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VIRDEN AGAIN MAKES GOOD

Popular Comedian with a Strong Company Delights Clarendon People in a Week's Stand

Lew Virden with his merry Wizard of Wall Street Company has been holding the boards at the Clarendon opera house this week in a repertoire of plays which have, without exception, delighted the large and critical audiences which have assembled each night. Lew "made good" here last fall with "The Wizard of Wall Street," again, last month, in a return engagement of the same play he broke the house record in receipts for one performance of a play; and this week he has again "made good" in repertoire.

Monday night "The Castaway," a story of the sea, was presented. Tuesday night the audience held its sides and wept with mirth while "A Domestic Blizzard" raged upon the stage; people laughed who hadn't cracked a smile in years. Wednesday night saw a first-class presentation of that old favorite melo-dramatic production, "A Duel of Hearts," wherein the villain stirred to deepest wrath the hearts of the spectators, while they wept in sympathy for the beautiful heroine, etc., ad lib. Thursday night brought with

it another whirlwind of fun in "The Champion Liar," which as a comedy production has few equals. Tonight the company will be seen in "Faust," and so great is the confidence of the show-going public in Mr. Virden that the house is going to be crowded to its capacity by people eager to see a dramatic presentation of extraordinary merit. Mr. Virden guarantees that tonight's bill will give satisfaction, and that Mr. Berger as Mephisto will be found the equal of any other actor who has ever essayed the part, Morrison alone excepted. Those who have been attending regularly are convinced that Miss Jane Morgan will make a beautiful Marguerite. A piece of the depth of "Faust" has never before been attempted in Clarendon, and lovers of the drama should not fail to get seats for tonight's performance.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 a special matinee for ladies and children will be given. The house will be darkened and all the night effects obtained. The bill will be exceptionally appropriate for the occasion, and the price will be reduced to 10 cents for children and 25 cents for grown-ups. Tomorrow night that excruciatingly funny bill, "Are You an Elk?" will be presented. "If it hurts you to laugh, stay away." In all the bills so far presented the entire company has shown striking ability. Miss Gertie Dunlap (who, by the way,

is Mrs. Virden) is the brightest bit of femininity ever seen on the local stage. Miss Jane Morgan, besides being a beautiful woman is an actress—every inch an actress. Mr. C. Rae Berger is exceptionally strong in whatever role he essays. Mr. Frank Roberts and Miss Pearl McCrae have been added to the company since their last appearance here, and they fit in with the balance of the company as naturally and gracefully as any manager could wish. Mr. Harry Roberts is also a splendid actor, and adds materially to the strength of every cast. But it cannot be denied that so far as the Clarendon public is concerned Lew Virden himself is the attraction, dividing the honors with his wife. No matter in what part he is found he is warmly greeted at each performance. Besides ability he carries with him a personality which takes him right to the hearts of his audience. The specialty work of himself and wife is an exceptionally pleasing feature of the engagement.

The company will play next week in Childress and we can heartily recommend them to the people of that city.

The postoffice has been granted for the new town of Hedley, so we are informed, and Mr. Ramsey will be postmaster. Just when mail will be exchanged at that point is not yet stated.

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H. B. Nelson was here from his ranch in Collingsworth county Monday. He was on his way to Amarillo on business. He reports everything in fine shape at the ranch, with a loss of only six cows out of about 900. Calves are coming rapidly, and the prospects are good for a heavy crop. Hunter reports his brother, Dr. C. H., formerly a dentist and merchant of this city, as having contracted tuberculosis while following the profession of dentistry down in the Pecos Valley of New Mexico, and as having been at one time very low, though now seemingly on the high road to recovery. The doctor has many friends in Clarendon who will join us in wishing for him a rapid-return to robust health.

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By Byron Williams.



Over the hills and far away
Is the land of the summer weather;
Down in the vale, where the shadows
play,
Is my heart on a silken tether.

Over the hills, beyond the pines,
Is the maid of my passion's longing;
There 'midst the roses and columbines,
Is the spot where my thoughts go
throbbing.

Over the hills, beside the sea,
Where the waves are a-froth with
scolding.

There is the one in the world for me,
Is the one that my heart is holding.

Over the hills of crested gold
She dwells 'mong the bees and clover;
There is my queen in a garden old
With Eros, the god, the rover!

Over the hills I haste away,
Where my heart, on a silken tether,
Follows my queen through the live-long
day.

Is the land of the summer weather!

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There is a young banker at Murdo who is 21 years old and his wife 17. The other day she presented him with twins and the doctor who was present upon the occasion said on taking his departure that he hoped all four of the children would get along well.—White Lake (S. D.) Wave.

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Needs Help.

It is brought to the attention of the Banner-Stockman that the Ladies' Cemetery Association is in need of funds to enable them to carry out plans for the improvement and beautifying of the Citizens cemetery. The ladies want to keep a man employed throughout the summer at the cemetery, and there will be found plenty of work for such a janitor. The weeds and grass should be kept mowed, the trees and shrubbery cultivated and watered when necessary, the windmill kept in repair, and many other things attended to. With the funds at hand the association will not be able to do this, besides the windmill is broken and needs about \$15 worth of repairs right now. It is suggested that those interested in this cemetery by reason of the fact that they have friends or relatives buried therein, at once contribute something to the support of this work. Contributions in any amount from one dollar up will be of great aid and will be gladly accepted by the ladies. Such contributions can be made through the Banner-Stockman or the Citizens Bank, if desired.

Do Not Crowd the Season.

The first warm days of spring bring with them a desire to get out and enjoy the exhilarating air and sunshine. Children that have been housed up all winter are brought out and you wonder where they all came from! The heavy winter clothing is thrown aside and many shed their flannels. Then a cold wave comes and people say that grip is epidemic. Colds at this season are even more dangerous than in mid-winter, as there is much more danger of pneumonia. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, however, and you will have nothing to fear. It always cures, and we have never known a cold to result in pneumonia when it was used. It is pleasant and safe to take. Children like it. For sale by all druggists.

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The piano tuner from Trinidad, Colo., who has been visiting Clarendon for the past six years, is again in town, and can be found at Hotel Denver for the next two weeks. Don't miss this opportunity to have your pianos put in first-class condition by an expert. Phone orders to Hotel Denver. 2t

Rags Wanted.

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Roy Stocking was here Saturday, having stopped over a day to see his parents. Roy was on his way from Roswell to Dallas, where he went to be married on the 4th inst. to Miss Elise Coulter, formerly an exceptionally pretty and popular Clarendon girl. After the wedding Roy and his bride were to start immediately for Petaluma, Cal., where they will make their home. The editor numbers among his personal friends no finer young man than Roy Stocking, and we are indeed sincere in extending to him and his bride our best wishes for all of joy and success that may be found in life.

