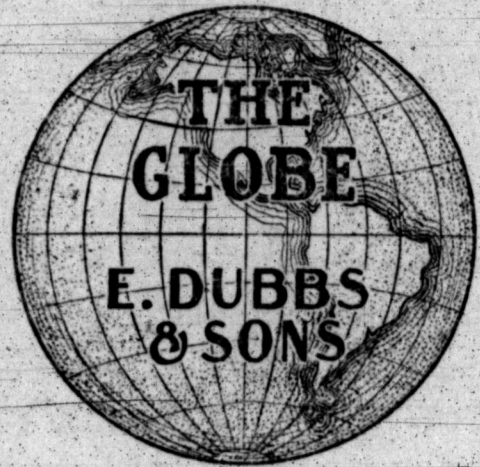


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We have never sold so many goods in the same length of time before. IT PAYS. Look at the reduction we make with corresponding reductions all along the line.

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 We desire to make July and August our Banner months, and we will do it if fair treatment, (everyone alike, “no pets”), low prices and the very latest and best quality of goods will do it. We will make it to your interest to buy of us.

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| \$1.25 Shirt, plainly marked in figures..... | \$1.00 |
| 75c Shirt, plainly marked in figures..... | .60 |
| \$7.00 Hat..... | 6.50 |
| \$5.00 Hat..... | 4.75 |
| \$3.50 Hat..... | 3.25 |
| \$3.00 Hat..... | 2.75 |
| \$5.00 Shoes..... | 4.50 |
| \$4.50 Shoes..... | 4.00 |
| \$4.00 Shoes..... | 3.75 |
| \$3.50 Shoes..... | 3.25 |
| \$3.00 Shoes..... | 2.75 |

E. DUBBS & SONS

GOOD RAINS THIS WEEK

All Portions of Donley County Report a Splendid Rainfall and Crops Greatly Benefitted.

It always rains in time in Donley county. This statement has been heralded abroad for years and has always been substantiated, and was again proven true this week. Early corn had begun to show the need of moisture, and there had been some talk of oats being short in places on account of dry weather.

Tuesday afternoon local showers fell. Tuesday night the clouds gathered and Jupiter Pluvius, Esq., resumed business at the old stand with a full stock of wet goods of the kind most dear to the heart of the farmer. The result was 2 1/2 inches, according to the government rain gauge. Wednesday night saw a repetition of the performance, with some splendid specialties between acts, and from all parts of the county now come reports of a splendid season in the ground, crops benefitted and farmers happy and busy.

The old-time Donley county farmers who have learned by experience not to plant corn too early were not suffering, and have again scored a point over the early planter. Late corn is reported in a most flourishing condition and a good crop is assured. Cotton and

other crops over the county are reported to be in fine shape.

The Panhandle “knocker” must hide his hammer. It always rains in the Panhandle.

Revival Services.

The special ten day service at the Presbyterian church has attracted a good attendance this week and considerable interest has been shown. Rev. J. N. Ivy, of Waxahachie, is doing the preaching, and his sermons are pronounced by those who have been in regular attendance as being deeply spiritual and interestingly eloquent. On Sunday night Rev. Dodson tendered Bro. Ivy the use of the Methodist church, where an unusually large crowd congregated to hear him. The services will continue throughout the week and all are given a most cordial invitation to attend.

The catalogue for Clarendon College, 1906-1907, is fresh from the press of the Banner-Stockman. It is pronounced a splendid piece of printing, consists of 28 pages and four full page half tone illustrations. Parties desiring one may secure same at this office, or by addressing any of the college faculty.

—If you desire your children to eat pure candies buy the Kandy Kitchen candies from Tucker & Tax at the postoffice. Fresh and

BETTER FIRE PROTECTION

Can Be Had in Residence District at Small Cost, So Says Fire Chief Stewart.

It is a settled fact that Clarendon has as good fire protection as any town of her size in the state, but still a few things can be done to make this protection embrace a larger territory. With the present protection the business portion of the town is practically immune from the ravages of the fire fiend. The residence portion, however, is in a great measure unprotected. Those who are supposed to know state that fire protection for the residence district can be secured at a price so small that the people would hardly realize that the money had been paid that would make their homes safe. During a fire, so Chief Stewart states, the pressure on every hydrant in town is the same as on the fire plugs in the business section. With this pressure water can be thrown considerable distance. With 600 feet of three-quarter inch hose at least four streams of water can be thrown from the hydrants of neighboring houses on to almost any house in town, each hose carrying a quarter-inch stream. The four lines would be throwing an inch stream, which with a pressure of from 75 to 150 pounds,

would put out almost any fire. The initial cost of this undertaking would be more than paid for by the first house that is saved. Even though the cost should be several hundred dollars it would be money well spent, and the people would then have adequate protection for years to come. At least a portion of the city council favors a move of this sort; do you?

Reception.

Rev. and Mrs. B. W. Dodson on Tuesday evening threw open their home to the members of the W. H. M. S., as well as the people of the city generally, in a reception to meet Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Mood, who have lately come into our midst, the Doctor being the new president of Clarendon College. A large number availed themselves of the opportunity afforded and were present, and a most enjoyable time was had by all until about 9:30 o'clock when the evening was cut short by the rainstorm coming up.

Dr. Mood is taking hold of his labors with the vigor characteristic of his interest in the affairs of this institution of which all Clarendon people, irrespective of creed, are duly proud. He reports matters shaping themselves nicely already for the next term and we confidently predict another year of marked success for the Panhandle's leading college.

—Stocking's store for wall paper.

INSPECTORS APPOINTED

Panhandle Stockmen's Association is Putting More Men to Work. Now Has Six Inspectors.

The executive committee of the Panhandle Stockmen's Association met in regular quarterly session at Amarillo on the 30th ult., for the transaction of routine business. Those present were: T. S. Bugbee, president; E. H. Brainard, secretary; W. C. Isaacs, George Sachse, W. E. Harrell, L. B. Watkins. The matter of appointing inspectors for the coming year was taken up and the following appointments were announced:

H. G. Sadler for the Southern Kansas and Choctaw roads, headquarters at Amarillo.

F. L. Campbell for the Rock Island, headquarters at Dalhart.

Chas. Derrick, of Clarendon, for St. Joe, Mo.

S. B. Denson for Kansas City, Mo.

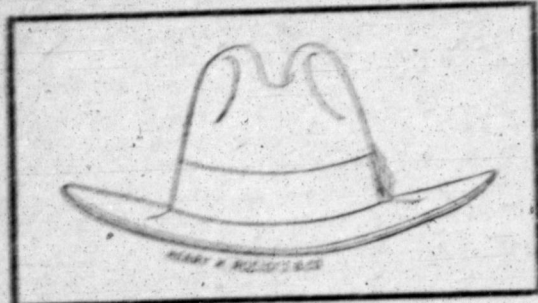
J. B. Williams remains on the Denver Road, with Clarendon as headquarters, and Sam Dunn remains on the Pecos Valley road, headquarters at Hereford.

After the business of the meeting was transacted the executive committee, together with Col. Chas. Goodnight and William Penn. Anderson, had their picture taken by flashlight. The only reason we can offer for the fact that a flashlight was used is that perhaps the members thought Anderson would look better by that method.

STILL GOING ON

Our Big

DISCOUNT SALE



15
Per
Cent
Off

SALE BEGAN JULY 1ST AND WILL RUN THIRTY DAYS. Everything in our store will be offered at this discount except Men's and Boys' HATS, and on this line we offer a discount of

20 Per Cent for the Same Length of Time

This cut in prices is made to enable us to get more room for fall stock. The goods must move. Come early and get your share of the BIG BARGAINS. This is an honest discount sale to clean up; no fake here. Goods are all marked in plain figures and each customer can figure his own bill and see just what he is saving without having to take the salesman's word for it.



Yours for bargains in the shoe line



MADE FOR US BY
PETERS
SHOE
CO.
ST. LOUIS

J. H. RATHJEN

The Leading Shoe Dealer



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Childress Barbecue.

The preparations for the Childress barbecue and annual celebration are being carried out as fast as possible. Various amusements have been arranged for and will be on the grounds.

The committee met at the City National Bank late yesterday and did some work on the program. The committee had in view the pleasure of all the people and endeavored to fix a program that would suit all. There will be "broncho busting" each day at the ball park. There will be baseball games each day between crack teams. Hon. Monta Moore will deliver a speech on the 18th. On the first day there will be foot races for girls under 75 years of age, boys under 16 years and a free for all. The purses will be \$5 in the two first events and \$10 in the last.

