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FOOT CRUSHED BY TRAIN

Little Italys Winger had Misfortune to Lose her Right Foot in Accident Sunday Morning.

Sunday morning about 9:45 o'clock E. H. Winger and little daughter, Italys, were crossing the Denver track near the coal chute, and between two freight cars which were about six feet apart, when the little girl, who was a few feet behind her father, slipped and fell. Just at this time the cars were backed, one wheel running over the right leg of the little one and crushing it in such a matter that it had to be amputated. It is a very distressing accident and numerous reports have been circulated about how it happened, but the facts are as stated.

Drs. Hamm and Standifer were called and after consultation decided that the limb could not be saved, but must be amputated, which they did, taking it off just a few inches below the knee. The little maid is only about five years old and has stood the ordeal remarkably well, resting at last reports as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Frank Slay visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, at Clarendon last week, returning home Sunday.—Claude News.

Mrs. Guinn, who has been here for two or three months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Allen, left Saturday for Clarendon where she will spend two or three months visiting.—Stratford Star.

Road Bond Election Defeated

Saturday the citizens of Donley county voted on the road bond election, to decide whether or not the county should spend \$500,000 for the improvement of the roads in this county. The election was quiet and only about half the voters went to the poles. Every box in the county went against the issuance of the bonds excepting Clarendon, Old Town and Rowe Ranch, the vote here being 121 for and 55 against.

Following is the vote at the other boxes:

	For	Against
Hedley	6	64
Bray	2	15
Giles	0	20
Lelia	16	23
Jericho	7	9
Oldtown	10	3
Whiteface	0	9
Watkins	0	7
Rowe Ranch	7	4

Making the issue loose by a vote of 168 to 209 in the county.

J. F. Blocker and family from twelve miles north of town was in the city Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Sayre.

Mrs. E. H. Nolen arrived in the city from Stratsford, the first of the week and has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McClellan. Mr. Nolen will come here in a few days and they will make their home in this city. The Banner-Stockman welcomes them here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zeigler were in the city the first of the week from the J. A. Ranch.

REVIVAL CLOSED SUNDAY

Over One Hundred Conversions. Forty Additions to Methodist church.

The Revival at the Methodist church closed Sunday night and Rev. Coale left for his home at Munday on the morning train Monday morning. Prof. Phillips went east on the evening train Monday evening and will visit friends in Memphis before returning home. The tabernacle was torn down Monday, and the activity of the church is now directed to the building of the new church.

The results of the meeting aside from the general strengthening of the church and the membership has been over one hundred conversions and reclamations, forty additions to the Methodist church and a number to other churches of the city.

Hedley to have Schoolhouse.

E. R. Clarke and J. E. M. Hedley were in the city Monday from Hedley to bring in the results of the road bond and Hedley school bond elections, they being the presiding officers of the elections. Elsewhere will appear the result of the road bond election there, and the school bond election carried by a vote of 54 for and 17 against. The majority called for the erection of a \$10,000 school house, bonds to be issued for the purpose of raising the money.

CATTLE INSPECTOR NAMED

C. J. Derrick of Clarendon is Appointed by E. H. Sadler. Closer Work in Future.

J. C. Derrick of Clarendon has been appointed by E. H. Sadler as assistant inspector for the Texas Cattle Raisers' association. Mr. Derrick will come to Amarillo and establish his headquarters and begin his duties without delay. This appointment is made in view of the fact that the inspection is to be conducted upon extra critical lines in the future. Officers of the association feel that the membership deserves the fullest protection possible, and also that through its force of inspectors alone may this end be attained.

Lax inspection, perhaps due to limited number of men in this department, has been a matter of adverse criticism at the hands of some members in this city and elsewhere, and it is probable that this has been conducive to enlargement of the force of inspectors.—Dailey Panhandle.

Our room was visited by Misses Maude Smith and Katy Belle Hatchett of Clarendon College last Monday.—School notes, Childress Index.

Roy Sparks, who has been on a visit with his mother and friends in this city, left Monday night for Philadelphia and from there he will go to join the fleet again.

Our Sale

Last week was a mover, but we yet have some bargains to offer; something that will interest you, and something that you need.

Notice Our Prices

A few young mens and boys suits worth \$7.50, choice	\$3.00
A few young mens and boys suits worth \$5.00 choice	\$2.50
Balance of suits, prices in proportion.	
Men and boys overalls and jumpers \$1.00 grade, except E. & W. brand	75c
Men and boys overalls and jumpers, 75c grade except E. & W. brand	50c
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Good new Cheviots, 12 1-2c grade now	10c
Good new Cotton Plaids 7 1-2c grade now	6c
Outing flannel 10c grade now	8 1-2c
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Mr. Oller Gives His Methods.

To The Banner-Stockman:

I come again knocking for admission and space in your valuable paper. I want to thank you for past favors, and hope this will not find the waste basket, as I would love to give to the brother farmers more of my experience on broom corn culture and the handling of same. It seems as though quite a number of farmers have become interested in the business, and if the Clarendon business men would become so interested as to induce some man to build a ware house and make Clarendon a shipping point—the writer thinks this the life of any town to get all the home enterprises it can. I feel very interested in our home town.

There have been some good ideas set forth in several articles on broom corn, but some of the writer thinks are misleading and liable to deceive. One writer said he raised two to three tons per acre. Must have meant stalk and all. The best yield I ever raised was a half ton per acre, thrashed. I count on a third of a ton per acre of brush.

My way of planting is same as maize, twelve inches apart in row three to four seed in hill. This distance will make a good salable brush. I cultivate same as kaffir or maize. My way of harvesting is, when the seed begins to turn red I commence cutting. First break it over two rows together.

Some table it but I prefer breaking it so the heads will be about waist high, it can be easily cut. Break so two rows can be cut at the same time, that is, break two rows to the middle. This way you can cut and pile four rows together. I let lay in piles until cured, and then gather in bundles and tie with binder twine with loop in one end. Some may think this a loss of time, but it saves time and labor, for when it is handled loose it takes two extra hands at thrashing to straiten, for in handling loose it becomes all tangled. I never bulk it with seed on unless thoroughly cured, for the seed will heat in a few hours when green, and will turn the straw dark, which injures the price some. If possible, prevent raining on the corn after it is cut.

For planting seed, I leave a small patch standing till the seed mature and then cut and sort out the best heads. This method will grade the brush and keep it good. Be careful about planting close to kaffir corn, maize or sorghum or it will mix and run out. I have given my way of handling broom corn but others need not follow my way if they have a better way. As this is my last on this subject, if any one reading this wants any information they can have it by addressing me at Bray, Texas; enclosing stamped envelope. Success to Banner-Stockman and its editor. G. A. Oller

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This is an invitation to you to come in and look at our stock of groceries and get our prices. If the goods and prices are not satisfactory you are not expected to buy. We are always glad to show you whether you buy or not.

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B. Y. P. U. Program.

May 2.

Leader—Mr. Ratcliff.

Subject—With Jesus on the mountain.

Prayer.

Song.

Prayer.

Music.

Scripture reading in three parts:

(1) Luke 9:28-36 by Floyd Howard.

(2) Mark 9:2-13 by Barline Hedgpeth.

(3) Matt. 17:1-13 by D. D. Kendrick.

Paper on Moses and Elijah: What they stood for and how their lives ended.—Annie Bourland.

Song.

Devotional talk on the theme, "From the Transfiguration to the Epileptic Boy."—Mr. Joslin.

Song.

Adjournment.

J. E. Eldridge, of Amarillo, was in the city Saturday.

Real Estate Deal.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 24.—

A deal of considerable importance has been closed this week by J. G. Reeves & Co. and A. J. Parks, involving a large body of land just east of the city. The transaction transferred to Mr. White of Clarendon 69 1/2 acres three miles east of the court house and one mile north of the Interurban for the consideration of \$56,000.

Mr. White will make valuable improvements on the property, already having begun a handsome residence. Other improvements, among them construction of a large dam, or possibly a series of dams, making a series of lakes in the large draw running from south to north, making a beautiful reserve park, are under consideration but have not been definitely determined upon.—Dallas News.

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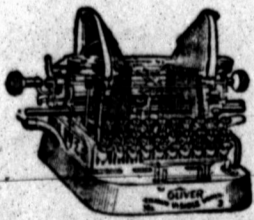
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For rent—A five room house near the college. Apply to Mrs. S. E. Houk.