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OLD TIMES IN CLARENDON

A Clarendon Editor of Long Ago Tells Tales of Early Days When he Was a "Booster."

We take the following article from the Daily Panhandle of Amarillo, and agree with the editor of that sheet in his disagreement with the writer of the story. It is a case of two editors agreeing to disagree with a third pencil pusher. That the Panhandle is rapidly coming into its own, no person who is in anywise posted as to conditions, doubts for a minute, and the Rockwall editor should take a trip up into this country just to note the difference between the Panhandle of the present and the old Panhandle of his day. Mr. Kenyon conducted a newspaper in Clarendon in the old days when beer checks were legal tender as printer's wages and might often be found in the contribution plate at church; when the only source of revenue for anyone was that derived from the cattle business and the salaries of the railroad men who lived here. He writes of the great changes time has wrought, but even as he writes he cannot begin to realize the extent of these changes. However, his article will be of great interest to all the old-timers, and we present it for what it is worth:

In the Rockdale Reporter, published in Milam county, Texas, the editor and proprietor, Mr. W. K. Kenyon, who was in the '80's editor of a paper in Clarendon, tells of his experiences and those of his friends in this city and the Panhandle country, which reads like fairy stories to those of us who are on the ground at the present time. Kenyon was a pioneer and like most of the pioneers in a new country, moved on, and this is his story. He predicts that the drouths will return and that all of us will hit the trail for the black lands or other portions of Texas or other states sooner or later. While we are interested in Bro. Kenyon's story of the early days of journalism in the Panhandle, yet we do not agree with him as to the future of the Panhandle, for we believe that the turning of the native sod, and cultivation of the soil of the vast plains, changes the climate, as it did in Nebraska and

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Kansas and that the prosperous years we are having now, are just the beginning of what this country will experience in the near future. However here is Brother Kenyon's letter:

"Our old friend R. F. Cates is making a newsy paper of the Bartlett Tribune. Long in the '80's Cates and the writer did some pioneer newspaper work in the Panhandle of Texas. When out there we called it God's own country, but it got drier and the grass got shorter as the years went by and Cates, who was located at the windy city of Amarillo, the metropolis of the staked plains, the home of the H's, Hollicut, Hardwick and Holland, was not so fortunate as the writer, as we were located in the beautiful city of Clarendon.

Seasons were more propitious and we enjoyed a prosperous season of about five years. Cates left earlier. His town went kerflunk and he came to a country that does not need to be boosted by everyone. After Cates left Amarillo, Hardwick, the prince of hotel men, gave up the Amarillo Inn and went to Ft. Worth. Holland left for other pastures, but we believe big headed Hollicut remained for some time boss of the X. I. T. ranch. After that time there was little to attract people to Amarillo. Bats were the principal guests at the Amarillo Inn 'till the seasons returned in 1896, since then that town has resumed its proud place as mistress of the plains. Clarendon was a peach. Being the division point of the Denver road, we never dried up, but we did get a little parched long in '96. Clarendon, once a gambler's paradise, is quite a different town now. Then it was an all-night town. Three saloons, whose doors had no shutters, were in full blast 365 days in the year. For several years the usual layout of gambling paraphernalia was located in the back end, or a sideroom of each saloon.

There existed a sort of rivalry between the two proprietors of the leading resorts, Jim Cain and Frank Borchers. Each furnished his place in elegant style, and the brands of goods handed across the bar were the best. Clarendon was then a city of churches. Everybody then and now, living in the Panhandle towns, were boomers, and Clarendon boasted of more churches and finer saloons than any town of its size in Texas. But the town has changed, some, we are told. It commenced long about 1894 when W. R. Butler, (now of Temple) was county attorney. He made the saloon men move their gambling devices out of their buildings. He waged a warfare on gamblers so relentlessly that most of the fraternity skidoed. She was a live town then. Lots of good people there. Al Gentry, of the Tennessee stock, was sheriff. He was succeeded by Charley Beverly, one of the whitest boys that ever lived. There was Billy Grigsby, an old Quantrell man, and Phil Omahondra, a brilliant boy from old Virginia. Tom Martindale was county and district clerk, and he seemed to have the job cinched until Bill Cooke entered the race.

Clarendon was the home of honest Jim Browning, ex-lieutenant governor and now district judge of the Amarillo district. Judge H. H. Wallace was district judge then and Capt. B.H. White county judge, and it was concluded that these two were the peers of any judicial officers in that great country. Then there was old Buck Ramsey and the railroad boys who made headquarters at his store. Big Fred Dewey, Billy O'Brien, the engine man, Jeff Trent and scores

of others, and Morris Rosenfield, the dry goods man. Most of them gone, like ourselves, to pastures greener where the grass grows taller. But some of them are still there. A. M. Beville, the political fighter, who was the only Democratic postmaster the town ever had, is still there.

The town is not what she once was. The railroad shop has been moved to Childress and instead of a railroad town, it is now a college town. The Baptists, Methodists and Roman Catholics each have prosperous colleges located in beautiful Clarendon under the plains. The huge cattle ranches have been encroached upon by the man with the hoe and it is now as we told the people it was then, a great agricultural country, and is blooming as the rose.

I wonder if Cates ever thinks of the lies that we told about the great country we were booming? Well, don't fret, they were not all lies, as some predictions are coming true and the land we could have bought for \$1 bonus per acre, had we bought enough of it and held it until now, we would have been in the swim. Those boys are still at it, however, and are telling the same old stories we used to tell then, and are inducing some of the good citizens here to sell their rich black land and locate in that same "God's country." But we know another thing. There will be a time coming when the seven years' drouth will hit them as it did us and they will hit the road for the great black land belt again."

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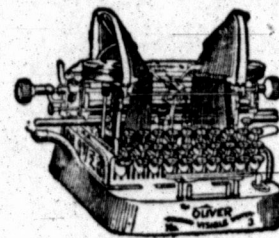
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Chas. L. McCrae

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SENATOR VEALE'S bill to allow the Southern Kansas Railway to abandon the track from Panhandle to Washburn and build from Panhandle to Amarillo has been passed by the Senate by a decisive vote.

If the college isn't worth anything to you, or rather, if that's the way you figure it out, then don't give anything. But if it's worth five, ten or twenty-five per cent commission on its work for you, why, old man, its up to you to pay your obligation. Honest, now, isn't that right?

DON'T worry about what the other fellow is going to give, or how much it will be necessary for him to give in order that Clarendon may raise the \$50,000. Just keep your mind on your own individual donation; figure it out carefully and give what you conscientiously can, and it will all come out right.