A one-half mile dash for saddle horses, Childress county, purse \$25. A trial of buggy horses, one-half mile heat, best two in three, for a purse of \$50, and a quarter-mile dash free to all for a purse of \$100. On the first day there will be a gun shoot on the grounds, the purses for this something over \$100, which is added to the entrance fees.

On the second day, the 19th, there will be baseball, a live bird shoot, a free for all trotting or pacing race, one mile heats best two in three, three-eighths mile running race, free to all, and many other attractions.

Of course there will be dinner and it will be the best barbecued dinner ever given in the Panhandle. Experienced cooks will prepare it and the best beef only will be used. —Childress Index.

The family of E. A. Boles are now occupying the N. S. Ray residence. Mr. Boles has gone to Vernon where he is pumper for the Denver.

—If you contemplate painting see Stocking and get prices on paint and oil. if

Rev. T. E. Graham of Clarendon arrived this week to assist Rev. V. H. Trammell in his protracted meetings on the Hereford Mission. —Hereford Brand.

—Don't fail to ask about our "Clothing Clubs." A \$20 suit to every member, and everybody satisfied. E. Dubbs & Sons. if

Local Agent E. E. Baldwin, "the heartless agent of a soulless corporation," (we don't think) is a merry widower just now his family having moved up to Texline where they are holding down a claim. The editor is keeping cases on him the while.

—I have two special bargains in sewing machines. If you want a good machine at a bargain price see me at once. J. M. Clower. if

McClellan & Crisp report the sale of the old Tackitt place just east of town by its more recent owner, Bob Cates, to Chas. Baldwin of Tenaha, Texas. There is one section, and the price was \$7,500. Mr. Baldwin and family, also the family of his father, will move here immediately.

L. Craddock, president of the large Craddock liquor house of Dallas, was tried before Judge Dunbar here Tuesday for illegal selling of whiskey in this county. He was convicted and fined \$100 and given twenty days in jail. The case has been appealed. —Hall County Herald.

The Best is None Too GOOD

WHEN buying Dry Goods the best is always the cheapest. Our long experience in the dry goods business in Clarendon enables us to offer you exactly the goods best suited to your taste. It is an old saying in Donley county that "Chamberlain carries nothing shoddy." This is true throughout our stock. We positively give the best values in Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Notions, Millinery Goods, etc. You are cordially invited to call and see the most complete stock in the county.

B. W. CHAMBERLAIN

DONLEY COUNTY'S LEADING MERCHANT

A farmer living in Cooke county, but who is visiting in this county, says he is for Tom Campbell for governor. When asked why, he replied "I am 57 years old and this is the first time in my life that I have had a chance to vote for a private citizen for governor. I have nothing to say against the other three candidates further than that they have either been in office or a candidate for office ever since

they were old enough to vote. This year is the first time T. M. Campbell ever asked the voters to give him an office. Tell your readers what I say, please." —Tyler Courier.

—Don't throw away money by patronizing spectacle peddlers when you can call on C. N. Bushnell and have your eyes fitted by scientific methods. Satisfaction guaranteed at reasonable prices.

Twenty Year Battle.

"I was loser in a twenty year battle with chronic piles and malignant sores, until I tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve; which turned the tide, by curing both, till not a trace remains," writes A. M. Bruce, of Farmville, Va. Best for old ulcers, cuts burns and wounds. 25c at J. D. Stocking's, druggist.

—WANTED—At the Cold Storage Market, all kinds of vegetables and fruits. Fred Chamberlain. tf

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Special attention given to diseases of women and children and Electro-Therapy. Office phone No. 66; residence phone No. 55-3 rings.

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Live Stock & Commission Agents

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

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Red Polled cattle for sale; from half to registered; both sexes.

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Respectfully solicits a share of your drayage, promising prompt attention and reasonable charges. Special prices on contract work or on handling large jobs, such as unloading cars, etc. Phone 24. Residence, 23-3 rings.

Saved His Comrade's Life.

"While returning from the Grand Army Encampment at Washington City, a comrade from Elgin, Ill., was taken with cholera morbus and was in a critical condition" says Mr. J. E. Houghland, of Eldon, Iowa. "I gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and believe saved his life." I have been engaged for ten years in immigration work and conducted many parties to the south and west. I always carry this remedy and have used it successfully on many occasions." Sold at Dr. Stocking's Drug Store.

Judge Journey.

Saturday morning last Judge and Mrs. Journey left for their future home in Clarendon. During their residence here these good people endeared themselves in the hearts of the citizens and it was with sadness we saw them take their leave. Clarendon is to be congratulated because they cast their lot in its midst.

After one of the closest contests in this county Mr. Journey was elected County Judge, which position he filled with credit to himself and to the satisfaction of the general public. His ministrations of public affairs was characterized with an impartial fairness that is characteristic of the man. Kindly disposed by nature he carried that kindly disposition into his public life, and that coupled with his knowledge of law and the management of public affairs made his official career in Briscoe county a success. His resignation and removal from our county were matters of regret to his friends.

The Enterprise bespeaks for him from the hands of Donley county citizens their confidence and esteem, for he is worthy of both. —Silverton Enterprise.

—Stocking has sold Hammar Paint nine years and knows what it will do. tf

Building Up Dairy Herds.

The way we build up our dairy herd is by saving the heifer calves from all of our best cows and raising them with a view to making the best milch cows possible. We feed them and care for them as we think dairy calves should be cared for. As to the way the other dairymen in this section do, I am sorry to say the majority of them do not pay any attention to improving their herds at all, and really do not know what they are doing. But some of them are following our example and replenishing their herds with young heifers when their old cows give out. I think this is really the best method of building up a herd, as there is always a chance for much error in choosing adult cattle for dairy purposes.

S. E. Barnes, Dairyman.
University of Tennessee.

Sussex Cattle.

There are comparatively few Sussex cattle in the United States. Most of them are to be found in Tennessee, Missouri, Maine, Arkansas and Texas. Canada also has a few herds of pure-bred. The grades are much more widely scattered. All those in Texas are, of course, within the Splenic fever district, and my information is, they are perhaps less liable to the disease than most cattle from uninfected sections. I know of none that have been shipped from this country to Mexico, Cuba, Central or South America. A good many have been shipped from England to South Africa and possibly shipments have been made to the countries named.

Overton Lea,
Sec'y & Treas. American Sussex Assn.

Freak of Lightning Bolt.

A lightning bolt struck the home of Kellar Creagen, at Ringgold, Md., running around his straw hat to above his left ear, then down the side of his neck to his body, tearing the shirt collar, then down his right leg, tearing the shoe in half and splitting the great toe. His skin was scorched, but his hair was not even singed.

An Inspired Sermon.

"Your sermon this morning on 'The Poor We Have Always With Us' seemed positively inspired," remarked the parishioner, "and I didn't notice that you used any notes. Was it really extemporaneous?" "Yes; the idea came to me after I saw how small the collection was," replied the pastor.—Philadelphia Press.

Use of Sugar in Arabia.

In Arabia the higher classes use sugar in tea and coffee in their houses, but in the coffee shops in the bazaar, where hundreds of people gather in the evening to talk and drink coffee, a cheaper grade of coffee is generally consumed, made of coffee husks principally, and in this drink sugar is seldom used.

Roast Reptile.

In Australia several kinds of snakes are eaten roasted. They are said to be equal in delicacy and flavor to the finest stewed oysters. An English traveler declares the steam from the roasting reptiles is by no means unsavory.

Get Busy and Order Now

Anything that you may need in the Grocery line. Complete stock of best grade of canned goods, flour, coffees, breakfast goods and in fact the best of everything to eat is always found at our store at prices which cannot be beat

- 5 lb. Bucket Jewel Lard 45c.
- Coffees, Golden Gate, bulk, 20c per lb.
- Rice broken, per pound 5c.
- Clariette Soap, 6 bars for 25c.

Every housewife who trades with us saves money. Do likewise by phoning No. 39. That's all



From J. A. Jackson.
BROOKELAND, Texas, July 2.
MR. JOHN E. COOKE,
Clarendon, Texas.
DEAR SIR:—Enclosed find one dollar to pay my subscription to the Banner-Stockman. I am now at Brookeland, Texas, and have been since June 11, and have not had one of your papers in some time as they are still going to Jasper. Please change address to this point.
Trade is good here, and weather very warm. Wish you would try and send me some of your cooling Panhandle breeze. We have one of the finest boys in the land; he is eight

months old and can almost walk, and thinks lots of his dad. We are all well and hope you people are the same. Let us hear from you.
Yours truly
J. A. JACKSON.
A Hard Lot
of troubles to contend with, spring from a torpid liver and blockaded bowels, unless you awaken them to their proper action with Dr. King's New Life Pills; the pleasantest and most effective cure for constipation. They prevent appendicitis and tone up the system. 25c at Dr. Stocking's drug store.
E. L. Sharp, of Stratford, was here last week, guest of Col. P. R. Stevens.

