

BANNER STOCKMAN



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NO. 8.

Man moth Sale to Continue

365 days. Williams Bros.' big stock of Groceries to go for Cash, either Wholesale or Retail

WE don't sell at cost. We buy our goods by car lots and pay cash, thereby getting discounts, which enables us to make lower prices than the "other fellow" and still make a profit. We have in transit:

One car load of Sugar, bought when sugar was the lowest—we sell it the same way.

One car of the famous White Swan Flour.

One car of The Pride of Decatur.

All three cars to arrive in a few days.

By mistake our fireworks order has been doubled, but we will endeavor to unload them at prices that will make the small boy happy. In other words, he'll get all he wants for 10c or 25c.

We have everything in the way of Candies, Nuts, Oranges, Bananas and Apples for Christmas—cheaper than elsewhere.

Wholesale prices on Candies, Oranges, Apples, Etc. for Christmas Trees, Parties, Etc.

We quote you today's prices:

Sugar \$5.25 per 100 pounds.

Territory Flour (Leger's Best) \$2.50 per 100 lbs.

Fresh car of Colorado Potatoes at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

Texas Flour (Pride of Decatur) \$2.70 per 100 lbs.

Good Second Grade Flour \$2.20 per 100 lbs.

WILLIAMS BROS.

FAST COMING TO A CLOSE.

The Banner-Stockman Steel Range Contest is Nearing the Finish. Only Four More Days in Which to Vote.

Votes has been coming in quite lively in the Range Contest of late and the result is given below. This is the last statement of the standing of the contestants which will appear before the final count is made. The contest closes next Wednesday, December 20, at noon, and no votes will be received after that hour. Contestants will therefore take notice of the date and hurry in their coupons for the final count. In another column will be found a new subscription offer which may be of interest to the contestants or their friends. For a limited time we will send the Banner-Stockman to addresses not in the Panhandle country for 50 cents a year. Votes will be issued on such subscriptions if received in time, and this will be found an excellent opportunity to kill two birds with one stone—viz: send the Banner-Stockman to a friend who might become interested in the Panhandle, and cast the votes for your choice in the Range Contest.

The votes will be counted next week by a committee of disinterested parties, and the result announced

in the paper of 22nd inst. Some lady is going to be able to cook her Christmas dinner on the Banner-Stockman Buck's \$45 Steel Range, and the best wishes of the paper will go with the handsome prize.

The vote at present stands as follows:

Mrs. W. J. Adams, Clarendon,	11,870
Mrs. J. T. Bain, Bray,	5,530
Mrs. J. O. King, Lelia,	2,640

The Watch Contest.

In the Watch Contest Miss Aris Baldwin leads Miss Mattie Trigg by the small margin of 11 yearly subscriptions. The watch contest will close on the same date and at the same hour as the Range Contest, and the final result will be made known next week. It will also be announced on the stage at the opera house next Thursday night by The Dixie Minstrels.

—Just received at Dubbs'—a fine line of pocket knives. tf

Bankers W. H. Cooke and W. H. Patrick attended the meeting of the Panhandle Bankers' Association at Amarillo the first of the week.

—If Bushnell doctors it it will run all right. tf

Several watches have already been sold from the new stock at Stocking's store. tf

At The Opera House.

Otto H. Krause, manager for the Woods Sister Company, is holding the boards at the opera house this week. Last night "Shadows of a Great City" was presented to a good house, and the audience was appreciative. The company is a strong one, well calculated to please the play-going public. Tonight they will present "Is Marriage a Failure." Tomorrow matinee, "Little Red Riding Hood," and tomorrow night "A Struggle for Gold."

The audience last night was more than pleased with the performance, and the general opinion is that Mr. Krause has the best company ever seen in this city.

Another Freight Wreck.

Through freight No. 19, north-bound, went into the ditch three miles north of Clarendon yesterday afternoon about four o'clock. Eight cars and the tender were thrown off and very badly battered. Among the cars was one loaded with the effects of S. H. Hunt, of Clarendon, who was moving to Stratford. Mr. Hunt was in the caboose and was not hurt, and none of the train crew were injured. Traffic was delayed all night and up into the day today, the passenger trains being turned here and sent back.

Our Holiday Offer.

While our Big Sale is over and it was truly a Big Sale. We have decided to allow our entire stock, or what is left of it to remain marked at the very low prices which we made during the sale. And on many things we have made still greater reductions as we wish to reduce our stock of Dry Goods, Shoes, Clothing, Etc. still lower before we invoice. A look at our Dress Goods and Trimmings, Men's, Women's and Children's Underwear, Hats, Caps and Shoes will convince you that we intend to clean up the stock by Dec. 24th. We have received since our special 10 days sale closed a splendid line of Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Fascinators, Shawls and Scarfs for the Holiday Trade. Our stock in these lines was never better and prices never so low. A nice assortment of Mexican Drawn Work, direct from an importer, will make nice Christmas presents.