THE man who says Clarendon cannot raise \$50,000 without financially embarrassing the town doesn't look at the matter from the proper view point. Leave out of consideration the matter of the sum total and confine your attention to the individual donation, then figure from that basis. It isn't a question with you whether or not the town can give it, so much as it is, "how much can I give without embarrassing my financial standing?"

Now that the Bailey fuss is over the "organs" to each side of the controversy, led on the one side by the Dallas News and on the other by the Ft. Worth Record, are patting themselves on the back with a great deal of complacency and telling their readers what good fellows they are, and blowing somewhat concerning the mighty "stand-in" they have created for themselves with the people. The truth of the matter is, the people are tired of the whole thing and none of the partisan papers (and they all were more or less that way) have made any more friends than they have enemies in the controversy. Not a single unbiased report of the Bailey proceedings was made by any daily paper that we have seen.

Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Clarendon College \$50,000 Club failed to materialize Tuesday. A few of "the faithful" were present but not enough to make a quorum. Our business people should not let their interest flag in this matter. If the Club is to be successful regular meetings must be had. Mr. Wilson reports the following as being the donations to the college fund to date:

Previously reported	\$14,121.00
J. W. Morrison	750.00
Clarendon Lumber Co.	500.00
C. L. Young	100.00
E. W. Bromley	100.00
D. C. Priddy	25.00
O'Neill Hardware Co.	25.00
Bryan & Land	25.00
Dr. Wm. H. Cooke	25.00
J. L. Scarborough	10.00
Dr. P. F. Gould	10.00
T. E. Phillips	5.00
Total	\$15,66.900

The Public School

The Senior class in the high school will meet and elect class representatives Friday. They will make other arrangements as to the closing of school.

Mary Grundy is a new pupil in the seventh grade room. Eud, her sister, is in the sixth grade.

The teacher of the ninth grade geometry class reports very enthusiastic study. The class is an excellent one for beginners.

Ollie Stockett has withdrawn from school to move to New Mexico.

Horace Burdett is greatly missed as janitor this week. He is on the sick list.

Miss Stevens has begun a series of examinations in history and geography. The work is very good and the papers are neat.

Prof. Silvey has been making short talks to the various rooms of the school this week. His subject has been "Personal Neatness." Pupils should be taught the habit of giving attention to their personal appearance as well as study.

Estil Morgan, who has been out of school with an attack of pneumonia, is expected re-enter Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Albert J. Caldwell died at her home in Amarillo Tuesday. She was formerly a Miss Mitchell, of Claude, and was married to Dr. Caldwell three years ago. Clarendon holds many good friends of Dr. Caldwell who will we are sure join us in extending to him a deep personal sympathy in his sad bereavement.

Lewis Chesher, wife and daughter, Miss Evelyn, of Benjamin, are here visiting the family of Dr. T. E. Standifer. Mrs. Chesher is a niece of the doctor.

The price of my 6-inch cement blocks will figure a bill for a residence at just about the same price as lumber. Get prices from J. W. McCurry.

H. P. Jones, representing the Philip Carey Mfg. Co., of Dallas, is in the city, and has landed the contract for roofing the new Carroll & McDaniel building.

New watches, new rings, new pins, new goods of every sort at Clower's, and more coming every day.

See the 6-inch concrete block I make; it is better and cheaper than any man's brick.

You will make money by buying your groceries from us.

Try McCurry & Austin for concrete stone; back of Baptist church.

The Misses Willis, of Memphis, visited their parents in Clarendon Sunday.

PIGS MILKING COWS.

The Farmer Tells of Wonders That Beat the City Man.

"Strange things happen in the city," said the pallid boarder.

"Strange things happen in the country, too, be gum," the farmer interrupted.

The city man, rocking on the porch in the twilight over his cheap cigar, had had the floor for half an hour. Now, it was the farmer's turn.

"Strange things, rather," the old man resumed. "Milkin', frinstance, O' course ye've heerd o' snakes milkin' cows, hangin' and danglin' from under, while the cows, skairt, cavorted all over the kentry? O' course, ye've heerd o' that, but did ye ever hear, Mr. Clay, o' pigs milkin' cows?"

"No, can't say as I have," the other answered languidly.

"It's bin done," said the farmer. "It's bin done to me, gosh dast it. It wuz done only last month. My black an' tan sow guv birth to a litter o' nine pigs, an', blast my buttons if them pigs, as soon as they got to be a month or two old, wouldn't milk my cows regular."

"At noon, when the cows laid down in the shade, the little pigs would come up an' drink all their milk. The cows didn't mind. The milk was no good to them, so o' course, they didn't keer who got it."

PANHANDLE CAMPMEETING

The Christian Denomination Will Hold Their Annual Campmeeting in Clarendon This year.

The Banner-Stockman announced several weeks ago that the annual Panhandle campmeeting of the Christian church would be held in Clarendon this year. Arrangements for same are progressing satisfactorily, and the meeting will begin about the first of August and will continue for several weeks. Evangelist John Marshall will conduct the revival, and he will have a singer with him to take charge of the song service. Committees have been appointed as follows:

Central committee:—E. Dubbs, chairman; L. K. Egerton, C. C. Bearden, John Beverly, N. N. Martin, Lloyd Blackwell. This committee will elect a secretary and treasurer.

Finance committee—Mrs. Bearden, Mrs. Dubbs.

Entertainment committee—Mrs. Williams, chairman; Mrs. Carroll, Miss Iva Martin, Mrs. John Beverly.

Advertising committee—John C. Mason, E. Dubbs, C. C. Bearden.

Tent committee—J. C. Mason, J. W. McCurry, W. J. Berry.

CRYING SHELLS OF CEYLON.

Sounds They Make Like the Notes of an Aeolian Harp.

Sir J. Emerson Tennent, having heard a story about musical sounds issuing from the lake at Batticaloa, in Ceylon, paid a visit to the place, says Chambers' Journal. The fishermen told him that the sounds, which resembled the faint sweet notes of an aeolian harp, were heard only at night and during the dry season, were most distinct when the moon was nearest the full, and proceeded, they believed, not from a fish, but from a shell called the "crying shell."

"In the evening," says Tennent, "when the moon rose I took a boat and accompanied the fishermen to the spot. We rowed about 200 yards northeast of the jetty by the fort gate; there was not a breath of wind or a ripple except those caused by the dip of our oars. On coming to the point mentioned I distinctly heard the sounds in question. They came up from the water like the gentle thrills of a musical chord, or the faint vibrations of a wineglass when its rim is rubbed by a moistened finger. It was not one sustained note, but a multitude of tiny sounds, each clear and distinct in itself; the sweetest treble mingling with the lowest bass.