Excursion Rates.
Regular excursion to Houston and Galveston. Will sell round trip tickets for train No. 8, July 13, at rate of \$14.50 to Houston and \$14.75 to Galveston; limit to return July 16.
Account farmers' Congress at College Station. Will sell tickets July 9 and 10, limit to return July 13 at rate of \$8.80 for round trip.
E. E. BALDWIN.
For Sale.
Good second-hand buggy with pole and shafts, or will trade for a good milch cow or buggy horse. Otus Reeves, Clarendon, Texas. tf

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ATTENTION DEMOCRATS.

Under the Terrell election law of this state it is mandatory that a primary election be held July 28th this year for the selection of democratic candidates for all state and district offices. A failure to hold the primary election in any county or voting precinct would deprive the people of that county or precinct of any voice in selecting the nominee that will be elected next November, for a democratic nomination is always equivalent to an election in Texas.

The executive committee has appointed a presiding judge for each voting precinct and the polls will be open from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. as the law directs and all democratic voters are urged to attend the election and vote. To obtain representation in the state and district conventions it is necessary for the voters on the day of the election between the hours of 8 a. m. and 10 p. m. to meet together in mass convention to select delegates to the county convention which shall meet in the county seat the following Saturday, which county convention shall select delegates to the state and all district conventions to cast the vote of the county in such conventions. The basis of representation in the county convention shall be one vote for every 25 votes cast for the democratic candidate for governor at the last preceding election, or major fraction of 25 votes. The vote in the Donley county convention will be 17, divided as follows: Old Town, 1; Jericho, 1; Whitefish, 1; Rowe Headquarters, 1; Lelia, 1; Giles, 1; Rowe, 2; Clarendon, 9.

Mass conventions are hereby called at each voting precinct for 2 p. m. on primary election day, July 28th, to select a delegate or delegates to represent the precinct in the county convention which county convention is hereby called to meet in the court house in Clarendon on Saturday, August 4th, at 2 p. m. to select delegates to the state and all district conventions to cast the vote of Donley county according to the returns of the primary election.

The executive committee is hereby called to meet in the court house at Clarendon at 11 a. m. Saturday, August 4th, as the law directs, to tabulate the returns of the primary election.

A. M. BEVILLE,
County Chairman.
JOHN E. COOKE,
Secretary.

AFTER a careful perusal of Collier's Weekly and an equally conscientious absorption of the facts in an expose of that sheet by the St. Louis Medical and Surgical Journal we have come to the conclusion that about the only way a person can die a natural death is by the hemp route or by blowing out the gas. In either case you know what you are getting, and when the coroner comes around to sit on what remains of your

earthly tenement he will not return a verdict of "primary cause of death, acute alcoholism; secondary cause, bursting of alimentary canal, caused by the larynx refusing to give its contents the right-of-way to the outside world."

A DISPATCH from Washington states that the government is greatly in need of bills of small denomination, and is calling on the banks to issue them. We are in the same boat with Uncle Sam. However, our need is not so pressing for small bills, and if properly approached we can still be prevailed upon to receive those of large denomination.

The Banner-Stockman extends true fraternal sympathy to Editor J. M. Smith, of the Wellington Times in the loss of his wife. Mrs. Smith died at the home of her daughter at Iowa Park on the 5th inst. The funeral was held at Bonham on the 7th.

Rowe Ramblings.

ROWE, Texas, July 10.
EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Rev. Doak is holding a protracted meeting at the church this week. Prospects are for a good meeting.

The Rowe Sunday school is doing the best work it has ever done on all lines.

W. K. Hollifield was called to Memphis this morning on account of the illness of one of his children. Mrs. Hollifield is visiting friends at that place.

Miss Lillian McHan has been right sick the past week, but we learn she is improving.

Mrs. Bond W. Johnson, of Clarendon, is visiting friends in Rowe today.

Misses Bertha Guill and Maggie Kinslow visited the Misses Lochridge Sunday.

J. G. McDougal is in Goodnight on business.

O. D. King made a trip to Goodnight last week. He is thinking of buying land and locating there.

Mrs. Joe Kendall will leave Saturday for Mexico, Mo., to visit friends and let Joe batch awhile.

Judge Webster was shaking hands with the voters of Rowe Saturday. He is the first candidate to call on us.

Mrs. A. A. Beedy and children were guests of Mrs. B. F. McGee one day this week.

Miss Pearl Newman is visiting friends at Memphis this week.

R. N. Gillis, the hardware man, is building a nice five room house just north of the Presbyterian church.

The Rowe State Bank looks up to date since the new furniture has been put in.

Misses Adrian and Kate Brown and Miss Mamie Mahan, of Clarendon, are visiting Miss Bertha Guill this week.

Misses Finger and Martin of Union Hill, are guests of Mrs. Chas. Phillips this week.

Jack Reed, of Lelia, was visiting Roy McGee Sunday.

A skating rink club was organized at Rowe this week with W. A. Guill as president.

Giles Glimmerings.

GILES, Texas, July 10.
EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

It has been showering this week and a good rain is needed.

Misses Clara Wylie and Ruby Watt and Mrs. Rider were all in Memphis Friday. Franks & Neeley shipped 3 cars of calves and one of cows to Kansas City from this place Saturday.

Mrs. Lizzy Blossor, formerly Miss Lizzie Cline of this place, but now of Indian Territory, is here visiting her grandmother, Mrs. V. Coursey.

Quite a crowd from this place went up to Clarendon on the 4th inst.

Theodore Pyle, who bought the Johnson steers, shipped same from here Friday.

G. G. Willingham and family left last Thursday for a pleasure trip to Galveston.

D. Robertson has sold his crop to Thos. Shelton, also his hogs and cows. We don't know whether Mr. Robertson will leave now, or remain.

Misses Grace and Ruth Alley visited relatives in Rowe a few days last week.

J. M. Shelton and Grandma Phillips were reported very poorly last week.

—Pocket knives at Dubbs. tf

FAREWELL TO THE CLASS

Valedictory Poem to Graduating Class of the Blind Institute on
June 5, 1906.

[The following most excellent poem was written by Miss Maggie Adamson, daughter of J. T. Adamson, of Rowe, this county. The young lady is blind and the poem was written on the occasion of her graduation from the Blind Institute at Austin last month.]

At eve the sunbeams linger long,
To list the earth's sweet farewell song;
And when the vale of night appears,
The last sad ray with bitters tears
Must wait until the dawn of day
Shall drive the darkness far away.
Then joy and peace shall reign supreme
While grief shall vanish as a dream.
The flowers sigh, the zephyrs weep,
When gentle Spring is fast asleep;
The brooklet mourns from day to day
When fruitful summer goes away;
The birdies chant sad songs of yore,
When Autumn drifts to Winter's shore;
The snow flakes sob a long farewell
When Winter goes far off to dwell.
Thus seasons come and pass away,
As darkness comes to follow day,
And as they pass a tale they tell,
Its truth, alas, we know so well.
Our lives as tides must ebb and flow,
Between sunshine and shadows low;
Just as the tides obey the moon,
The dreams of youth are gone too, soon.

In sunny South where breezes sleep,
Magnolias bloom and woodbines creep,
In every tree the birdies sing
Of inward joy and coming spring,
Where the perfume of Southern air
Is scented with the peach and pear;
Where wild bees hum o'er fragrant flowers
And while away the golden hours,
Where sunshine falls on hill and plain,
And on the fields of waving grain,
And turn the orange to amber hue,
And drink till drunk on morning dew,
Here in this land a place to me
Is far more dear than fame's sought key.
This place I love stamped in my heart,
And e'er shall be till death's part.

Our school life's days are o'er at last,
The twilight shadows gather fast,
Yet we with tears still linger near
To list to voices kind and dear
Tenderly speaking words of love
That have been gained from heaven
above,
And that will safely guide us o'er
To heaven's bright and peaceful shore.

My schoolmates dear, long tried and true,
My sincere love goes out to you,
With you I've labored, with you prayed,
Success and failures both have made,
Over many a task that seemed in vain
With you I've toiled in joy and pain
With sobs and sighs and hidden tears,
And hopes and fears in by-gone years.

But oh, alas, those days are gone,
Their shadows turn like life's fair morn,
And lengthening point toward the spot
Where the toils of life are all forgot.
Our school days here are in the past;
Their joys are gone, their memories last,
Just as the smiles of God ne'er part
From them who give to Him their heart.

