to that of carbon used in the type of electric incandescent lamp now in vogue. He claims that the light now obtained from the wolfram lamp is three or four times as brilliant as that given by the ordinary carbon lamp, with the same consumption of electricity, and what is equally important, the life of the new lamp exceeds that of the old one by many hundreds of hours. The development of Dr. Auer's latest discovery seems likely to have a wide influence on the electric lighting world if not indeed to mark a new era.—Westminster Gazette.

Now French Art Treasure.
With the new territories in Siam, France has acquired a magnificent collection of monuments to add to those already possessed in Cambodia and Annam. Among this crowd of edifices attesting the splendor of the ancient civilization of Indo-China the temples of Angkor take their place, like the Parthenon, Luxor and the Tajmahal, among the architectural marvels of the world. Depository of these treasures, France has the duty of preserving them. Still standing after ten centuries of existence, they are threatened by the ravages of time, the climate and by vegetation.—Paris Temps.

Scotland's Ship Canal.
An old plan for a ship canal across the narrowest part of Scotland has been revived and is being pushed by business interests of Edinburgh and Glasgow. Glasgow has one plan for cutting the canal at a cost of \$40,000,000. Edinburgh has another, which is estimated to call for an expenditure of \$85,000,000. Originally it was suggested that the existing Forth and Clyde barge canal should be enlarged and made into a tidal canal, without locks, at a cost of \$70,000,000. As yet the cost has barred progress, but the canal would be of great value to commerce, and it is expected to become a reality in time.

King Edward and Tipping.
In his own house the king has thoughtfully tried to do away as far as possible—it is impossible to do away with it entirely—with tipping, which in the last years has grown to such an outrageous extent that all but rich men find it a tax to accept invitations at country houses. First to one friend, then to another, the king suggested that "tipping boxes" should be put up in their halls, rather than encourage that "promiscuous brigandage" which makes an invitation to a big country house such a terror to many humble mortals.—Grand Magazine.

The Cash Store

MILLINERY.

We have sold many hats to ladies since we reduced prices because of scarcity of money. Now, if you have put off buying your fall hat please come and let Miss Marable show you the bargains in ladies' hats.

LADIES' LONG COATS

Great reductions in prices made.
\$17 50 Ladies' Coats reduced..... \$12 50
12 50 Ladies' Coats reduced..... 10 00
10 00 Ladies' Coats reduced..... 8 00
8 00 Ladies' Coats reduced..... 6 00
6 00 Ladies' Coats reduced..... 5 00
5 00 Misses' Coats reduced..... 4 00
4 00 Childs' Coats reduced..... 3 00
3 00 Childs' Coats reduced..... 2 00

BLANKETS

\$8 00 All Wool Blankets now..... \$6 00
6 00 All Wool Blankets now..... 5 00
5 00 All Wool Blankets now..... 4 00
4 00 Mixed Wool Blankets now..... 3 00
3 00 Mixed Wool Blankets now..... 2 00
2 00 Cotton heavy Blankets now..... 1 50

SCHOOL CRAYON

Box of the best quality Crayon..... 15c
Blackboard Erasers, each..... 10c
School Books in quantities.

SUGAR CURED HAMS

Swift's Premium Hams, pound only..... 16c
Armour's Star Hams, pound only..... 16c
Webster's Sweet Pickle Cured Meat for breakfast, very appetizing, pound..... 20c

GUN SHELLS

Bird, duck, turkey, chicken loads box 50c

LARD CANS

3 sizes for little and big hogs.

STOVE BOILERS

Copper bottom, size 8 for..... \$1 25
Galvanized flat bottom for..... 1 00

PATENT OIL CANS

Patent pump, no waste, no mess, will not run over lamp, can fill lamp in the dark without waste, economical for..... \$1 50

STOVE PIPE

Good iron, 6 inch, joint..... 15c
Elbows, 6 inch, joint..... 15c

DOLLS

The Doll family is complete. Handsome dolls, well dressed. Talking dolls, sleeping dolls, kid dolls, jointed dolls, bisque dolls, china dolls.

SILKS

A nice line of good values, 36 inches wide, changeable colors, yard..... \$1 00

MEN'S CLOTHES

Stylish cut, made to wear, only..... \$12 50

CHILDS' SUITS

2-piece Suit, Worsted or Wool, for \$2 00

FLOUR

Gold Medal high patent for..... \$2 60

T. R. Garrett Co.

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Nat P. Shaw returned Saturday night from Seymour where he spent a few days on business. He says that the prohibition elections in Wichita and Baylor counties will probably result in a victory for the pros, although a strong fight will be put up by the antis at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Robt. Preston of Clarendon visited her sister, Mrs. H. Calvert, here several days this week.—Hall County Herald.