—Eat Steffens ice cream. Bon Ton sole agents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mace left last night for their home at Melrose, New Mexico.

Mr. A. N. Blair was in Clarendon today and called on the Banner-Stockman.

Don't forget the place, the concrete building the first door south of H. W. Taylor & Sons.

Rev. J. G. Miller has been away from Clarendon all this week holding quarterly conferences at several points north of here.

—Quick Meal Gasoline Stoves and Ranges at Taylor & Sons.

J. K. McMurtry, from twelve miles north of the city, was here Thursday and made a pleasant call at the Banner-Stockman office.

—Quick Meal Gasoline Stoves are considered the best on earth. For sale by H. W. Taylor & Sons.

—All kinds of garden hose, cotton-covered, rubber-wire wound, at Taylor & Sons.

Bruce Gibbons, of Graham, is visiting Dan Foster this week.

Mr. Patterson is in the city this week from Wise County visiting O. R. McElyea.

Mrs. M. J. Holmes and children are visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. M. P. Smith was in the city from Goodnight the first of the week.

Buel Sanford, formerly of Tena-ha, has accepted a position with Bryan and Land.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grounds and daughter, Miss Mary of Archer city, visited Mrs. J. S. Hayter this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eph Taylor visited in Memphis last Sunday.

Elder Dubbs preached at Boydston last Sunday.

Elder J. L. Rhea and daughter, Lorena, were in Dallas the first of the week.

Mr. R. S. Kimberlin says the railroads have guaranteed a rate of one and a quarter for the old soldiers meeting from Altus Oklahoma to Clarendon and from Canyon City also. This rate applies to all points between the two places mentioned and Clarendon.

Lelia Lake Locals.

The Lelia Lake Locals. An entertainment given at the teacher, Mrs. W. A. Amos, was a success and was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mrs. W. A. Amos has returned home from Amarillo where she has been a visiting teacher. Mrs. Prizer for the last week.

Misses Matt and Zella Locks were in Clarendon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warren of Clarendon visited home last Sunday.

The singing given at the home of Mr. Kennedy's Sunday night was well attended and enjoyed by all, having had with us the same man-bros. who are contemplating organizing a singing class at Lelia Lake.

Miss Kate Reed of Clarendon spent Sunday in Lelia.

Misses Emma and Clara, and Una, were stopping in Clarendon this week.

The Windy Valley school closed Friday and the teacher, Miss Annie Hessler, left Tuesday for New Mexico where she will make her home with her uncle.

Mr. Dinkle was quite sick last week but is about well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor were in Clarendon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook returned home Tuesday night.

Misses Myrtle Leathers and Moody Kennedy were in Clarendon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shook were visitors at Gee Leathers Sunday afternoon. NIP and Tuck.

This is the season when much thought and worry is had over Commencement frocks for the girls. But after all the choice of fabric is somewhat limited. Sheer plain Organdies, Batistes, Mulls and French Lawns are the most suitable. Something dainty and girlish it should be by all means. Silks and satin are not good taste, no matter how ample the means at command. Trimmings of Valenciense Mechlen or Venice laces or even very fine sheer swiss embroideries are the most suitable. Wide white messaline ribbons make handsome sashes and hair ribbons to use with such dresses.

The demand for white and colored wash coat suits, for street wear continues to be enormous and indications are for their popularity to last through the entire summer. And they are very sensible and useful especially in this climate where a light coat can be worn in comfort almost every day during the summer.

Much speculation has been indulged in regarding the long silk glove. The almost universal opinion of fashion authorities is that the long silk glove will be extensively worn during mid summer and that black will be the most popular color. This will be welcome news to the women who have carried over from last summer a lot of pretty, dainty and "good as new" short sleeves waists. Don't worry.

J. M. Brooks was in Quanah on business this week.

Bob Baxter was a business visitor in the city this week from Sham-aha, has accepted a position with Bryan and Land.

—Screen doors and screen wire of every kind at H. W. Taylor & Sons.

L. A. Flesher is in the city this week from Colorado Springs, Colo.

—"Keep Out The Flies" Buy your screen doors and wire at H. W. Taylor & Sons.

D. W. Taylor and wife spent Sunday in Memphis.

—FLIES! FLIES! FLIES! Fly time is here. Buy your screen wire and doors at Taylor & Sons. Best assortment and lowest in price.

Bob Glenn is erecting a pretty little cottage in South Clarendon.

H. D. Ramsey is enjoying a visit from his cousin, C. J. Cox, of Nebo, Ky.

Bray Items

Oil has been found on the water of a spring in the Bray community. This oil has been seeping from a spring in the side of a hill.

The water has a thick scum at times, till it is unfit for stock to drink. An oil well may be sunk in the near future to test the oil in there. Donley county has as much right to have an oil well as any county, and the indications are in favor of a lucky find. The Bray vicinity with its fine alfalfa beds, vegetable and corn records, and an oil well on top of that will, we hope, make a nice town yet.

Bray is situated in the east center of Donley county, has one store, post office, blacksmith shop, telephone connection, school and church houses. The nature of the soil ranges from a black light sand to those Donley county loam. The soil of the country ranges from level to rolling prairie country. The general is soft and very fine and an inexhaustible supply. We Bray people are proud of the good records of our county, and hope to show one in broom corn this Fall second to none.

J. K. P. Kiser was called to a sick son last week in Rockwall Co, Texas.

Mrs. J. C. Amos is visiting relatives in New Mexico at present.

The Bray school is progressing very nicely with Miss Mable Black as teacher.

Rev. Woods fills his regular appointment here on the first Sunday. Nester

Donly County Coal

Commissioner W. G. Smith brought to the Banner-Stockman office a mineral deposit having a very striking resemblance to coal. Mr. Smith says the deposit is found not more than ten miles from Clarendon. He tried a lump of the coal or whatever it is in a cooking stove, and it burned like coal. Mr. Smith feels sure that a fair quality of coal is near where he found the sample which he brought to the office and which may be seen by any one interested.

Why not coal in Donley county, on the breaks? At any rate the matter is of sufficient importance to bear investigation. It would be a great thing for Clarendon, should coal be found in paying quantities, in ten miles of town.

Mr. Smith will be glad to give information to any one interested. He will take any who desire to investigate the find to the place and let them see for themselves.

Prof. W. R. Silvey of Clarendon was in Memphis Saturday and spent the day. He is one of the most famous of the Panhandle editors and has always been very popular in Memphis. He has been at the head of the Clarendon school for some 15 years. In that time he has placed them on a high plane of efficiency and success. There is much to be gained by holding a good man for a term of years at the head of local schools. It is hoped that Memphis may be more fortunate along this line in the future than they have in the past.—Hall County Herald.

H. Mulkey the photographer left for his home in Clarendon Tuesday after a very successful week at this place. He expects to be with us again in the course of two or three months.—Wheeler County Texan.

W. H. Cooke, Jr. is at Chillicothe where he has accepted a position with the Waples-Platter Grocer Co.

The Alpha Beta Zeta society will have a bazaar next Wednesday afternoon at the opera house. Doors will open at 2 o'clock. Fancy articles of all kinds for sale.

Don't fail to go to the opera house Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and purchase some of the work of the Alpha Beta Zeta Society girls.

Misses Jesse and Fecfee Adamson of Hedley were in Clarendon Thursday and made a pleasant call at the Banner-Stockman office.

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J. C. Asher will move to Brady in the near future. He will engage in business there. He has only lately returned from a trip south and while away purchased property in and near Brady.

—Feed your girl on Bon Ton candy; those new fresh chocolates, fresh from the factory, will justify her.

Mrs. Goodnight will return this week from a visit to Los Angeles, Cal.

—See Anthony and Johnson for well casing, windmills, pipes, rods tanks and etc.

Born, Tuesday morning, to Dr. and Mrs. Carroll a fine baby son.

For Rent.

Ground floor office,
J. L. DAVIS.

W. B. Holsclaw was in the city Wednesday and called at the Banner-Stockman office. Mr. Holsclaw is a farmer and tells us that every thing is in very good condition around the farm. He says he has some corn up and while it is looking yellow it will be alright if it rains soon.

WANTED—Low priced land from owners only. I advertise extensively, and have many buyers for large or small tracts. Do not ask exclusive right to sell. Send postal for Listing Blank. Reference, Austin National Bank. J. J. Snyder, Austin, Tex.

—Chocolates, high grade and always fresh. Call once and you will come again.

The Bon Ton.