Though time and distance strive in vain
Our friendship here to sever twain,
In after life in some quiet nook
I'll turn the leaves of memory's book,
I'll linger on the thumb-worn page,
Though kept by years and dimmed by age.

And dry the tears that needs must come,
At thoughts of this so long our home,
And when again your name I call,
Your faces I'll see on Memory's wall,
Pictures of silver in frames of gold,
Cannot compare to faces old,
And all that then can give me pain,
Those days will never come again,
Could I but raise the curtain once more,
And live this happy life all o'er;
But if on earth we ne'er shall meet,
Let's hope to join at Jesus' feet,
And clasp our hands around the throne,
And sing with Him thru years to come.

There each must strive a star to win,
And wear a crown that frees from sin,
There we shall be in peace and rest,
And shout with joy that Christ hath blest.

Where the withered flower freshens
Never more to fade,
Where the darkened day brightens,
Never more to shade,
Where the dead in Christ shall rise
On heaven's blissful shore,
Where the sleeper wakes,
And the dreamer dreams no more.

—MAGGIE ADAMSON.

Hogs Wanted.

Bring your hogs to Clarendon.
A. H. Cowsar will buy them. tf

A Summer Clearing

WE are now cleaning up all summer goods.
1-4 Off

On all colored Lawns, Organdies and Dimities; in fact in all summer dress goods.

Big Bargains.

On all Men's, Women's and Children's low cut Shoes and Lace Hosiery. We have a few odd lots of 75c and \$1.00 Shirts on sale at your choice for 50c while they last. We are showing the new soft collars, the truly sensible summer collar, and the coatless suspenders which enables mankind to look neat without a coat these hot days. Bargain prices on ladies' muslin underwear. Our Grocery Department is always full of the best things to eat. Our motto: "The Best." Phone 18.

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The First National Bank of Clarendon, Texas

With a Paid Up Capital and Surplus of \$70,000

Offers to its customers safety for their deposits and every accommodation which their balances, business and responsibility warrant consistent with prudent banking methods.

Loan money on approved security.
Buy and sell all kinds of foreign and domestic exchange.
Safety deposit boxes in fire proof vault for rent.

Plumbing Pipe Fitting, re-pairing, electric fitting. Supplies of all kinds. Office in Noland Building.

G. C. Hartman

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

Baptist Church.

"Judah in Possession" will be the theme at the morning hour. No service at night account of the revival at the Presbyterian church. If you are going to church Sunday and the spirit leads you our way we will welcome you.

WILSON C. ROGERS, Pastor.

—Try our Alta Vista cream, the best on the market. W. H. Thompson. tf

Mrs. R. L. Edwards and children have returned from their visit to the lady's parents down east.

—A new lot of wall paper just received at Dr. Stocking's store.

A. H. Cowsar is on the streets again after a tussle of several weeks with fever.

Tom Cocke and "Nester" Jim Hopkins of Gray county, were here this week. John Beverly was around immediately, advising his close friends to corral their chickens.

Notice.

The Republicans, and all others intending to act with them in the coming campaign, are requested to meet in their county precincts for the purpose of sending delegates to the county convention to be held Aug. 4, 1906.

Precinct conventions, July 28, 1906.
By order of County Central Committee, Donley County, Tex.

—Try the Acme Laundry, represented by Thompson; they give satisfaction. tf

Mrs. Gus Johnson is this week enjoying a visit from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nichols, of Caddo Mills, Texas. They are accompanied by their nephew, Master Hilger McAdams.

—For a sewing machine of the best quality at a special low price see me at once. Am offering a special bargain in the two on hand.
J. M. Clower. tf

To the Members of the Panhandle Exhibit Association :

There will be a called meeting of all members in the Commercial Club rooms at Amarillo, Texas, at 8:30 p. m. Saturday, July 21st. As there will be important business to come before the Association, I urgently urge all members to be present on that date. If you can't be with us in person have some one to represent you by proxy. If you fail to come or to have some one to represent you and the Association does something you do not approve of you will have no one to blame but yourself. As you have subscribed your money to help run this car, it is your duty to help us by your suggestions and by your presence to make a success of it. At this meeting we will vote on the man that will have charge of the car and several other important matters. Please don't forget the PLACE, TIME AND DATE. The Commercial Club rooms at Amarillo Saturday, July 21st, at 8:30 p. m.

Yours very truly,

The Panhandle Exhibit Association

By P. L. PERSON, Chairman.

The Panhandle

Do You Know Where the
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Do you know of the many advantages the Panhandle holds out to Homeseekers? If you don't know, and want to know all about the Panhandle, write us for descriptive literature. The Southern Kansas Railway Company of Texas and the Pecos Valley Lines traverse the Panhandle of Texas.

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J. D. STOCKING.

—Try Thompson next time; he will do you right.

LIVE STOCK

Cause of Weak Foals.

So many breeders of horses have had luck in raising foals from their pure-bred or high-grade mares that we are asked to give some reasons for the weakness which characterizes the young animals at birth and leads to their immediate and speedy death. This is a vexed question. It would seem certain that the general use of pampered, fat, sluggish and even drugged stallions may have a good deal to do with the trouble. It is sensible to believe that the progeny of a worked, muscular, perfectly healthy stallion should be stronger at birth than those from the pampered beasts we have described. But many hold that the mare decides entirely the condition and constitution of the foal at birth, a claim that can scarcely be proved from the facts. At the same time we are of the opinion that the mare has more to do with the condition of the foal than has the sire, says A. S. Alexander in Farmers' Review.

He has merely the influence imparted in his vital fluid, and the character of that fluid or its vital element depends to a certain degree at least upon his bodily condition. But the mare nourishes her fetus from her blood, and her blood is built from her food and the air she is given a chance to breathe. If her food is deficient in quantity and quality and she has not the opportunity to perfectly exercise her body each day during pregnancy, it should be clear that her blood will suffer in quality and condition. It will become impure through stagnation or starvation, and the foal in her womb must of necessity suffer in proportion to the degree of imperfection of nutriment afforded by the dam.

While it is important, highly so, to have the sire in the best possible condition to insure virile secretions, and both factors to the breeding operation should be as nearly equal in condition as possible, seeing that like produces like, it is of even greater importance that the brood mare should be at all times, prior to conception, at time of breeding and during the entire period of gestation, in the best possible condition of bodily health. If such be her condition the foal should be born healthy, if there are no hereditary influences to the contrary, and such is indeed the case in a majority of instances; for there is always some fairly apparent cause for weakness in foals as a prevailing trouble in the breeding operations of the farm.

The weak foal may be the product of incomplete nutrition of the dam. That is, she may have an abundance of food of a kind, but it lacks some element of nutrition necessary to her complete nutrition or to that of her fetus, as an extra effort over and above her own maintenance. Or the food may be of such a character that it will scarcely maintain the mare, and for that reason she lacks surplus nutriment from which to form a healthy, full-sized, robust foal. As complaints of weak foals are already coming in, there is another apparent cause which should be mentioned. That is, breeding mares in the winter season of the year. Nature evidently intended mares to breed after they have shed their winter coats and been got into proper condition of body by the action of green grass upon the system.

The natural breeding season commences about April 1st and continues till the end of July. Where mares bring forth in May or June they have got over the troubles of coat casting and weaning from winter to summer diet, and the foal comes into the world when green grass induces a full flow of milk of the proper quality for best results. The May and June foal are far stronger as a rule than these coming in the winter or very early in the spring, and the weather favors the former and is against the latter. The lesson is that Nature should be copied when we artificially conduct operations with living organisms. To offend Nature's laws may mean disaster. In breeding too early, from pampered, over-fed, under-exercised parents, we should expect weak foals and all the ailments to which such weaklings are heir. But whether we expect them or not we get them and preventive measures should be adopted in our future work.

Mrs. Burley Goldston, of Memphis, came up to see home folks and to spend the 4th in Clarendon, returning home Sunday.

The shower of Tuesday afternoon took on the qualities of a small cloudburst just west of town. Parties coming to town immediately after report the road badly washed out.

Does Food Increase Size of Fowls?

The question is asked if any particular food can be given that will produce unusual size in fowls. The answer is, no. All foods that are easily digested and nutritious will help to produce that size, but it takes generations to greatly affect the general size. In this country fowls have increased in size largely because of an abundance of nutritious food and the continued selection of birds for increase of size. It has been noticed that the Jersey cows brought to this country in a few generations greatly increase in size. This is doubtless due to the same general reason that is the cause of the increase of human stature here—the supply of good food. The reason is, also a good one in the domain of poultry. The best food that can be given for the increase of size is a balanced ration, that is, a ration not too much overbalanced on the side of either the proteins or the fats. Meat in some form will act as a stimulant.