"On applying the ear to the wood-work of the boat the vibration was greatly increased in volume. The sounds varied considerably at different points as we moved across the lake, as if the number of the animals from which they proceeded was greatest in particular spots, and occasionally we rowed out of hearing of them altogether, until on returning to the original locality the sounds were at once renewed. This fact seems to indicate that the causes of the sounds, whatever they may be, are stationary at several points, and this agrees with the statement of the natives that they are produced by mollusca and not by fish.

"They came evidently and sensibly from the depth of the lake, and there was nothing in the surrounding circumstances to support the conjecture that they could be the reverberation of noises made by insects on the shore conveyed along the surface of the water, for they were loudest and most distinct at points where the nature of the land and the intervention of the fort and its building forbade the possibility of this kind of conduction."

Lost.

A small black silk coat by Thelma Reeves; either left at Baptist church or public school. A liberal reward will be paid any person finding it. J. H. REEVES.

Ladies, men and children will find the Rathgen shoes the best and most comfortable.

The brick foundation under P. A. Buntin's house has rotted away and McCurry is replacing it with cement blocks. Nuff sed.

EARLY SPRING ATTRACTIONS

We are showing an unusually pretty line of light weight plaid and checked Mohairs in the popular shades of greys and tans, with trimmings to match. Our first order of Silks are in and they are beauties.

FANCY SUITINGS AND WAISTINGS

60C TO \$1.25 PER YARD

We this week opened up a shipment of Val. and Torchon Laces direct from a New York importer. Prices and styles all right. We will be constantly getting in new goods for the next two weeks. Our line of Oxfords and Slippers will be most attractive. Wait for them.

THE MARTIN-BENNETT CO.



If you wish your poultry to look well, have good health and produce a bountiful crop of hen fruit, feed them on green bone chopped fresh and cheap by

The Cold Storage Market

Have You Seen My Flowers?

I have entirely remodeled my greenhouse, and now have a full stock of all kinds of potted plants. Positively the best selection I have ever had. I can fill almost any order, and invite the patronage of the general public. Call and see my flowers. You can find anything you want. Cut flowers always on hand.

Mrs. G. C. Hartman, Clarendon, Texas

Ready for Business

The undersigned have bought the stock of groceries and men's furnishing goods from Williams Bros. Invoicing has been completed and the store is again open for business.

It is the intention of the new firm to conduct the business along the lines laid down by Messrs. Williams: i. e.—Buy and sell strictly for CASH. It has been demonstrated that this system is the most satisfactory to all concerned, also that there is a saving to the customers of the cash store. With no expenses pertaining to a credit business there should be a saving to the store, which in turn should divide the saving with the customer. This we expect to do. We shall endeavor to carry a first-class, complete stock of the best qualities of goods, and on assuming business relations with the people of Clarendon we wish to enlist your friendship and patronage, promising to treat one and all alike and in the best possible manner.

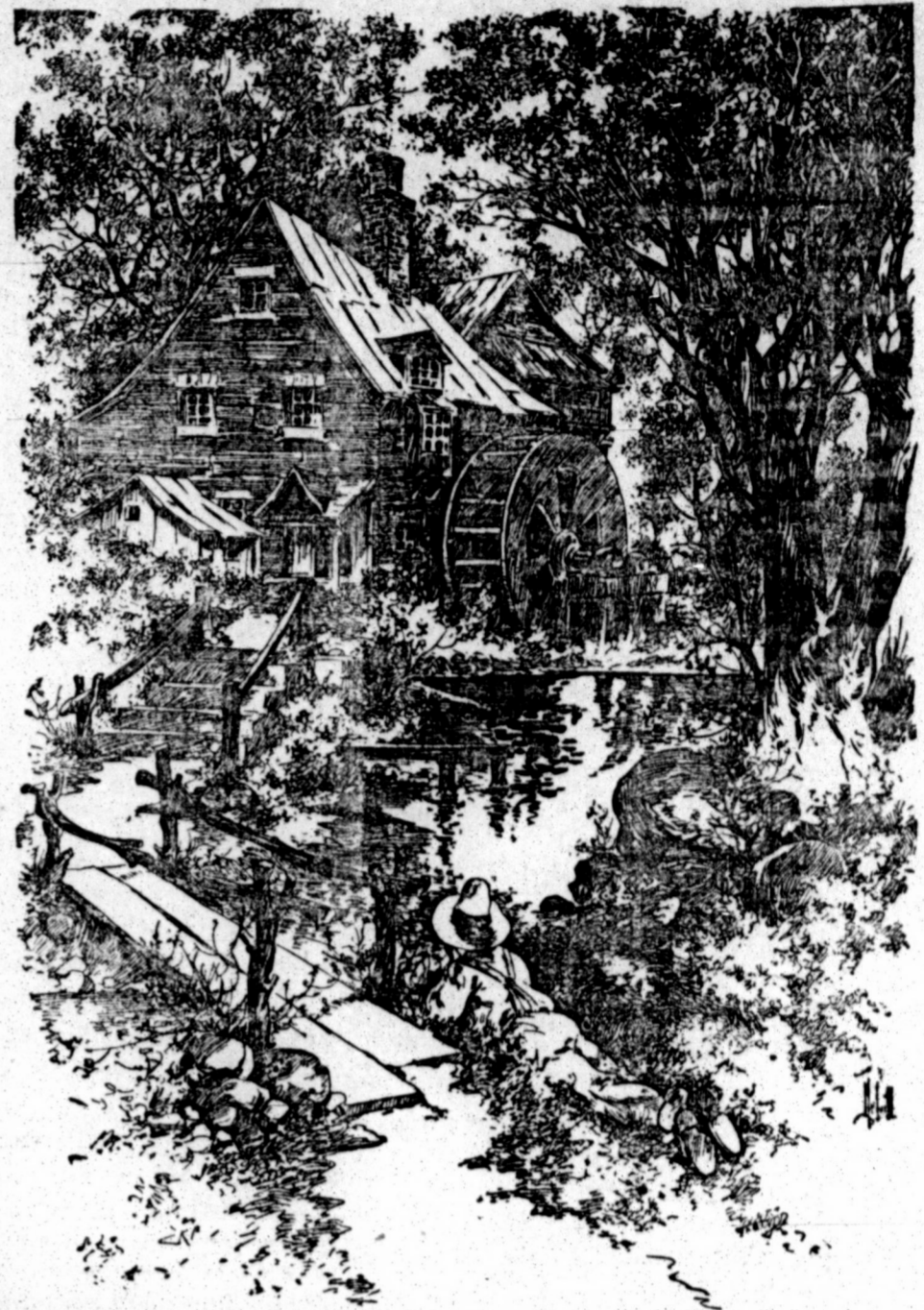
Call and see us, just any old time, whether you want to buy or not.
Yours truly,

Barnett, Smith & Thornton

The Grocers and Furnishers

RIPLEY'S BILL

By Byron Williams.