J. W. ... the city on business Monday from Whiteface.

All kinds of tin work done at M. W. Taylor & Sons.

Wanted the Clarendon Mercantile Co. windows.

J. B. Wrenn was in the city Monday from Memphis. Mr. Wrenn is a brother-in-law of Thomas Durham and visited him while in the city.

Rev. D. L. Coale left the city Monday for his home at Munday. While in the city Bro. Coale has won many warm friends, who will always be glad to welcome him to Clarendon.

Prof. James H. Anderson, who assisted Prof. Herrmann in a recital here about three weeks ago was married in Amarillo last Saturday afternoon to Miss Bessie Howren, who is a very popular young lady and is a vocalist of ability. The many friends of Prof. Anderson, in the city, wish for him the best in life.

The Clarendon high school ball team came down last Saturday and played a return game of ball with the local school team. The game was witnessed by a good sized crowd and was quite interesting considering that the players were merely school boys. The score was 6 to 3 in favor of the home team. This makes a game each for the two clubs.—Hall County Herald.

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THE STORE THAT LEADS

Mr. Goodnight is expected home next week from a business trip to El Paso.

DR. A. J. CALDWELL,
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
New Carson Building, Amarillo, Texas.

Mrs. C. W. Bennett and children left last night for a visit at Taylor.

—Christy girl, cards of foreign print, local views and all the latest in the post card line at the Bon Ton.

Joe Horn has returned from a business trip to Kansas.

—T. H. Allen has German Nilet and cain seed.

Meredith Adams is in the city from Ft. Worth the guest of his uncle Billy Adams.

Clarendon Mill and Elevator Co. have Bloody Butcher seed corn at a dollar per bushel.

Albert Irwin was in the city from Denton this week.

—Anthony & Johnson keep on hand a supply of windmills, pumps and tanks and will treat you right.

A Baptismal service was held at the Christian church Wednesday night.

—See that display of Dutch collars at Tillery Bros.

Mrs. Frank Harrington left Thursday night for a visit at Galveston.

—A full stock of hair goods just received at Tillery Bros. All the shades and the latest styles in hats.

Hall shipped about four head of cattle from Donley county to Kansas this week.

—See the new lot in the beauties. Clarendon Mercantile Co.

Dodson, of Wellington, is her grand daughter, Mrs. Myrtle, this week.

—My comb undershirts for boys. Clarendon Mercantile Co.

H. B. Webb and family were in the city Tuesday the guests of T. H. Allen and family, they were enroute home to Hereford, from a trip to Mexico and San Antonio.

—Belt-pins, latest designs, especially pretty showing of the grape designs, which is now fashions favorite. Tillery Bros. 11.

Mrs. Barnard of Hereford was in the city this week visiting Mrs. T. H. Allen.

The school at Windy Valley has closed after a very successful year with Miss Annie Hensler as teacher. Miss Hensler has returned to her home in New Mexico.

—See Anthony & Johnson before buying your windmills, pumps and tanks.

Mr. Watrus has vacated the house recently purchased from him by Otus Caraway and Mr. Caraway and family have moved there this week.

FOR RENT—A ten room house close in. Inquire of Mrs. W. M. Hildebrand.

—Typewriter supplies, this office.

If Your Eyes Trouble You

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

Marriage license were issued this week to W. A. Wood and Miss Lena Davis, who will make their home at Rowe.

—Everything new in belts at Tillery Bros.

Ross Beydler is in the city this week from Pampa, visiting the family of P. A. Buntin.

Mrs. Henry Parks is in the city from Amarillo, visiting friends.

—Read the ad of the First National Bank; it will interest you this week.

Prof. Duggins has closed a very successful year of school at Groom.

—Eat Steffens ice cream. Bon Ton sole agents.

The Martin school, six miles northwest of the city, closed its session today. Miss Ferguson has taught there very successfully this year.


—Eat Steffens ice cream. Bon Ton sole agents.

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Clarendon, Tex April 30, 09

Don't forget that this is a fine country for growing broom corn.

It is a violation of law to fish or hunt on any man's premises without permission; whether the premises are posted or not.

Preach home industry, patronage and partice it. Remember, also, that your local newspaper is among these home enterprises.

It is said by those who are in a position to know that the Anti-Saloon league was instrumental in closing 10,000 saloons last year in the United States, and that it expects to close 20,000 during the year 1909.

Many towns in the Plains and Panhandle country are making an effort to secure the State Normal to be located in West Texas. It is a prize worth going after and Clarendon should be in the list of places after it.

The Banner-Stockman is desirous of increasing the number of correspondents each week. We would like a good live communication each week, from every town and community in the county. Send in the items from your community, and call for stationary, stamps etc.

Our friends can assist us very much in making the Banner-Stockman the good local paper they would have it be by phoning any news items they may know of to the office. By doing this you are not only contering a favor on us, but assising in making the paper better, and of more service to the public in general.

Two Wheeler county men shipped \$7,500 worth of hogs to Fort Worth. They sold at from \$7.10 to \$6.85, 40 pigs selling at \$4.50. These prices show whether or not hog raising will pay. Every farmer who owns his home should raise hogs not only for his home use but for the market.

Besides paying the \$1000 in cash prizes which it offers for corn grown this year Farm and Ranch promises to bear all the expenses of displaying the corn exhibits and to pay expert judges to make the awards. The contest will be held in Dallas during the coming winter. Here's a chance for farmers to show what they can do in the way of corn production.

Farm and Ranch announces that there are no strings attached to the \$1000 in cash prizes which it offers for corn grown in 1909. To compete a corn grower does not have to be a subscriber to Farm and Ranch or to any other paper. In case you want Farm and Ranch however, we can send it with the Banner-Stockman one year for \$1.75, for the two.

There is one pleasant thing about the high price of wheat; cornbread is mighty good and is considered the healthiest bread we can eat. That it grows in abundance in Donley county is a well known fact, and should the price of wheat remain high, it is likely that more corn will be used at home instead of so much being shipped away as heretofore. Pass the corn pone, please.

The editor of the Banner-Stockman professes to be a christian gentleman, and therefore to be consist, to say nothing about the matter of conscience, he has to oppose

every thing immoral or wrong of a public nature and espouse every right cause, as well. If this course renders the paper unpopular it will be among those who do not favor the right.

The thirty-first legislature passed a measure forbidding the wearing of lodge pins, badges or emblems unless the party so wearing them is entitled to do so by reason of his membership in the order represented by the pin, badge or emblem worn. The law is now in force and any party wearing such pin, badge or emblem is subject to a fine of \$50 or 60 days in jail or both.

The retail liquor saloon stands convicted of being responsible for more than half of all the crime committed in the state, with being responsible for half of the insane persons in our asylums and for the bulk of the pauperism about the larger towns. If this verdict is true, how can a man favor the saloon without putting himself in the embarrassing attitude of favoring crime, insanity and pauperism? Who will answer?

Hon. Sterling P. Strong, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, says that a vigorous campaign will be waged against the saloon and the matter of submission brought before the people again next year. The liquor traffic is doomed in Texas and the man who stands in the way of prohibition will enjoy the experience of having to pass under the steam roller. The people can no longer be fooled by the brewers and liquor dealers.

More spanking and less petting in the family government is now coming to be the universal demand of all students of American society. Juvenile reprobacy and even precocious criminality have reached the point where all good citizens way well view the average family government with patriotic alarm. In the good old days of our grandfathers there was little need of juvenile courts and state reformatories. No special schools were then needed for incorrigibles for the tribe was undiscovered. A general movement has now set in for the restoration of corporal punishment in the homes and schools. Recently we heard a fellow townsman out in his back yard using a good size board on his 13 year old, obstreperous offspring in a laudable and effective effort to show him the error of his way. The sound was so new and so rare that we stopped to listen and could scarcely refrain from leaping over and offering congratulations. That man was doing the country more good than he that taketh a city.—Childress Post.

Why Not.

The farmers Union of Baylor County and the business men of Seymour had a meeting the other week for the mutual benefit of farmers and merchants. The meeting lasted all day and all business houses were closed and the District Court room was filled with farmers and business men. A number of speeches were made on the practical matters of business and farming. Diversified farming occupied the most prominent position of any topic discussed. To induce the farmers to plant peanuts one firm offered to put in a peanut oil mill and hay baler if the farmers would promise to plant 2000 acres in peanuts.

The Mayor of the city presided over the meeting and the local band furnished music in the interims. The day was spent very pleasantly and no doubt very profitably to both merchants and farmers.