Feeding Turkeys.

I have raised a great many turkeys, but have never had any experience in raising turkeys in confinement. About the only confining I do is that relating to the mother hen and poult while they are still very small. The old hen should not be allowed to roam until the poults are strong enough to follow her about. When we have poults in confinement we always feed the poults some kind of chick feed or bread crumbs, but this is always fed dry. I give them clean water and let them have the run of the farm without feeding them any. After poults become large enough to run about they will pick up all the food they can possibly use and this makes it unnecessary to feed them.—A. J. Eppley, Wabash County, Ind.

When the brood sows begin to hunt around for stuff for nests, see that they get nice, clean straw. Mouldy hay or straw is liable to induce skin diseases.

Care of Brood Mares.

Brood mares during the winter previous to foaling, if not worked daily, should be kept in an open yard with shelter from severe storms. Daily exercise is very important to them during this period. Enslage is too much of a laxative to be adopted as a daily ration for mares with foal. Dry corn stalks will have the opposite effect on them. Both conditions are equally injurious to the prospective mother. One feed of corn stalks and one of hay with access to a rack kept well filled with fresh straw with a few ears of corn daily will prove an economical as well as a safe way of feeding mares that are not in harness during the winter season.—R. B. Ogilvie.

Well-Fed Sheep Improve the Farm.

It is a mistake to suppose that a farm can be improved in productivity by merely putting on a flock of sheep. It can be increased in productivity by the sheep, provided the sheep are well fed and well cared for. The sheep can add nothing to the farm unless feed is imported for the use of the sheep. The most they can do is to change unmerchantable fodder into mutton and wool that can be sold at a profit.

Blind Inventor.

A blind man named Noack, of Wittenberg, has invented an automatic disconnector for electric currents which can be made to break the connection according to will at any time from one to fifteen minutes and can be fitted to any apparatus. The cost of the invention is 60 cents. Noack is 47 and has been blind since the day following his birth.

R. T. Shannon left this week for Pueblo, Colo., where he will remain for some time.

W. B. Scrimshire, of Mansville, I. T., came in yesterday for a visit with his old friend, Homer Mulkey.

Mrs. D. L. McClellan and son, John, left yesterday for a visit to their daughter and sister, Mrs. Eugene Noland, at Stratford.

Charles Baldwin and family, also Mr. Baldwin's father and family, came in yesterday and will at once take possession of their new home, the Bob Cates place east of town.

A. R. Guill was here from Rowe yesterday and reported the purchase by himself from Jim Hundley of the Rowe Hotel property, consideration \$1400. He takes charge Monday and will run a strictly first-class hotel.

THE HEREFORD NORMAL

Some Items of Interest, as Seen By a
Citizen of Clarendon in the
Laid Faced Town.

HEREFORD, Tex., July 9.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

The all absorbing topic with your correspondent just at present here in Hereford is the Summer Normal now in session. Seventy teachers, or those who wish to to teach, make up the school. So far the progress of the work has been all that could be sought by both faculty and teachers.

But like all matters pertaining to education in the Panhandle, its chief inspiration comes from Clarendon, the largest delegation of teachers here being from Donley county, with the exception of those from Hereford. Not only this, but the faculty is composed entirely of Clarendon educators, those in charge being Profs. Quigley, Johnston and Silvey.

The great majority of the citizens of Hereford are so busily engaged in selling land, and other matters pertaining to homeseekers, that the Summer Normal is scarcely heard of away from the College and dormitories.

Tourist trains arrive here about twice a week, some of them loaded with prospectors from the North, and a great deal of business is being done by the real estate men.

Four large automobiles run out to the Syndicate ranch lands nearly every day loaded with prospective land buyers, and the hotels are so crowded that it is very difficult to get entertainment at times.

The streets of Hereford have been resonant lately to the whistle of the traction engine, that has been plowing and grading up the streets. It seems a shame to spoil these pretty level streets with great furrows at the crossings.

The glorious fourth of July was given very little attention here. It was not observed in a public way at all, but many individuals showed their patriotism by displaying flags and bunting. The Summer Normal observed the day by resting from work and picnicing on the Terra Blanco Canyon.

Profs. Quigley and Silvey went down to the canyon the evening before prepared with fishing tackle, and had caught about 75 of the finny tribe before the normal students arrived the next morning. Fish in abundance were served for dinner.

Ex. Gov. J. N. Browing delivered a very instructive address to the students of the Summer Normal, and the citizens of Hereford Friday evening on the subject, "How our laws are made."

Besides those named above the following teachers are from Clarendon: G. B. Harding, E. R. Cottingham, Misses Mary Bourland, Nellie Ryan, Myrtle Angel and Willie Thompson.

President Elliott of the Panhandle Christian College is making the stay of the teachers at the College dormitories as pleasant as they could possibly wish; large cool rooms an abundance of fresh cool water, and good eatables are supplied to them.

Ice.

No family can afford to be without this luxury when they can get 50 pounds of ice for 25 cents. Phone orders to the Cold Storage Market, No. 16, or stop the ice wagon.

—Phone orders for Fred Chamberlain's vegetables and fruits to the Cold Storage Market. Phone No. 16.

Star No. Forty-Six.

The conference report on the Statehood bill was adopted by the Senate without a division on June 13 and by the House on the 14th, and the bill was signed by the President on the 16th. It provides for the admission of Oklahoma as one State.

The new commonwealth will be by far the most populous that ever entered the Union, exceeding even those that joined full-grown. Its present population is estimated at from 1,500,000 to 1,800,000, and it will begin its career with five Representatives in Congress. Guthrie is to be its capital until 1913, but no money is to be spent on permanent buildings until the definite location of the seat of government is decided.

Oklahoma will be larger than any State east of the Mississippi. Although only one out of forty-six commonwealths of the American Union, it will surpass any of nineteen independent powers of the world in extent and any one of eleven in population. Its accession will bring with it the admission of the civilized tribes of Indians to citizenship and will carry us within sight of the end of the experiment of herding the Indians on reservations, which is almost as old as English civilization on this continent. Two-thirds of the people of the Indian Territory are white already, and when there is no longer an Indian Territory there will soon be no more Indians.

—Collier's Weekly.

Modest Claims Often Carry the Most Conviction.

When Maxim, the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be much below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise instead of a disappointment. It is the same with the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. They do not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the users make the statements. What they do claim, is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail. For sale at Dr. Stocking's Drug Store.

Rev. V. H. Trammell returned Monday from Georgetown, where he has been taking a course in the summer session of that institution. He will at once resume his work on the Hereford Mission.—Hereford Brand.

Don't Be Backward.

Do not hesitate to ask for a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. We are glad to give to anyone who is troubled with biliousness, constipation, or any disorder of the stomach. Many have been permanently cured by their use. Dr. J. D. Stocking's Drug Store.

We can hear nothing but words of praise concerning the manner in which the big fourth of July celebration at Clarendon was managed. This sounds well to us and we hope circumstances will be such that Alanreed can have a double-day celebration next year.—Alanreed Times.

N. B. Truth, St. Paul, June 31, 05.—I've lived so long, I remember well when the Mississippi was a brook. My good health and long life came by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents.—Ask your Druggist.

John Jackson threshed his wheat on the 4th of July and it yielded 21 bushels per acre of wheat weighing 61 pounds to the bushel.—Hall County Herald.

—The Globe has come to be recognized as the leading men's furnishing goods store in Clarendon. Everything for men and boys from a tailor made suit down to a two-for-a-quarter collar or a 5c handkerchief. Ask Dubbs. tf

Clarendon College Notes.

(Delayed from last week.)

Rev. J. R. Mood, who spent last Saturday and Sunday in Oklahoma in the interest of Clarendon College, expects to leave next Saturday for Amarillo to preach and push the merits of the institution in which we are all concerned.

Sam Hardy, son of Rev. G. S. Hardy, is quite sick at the College with slow fever. Dr. Stocking thinks that the causes of the disease have passed and that our young friend is now on the fair road to recovery.

At the barbecue and celebration of the Glorious Fourth the representatives of Clarendon College moved among the friends that were here from neighboring towns, and distributed catalogues of the institution.

The improvements on the boys' dormitory at the College speak well for the energy and enterprise of the agent, Rev. G. S. Hardy.

A Tragic Finish.