"Stranger, did ye ever hear a' Bill?
Him as lived at Ripley's mill,
Way off yonder, daown th' crick,
Where th' waters, ca'm an' slick,
Sort o' git the'r dander riled
An' push on'ards till they'r plied
In a heap o' suds an' lace
At th' bottom o' the race?"

"Bill, he was O' Ripley's son—
Sternerst man alive, by gun!
Madder than a hornet's nest
When young Bill he seemed possessed
Just t' write about them trees,
Honeysuckles, birds an' bees!
Larruped Bill and swore he'd see
If from him there'd ever be
One o' them there dum' galoots
Writin' how th' ruffles shoots,
An' th' billers whispers low
T' th' willers as they flow!
"Wanted Bill t' tend th' place
"Stead a' writin' o' th' race.
"Er by the eternal sin,
Never show his face ag'in!"

"Sort o' filled up like an' blurred,
Bill he never said a word!
Kissed his ma a sad good-bye—
Fourteen years ago—er night!
"O' man sorter failed some way,
Ever since that autumn day
When th' woods was full o' gold;
An' the crick 'd seemed to scold

Every time he hearn it run—
Fer th' trick he'd played his son!
"On't they heard that Bill was dead!
O' Cy Mack he 'lowed he'd read,
On his way to County Cork,
All about it in N' York!

"Then they hearn it wasn't so,
But that Bill 'd made it go,
An' was writin' things—an' books
Full o' country folks an' brooks!
An' one day a paper come
Puffin' Bill up big, with some
O' his writin's pic-chured fine,
With a lot o' sprays and vine
Windin' round his photygraft!
Made me cry—an' then I laft,
Fer I see O' Ripley's mill
In this stuff 'twas writ by Bill.

"Now I hearn that they've fergiv'
Bill's no more a fug-y-tive!
Welcome home now any time,
"Spite o' his galootin' rhyme!
"Ripley's telegraft to Bill,
Hardly wants t' wait until
Fastest train across th' state
Brings his boy at lightnin' rate!
"Now ye know about th'—What!
Suffrin' Moses, I'll be swart!
You want never Ripley's Bill?
Well I'm dinged! By gosh! By hent
But you've growed like sin since
then!"

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DRIVES MEN INSANE.

Mysterious Problems in Nature Which
Have Wrecked Many Minds.

A scientist who has been traveling in Africa in search of an answer to some questions concerning rainfall gives as his opinion that the expression of imperturbable calm on the face of the Sphinx arises from the fact that she has never tried to find the answers to the riddles of nature, which have sent many men to their graves.

What is gravity? is one of them. Hundreds of men have gone insane trying to answer it, says the Chicago Chronicle. Some, in fact, have gone so far as to try to disprove the theory entirely. An English naval captain wrote a book on this subject and sent it to all the learned societies in Europe.

Why cannot force be created by human power? Trying to accomplish this has hastened the end of many a worthy man. Perpetual motion will be an accomplished fact if we can discover how force is made. Keeley, with his motor, who claimed to have discovered perpetual motion, was a swindler, whose death revealed his ingenious counterfeit of perpetual motion. If this discovery could be made it would revolutionize the world.

What source of heat supply has the planet Mars? This is another riddle. Our earth gets much more heat from the sun than does Mars, yet that planet has a beautifully mild climate. Astronomers have watched the ice cap thawing on Mars, and they have proved that water flows and clouds rise. This shows that Mars has heat. But if not supplied by the sun, from what source does it come?

Where the tide is born is another of nature's secrets. On the island of Papete, in the southern Pacific, there is every day at 12 midday and two in the afternoon high tide. Why, no one is able to explain. A scientist has been able to turn gold into silver, but no one so far has been able to make a magnet which will attract gold. Could this be accomplished its enormous value could scarcely be realized, for it would make it possible to work rock from which no known process has been able to attract gold in paying quantities.

Mrs. P. J. Smith, of Goodnight, who has been so seriously ill the past few weeks, is reported as being no better.

You Wouldn't Believe Me

If I should tell you that you can obtain as good and in some cases better photographic work right here at home as you can in large cities. I have an ax to grind when I make the assertion and you know it. However, just to satisfy your curiosity, get a city picture, put a MULKEY photo by its side and see for yourself. Isn't this fair enough?

H. MULKEY Photographer.

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Some of the following goods. They will please you.

A Worth Hat, an International Shirt and Collar, a Suit of Finck's Detroit Special Overalls, the best made.

Our line of Notions, Ties and Suspenders is complete and of first quality. But if it is something to eat and drink remember our Soda Fountain and Confectionery can supply both.

Yours to please.

W. H. THOMPSON

The Banner-Stockman is the Best.

Business for Sale.

The general merchandise business of P. J. Smith & Sons, at Goodnight, is offered for sale. Parties looking for a first-class business opportunity will do well to investigate this. Stock will invoice about \$4200. Good trade territory and splendid line of patronage. Postoffice goes with the business. Call on or address P. J. Smith, Goodnight, Texas, or M. P. Smith, Clarendon, Texas.

For Sale.

One good young horse; one Bradley lister and planter; one milk cow; a few bushels yam seed potatoes. Can be seen at my residence. G. S. PATTERSON.

Barred Rock Eggs.

Mrs. C. C. Bearden of this city will sell you eggs from pure bred Barred Plymouth Rocks at \$1.00 per setting of 15. 20-4t

Joe M. Barnhart, of Childress, and F. R. Friend, of Bartlett, were here yesterday, the latter prospecting and both visiting with their old friends, the Powells.

There will be preaching at the Christian church Sunday morning and night. You will find a hearty welcome.

Forest and Stream. The American Journal of Outdoor Life.

For more than 30 years "Forest & Stream" has sustained the reputation of being the foremost American Weekly journal of outdoor life. Its purpose is to stimulate the enthusiasm of the love of nature. To the hunter, the naturalist, the connoisseur, the fisherman, the camper, the yachtsman, the lover of any outdoor recreative life, it not only reflects the purity and charm of nature, but is reminiscent of pleasures past and of those to come.

We have made our arrangements whereby our readers can subscribe to "Forest and Stream" on a basis heretofore unavailable. The regular price of "Forest and Stream" is \$3.00 a year. Those of our readers who are not present subscribers to "Forest and Stream" may procure a year's subscription to this popular national weekly journal of outdoor life, together with a year's subscription to the Banner-Stockman, both for \$3.25. Address all orders to Banner-Stockman, Clarendon, Texas.

How to Remain Young.

To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan of McDonough, Ga., did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically twenty years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store." Guaranteed at Dr. J. D. Stocking's Drug Store. Price 50c.