Why can't Donley farmers and Clarendon business men have an occasional day like the Baylor county people had last week? The interest of the farmers of this county is or should be the interest of the business concerns of Clarendon. Such an occasion as is reported from Baylor county would be of mutual interest to both town and country, bringing both closer together and begetting a better feeling be-

tween men whose interests or more or less blended. Why not have such a meeting in May.

State Railroad Extension.

There has been introduced in the legislature a bill to extend the State railroad which is almost completed from Rusk to Palestine. The Banner-Stockman thinks this would be a good thing and as a speech made by Hon. George B. Terrell on the bill sets forth about our views, we give below the speech:

"This is one of the most important bills introduced in the present legislature. It is not my bill, but it is introduced by myself and 12 other members, who represent different sections of the state, and it will have strong support from all parts of the state.

"This state railroad is now almost completed from Rusk to Palestine, a distance of 31 miles, as

provided for in the act of the Thirtieth Legislature, and this bill now provides for funds to complete this road into Palestine and to extend it from any point on said road to a connection with other railroads.

"This present State road has cost approximately \$10,000 per mile and is now paying more than operating expenses without any connections.

"It is contended, and justly so, by the friends of this bill, that if it is extended to connections with other roads, either by connecting up the state penitentiaries and state farms and to deep water or by going west to Waco and thence north to Dallas and Denison and tapping the great railroad, centers of the state, that it will solve the freight problem in Texas and forever put a stop to the agitation for Government ownership.

"This is not Government ownership of railroads but is the state owning a railroad for a three-fold

purpose; first, to protect the state against exorbitant freight rates, in the hauling of coke and lime rock for the manufacture of iron, and the division of rates in the shipping of the products of the penitentiary; second, in the general reduction of freight rates on the products of the farm, and third, to provide a safe investment for the permanent school fund at a fair interest. The state has an immense permanent school fund amounting to over \$60,000,000, mostly in bonds, lands and land notes, and the land will eventually be sold and turned into money which must be invested. We now have \$398,617 of the permanent school fund lying idle in the treasury, and it is the part of good business sense to invest this money in good securities and at the same time develop the resources of our great state by building a trunk line of railroad, utilizing the convict labor and thus stop the leasing of the convicts,

which has been much demanded by the Democratic party many times.

"In the building of this road we can absolutely determine the cost of construction, equipment and operation, facts which are absolutely necessary in fixing freight and passenger rates, a question that has not been solved in this state or elsewhere in the United States.

"The railroads of the United States have bonds and stocks outstanding aggregating \$30,893 per mile, and if the state can build a road for \$10,000 per mile, which fact has been proved already, we will squeeze the water out of the stocks and bonds of some roads, reduce freight rates and start an era of railroad building in Texas that has not been equaled anywhere in the United States.

"The thirty-one miles of state railroad now almost completed can be sold for nearly twice what it cost the state. This means something to the state. Let us push the proposition."

IT IS DIFFERENT

When you get ready to buy your clothes this season, there are two or three things you ought to know about this store; things that make it different from any in town.

FIRST: We have the exclusive agency in Clarendon for the famous Hart Schaffner and Marx clothes; the best in the world. **Hart Schaffner & Marx** stand for the highest ideals in clothes making; they use none but all wool fabrics, when most makers are using many cotton mixtures. They guarantee and we guarantee too, every garment to give full satisfaction in every particular, and you are the judge of what satisfaction means. It is hardly necessary for us to say that in style, in tailoring, in finish and fitting quality, these clothes are as near perfection as clothes can be, they'd hardly put so much care in on quality or materials, and neglect these important things.

SECOND: Our way of selling clothes is different. We're here to serve you more than to sell; it's what you want, not what we want, that we look to. We try to maintain throughout our entire departments this spirit of service; we realize that our best good as dealers comes from your best good as buyers. We intend that your profit shall be as great as ours, or greater, whatever you buy here. It's the best way to do business in clothes or anything else; we think it's new here, and different.

THIRD: We spend no little amount of money and time in getting for our trade the very best in the markets, both home and foreign. We show here the same quality and style of goods as will be found in the best clothing stores in the largest cities. Hence it is unnecessary for you do your shopping in the larger cities as we'll show you here the same styles, the same patterns, the same quality, and as complete assortment as you'll find there, and we offer it to you for the same money and often-times for less.

FOURTH: We show our clothes in the handsomest daylight salesroom in Clarendon. You see colors and patterns and textures in a good clear light: you make no mistakes. With an unlimited guarantee of your satisfaction, we can't afford make any mistakes ourselves.

We think we deserve your patronage for the kind of goods we sell, the way we sell them, the store we sell them in

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Yours truly,
Nicholas Lang.

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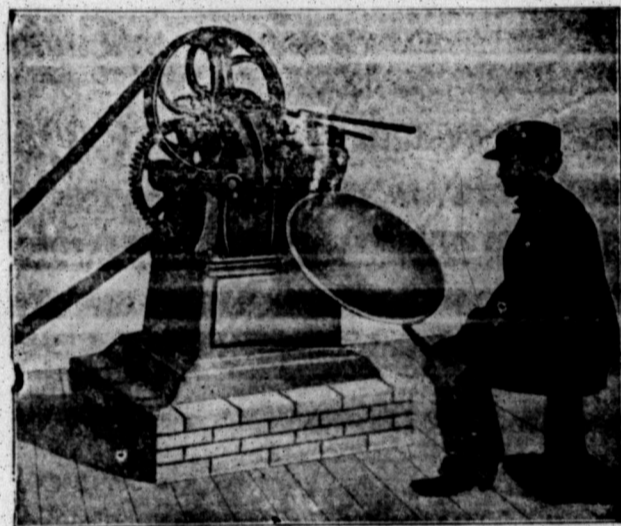


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Remember we handle the very best lines of shoes and hats, also clothing, our stock is new and right up to date.

Our new millinery will be opened right away, and will be in charge of an up to date milliner.

We will pay express charges on all mail orders amounting to \$1 and upward, and fill them the day they are received.

Come to Hedley and take a day's shopping, you'll be delighted. Yours truly,

The Cash Store.
O. H. Britain, Prop.

HOW TO RAISE BROOMCORN

Beaver County Man writes interestingly on how to Plant and Cultivate this Profitable Crop.

As to how to prepare land and plant broom corn seed, will say, we have had some experience, and will give it for the benefit of those that may want to raise broom corn.

1 How to prepare sod land or the first year's crop on new land. We use sod plows, but any good plow that will turn the land over and leave it smooth will do. I am an advocate of deep plowing, and would say plow three or four inches on sod, although you should be your own judge as to how deep to plow. But be sure to use a harrow as fast as you plow, or use a drag; we use a drag. What you plow in the morning, drag before going to dinner, and the same way in the evening. This will keep your land from drying out. Plant with any good two-row planter, either runner or disc. You will find blank plates with planters. Take them to your blacksmith and have from twelve to eighteen holes drilled just large enough to let one seed through at a time. For sod, plant one seed every seven inches; the amount of holes will depend on the speed of your planter. Plant the same depth you would sorghum cane seed, and your sod crop will need no more work until ready to harvest.

For old land, or land that is in cultivation, prepare the same as you would for corn. We prefer the lister, but be your own judge as to this. Plant one seed every four inches in drill, and about three and a half-foot rows; sod, three-foot rows. Cultivate the old land as you would maize or kafir corn, and be sure to keep all the weeds and grass out. Broom corn is a very tender plant, and weeds will damage it very quickly. At every cultivation add a little dirt to keep it from suckering.

I think all of Oklahoma and Texas would grow good broom corn if the right varieties were planted in several different parts. For an altitude of 2,000 feet or more, and with about twenty inches of rainfall, plant the dwarf varieties. For a less altitude and more rain, plant the standard, although the standard will grow anywhere, but will stand more rain without damage than the dwarf. Be sure to plant good seed, and if properly cultivated and harvested, it will net you from \$5 to \$20 per acre.

We plant here in Beaver county, Oklahoma, from April 1 to July 2. When more than ten acres are planted, plant ten acres, wait ten or twelve days and plant again, and so on until your crop is planted. This gives you more time to harvest your crop and less expense for hired help. Sod land will make as much as old land.

Prices vary according to the quality and how it is prepared for the market.

Write to any reliable seed house for your seed; we have none to sell.