A watchman's neglect permitted a leak in the great North Sea dyke, which a child's finger could have stopped, to become a ruinous break, devastating an entire province of Holland. In like manner Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., permitted a little cold to go unnoticed until a tragic finish was only averted by Dr. King's New Discovery. He writes: "Three doctors gave me up to die of lung inflammation, caused by a neglected cold; but Dr. King's New Discovery saved my life. Guaranteed best cough and cold cure, at Dr. Stocking's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Cattle For Sale.

Twelve 3-year-old cows, ten calves, one 2-year-old bull, all registered Herefords, and no better cattle in the country. Can be seen at my farm one mile from Clarendon. See or address, G. S. HARDY, Clarendon, Texas. tf

It has caused more laughs and dried more tears, wiped away diseases and driven away more fears than any other medicine in the world. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. —Ask your Druggist.

4th of July at McLean.

Our Chief is in New York having a gay time, our devil is at Clarendon on the firing line; the country is ringing Liberty's bell, while we are here working like h—.—McLean News.

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. tf

Black Locust Trees.

Send your orders now: 8 to 12 inch trees, \$1.50 per 1000; 12 to 20 inch, \$2.50 per 1000; 5 to 7 feet, fine stock, \$15 per 1000.

PANHANDLE NURSERY, Clarendon, Texas. tf

Boys and Girls

Just out of school would be profited by a course in Penmanship, Bookkeeping or Shorthand at Amarillo Business College. tf

Saturday last a deal was closed whereby four sections of the M-ranch passes from A. C. Andrews to W. A. Orr of Ferris, Ellis county, Texas. Nearly every acre of this land is good and smooth. The consideration was \$10.50 per acre, which is considered a bargain for the purchasers.—Claude News.

There Are Doctors

And doctors, but the best doctor for a sick watch or clock is the old reliable J. M. Clower. tf

Don't forget about Cold Storage Lard being the best and cheapest lard on the market. Every pail guaranteed. Cold Storage Market. Phone 16. tf

From Jim Owens.

FREDONTO, ARIZ., June 30.

COOKE & KELLEY, Clarendon, Texas.

DEAR OLD FRIENDS:—After a long delay I send you herewith some money on subscription account for the good old Banner-Stockman. It is nearly all the company I have although I get it only once a month, as I am 105 miles from the nearest postoffice, and my nearest neighbor is 40 miles away.

I am day-herding a herd of buffaloes and catalogues in a pine forest in what is known as Buckskin mountain, near the Grand Canyon, Arizona Territory. Don't have much time to go 105 miles after the mail; it keeps me busy to keep sight my buffalo in this pine forest. So good-by, old friends.

JIM OWENS.

Bowel Complaint in Children.

During the summer months children are subject to disorders of the bowels which should receive careful attention as soon as the first unnatural looseness of the bowels appears. The best medicine in use for lowel complaint is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as it promptly controls any unnatural looseness of the bowels. For sale at Dr. Stocking's Drug Store.

On the 7th page of this paper will be found the three Constitutional amendments to be voted on at the November election. One is to increase the salary of Legislators to \$1000 per year for the first or regular session, and in the event a special or called session is held the amendment provides an extra compensation of \$5 per day; it also allows three cents per mile for railroad fare by the most direct route to and from Austin, and strictly prohibits, under penalty of forfeiture of office the acceptance of any free railroad pass, sleeping car tickets, telegraph or telephone franks. It is a good law and should receive the endorsement of all good citizens. The next amendment is one to exempt from taxation property used for religious, burial, school or public purposes; and the third is to provide for levying a tax to pay jurors. Read them carefully.

For Sale or Rent.

Two good work horses, two sets of harness, and one good second-hand wagon. Will sell together or separately. A GREAT BARGAIN. See me at my residence in Clarendon. tf

J. T. BELL.

The McLean base ball team went up against the real thing at Clarendon. Our boys got 0, while Clarendon scored 16. The boys say they played a league team.—McLean News.

—Priddy & Reeves represent the St. Paul, New York Underwriters, Phenix, Commercial-Union, German-American, Hamburg-Bremen, Queen, Duchess and the Commonwealth Insurance Companies. tf

Wilbur N. Smith, of Lufkin, Texas, came in for the 4th and will spend several weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Smith, eight miles east of town.

—Now in stock, Massage and plain Bath Sprays; get one for your bath room from W. C. Stewart. tf

Horseshoeing.

"Jumbo" the best hand at shoeing horses in the state of Texas, is now working at my shop. Bring on your horses and have them shod right. tf

E. A. TAYLOR.

Sewing Machine For Sale.

New Home, ball bearing, \$65 machine in good repair for sale at \$20. See D. C. White, Clarendon Texas. tf

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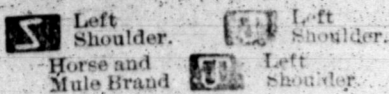
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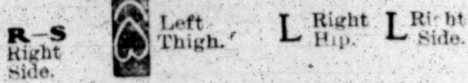


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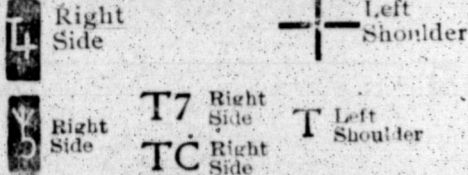
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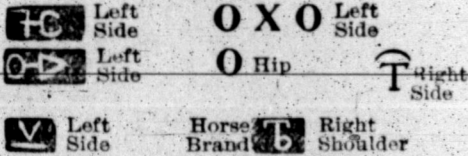
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Constitution Relating to Certain Ex-
emptions from Taxation.
Joint Resolution to amend Section 2
of Article VIII of the Constitution of
the State of Texas, relating to certain
exemptions from taxation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of
the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 2, of Article
VIII, of the Constitution of the State
of Texas, be so amended that the same
shall read as follows, to-wit:
"All occupation taxes shall be equal
and uniform upon the same class of
subjects within the limits of the au-
thority of levying the tax; but the
Legislature may, by general laws, ex-
empt from taxation public property
used for public purposes; places of
religious worship; places of burial
not held for private or corporate
profit; all buildings used exclusively
and owned by persons or associations
of persons for school purposes and the
necessary furniture of all schools, also
the endowment funds of such institu-
tions of learning and religion not used
with a view to profit and when the
same are invested in bonds or mort-
gages, or in land or other property
which has been and shall hereafter be
bought in by such institutions under
foreclosure sales made to satisfy or
protect such bonds or mortgages; that
such exemption of such land and prop-
erty shall continue only for two years
after the purchase of the same at such
sale by such institutions and no longer,
and institutions of purely public
charity; and all laws exempting prop-
erty from taxation other than the
property above mentioned shall be
null and void."

Section 2. The Governor of the State
shall and he is hereby directed to issue
the necessary proclamation for the
submission of this amendment to the
qualified voters of the State of Texas
at the next general election for State
and County officers.
Section 3. The qualified electors for
members of the Legislature of the
State of Texas shall vote upon this
amendment on the — day of —, at
which election all persons favoring
said amendment shall have written or
printed on the ballot as follows: "For
amendment to Section 2, Article 8 of
the Constitution exempting from tax-
ation endowment funds used exclu-
sively for school purposes." And those op-
posed to said amendment shall have
written or printed on the ballot as fol-
lows: "Against amendment to Section
2, Article 8, of the Constitution ex-
empting from taxation endowment
funds used exclusively for school pur-
poses."

Section 4. The sum of \$5000 or so
much thereof as may be necessary is
hereby appropriated out of any funds
in the treasury of the State of Texas,
not otherwise appropriated to pay the
expenses of such publication, procla-
mation, and election.
[A true copy.] O. K. SHANNON,
Secretary of State.

Proposed Amendment to the State
Constitution Authorizing the Levy
of a Tax to Pay Jurors.

Joint Resolution amending Section
9, of Article 8, of the Constitution of
the State of Texas, providing for the
levying of a tax of not exceeding fif-
teen cents on the one hundred dollars
valuation, to pay jurors.
Section 1. Be it resolved by the Leg-
islature of the State of Texas: That
Section 9, of Article 8, of the Consti-
tution of the State of Texas, be so
amended as to hereafter read as fol-
lows:

Section 9. The State tax on prop-
erty, exclusive of the tax necessary to
pay the public debt, and of the taxes
provided for the benefit of the public
free schools, shall never exceed thirty-
five cents on the one hundred dollars
valuation; and no county, city or town
shall levy more than twenty-five cents
for city or county purposes, and not
exceeding fifteen cents for road and
bridge, and not exceeding fifteen
cents to pay jurors, on the one hun-
dred dollars valuation, except for the
payment of debts incurred prior to the
adoption of the amendment September
25th, 1883, and for the erection of pub-
lic buildings, streets, sewers, water
works and other permanent improve-
ments, not to exceed twenty-five cents
on the one hundred dollars valuation,
in any one year, and except as is in
this Constitution otherwise provided;
and the Legislature may also author-
ize an additional annual ad valorem tax
to be levied and collected for the fur-
ther maintenance of the public roads;
provided, that a majority of the qual-
ified property tax-paying voters of the
county voting at an election to be held
for that purpose shall vote such tax,
not to exceed fifteen cents on the one
hundred dollars valuation of the prop-
erty subject to taxation in such coun-
ty. And the Legislature may pass local
laws for the maintenance of the public
roads and highways, without the local
notice required for special or local
laws.