The Clarendon Cafe

The Clarendon Cafe Now Open.

We are now ready for business with the swellest Cafe ever seen in the city. Call and give us a trial. We wish to establish cordial relations with the ladies of the city, and to show all that this is a resort for ladies and gentlemen. We cater to the best class of trade only. Call and look over our menu. We guarantee to please you in every detail.

AT THE CLARENDON BAKERY—Phone 29.

J. F. TAX, Proprietor

Do you need a typewriter ribbon? Get it of the Banner-Stockman.

Patronize the Clarendon Cafe, at the Bakery. The only really first-class cafe the city has ever had.

"Iron Clad" Hosiery for school boys and girls will stand wear and tear. Costs you no more than the kind that don't wear. Ask for Iron Clad. The Martin-Bennett Company. tf

The F.-McK. brand of shirts sold exclusively by us in Clarendon are the best made for the money, better in style and quality than other brands that will cost you more. New patterns now showing. The Martin-Bennett Company. tf

The Clarendon Cafe, at the Bakery, caters to the very best class of trade only. Ladies and gentlemen can visit this cafe with the assurance that they will secure not only the best of service but also in a manner to command their respect and cause them to come again. We desire a chance to serve you. J. F. Tax, prop. tf

For skirts, suits or coats made to measure Clarendon ladies should give their orders to Mrs. E. H. Decker. She represents Chas. H. Stevens Co. She will appreciate your patronage. See her at her home, the McMahan house on West First street. tf

Lodge Directory.

Panhandle Lodge, No. 99, Knights of Pythias, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend the lodge. C. C. Powell, C. C.; H. W. Kelley, K. of R. & S.
Pythian Sisters—Panhandle Temple No. 58, meets each first and third Monday night at the new Pythian Hall. Mrs. H. C. Brumley, M. R. C.; Mrs. John M. Clower, M. of R. & C.
Clarendon Lodge No. 700, A. F. & A. M., meets regularly the second Friday night in each month. Geo. F. Morgan, W. M.; C. W. Bennett, Secretary.
Clarendon Chapter No. 216, R. A. M., meets regularly the first Friday night in each month. J. W. Morrison, H. P.; Wade Willis, Secretary.
Woodbine Camp, No. 476, W. O. W., meets every Friday night; visiting choppers welcome. D. C. Sullivan, C. C.; J. J. Alexander, Clerk.
Clarendon Chapter No. 6, O. E. S., meets first and third Thursday nights each month. Mrs. Bettie Kelley, W. M.; Mrs. Lee Patterson, Secretary.
Clarendon Lodge No. 381, I. O. O. F., meets Monday night of each week. J. J. Alexander, N. G.; J. T. Patman, Secretary.
Clarendon Camp No. 12,423, M. W. A., meets every Tuesday night at the Woodman hall. Chas. L. McCrac, V. C.; J. H. Gibson, clerk.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stockett, 702 Grant street, on the 17th, a son. The head of the family reports that the young man is learning to give an imitation of the whistle on his father's engine and that he gives every promise of becoming one of the best engineers in the Santa Fe service.—Amarillo Panhandle.

Engineer Ed. Collins who pulls passenger on the north end, is building a large residence in the north part of the city and will move his family from Amarillo to Childress. The residence will be one of the handsomest in the city.—Childress Index.

Rathjens' are headquarters for school shoes. tf

Don't get for to leave your money for your laundry at home or we will forget to leave your laundry. Panhandle Steam Laundry.

Call and see that new line of fine imported china at Clower's. Just the thing for presents. If you can't do better you might make yourself a present of a few pieces. tf

All good shoes at Rathjen's.

Clarendon Sale and Wagon Yard.

will open up for business Nov. 23rd. Horses and mules for sale. We will keep a car of mules for sale at all times. J. D. McClellan, Managar. 5-4t

You Can See Through Ours.

When you replace those cracked or broken window panes use clear, perfect glass. Stocking's store sells this kind only. tf

The best wagon is the "New Stoughton." Connally has it.

Leave your laundry money at home. Panhandle Steam Laundry.

Does your baby nurse a bottle? If so go to Connally and get an alcohol stove. One minute to heat it—(not the baby but the food.)

Laundry work cash. Your bundle will not be delivered with the provision that we hunt you up. If you want your laundry leave the cash. Panhandle Steam Laundry.

Try "Mother's Bread" at the Clarendon Bakery. tf

For Rent.

A 4-room house just across the street from public school building. G. S. PATTERSON.

See the Xmas candy at the Bakery. tf

Thanksgiving

IS OVER



Christmas

Is Coming

MY STORE WILL MANY PRETTY AND USEFUL HOLIDAY GIFTS.

Mrs. A. M. Beville

"The Milliner and Ladies Furnisher"