The dwarf varieties rank for length in brush or switch, as follows: Texas Evergreen, first, Oklahoma's second; California, third, and Japanese, fourth. There will be expense in building sheds, but every farmer needs them anyway.—A. A. Koon, Florist, Beaver county, Oklahoma, in Dallas, Texas, Semi-Weekly Farm News.

Mrs. Frank Letts has returned home after a three months visit to her old home in Iowa.

Mrs. Jennie Decker has been on the sick list this week.

Miss Mande McLean will visit the homefolks over Sunday, returning to Claude Sunday night.

Miss Claire Teague has returned home after a visit at Plainview to which place she went for a visit after her school closed.

J. E. King has been selected to conduct the Summer Normal at Corsicana this summer. Prof. King has many friends here who are glad to hear this evidence of faith in his ability as a teacher.

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(2) The Southern Ruralist, one of the best agricultural papers in the south. It is a semi-monthly edited by a farmer on his own farm, and is intensely practical and helpful.

(3) Paris Modes, a woman's magazine, monthly. There are fashions in it, as the title indicates, and they are right up to date. Do not think they are all of the slyph-like, hipless, clothes-pin styles of the extreme devotees of the changeable flirt called "Fashion." They are all pretty and becoming and up to date, so that the ladies may feel well-dressed and in the style who follow them. But you get more than mere fashions. There are stories, poems, storyettes, incidents of travel, seasonable articles for entertainments, home keeping, cookery, care of the person, sanitation and hygiene, plant culture and all the rest that go to make up a monthly feast for the busy woman who reads as she works, who relaxes from one task and finds charm in the ever-varying features of woman's work that is said to be never done.

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THE BANNER-STOCKMAN, Clarendon, Tex.

What I think of Lincoln.

The question of honoring the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, by the Southern people is, a question indeed. At first blush it would seem meet and proper that the day should be honored, in as much as it is generally agreed that "the war is over" with every good soldier on either side. I can't see how any true confederate soldier can honor this day.

The object of our reunions is to perpetuate a true history of the war and the causes.

Mr. Lincoln took the oath of office "to preserve, protect and defend the constitution," and yet he did not hesitate to violate its principles whenever it suited his policy to do so. Though "devoted to the Union," yet he took the initiative (utterly disregarding the usages of war among civilized nations) and precipitated upon the unprepared South a war unequalled for cruelty and barbarism in all modern history.

He is called "The Great Emancipator," yet in his inaugural address in 1861 he said:

"I have no purpose, directly or indirectly, to interfere with the institution of slavery in the states where it exists. I believe I have no lawful right to do so, and I have no inclination to do so." His subsequent actions showed how little regard he had for this pledge. Like Talleyrand, "the most unscrupulous of men, he used words to conceal his thoughts."

His admirers have laid special force upon his great heart, pulsating with throbs of justice, kindness and humanity. Did his heart pulsate with these noble qualities when, disregarding all the rules of civilization and humanity, he declared martial law in the States of the South, flooded the country with violence and blood shed, and legitimized the most atrocious form of irregular warfare?

He was commander-in-chief of

the army, yet was he ever known to set his seal of disapproval upon the actions of his generals in their conduct of the war?

General Butler's treatment of the people of New Orleans was horrible almost beyond belief. "Peaceful and aged citizens, unresisting captives and non-combatants, were confined at hard labor with chains attached to their limbs, were held in dungeons and fortresses, and Union soldiers were encouraged to insult and outrage their wives, mothers and sisters."

But Lincoln allowed him to remain at that post until the "French emperor threatened to recognize the confederate States unless Butler was removed."

Was Mr. Lincoln a man of high ideals? Was he a lover of the sublime, the beautiful? Was he a christian, a gentleman? Facts compel us to say, no. He was vulgar, buffoon, indecent in his anecdotes, and cruel in his instincts. What then has been the basis of all this fictitious greatness?

A. J. Barnett.

A Drummer, who occasionally makes a tour through the "malaria districts" of East Texas, recently related the following little incident, as one among his many experiences in that section of the state. He said: "I stepped into a barber shop and requested a hair cut and a shave. The obliging barber called to his wife, who was in the back room, and told her to run over to the printing office and get his scissors, for there was a gentleman there who wanted a haircut." pretty hard country, eh, where the editor has to borrow the barber's scissors to edit his paper with.—Tulia Standard.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Sayre left Tuesday for an extended visit. They will stay in Bowie while and from there will go to Mr. In for the benefit of Mr. Sayre's health, later Mrs. Sayre will go to Corsicana as delegate to the Home Mission Conference of North West Texas.

Amarillo Camp Accepts

W. B. Plemons camp United Confederate Veterans, had a rowing meeting yesterday afternoon in the court house, at which all were given an opportunity to talk, and many availed themselves of the opportunity, making the session heartily enjoyable.

One of the most interesting features was the reading of an invitation from the camp at Clarendon, urging the local camp to be in Clarendon May 4. The invitation carried the statement the affair is to be one of and for the ex-confederates. Old fiddlers who play the airs of the long ago are being procured and many features that appeal pleasingly to the men who made history in the United States a half century ago will be secured.

The invitation has been accepted and Clarendon notified. The day at Clarendon will be spent at a nearby lake.—Daily Panhandle.

A newspaper, if it only has brains, conscience and muscle back of it, must continually decide between doing its duty and injuring its pockets. In any position but that of editor the public is able to separate the individual from the collective citizen. But if an editor does not please them it is at his pockets they aim. Thus it is the newspapers learn who are their friends. The man who reads a newspaper and admires it all the year around, yet gives his business support to some other, concern, is not a friend to the said newspaper. Admiration alone will not run a newspaper. There are too many men who expect an editor to slave in defense of their pet notions and hobbies, advocate their duties against the strongest opposition and coolly withhold their business support, by which alone a country newspaper can live. Talk about a newspaper having a public duty to perform and an editor having to work for his principles cheap when others stand back and extend a lukewarm neutrality.—Seaford (Del.) News.

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I will stand my thorough bred stallion, Bill Kirk, No. 21566, at my home two miles north of Lelia Lake.

Bill Kirk was sired by Airlithe, a winner on the Derby track, England, and sold for \$80,000. Bill Kirk is sixteen hands high, a dark brown with black mane and tail. The thoroughbred is the best all purpose horse in the work.

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It will pay you to see our line of Second Hand Furniture and stoves before you buy anything in the house furnishing line. If you have anything in the Second Hand line call.

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Signet watch fob in Clarendon or between Clarendon and my home. Had engraved on it, Pres. to W. A. W. by Con. S. S. Liberal reward for its return.

W. A. Womack,
Clarendon, Texas.

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My New Shop.

F. M. Scillian is now prepared to do general repair work, plumbing, and putting in heating plants. New shop just north of Jenkins-Caraway & Co. 4t

Will Miller was in the city Saturday the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller.

Clubbing Offers.

Banner-Stockman and Dallas News \$1.75.

Banner-Stockman and Ft. Worth Record \$1.75.

Banner-Stockman and Farm and Ranch \$1.75.

Banner-Stockman and Successful Farming, Home and State and Prof. Holden's Book \$1.75.

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I have 320 acres of land to rent, in Lelia valley, 150 acres in cultivation. See me at once.

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—Anthony & Johnson are experts on putting up windmills and tanks and keep a stock on hand and can serve you on short notice. 1f

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Feed Delivered Anywhere in Town buying elsewhere

Destroyed by Fire.

Friday night about ten thirty o'clock fire was discovered in the home of Frank Whitlock, in the east part of town. Mr. Whitlock had retired and the house was almost a blaze all over when he first discovered it, and at that time only had time to get out of the building himself. Mrs. Whitlock was at the tabernacle and reached home after the entire building was almost consumed. Not a thing was saved out of the house, as it was so far gone when help reached there that nothing could be done excepting watch the flames and work that no other house should catch fire.

It is not known how the flames started, but the back part of the house burned first showing that it was in that part that the fire originated. The loss will reach about \$2000 on house and furnishings, and was only partially covered by insurance.

At Mission Banquet.

The following appears in the Dalhart Texan in a write up of the "Mission Banquet" given in that city Apr. 17th.