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby di-
rected to issue the necessary procla-
mation for submitting this amendment to
the Constitution to the qualified voters
of the State of Texas, on the first
Tuesday after the first Monday in No-
vember, 1906, at which election all
voters favoring this amendment shall
have written or printed on their bal-
lots, "For the amendment to authorize
the levy of a tax to pay jurors." The
voters opposed to this amendment
shall have written or printed on their
ballots, "Against the amendment to
authorize the levy of a tax to pay
jurors."
[A true copy.] O. K. SHANNON,
Secretary of State.

Proposed Amendment to the State
Constitution Fixing Salaries and Per
Diem of Legislators.

House Joint Resolution authorizing
the submission to a vote of the people
of the State of Texas of a proposed
amendment of Section 24, Article 3, of
the Constitution of the State of Texas,
fixing the salaries and mileage of
members of the Legislature, and pre-
venting the accepting, for themselves
or for others, by members of the Leg-
islature of free passes, franks, rebates,
privileges or advantages from certain
persons and corporations.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Leg-
islature of the State of Texas: That
at the next general election of the
State of Texas, or at any previous
election, in case an election for the
State shall be had or ordered by the
Governor for other purposes, there
shall be submitted to the electors of
the State of Texas, for their approval
or disapproval, the following amend-
ment to the Constitution of the State
of Texas, as provided for in Section 1,
Article 17 of said Constitution, relat-
ing to proposed amendments thereto,
it being intended to amend Section 24,
Article 3 of said Constitution, relating
to the pay of members of the Legisla-
ture, so that the said Section shall
read as follows:

Sec. 24. The members of the Legis-
lature shall receive from the public
treasury such compensation for their
services as may from time to time be
provided by law, not exceeding one
thousand dollars for the year succeed-
ing their election, payable in equal in-
stallments, on the first days of Janu-
ary, February, March and April of the
year succeeding their election, and five
dollars per day for each day of every
special session held during the second
year of the term for which said mem-
bers shall be elected. In addition to
said compensation the members of
each house shall be entitled to mileage
going to and returning from the seat
of government, which mileage shall
not exceed three cents per mile, the
distance to be computed by the near-
est and most direct route of travel by
land, regardless of railways or water
routes; and the Comptroller of the
State shall prepare and preserve a
table of distances to each county seat,
now or hereafter to be established, and
by said table the mileage of each mem-
ber shall be paid; but no member shall
be entitled to mileage for any extra
session that may be called within one
day after adjournment of any regular
or called session. It shall be unlawful
for any member of the legislature
during his term of office to ac-
cept any free transportation over
any railway line or lines in this
State, and any member of the Legis-
lature violating the provisions of this
Act prohibiting the acceptance of free
transportation shall forfeit the office to
which he has been elected. And it
shall be unlawful for any of such
members to accept, receive, have, use
or enjoy, directly or indirectly, for
themselves or any other person, any
free pass, frank, rebate, privilege or
advantage not accorded to the general
public from any railroad company,
telegraph company, telephone com-
pany, sleeping car company, or other
corporation, or any persons, firm or
corporation acting as a common car-
rier in this State. Any member of the
Legislature violating this provision
shall forfeit his office. And the nec-
essary laws shall be enacted to carry out
the provisions of this Article.
[A true copy.] O. K. SHANNON,
Secretary of State.

Only 82 Years Old.

"I am only 82 years old and don't ex-
pect even when I get to be real old to
feel that way as long as I can get Elec-
tric Bitters," says Mrs. E. H. Brunson,
of Dublin, Ga. Surely there's nothing
else keeps the old as young and makes
the weak as strong as this grand tonic
medicine. Dyspepsia, torpid liver, in-
flamed kidneys or chronic constipation
are unknown after taking Electric Bit-
ters a reasonable time. Guaranteed by
J. D. Stocking druggist. Price 50c.

Reports from thrashermen
throughout the country are not
coming up to the expectations of
farmers. Some crops have run as
low as six bushels per acre, while
others have averaged more than 25
bushels per acre. The general
average, is something near 15
bushels. The cause of this is
attributed in some instances to late
sowing; in others to rust and the
delay in cutting caused by the
heavy rains. The price for wheat
in this city is between 77c and 80c,
basis No. 2. The oat crop is very
heavy—better in fact than any
previous crop produced in the
county. They are selling at 28c
and 30c sacked—Wichita Times.

Old Chronic Sores.

As a dressing for old chronic sores there
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While it is not advisable to heal old sores
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INE** is purely vegetable and contains no mineral or narcotic
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Delights, Pleasurable Opportunities and
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mals. A household necessity. Sold and guaranteed by Dr. J. D. Stocking, Clarendon,
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Best Maitland Coal. Honest price.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For State Senator, 29th District,
D. E. DECKER,
of Hardeman County.
JOHN W. VEALE,
of Potter County.

For District Judge, 47th District,
J. N. BROWNING.
IRA WEBSTER

For Sheriff and Tax Collector,
J. T. PATMAN.
J. MARION WILLIAMS.

For County Treasurer,
J. M. CLOWER.
GUSS JOHNSON.

For County and District Clerk,
C. A. BURTON.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3,
E. E. MCGEE.

Baseball shoes at Rathjen's. tf

—Bed Bug Beater at Stockings.

Watch repairing is my specialty.
tf J. M. Clower.

—We write Fire and Tornado
insurance, Priddy & Reeves. tf

J. W. Martin, the Claude mer-
chant, was here Tuesday.

—Comfort shoes for ladies at
Rathjen's. tf

E. R. Reeves, of Jericho, was
here Monday.

—Buy Bed Bug Beater at
Stockings. The best remedy. tf

Del W. Harrington, mayor of
Dalhart, was here Wednesday on
business.

—Daily and Kerbow will help
you keep out the flies by selling
screen doors at actual cost. tf

Mrs. P. A. Buntin returned the
first of the week from a visit to the
old home in Kentucky.

—White canvas shoe polish at
Rathjen's. tf

Mrs. J. H. Kelley and children
left Thursday morning for a two
weeks' visit with her daughter in
Trinidad, Colorado.

—Why raise scrubs when N. N.
Martin will sell registered Here-
ford heifers at a very low price for
the next 30 days? tf

Prof. Wedelin, the trick skater,
occupied the attention of a large
crowd at the rink Monday night.
His work was good and met with
applause.

—Clarendon Lumber Co. lumber
is popular for finishing purposes be-
cause it has the qualities that count
for style in a nice piece of finishing
work. tf

I. D. Shaw, of Alanreed, was
here Tuesday with good reports
from crops. Mr. Shaw has lately
entered the reale state business at
Alanreed.

—Bed Bug Beater is the best
bed bug beater; it beats bed bugs
and all other bed bug beaters badly.
Buy it at Stockings and get im-
munity from the little pests. tf

—Cooked meat morning and
evening on Mondays, Wednesdays
and Saturdays at the Cold Storage
Market. Phone 16. Don't forget
the days. tf

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, Ama-
rillo, Texas, Specialist on the dis-
eases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and
Throat. Rooms 1 and 2, Eakle
Building. Hours 9-12 a. m., 2 to
6 p. m. tf

—Finks' overalls are the best;
for sale at Thompson's. tf

R. W. Talley came home from
Bovina a week ago Sunday suffer-
ing with his eyes. He has since
been confined to a dark room and
has suffered much pain. Dr.
Stocking thinks he is slowly im-
proving.

—Wall paper at Stockings. tf

—See our hats. The Globe. tf

—Insure your property with
Priddy & Reeves. tf

J. C. Kuorpp, of Kansas City,
was here the first of the week.

—Let Priddy & Reeves write
your policies. tf

John McClellan was in from the
Jefferies ranch Monday.

Mrs. Lloyd Blackwell returned
Tuesday from a visit to relatives in
Amarillo.

Dr. Stocking reports a new
girl baby at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Sam Roberts since Saturday.