JOE BAILEY NOT GUILTY

Summary of the Findings of the Legislative Investigating Committee as Given in Report.

We find that in the very many business transactions of Senator Bailey, as a lawyer and otherwise, investigated by this committee, that the same in no way interfered with his public duties, and that he at no time sacrificed his public duties in order to attend to his private business affairs; that these many transactions investigated by the committee at no time, directly or indirectly, influenced Senator Bailey in his vote or act in the discharge of his public duties.

We find that Senator Bailey never had any knowledge that the Standard Oil company, directly or indirectly, owned any of the stock of the Waters-Pierce Oil company until the disclosures in what is known in the record as the "Missouri case," since which time he has had no business for or with H. C. Pierce, except in the Tennessee Construction company, and that was then on hand. That during the administration of Attorney General Bell, when suit was instituted against the Waters-Pierce Oil company, Senator Bailey tendered his services to the attorney general to assist in the prosecution of said company if it was defying or disobeying the laws of Texas, and that he tendered his service to Attorney General Davidson in the summer of 1906 if any suit was contemplated against said company, and later on his testimony to show what representations were made to him at the time the compromise of the ouster judgment was originally sought in the state of Texas.

1. That the finding of fact therein reported be adopted as the findings of the house of representatives on the testimony heard by your committee and heretofore in substance published in the daily press of the state.

2. That said findings entitle Senator Bailey to the future findings that he is not guilty of the charges preferred against him, and he is hereby exonerated therefrom.

3. That this committee be continued for settling such claims and indebtedness as have arisen out of the discharge of their duty, and such other matters as may require their attention.

H. A. O'NEAL,
T. D. COBBS,
J. A. PATTON,
J. A. L. WOLFE,
Committee.

Mrs. Thos. S. Bugbee is at Mineral Wells.

Mrs. James Trent left this week for Mineral Wells where she will spend a few weeks.

A rural scribe asks: "Would you rather hear it reindeer than to hear a snowball?"

—Just Received—200 pounds of fresh delicious Kandy Kitchen candy at the Clarendon Bakery. Try our walnut cream. tf

Mrs. John T. Sims and children, and Master Allen Burton, went down to Dallas last week to attend the wedding of Miss Elisé Coulter to Mr. Roy Stocking.

Jack Van Horn last week received the eagle which he had sent away to be mounted. The taxidermist did an excellent job, and the specimen is very fine.

—Land notes taken up, also accepted as collateral by the Donley County State Bank, now open for business, Powell old stand, Clarendon, Texas. Call and see us. tf

C. R. Franklin was in from Groom Tuesday and made us a visit. He says his section is busily engaged in planting a big oat crop and expects good things this year.

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

Casey was asked what caused all the noise in his house one morning, and getting back at the inquisitive neighbor, answered: "Oh, 'twas me boy Dinny. He sat down on his grandmother's false tathe, and they bit him."—Englewood (Ill.) Times.

—Why should you buy shoes at Rathjen's? Because he is in the shoe business exclusively almost. All his thought and time is given to shoes and he knows what a good shoe is. Experience is a wise teacher, and Rathjen has learned at the school of experience. tf

A Chicago couple, delighted over a visit of the stork, desired to weigh the baby, but had no scales. Just then the coal man called next door to deliver some coal to a poor family, and they borrowed his scales. Imagine their surprise at finding the baby weighed 47 pounds.

The Best Chicken Feed

Can be had at the Cold Storage Market. Finely chopped green bone food for sale all the time. Try this on your chickens. tf

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The registered Percheron Stallion, "Nabab No. 3973" will serve a limited number of select mares until April 15th, 1907. For further particulars see

J. D. JEFFERIES, Mgr.

Jim and Ben Christian took the westbound Denver Monday looking for new pastures. They will go first to the Pecos country and if they fail to find what they want they will try Arizona. Jim says he wants a cow country, as he is afraid he will have to go to work if he stays here. He realizes that the day of the cow man is practically over here, and that "the man with the hoe" is here to stay. Jim and Ben are first-class citizens and we hope they will come home satisfied to remain.—The Claude News.

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

B. F. Crocker, Esq., now 84 years of age, and for 20 years justice of the peace at Martinsburg, Iowa, says: "I am terribly afflicted with sciatic rheumatism in my left arm and right hip. I have used three bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it did me lots of good." For sale by all druggists.

For Sale.

My home place, two miles east of Clarendon, about 605 acres, is for sale in whole or in part. A bargain. See me for particulars. J. N. EDDINS. tf

GOOD READING

Our circulating library affords an excellent opportunity to get some good reading cheap. Have just received a new assortment of books, high-class novels by standard authors, and you can read these books for a dime—10 cents each.

See our new line of tablets and stationery. By far the swellest line of stationery ever brought to town. It's simply elegant. Fresh fruits, candies, cigars, etc.

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

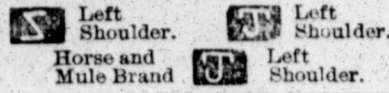
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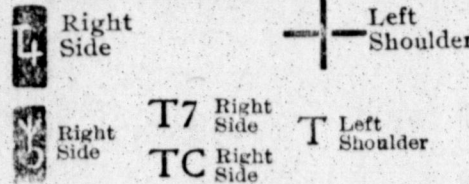


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MARK—Right ear
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country. I bring buyer and seller
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Cemetery Work.

For 50 cents each I will contract to
keep graves at the cemetery filled up and
in good shape for one year. There are a
number now needing attention. See me,
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Clarendon, Texas
For Sale.
A good new nine-room house,
well and barn, plenty of shade
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E. R. CLARK,
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—Phone 17, City Meat Market,
for fresh vegetables.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. M. T.
Crabtree on the 27th ult., a girl.

—For the latest in hats, shirts
and ties go to The Globe.

The Clarendon opera house now
boasts of a brand new piano, one of
the best makes.

J. J. Alexander was called to
Memphis Sunday to see his mother
who was quite sick.

—Every day we receive fresh
vegetables at the City Meat Market.
Phone 17 and get some.

Miss Bernice Morgan, of Chilli-
cotthe, is here this week visiting
her cousins, Julia and Francis
Cooke.

—Phone 88 and we will call for
your bundle and guarantee you
good laundry work.

PANHANDLE SLEAM LAUNDRY.

The Williams stock of groceries
were invoiced yesterday and the
day before and the new firm is now
in charge.

—Lovers of good cigars will do
well to examine the large assort-
ment of fine smokes at the Claren-
don Bakery.

H. H. Crane came in from
Paradise, Texas, last Friday night
to accept employment with the
Banner-Stockman.

Mrs. P. J. Smith is very sick at
Goodnight with pneumonia, and
several children in the family are
down with measles.