Toastmaster Carter in an eloquent introduction presented Rev. J. G. Miller, Presiding Elder of the Clarendon District, who responded to the toast "Relation of the Laymen's Movement to the Pastor and the Church." Rev. Miller is an orator in the sense that his words burn with a fervor of earnest zeal for the Master's cause. And not a word that he said was missed by any man present and all present were men. One sentence of his splendid address, lingering in the mind of the Texan representative may give a pointer as to the spirit of his speech: "It is not the Methodist church alone, but the militant church of God, the redeemed of every name and creed, aroused and determined that the American flag, red with the blood of patriots, shall float over a land conquering and conquered for Christ."

The Panhandle Association of Odd Fellows will convene in Miami, May 13-14. A splendid program has been prepared and a pleasant time is anticipated.

It has taken a long while to find out the evil effects of alcohol, but gradually the truth is dawning on a poisoned nation. A few weeks ago Dr. J. H. Kellogg, of the Battle Creek (Mich.) Sanitarium, in a powerful argument, denounced alcohol as a poison, a delusive drug, the producer of insanity, crime, poverty and disease of all kinds, and now right on the head of this Dr. John Marshall, professor of chemistry and toxicology in the University of Pennsylvania explodes the old theory of whiskey for snake bites, by declaring that it is entirely worthless as a remedy for counteracting the poison, that practically no adults die from rattlesnake bites and that if the poison was strong enough to kill them, the whiskey would not save their life. And so the present generation is being enlightened as to the greatest destroyer of the age. —Valley Register.

Pasture for Milk Cows.

I have the Antrobus pasture, and will take cows to and from pasture at \$1.50 per month in advance. Those wanting cows or horses pastured please phone 150 or see me. Wesley I. Lane

Typewriter Notice.

I am prepared to do all kinds of typewriting with dispatch and in view of the patronage of the public. See me at Insurance office of A. M. Beville. New Machine. HARWOOD BEVILLE.

MISS PORTER

Received a lot of new Hats

More Coming.

Be sure to see them before buying elsewhere

Music Recitals.

Tonight, at the college, Misses Beulah Dodson and Maud Harrington will give their music recitals for their junior year. Next Friday night Misses Annie Claire Lee, Mable Claire Betts, and Ruth Harrington will give their junior recital. Friends of the young ladies are invited to attend.

Following is the program for tonight:

Part One

Miss Dodson
Overture..... Poet and Peasant..... Suppe
Sonata-Op. 26..... Beethoven
Andante con Variazioni
Scherzo, Allegro Molto
An den Fruehling..... (To the Spring)..... Grieg
Maerzwind..... (March Wind)..... Mar. Dabell
Humoreske..... Op. 101—No. 1..... Dvorak
A la bien aimee—Valse..... Op. 59 No. 2..... Schuetz

Part Two

Miss Harrington
Sonata..... Op. 27 No. 2..... Beethoven
Adagio
Allegretto
Valse..... Op. 64—No. 1..... Chopin
Etude..... Op. 25—No. 7..... Chopin
Serenade in D..... Op. 27..... Chaminade
Gavotte..... Op. 1 No. 3..... D'Albert
Kaiser Marsch..... Imperial March..... Wagner-Liehnichel

Organize to Rival West Texas.

Secretary Arnold of the Commercial Secretaries' association returned from Dallas Monday evening, where he had been attending a committee meeting in regard to the coming convention to be held May 19 and 20.

Secretary Arnold is enthusiastic over the work which the association in general has taken up in the matter of improving the roads and highways of Texas. There will be another convention held April 28 in Pittsburg for the purpose of combining the efforts of all of the commercial clubs in the northeastern part of the state. They will form themselves, at that time, in a permanent association. Secretary Arnold Monday forwarded from the headquarters here a large supply of copies of the new road law recently enacted, to J. W. Hill, secretary of the Pittsburg Commercial club. There will be thirty counties represented at the coming Pittsburg convention. These clubs by their recent co-operation will lend every effort to build and improve continuous arteries of travel all through the northeastern part of Texas. The commercial clubs believe that this is one of the best plans by which they can boom the various sections and that such work produces one of the strongest inducements for the locating of industrial enterprises in the vicinity.

The Central West Texas clubs have heretofore had no competition in their development work and the tide of immigration is now flowing in that direction, but the Pittsburg district with its vast resources and commercial strength will make a formidable rival for the clubs lying west of the ninety-eighth meridian. —Ft. Worth Record.

Soldiers and Wives.

We have decided to extend an invitation to all soldiers wives to meet with the camp on May 4th. This includes all widows of soldiers. Now remember every one can come at night to hear the fiddlers contest and General Cabell's address.

R. S. Kimberlin.

Notice Subscribers.

If any of you are sending the Banner-Stockman to your friends away and have not renewed please do so at once. We are going to send statements to those whose time has expired and we do not want to send your friend a statement. Please look after this at once. We have no way of knowing who are receiving the paper from friends, except you tell us.

R. C. Dial.

For Sale.

1000 bundles of kaffir corn, 9 bushels cane seed. 5 1/2 miles east. T. W. Hesler.

Club Organized.

Fourteen girls of the city met Tuesday afternoon at the residence of R. C. Dial and organized a club for the study of the Bible. They selected the name of "Marthas" for the club and elected Miss Florence Dial teacher. The meeting day will be Monday until school closes, when a change may be made.

Following are the officers: President, Miss Lulla Hotk, Vice President, Miss Meta SoRelle, Secretaries, Misses Flora Connally and Bessie Nelson, Critic, Miss Ella Dial. It was decided that the book of Matthew be taken as the first study.

The hostess served ice cream and nabisos and the club adjourned to meet next Monday at the same place.

Off for Stamford.

Tonight the annual debate between Stamford and Clarendon College takes place, and a number of the Clarendon boys and girls and several of the teachers have gone to attend it. The question this year is "Resolved; that tariff for revenue only would better conserve the interest of the people of the United States than a protective tariff." Clarendon college has the affirmative, and is represented by George Palmer and Sims E. Shaffy.

The crowd from here left Thursday morning and are as follows: Pres. Slover, Prof. and Mrs. Diggin, Misses West, Miller and Effie Ferguson, and Messrs. Edgar and Edwin Raney, Aldert and Crit Connally, James, Gilbert, Boydston, McDonald, Ferguson, Hughes, Davis, Whitaker and Harris.

This afternoon the young men crossed bats with the Stamford college ball team and with this contest as well as with the other we predict victory for the Clarendon College crowd.

A good second hand typewriter for sale, at the Banner-Stockman office—will trade for milk cow.

William Murray was in the city from Alanreed Saturday and called at the Banner-Stockman office.

H. Lott arrived in the city at a late hour Sunday night from Roswell, N. M. He came through in his new automobile.

Dr. Burkhead will preach to the soldiers May 2nd at 2:30 p. m. Everybody is invited. The soldiers will meet at 2 sharp.

Lewis and Pyle shipped from here Saturday 42 cars of cattle. Their destination was Kansas City. Each car had 28 head, making a total of 1176 in this shipment.

The girls of the Sorority will serve refreshments consisting of sandwiches, coffee and cake, at the bazaar Wednesday afternoon at the opera house at 2 o'clock. No admission is charged, but the luncheon will be 15 cents.

Easy Confinement

If you have cause to fear the pains of childbirth, remember that they are due to weakness, or disease, of the womanly organs, and that healthy women do not suffer, like weak ones.

The specific, medicinal, vegetable ingredients, of which that famous, female medicine and womanly tonic

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Mass Meeting At Court House

TONIGHT, 8 O'CLOCK

To Be Held by the Commercial Club, to Consider Securing New State Normal.

One of the most important mass meetings that has been called for Clarendon, is called to meet tonight by the Commercial Club.

The object of the meeting is to consider the matter of securing the "NEW STATE NORMAL" to be located in West Texas. Every man in Clarendon should be at the Court House tonight, and do his best toward securing this important enterprise. If the proper effort is put forth there is no reason why Clarendon should not get this school.

If our memory serves us correctly there is an appropriation of \$200,000 for the school which would mean a vast amount of money turned loose this year in building.

W. T. Hayter has a letter from his uncle, Hon. J. P. Hayter, senator from Decatur, in which he expressed the thought that it might be worth while to try for the New State Normal.

As we have stated before Clarendon has the advantages of being considered the leading school town of the West and has no saloons, joints or dives. These matters will have great weight with those who will have the locating of the new normal. This school will be worth more than anything in sight to Clarendon and is worth the best effort we can put forth.

The Gem Theater Opens.

On Tuesday night of this week the Gem Theater opened its doors under the new management. The house has been filled every evening this week and the programs have been excellent, with a change of films for every night entertainment. Mr. Hicks, the new manager, is courteous and anxious to please and the Gem bids fair to be one of the best attractions in town.