Watches, clocks and jewelry re-
paired in the best and most lasting
manner by J. M. Clower. tf

Miss Maude Parker, of Ozona, is
visiting Miss Maude Atteberry
this week.

—If your watch or clock needs
a doctor take it to Bushnell at
Stockings' drug store. tf

J. V. Bost is adding another
room to his residence, the old Dr.
White place.

—We will close out all screen
doors at actual cost. Daily &
Kerbow. tf

—Fresh Kandy Kitchen home
made candies now for sale by
Tucker & Tax. The very best. tf

—Better have Dr. Bushnell exam-
ine your eyes. It costs nothing and
may save the only pair of eyes you
will ever have. tf

Mrs. W. F. Dqbbs returned the
latter part of last week from a
visit to her mother, Mrs. S. Homra,
at Seymour.

—If you are in need of a screen
door now is the time to buy it.
We want to get rid of the stock on
hand and will sell them at actual
cost. Daily & Kerbow. tf

Mrs. Dr. T. E. Standifer and
niece, Miss Ray Fields left Sunday
for an outing in Colorado.

Judge O. H. Nelson, the premier
cattleman of the Panhandle, was
here last Saturday on business.

—Just arrived; pretty neckwear
in the new silk and washable four-
in-hands; very swell. The Powell
Trading Co. 2t

—See that remnant of Racket
Goods at Thompson's. You get
bargains in them now. tf

A son of Mr Pemberton left this
week for Dallas where he will en-
ter the Briggs Sanitorium for Tu-
berculosis.

—There's a difference in lumber
the same as in dry goods. You buy
a shoddy piece of cloth and regret it;
you buy a shoddy piece of lumber
and the carpenter gets "cussed" be-
cause it doesn't turn water. Con-
sider quality as well as price. tf
CLARENDON LUMBER CO.

"Red" Evans, who works for J.
D. Jefferies at the ranch, was thrown
from his horse Sunday and sustain-
ed a broken collar bone. He was
brought to town the same night and
patched up by Dr. Carroll.

Bob Moss, of Amarillo, was here
Saturday. He reports that J. H.
Hall, the former Clarendon land
man, recently made a cool \$20,000
in a land deal in the Canyon City
country.

—I have arranged with the Cold
Storage Market for storage room
for my vegetables and fruits. A
full line will be carried at all times
and you can get anything in my
line from the vegetable wagon or
from the market. Phone 16. tf
FRED CHAMBERLAIN.

—Hammar Paint is the most
lasting. Stocking handles it and
will save you money in a paint
deal. tf

The Cash Store

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

COMING

1 car of salt
1 car flour
1/2 car sugar
1/2 car syrup

FEED

Wheat bran and shorts.....\$1.30

CLERKS

There will be six of us to wait on you.

DELIVERY WAGON

We will deliver promptly.

STORE HOUSE

We will move in a few days to the
large corner store now occupied by
Messrs. Mickle-Burgher Hardware Co.
I own the corner store. We will have
plenty of room for awhile.

BUSINESS

As our trade increases we will add more
clerks, so that no one will have to go
away disappointed.

COAL

Maitland lump coal on track, ton, \$9.50

PREMIUM

31 pieces imported china, costs you
nothing. Do you want a set.

T. R. Garrett.

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, it has pleased God in His
infinite love and mercy to call from
our midst our beloved friend and brother,
E. B. Dishman, therefore be it

Resolved: First,—That the Rowe
Sunday School has lost an influential
member, the church a faithful worker,
the community a noble citizen and up-
right gentleman, and the family a lov-
ing, devoted husband and father.

Second—That we, the Rowe Sunday
School, extend to the bereaved family
our sincere sympathy and commend
them to Him who doeth all things well
for consolation; and that we bow in
humble submission to the will of an Allwise
Creator.

Third—That these resolutions be en-
tered on our Sunday School minutes and
a copy be sent to each of the county
papers for publication.

Committee { A. A. BEEDY,
W. M. CAVINESS,
MRS. SALLIE GULL.

For Sale.

See J. B. Anthony for a bargain
in a good second hand wind mill. 1t

J. B. McClelland entertained a
few of his friends at noon luncheon
at his ranch headquarters north of
town last Friday. The editor
regrets that the rush and worry of
press day prevented him from
accepting an invitation to be pres-
ent.

—Dr. Bushnell is meeting with
great success in his optical work in
Clarendon. "I can now see better
than I ever did before," is not an
uncommon expression from those
who have been fitted by his method.

—Priddy & Reeves represent
old line Insurance Companies. 1t

Must Have More Room

THE phenomenal growth of my busi-
ness forces me to provide more room
and for the fall trade I will have

Doubled My Store House

by building a new addition. As
much as I need more room I will
need money to do the building more
than any goods I now have in the
store, so in order to get money I will
pat on a

Special Slaughter Sale

of all my seasonal stock, such as
Millinery, Skirts, Waists, Belts,
Purses, Parasols, Ribbons, Laces,
Dress Trimmings, Etc.

This is Bargain Time

and you should take advantage of my
needs to supply your needs.

Mrs. A. M. Beville

Everybody Works But Father.

If there is a chance to boom
business, boom it. Don't wear a
long bunch of whiskers and look
as though you had a sour
stomach. Hold up your head,
smile and look for Lloyd Blackwell's
barber shop, where we have first
class barbers. Hide your little
hammer and try to think well
of others. When a stranger
drops in town jolly him; tell him
this is the best place on earth to
get a first-class hair cut and
shave—and it is. Don't discour-
age him by telling him of some
bad shave you have gotten in the
past, things are different now.
Lead him to believe that he has
at last struck a place where he
can get first-class work. Be a
good fellow and drop into my shop
—it's dead easy. 1t

Jericho Jottings.

Jericho, Texas, July 10.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:
James Schirk, James Powell, J. A.
Nobles and S. Oxenslager, of Aurora,
Ill., are spending a few days looking
over this part of Donley county.

J. S. Peters, chief engineer of the
Rock Island Railroad, and J. E. Allen,
of Fort Worth, were here this week.

We got a fine rain Sunday evening,
and another rain Tuesday.

F. Y. Keator and wife were up from
their ranch Tuesday. They report a fine
rain at their place.

Wells! Wells! Wells!!!

If you want a well dug see or
write me. A brand new out-
fit. A. D. MAJOR,
Clarendon, Texas,
36-4t

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

The Gun Club.

The members of the Clarendon Gun
Club are practicing quite regularly now,
and for beginners are making some good
scores. A number of the members con-
template going down to Childress on the
18th to participate in the big shoot on
the 18th and 19th. The scores made
during the past week are given below,
no names appearing where less than half
the targets shot at were broken. Each
shoot was for 25 blue rocks.

JULY 6.

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|---------------|---|---|---|---|------|
| John E. Cooke | 5 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 4-22 |
| J. T. Patman | 3 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 5-21 |
| Dick Allen | 5 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 3-20 |
| H. B. White | 4 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 4-19 |
| B. F. Smith | 3 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 4-18 |
| George Melton | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4-16 |
| Tom Buntin | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3-13 |

JULY 9.

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|---------------|---|---|---|---|------|
| Dick Allen | 4 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 5-21 |
| B. F. Smith | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 5-20 |
| J. G. Martin | 3 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 4-20 |
| H. B. White | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 3-20 |
| John E. Cooke | 4 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 3-19 |
| J. T. Patman | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4-18 |

JULY 10.

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|---------------|---|---|---|---|------|
| John E. Cooke | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5-24 |
| Dick Allen | 5 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 4-21 |
| H. B. White | 4 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 3-18 |
| J. T. Patman | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3-15 |

JULY 11.

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|---------------|---|---|---|---|------|
| John E. Cooke | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5-21 |
| Dick Allen | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2-19 |
| B. F. Smith | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 5-15 |

To Ice Consumers.

Any of our ice customers who do
not want ice delivered on Sunday
can get it on Saturday evening by
leaving orders at the Cold Storage
Market. Phone 16. 1t

Farmers, Attention.

I will buy your fresh vegetables
and fruits. Bring them to me at
the Cold Storage Market and get
the highest price in cash.

FRED CHAMBERLAIN.

Miss Gill McElya, of Lancer,
Ky., is visiting her brother, O. R.
McElya of this city.

DO IT YOURSELF!
Brighten up your
Home with
LACQUERET
HOUSEHOLD LACQUER

If your Furniture, Woodwork
or Floors are old, faded, soiled
or scratched
A CAN OF LACQUERET
WILL WORK A TRANSFORMATION
FOR SALE

At Dr. Stocking's Drug Store.