—WANTED—10 men in each state
to travel, distribute samples of our
goods and tack signs. Salary \$85
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Mrs. J. E. Moore and children
came down from Trinidad for a
visit with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. J. H. Kelley, this week.

Mrs. E. L. Caraway has just
completed a new addition to her
residence. There are several rooms
added, the entire shape of the
house being changed, and the re-
sult is one of the prettiest houses
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The only \$1.00 a day house in
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T. M. Pyle, Wesley Knorpp and
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lots from J. B. McClelland near
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Patrick and will each erect hand-
some houses in the near future, so
we understand. They have secur-
ed desirable building sites.

The Reason Why

The men and boys of Clarendon
and vicinity are the best dressed is
because they get their suits at
Dubbs'. tf

Vendors Lien Note.

A well secured vendors lien
note for \$800 for sale. See D.
C. Priddy, Clarendon, Texas. tf

Boarders Wanted.

Parties wishing accommodations
at a first-class private boarding
house, just established, should ap-
ply at this office for further particu-
lars. 18-4t

Notice.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell and Dr.
Jas. W. Hicks, Specialists on dis-
eases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and
Throat, Carson Building, Amarillo,
Texas.

Farm for Rent.

I have one good place yet for
rent. Fresh, strong land, culti-
vated one and two years. Good
new house and stables for work
horses.
W. F. WHITE,
Rowe, Texas.

**BALLARD'S
SNOW
LINIMENT**

A Sure Cure for Rheumatism, Cuts,
Sprains, Wounds, Old
Sores, Corns, Bunions,
Galls, Bruises, Contracted Muscles, Lamé Back, Stiff Joints,
Frosted Feet, Burns, Scalds, etc.
AN ANTISEPTIC that stops Irritation, subdues Inflam-
mation, and drives out Pain.
PENETRATES the Pores, loosens the Fibrous Tissues,
promotes a free circulation of the Blood, giving the Muscles
natural elasticity.

**BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH
ONCE TRIED ALWAYS USED**

CURED SCIATIC RHEUMATISM

Mrs. E. A. Simpson, 500 Craig St., Knoxville,
Tenn., writes: "I have been trying the baths of
Hot Springs, Ark., for sciatic rheumatism, but I
get more relief from Ballard's Snow Liniment
than any medicine or anything I have ever tried.
Inclosed find postoffice order for \$1.00. Send me
large bottle by Southern Express."

THREE SIZES: 25c, 50c AND \$1.00
BE SURE YOU GET THE GENUINE
Ballard Snow Liniment Co.
ST. LOUIS, U. S. A.

SOLD AND RECOMMENDED
For Sale at Doctor Stocking's Drug Store.

Tatum Mercantile Co.

For low prices on all Racket Goods, consisting of Dry Goods
and Notions, Glassware, Queensware, Tinware, Enamelware, Hard-
ware, Etc. Also exchange new for old furniture, etc., and buy and
sell new and second hand furniture, stoves, refrigerators, etc,
Frame pictures, repair furniture, etc. We can save you money.
Call and see us at the NOLAND BUILDING.

Clarendon, Texas

Announcement

We wish to announce to the people of Clarendon and Donley
county that we have opened a first-class lumber yard and
solicit a share of your patronage. We intend to carry a well
assorted stock of all kinds of building material and propose to
furnish you lumber that is up to grade and at money saving
prices. Be sure to figure with us before buying your bill. Our
office is located at the M. F. Lee old stand and our yard just
east of the light plant.

J. L. Scarborough, Mgr. Kimberlin Lumber & Coal Co.

Stewart & Gilliam

Plumbers and Electricians

All classes of plumbing and electric fitting. Full stock of all
supplies in our line, including bath tubs, sinks, etc. Shop in old post-
office room, First National Bank Building.

Lone Star Corrector
110925

This fine registered Poland-China boar now ready for service
at my place just west of town. Why raise scrub pigs when you can
do better at so small a cost? The better bred pig will make you
more money than the scrub.

Lone Star Corrector is a pedigreed animal of the finest strains
of Poland-China blood. He was farrowed April 15, 1905. Sire,
Corrector 2nd, 87699. Dam, Queen Ann, 250462. Ask to see pedi-
gree in full.

T. W. CARROLL
Clarendon, Texas

Stockett's Stable is After Your Trade

Everything new and first class. Rubber tire buggies, com-
fortable surries, fast and gentle horses. Horses boarded
and cared for, rates reasonable. Transfer meets all trains,
and answers all calls.

Main Street, Clarendon, Texas. Phone 62

The Banner-Stockman is the Best.

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

R. H. Brown was down from Groom the first of the week.

Call on Cowsar at "the wagon" and get bargains in Racket Goods.

Mrs. George Allman, of Vernon, is visiting friends in the city this week.

A good X-Ray riding plow for sale at E. A. Taylor's blacksmith shop. 20-4t.

—All the fruit that can be found in the market is at the Clarendon Bakery. tf

J. D. Camp went to San Antonio last week to attend the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge.

—Premium flour has won seven-teen first premiums. Try a sack. 2t THE POWELL TRADING CO.

Just think of what you want, then go to Cowsar's "wagon store" and buy it. He has it. tf.

Dr. Staudifer was called to Memphis again Wednesday to see Mrs. W. C. Alexander, who is still very sick.

—Nearly all traveling men wear E. Dubbs & Sons' made to measure suits. tf

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mulkey, of Guyton, Ok., spent Monday in Clarendon guests of his brother, Homer Mulkey.

—New goods arrive every day at Clower's jewelry store. See the many pretty things. tf

J. M. Brooks, D. C. Sullivan and J. D. Camp have organized themselves into a new real estate firm in Clarendon.

—Package candies from 5c to \$4.20 at the Clarendon Bakery. Allegrittues', Loose-Wiles', Ramers', and others. tf

A. H. Cowsar has fitted up an auction wagon for the disposal of the racket goods he bought from Allen & Goodman.

R. E. Williams shipped a car of hogs Tuesday to Ft. Worth market. In the car was one which weighed 700 pounds.

W. G. Appleton and family, of Springfield, Tenn., came in Monday night and will make their home in Donley county. Mr. Appleton will buy a small farm.

Dr. J. D. Stocking returned home Wednesday morning from Dallas where he had been to attend the wedding of his son, Roy, to Miss Elise Coulter, mention of which will be found in another column.

—The members of the Wizard of Wall Street Company were entertained by Messrs. James Trent and J. D. Van Horn at the home of the latter Wednesday night with an oyster roast. After the supper music and specialty work by some of the guests served to pass away several very pleasant hours. The members of this company are exceptionally pleasant, and are as charming and genial off the stage as they are entertaining while at work.

New Hats--New Spring Hats.