M. E. Bell has purchased a handsome new Ivers and Pond piano and it is now enroute to this place from Dallas.

The young men of the city gave a very pleasant dance at the opera house Monday night.

Lawn mowers at Taylor & Sons.

Miss White, of Weatherford, was the guest of Miss Kittie Fleming the first of the week and was one of the guests of honor at the dance Monday night.

All kinds of lawn sprinklers at Taylor & Sons.

Miss Gertrude Hoopengartner, of Ohio, came down from Memphis, where she is visiting, and attended the dance Monday night. While in the city Miss Hoopengartner was the guest of Miss Kittie Fleming.

Largest stock of refrigerators ever received in Clarendon at H. W. Taylor & Sons. Call and see them.

Everitt King, a brother of Prof. J. E. King, one of Clarendon College's most popular alumni, is quite sick at Childress.

Program

For Clarendon District League Conference

Dalhart, Texas, May 13, 1909.

- [3] How can we make the third department contribute to the devotional meetings?—T. E. Graham.
- [4] Social problems in our League work and how to solve them—Miss Hamner.

2 p. m. Open conference on the Mission study.

- [1] The Relation of the Class Study of Missions to the monthly missionary League meeting—J. W. Hunt.
- [2] What is the best method by which to interest our young people in the study of missions and in the organization of Mission Study Classes.—Stratford

- [3] The League as a factor in the evangelization of the world.—F. M. Neal.

Address—Cuba as a strategical point in Southern Methodist Missions—J. M. Jones.
Junior League Conference of Methods.

- [1] Attendance and interest of Juniors—How secured.—Mrs. P. L. Persons.
- [2] My home Juniors at work—Mrs. R. B. Bonner.

- [3] Address—The boy of today—The man of tomorrow—The problem to be solved in making the transition. League life as a factor in solving these problems—C. C. Chenoweth.

7:45 p. m.—Song Service.

- 8:30 p. m.—Address—Christian citizenship and civic righteousness.—O. F. Sensabaugh.

8:30 a. m. May 13. Devotional—A. L. Bowman.

9—10 a. m. An open conference on the devotional meeting.

- [1] A sample of the program that you find most effective in the devotional meetings—Clarendon.
- [2] How to use and not depend upon the Epworth Era and other helps for the devotional meetings—Amarillo.

- [3] How may we make personal work and the devotional meetings supplement each other?—Higgins.
- [4] A definite aim in our league work a necessity in order to provoke interest and secure attendance at the devotional meeting—Canadian.

- [5] The appointment of leaders—should all lead in turn—Memphis.

10 a. m. The work of the second department, its relation to New Testament christianity—Claude.

Address—Money—The need of it—How to get it and what to do with it—C. N. N. Ferguson.

10:30 a. m. Open conference on the third department.

- [1] What is the attitude of the church on the amusement question and how can the League help sustain that attitude?—Canyon City.
- [2] How can the social and literary work be made to supplement each other?—McLean.

11 a. m. Sermon—R. B. Bonnor.

Let each pastor be present if possible, for the success of the Conference will depend upon the preachers, and the preachers need the conference.

Dalhart extends a cordial invitation and a warm welcome to the Leaguers of the District.

Preaching Wednesday at 8 p. m., by Rev. G. S. Wyatt.

The pastors will please take notice and see that their Leagues respond with the part assigned to their respective charges.

Let each charge send as many as five delegates whether there is a League in charge or not.

League Rallying Song—"The Fight is on"—No. 150 Revival Praises.

Will have rates on all roads.
Respectfully,
J. G. MILLER, P. E.

Buy Your Fresh

Popcorn, Peanuts, Chewing gum, and home made Candys at

J. M. Capehart's Booth

Corner of first National Bank Building.

Found—A gold signet brooch.

Owner can get same by calling at this office, describing brooch and paying for this ad.

A man in Kansas by name of D. E. Linquent has just died. In Texas it is newspapers instead of the "de-linquents."—Stamford News.

The man that slaps you on the back the hardest is not always your best friend. He may have something he wants you to do for him.—Byers Sentinel.

Miss Lillie Shepherd visited relatives in Memphis this week.

City Meat Market.

Are you a customer? If not why not? Try me and I will please you. Next Monday I will begin cooking meat and ask all customers to bring a bucket for cooked meat.
J. B. CARROLL.

I have some dwarf maize seed of my own raising which I will sell at \$1 per bushel, at my barn in Clarendon, J. C. Asher.

Misses Moody Kennedy and Myrtle Leathers were in the city from Hedley Monday and made a pleasant call at the Banner-Stockman office.

Here and There.

A thief broke into the Christian church at Sherman a few days since and stole the electric fans. The light-fingered gentleman is evidently headed for a place where fans will be needed much more than they are in the Sherman church, and however much we may condemn his act we must pay tribute to his wisdom and commend his foresight.—Honey Grove Signal.

The Dallas News is urging that a part of the Waters-Pierce Oil fine be used to build additional Asylum room, to the end that every poor, unfortunate, insane person in the State can be given a place in the Asylum instead of being held indefinitely in the jails of the State. Hurrah for the News. It is always advocating some good measure, and it is this we believe the News has put forward the wisest suggestion yet made for the use of that Oil fine money.—McKinney Examiner.

"Few people who cultivate the big farms in Texas realize the possibilities of an acre of land, because necessity has never driven them to the practice of intensive farming. In many parts of Europe, two acres of rather poor land support a family in comfort and plenty," said George R. Smith of Billinger. It is rather hard to realize that as great values can be produced on two acres of the ordinary Texas land as are now realized on forty acres. But with irrigation and other modern methods of farming, the time will come when land will be made to produce two and three crops where it now produces but one.—Quanah Observer.

The Midland Examiner, which was wiped out by the fire week before last, pluckily reappears, the usual courtesies being extended the publishers by the Midland Reporter. Editor Lynch has ordered a new plant and will rebuild, proving that he is of the stuff from which real cities are built.—Roswell Register-Tribune.

The Childress Post has been printing some anti-mail order literature and contracted a case of righteous sour stomach. It says: "The Dorsey Printing Co., has the country print shop skinned good and proper now. Last week an employe of this concern spent a day or two in Childress hauling some of our prominent citizens around in a nice automobile. Of course he didn't solicit business on the strength of the free rides he gave our people but all the same those free rides don't look good to the home printer, because he cannot meet such competition. Somebody pays for those free rides, whether consciously or otherwise." Dorsey Printing Co., is owned by the Sangers, who solicit business right under the nose of every dry goods, furniture and notion merchant in Texas. People who patronize this concern should not complain about the mail order frauds.—Henrietta Independent.

The mail order houses have built up an enormous business by advertising. The man who wants to fight them should do so with the same weapons they use. Publicity pays in any business.—Denison Herald.

Advertising, the right kind, used judiciously and in sufficient quantities, will build up any man's business.—Honey Grove Citizen.

The constant, persistent advertiser is the man who gets the trade, and he who is dependent on public patronage can not afford to pass the opportunity of giving full notice of his business. It is the printer's ink that brings your customers to your door.—Sulphur Springs Gazette.

There is but one way to make a town go forward and that is for each individual citizen to thoroughly believe in his town and that it will go forward. One knocker may undo all the work of a dozen town boosters.—Brady Standard.



I Will Keep

The same Horse and Jack that I kept last year and can be found at C. L. Young's barn. My prices to guarantee are: Jack \$10 and horse \$15. By the season, Jack \$5 and Horse \$7.50. Those desiring can call and see colts in a short time.

H. LOTT

A Few Splendid Bargains.

No. 167—1280 acres land 3 and one-half miles from Memphis, of which about 800 acres are in cultivation. Has 8 sets of good improvements and plenty of fine water; on public road. Price \$32.30 per acre, or would exchange. Will give good terms.

No. 93. A fine Dairy proposition 100 acres of land, a nice bunch of Jersey cows and a complete dairy outfit, very close to the city of Memphis. Will exchange or sell on easy terms.

No. 282. 640 acres three miles from Plains, in Yookum county, within 200 yards of a school and church. This land has no improvements, but is all tillable. Soil is red soil, clay or red light sandy with red clay subsoil, is practically level. Price \$6.00 per acre, incumbrance \$2,350.