Miss Porter is home from market with a complete line of millinery, and a first-class trimmer, Miss Ola Blankenship, who is well experienced in the business. We are better prepared to accommodate the people now than ever. Come and see for yourselves. it

Church Notice.

Reverend Edwin Wickens, of Dallas, will hold services at the Episcopal Church on Sunday next.

College Notes

Bro. Mood and Bro. Wilson attended the Preachers' Institution at Claude the latter part of last week. They report an exceedingly kindly interest in the College on the part of both preachers and people.

Prof. Quigley gave the final examination to the Physics class the latter part of the week, as they have completed the required work. A written record of fifty experiments was required in addition to a passing grade in examination.

Henry Mills is in school again after an absence of some two or three weeks.

Prof. Quigley spent Saturday at Memphis. He was accompanied home by his brother-in-law, Frank Finch, who spent Sunday in Clarendon.

Prof. W. G. Stewart visited College friends while in Clarendon the latter part of the week.

The seniors held a class meeting this week in which they decided various matters of interest to the class.

Mr. Matlock of Hale Center, visited his daughter Miss Mabel, at the dormitory on Wednesday.

Yerner Glenn visited College friends over Sunday. He was on a prospecting trip out to Hereford and Plainview.

Dr. Mood's Spanish class has taken up a new reader. This has been a very popular class throughout the year.

The athletic association held a meeting one day this week to consider matters of interest.

Quite a number of pupils have handed in their names for the essay and oratorical contests at the close of the term. The essays will be written on Washington Irving.

Graves-Miller

On the afternoon of February 20th, at 4 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother about five miles from Clarendon, was solemnized the marriage service between Mr. E. E. Graves and Miss Nellie Miller, Rev. W. C. Hilburn officiating.

It has been said that "Happy is the bride whom the sun shines on." The day was perfect, a touch of spring in the calm winter sunshine. With only the best loved ones and a very few friends around her this bride whom so many Clarendon people had learned to love, gave herself to the fortunate man who had come to claim her. After the very simple but impressive service refreshments were served and the bride and groom started for town to catch the 6.55 train on which they left for their new home at Ryan, I. T. The bride wore a tasteful gray traveling suit, while the groom was dressed in the conventional style for an afternoon wedding.

Miss Miller is well known to the people of Clarendon. Four years ago she went from here to the Scarritt Bible and training school at Kansas City, where she took the two years course, graduating from that institution. She then served as city missionary under the Woman's Board of Home Missions at Rome, Ga, for a year. She gave up her work on account of her mother's health and came home where she has been now for several months.

Mr. Graves is a member of a dry goods firm at Ryan, I. T., where he is very highly esteemed as a business man and a christian gentleman. The best wishes of many friends went with them to their new home.

ONE OF HER FRIENDS.

Baptist Church.

The subject for the morning hour will be "Lord what wilt thou have me do." This will be a service of great importance to the church. It will perhaps effect the welfare and progress of the church for the next year. It is important that we have a good attendance of the membership. Evangelistic service at night. Everybody invited to attend our service. Wilson C. Rogers, Pastor.

B. T. Lane has in contemplation the erection of a splendid residence on the vacant lots opposite the Baptist church. The house will be constructed of cement blocks.

—J. M. Clower, the jeweler, in his new stand across the street has the prettiest things in jewelry in town and is receiving more goods every day. tf

The Cash Store

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

IMPROVEMENTS

Mr. Williams with a force of men has changed the inside of the store. A gallery 70 feet long, with banisters, has been put up on the west side to connect with gallery in rear. A neat and strong stairway has been placed in front so that ladies can ascend to the millinery department. 140 feet of new shelving is being placed to accommodate our rapidly increasing shoe trade. We handle the Brown shoes. Our millinery stock is expected daily. We will try to merit your patronage.

OFFICE FORCE

Mr. R. E. Dunn is now connected with the office work. Mr. Dunn has lived in Hall County for many years, and needs no introduction to our people. We study to please our patrons and will do our best to give satisfaction.

GRAPHOPHONES

A shipment is expected next week. Those wanting this premium will kindly notify us.

KITCHEN KNIVES

1 bread knife, 1 meat knife, 1 paring knife, all three warranted steel, in box, for 25c.

POTATOES

1 car Greeley Pearl Potatoes, per pk 30c

SUGAR

1/2 car granulated sugar
100 lbs at 5 1/2c

SALT

1 car evaporated Kansas salt
100 lbs at 65c

COAL

1 car niggerhead coal, ton \$8.50
1 car egg size Maitland, ton 8.00

SHOES

27 cases of Brown Shoe Company's President, White House and Buster Brown Blue Ribbon makes. These are now on the road.

SEEDS

Goobers, per bu \$1 50
Peas, Crowder and black eye per bu 2 00
Speckled Mexican beans lb 6 1/2

THREAD

500 doz. Clark's O N T thread.

EGGS

600 dozen sold in one day. Just imagine 7200 eggs in one nest, under one hen. Suppose all hatched out and all began scratching up the earth at the same time. Wouldn't there be a sand storm for you.

T. R. Garrett Co.

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

A Statement.

The firm of McClellan & Crisp was dissolved by McClellan buying out Crisp, and retaining the office, furniture, books, lists, contracts, etc. Mr. Crisp, however, by the terms of the sale, was privileged to make copies of all lists and contracts, which he did. Both members of the firm are now in business separately, and both have the old lists and contracts. We make this statement for the benefit of any who may have misconstrued the meaning of the former statements made by either of us.

D. L. McCLELLAN.

J. E. CRISP.

Clarendon, Texas, March 6, 1907.

For Sale at a Bargain.

575 acres of land five miles west of Clarendon on railroad, good well, windmill, etc., 2-room house, 150 acres in cultivation, balance good, smooth, tillable land; will sell all together or cut it up to suit purchaser in any size tract. See 2t N. W. HATCHETT.

Found At Last.

J. A. Harmon, of Lizenore, West Va. says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me; and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation, will say: take Dr. King's New Life Pills." Guaranteed satisfactory, 25c at Dr. J. D. Stocking's drug store.

Albert Erwin came in Wednesday night to see his little son, Will, who has been quite sick with measles and croup. The lad is now much better.

SPRING MILLINERY

My new Spring Millinery goods are arriving daily and being put on display as received. Some heavy shipments by freight have been delayed but I hope to have all my stock opened in the next few days.

Easter Comes Early

This year. Better come early and look through and gather fashion information and style lore and select such things of latest styles as will please you.

Waists and Skirts

The newest things in these goods as in Belts, Collars, Combs, Gloves, Ribbons, Laces, Dress Trimmings, Etc. I invite everyone to call and see my goods.

MRS. A. M. BEVILLE

"The Milliner and Ladies' Furnisher"