No. 99—640 acres near E. in Hall county of which about 550 acres are tillable and 100 acres are now in cultivation. Two sets of improvements, two wells and windmills. Price \$2.00 per acre due state. Price \$20,000.00 bonus, terms half cash, balance 1, 2 and three years at 8 per cent.

No. 99 A.—320 acres, two and one-half miles from Memphis, of which 210 acres are in cultivation. Balance in grass, soil sandy loam. Land level and all tillable. Two wells and one windmill and two sets of improvements. Prices \$50 per acre, terms one-third cash balance one to three years at 8 per cent.

No. 16—640 acres land in Donley county, 8 miles east of Clarendon; 320 acres in cultivation; one five-room house and barn and one four room house, windmill, tanks, etc. \$20 per acre. To trade for merchandise or sell on easy terms.

payable in three equal annual payments. Will trade for Memphis property.

No. 222—A fine home in Memphis will sell one third cash, balance easy terms, or will consider exchange for anything of value. Has 3 lots, each 25x140 ft. Home has 4 large rooms, hall and bath; city water connection. House lathed, plastered and storm sheeted throughout; has solid brick foundation and good room in attic. Has 70 ft. barn, a storm house 10x14 cemented throughout.

No. 1167—640 acres about 3 miles from Memphis has 4 sets of improvements, plenty of water, 100 acres in cultivation. Price \$30 per acre, or would exchange for smaller property and give long time and low rate of interest on balance, or would cut into 160 acre tracts giving one set of improvements with each quarter section and would take smaller property as first payment, and give long time on balance. This is a splendid opportunity to secure good homes on easy terms.

1 span work horses for cash or long time

No. 1223-190 acres 3 and one-half miles from Memphis in Hall county; 175 tillable, of which 125 is in cultivation; soil, sandy loam. Has 2 good four-room tenant houses, 1 well and windmill, 1 cistern, and stock tank. Price \$35 per acre, one-third cash or good property, balance easy terms. Same party owns adjoining the above a 190 acre tract, 160 tillable of which 150 is in cultivation; sandy loam soil; two good tenant houses, 1 well and 1 cistern. Price \$32 per acre, one-third cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years at 7 per cent. Will trade both tracts for good brick business

property at cash value. Last year land on this place grew over a bale of cotton to the acre, and averaged over one-half bale.

No. 153—A good 4-room house, well finished and a half block of land in Clarendon to trade for small farm near Memphis.

No. 218—One of the best stock farming propositions of its size in Northwest Texas. This is a real bargain to the man who desires to raise fine stock and feed the products of his farm to same, thereby securing a handsome price for the products of his farm. This elegant stock farming proposition has only about five miles from the city of Memphis, and contains 1280 acres of which about 500 acres are in a high state of cultivation, and is good farming land. There are probably 150 acres more tillable land on the place. There are four sets of improvements, with all necessary outbuildings. Property is in good shape in every respect. The soil is from a dark to a red loam. The property is clear of incumbrance. We are authorized to sell same for \$20 per acre, one-third cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 equal annual payments at 8 per cent interest, or might take a smaller piece of property for it, if it was first class on first payment.

No. 94—640 acres about three miles north of Memphis in Collingsworth county, of which about 200 acres are tillable and 100 acres are now in cultivation. One five room frame residence, with hall, well of good water, storm house, cribs, stables, etc., \$20.00 per acre due state. Price \$12.50 per acre bonus, terms half cash, balance one to four years at 8 per cent interest.

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MEMPHIS, TEXAS

We have a number of northern clients who are in the market for Texas ranches ranging from 10 to 200 sections. Parties owning such properties and desiring to sell will serve their own interests by writing us.

Goodnight Wins.

(Crowded out last week.)

Last Friday April 16th, was the time set for the Panhandle Oratorical Contest, which convened at Goodnight Baptist Industrial Institute. At 3 p. m. eight autos from Hereford brought the Hereford delegation, numbering fifty-six. They came as the conqueror comes with their hymns of lofty cheer and they went as the flying go "In silence and in gloom."

Hereford college crossed bats with the Goodnight mine on the local diamond and the score was 6 to 2 in favor of the guests.

The 6 p. m. train unloaded twenty-four more visitors, the Canadian Academy delegation. They too came as a college crowd should with streaming pennants and lots of spirit.

At 8:30 p. m. the three schools represented took their places in the sections of the chapel decorated with their respective pennants and colors and the three representatives, Mr. Arthur Rodgers, of Hereford, Mr. Sam Carr, of Canadian, and Mr. W. D. Bracken, of Goodnight, with chairman J. G. Mason, of Goodnight, and Secretary, Otis Parks, of Hereford took their respective places on the platform.

The following very delightful program was rendered.

Invocation—Rev. J. L. Walker.

Piano Solo—Kathie Lass.

Goodnight.

Vocal Solo—Grace Vepe, Canadian.

Girls Glee Club—Hereford.

Oration—"The Saloon as a Factor in the Destiny of Texas"—Arthur Rodgers, Hereford.

Oration—"A Mistaken Policy." S. B. Carr, Canadian.

Oration—"Why We Need a Stronger Navy." W. D. Bracken, Goodnight.

Song—Canadian Male Quartette.

Decision of Judges.

Awarding of Medals—Rev. J. H. Bennett.

After a minute and exact comparison of manuscript and oration grades, Prof. Mason, in behalf of the judges, Prof. B. C. Dyess of Amarillo, and Rev. J. H. Clouse of Channing, announced that first place was given Goodnight Academy, followed very closely by Canadian Academy and Hereford College. The ever exuberant spirit of the "Buffalo crowd" could be restrained no longer and "Buffalo Meat," "Purple and White," "A Lost Reputation," "Cheer up Canadian," and many other well known yells filled the chapel.

The visitors from Groom and Claude returned home and the others were cared for for the night, 8 a. m. Saturday witnessed the first Basket Ball game ever played in Goodnight. Hereford and Goodnight were the champions. The score was 27 to 15. For Goodnight, Miss Clara McCora was the decided star in the game.

After a game of baseball between Hereford and Canadian with a score of 2 to 1 for Canadian, the visitors departed, leaving Goodnight tired out but jubilant.

The associations meet at Hereford next year.

Reporter.

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Joe Penland of Alanreed was in the city Monday on business.

Notice.

All persons are hereby warned not to fish, hunt or otherwise trespass on my place known as part of the John Sims place. I will be forced to prosecute any one found trespassing hereafter, M. T. Howard.

Until May 10th we are going to discount all furniture ten per cent for cash in order to move stock. All damaged goods almost given away. H. C. Kerbow & Co. I am overstocked on Moline, Canton and Bradely lister shears, and will close them out at \$1.50 you will have to hurry. J. Walker Lane, the man that leads.

Mrs. Irvine has returned to Bowie after a visit with friends in the city.

F. M. Scillion's Plumbing and General repair shop is now open for business. 2t-pd

J. L. Allison of Bray, was a business visitor to Clarendon Tuesday. He reports every thing favorable out his way notwithstanding the dry weather. Mr. Allison says the farmers are going right ahead with their work.

Wanted—Girl to do housework for man and wife. Nice home. Box 181, Clarendon, Texas.

Kersey and Martin report the sale of a hundred and sixty acres of D. C. Ferguson's farm to J. T. and John E. De Shields of Arlington Texas, for \$26 per acre.

Don't send away for odd sizes and extra weights in doors when H. W. Kelley will manufacture them for you at home, saving you the freight. tf

N. L. Murf has been appointed postmaster at Bryce, vice Oscar Newton.

Watch the Clarendon Mercantile Co. windows.

Rev. Ferguson of Clarendon was in town Monday.—Quanah Tribune Chief.

Ladies' ready to wear garments at Clarendon Mercantile Co.

The suit of Calloway et al vs. Patman et al, which called a number of our citizens to Amarillo last week, has been continued.

Wait, the latest things in Ladies belts, collars and ornaments are coming. Clarendon Mercantile Co.

The Banstr-Stockman has received a new supply of typewriter ribbons.

J. B. Masterson and children, of Hedley, were in the city Sunday the guests of the family of Marion Williams.

The Banner-Stockman for typewriter supplies.

Miss Velma Green and little Lewis Blackwell visited Mrs. Clyde Wright in Memphis, Saturday and Sunday.

Ben Baird, of Pampa, and J. R. Henry, of this place, were attending to business in Clarendon this week.—McLean News.

Mrs. E. P. Berry left this morning for Clarendon, where she will visit relatives for several days.—Childress Index.

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