Our Grocery Department is full of good things and we can furnish everything from the Turkey to the English Plum Pudding. Phone 18 and we will do the rest

The Martin-Bennett Co.

WILL RE-ORGANIZE BAND.

A Number of Local Young Men Now Getting Together for That Purpose—More New Instruments.

Will M. Clower has taken hold of the brass band proposition in Clarendon and informs us that he is meeting with success in getting members together for a new organization. This being the busy season of the year nothing towards effecting a permanent organization will be done until after the holidays, when a meeting will be called and the work of practicing on the toot-toots will begin. The city owns a very fine set of silver instruments, and several of the boys will go down in their pockets and provide themselves with clarionettes, as it is desired to have at least three of the latter instruments in the band.

The following young men will comprise the band, others to be added: Will M. Clower, T. L. Goodman, Clint Lee, Erick Clower, Fred Rathjen, Clarendon Hildebrand, Drew and Sims Burton, Forest Taylor, Ed Huffham, Walter Morris, Roy Dodson, Harwood Beville, John McLean, Rust, Williams and Parsons. An entertainment at the opera house for the benefit of the band is in prospect for an early date.

Grind Your Feed.

Our feed mill is now in operation and we are ready to take care of all the feed that the public may want ground. Will grind or crush any kind of feed on short notice and for cash or toll. Large mill house with plenty of room to take care of all feed.

COLD STORAGE POWER CO.

The Clarendon Lumber Company, through its affable manager, A. C. Morgan, this week distributed some of the prettiest calendars ever put out in the city. The Banner-Stockman sanctum is adorned by one.

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

THE Denton County News' special Christmas number was issued last week. The Christmas number with the News has come to be a feature, and this year's effort surpasses all former attainments in the line of newspaper making in Denton. The paper was printed in magazine form, consisted of 32 pages, nicely printed and substantially bound. The contents were especially interesting, and the entire issue reflects great credit on Manager Bailey and his staff.

THE Banner-Stockman is informed that at the last meeting of the Clarendon Pastors' Association among other discussions the question of good citizenship came up, and the fact was brought out that a man could not be a good Christian without being a good citizen. Now the question is, have you prepared to fulfill your duties as a citizen at the polls by paying your poll tax? Think about this. And while considering the matter remember that your poll tax receipt must bear date prior to February 1st, 1906, if you expect to do your full duty as a citizen by casting your vote in any elections which may be held.

John Reck returned from Ft. Worth Tuesday where had been with a carload of hogs. The hogs were raised by Mr. Reck on his ranch four miles east of town. There were 82 head in the lot, averaging 197 pounds, and sold for 4.97½¢, the highest price paid for Texas hogs the day he sold. Mr. Reck established his ranch about three years ago and is well satisfied with results so far. There is nothing pays better in this country than hogs; they are never dead until they pass the butcher's guillotine.—Claude News.

P-Nuts.

—Fresh roasted in the oven every day at the Clarendon Bakery. tf

Money Lost.

Two ten and two five dollar bills lost on streets of Clarendon first of this week. Finder will be liberally rewarded for return of same to Roy C. Jackson, at Ft. W. & D. C. Depot.

W. H. COOKE, Pres. and Cashier.

A. M. BEVILLE, Vice-Pres.

The Citizens Bank

Unincorporated

A general banking business transacted. We solicit the accounts of Merchants, Ranchmen, Farmers and Individuals.

Money to Loan On Acceptable Security.

Clarendon, Texas.

S S S

Stands for STOCKING'S SPECIAL SALE which will continue from now till January 1st, 1906. We will have a far larger stock than formerly of

JEWELRY

Fancy hand-painted China, Japanese-ware, shipped direct from Japan, Toilet Goods, novel and useful, at specially good prices. No trouble to show goods. All marked in plain figures.

Christmas Presents

: : The Practical Kind : :

This is the time to think about them. You save the rush and worry that comes later on, and our immense stock is sure to have just what you want when you see it. We will be glad to help you. The buying is your business—furnishing the goods ours—and you have the benefit of our long experience, while getting the lowest prices.

Our store is the place for practical Christmas buying, gifts that are practical and lasting.

B. W. Chamberlain

Donley County's Oldest Dry Goods House.

Among The Churches.

From notes gathered at the meeting of the Pastors' Association Monday morning we learn that Sunday was a day of interest and profit to our people.

The gatherings at the Methodist church were large and the services up to the high standard. Brother Sherman's sermon at the morning hour was able and inspiring. During the day four were added to the membership by certificate.

Large audiences enjoyed the services at the Baptist church, concluding the week of revival meetings under the leadership of the pastor. One profession of faith in the Savior was recorded and three additions to the membership by letter.

Very interesting and profitable meetings were held at the Christian church.

There were no services at the Presbyterian church except the Sunday School and young peoples' meeting, on account of the absence of Bro. Dickey at Childress. He reported that the ordination and installation of Rev. R. C. McRoy pastor of the Presbyterian church at that place was deeply impressive. The ordination sermon by Rev. L. S. Rieves, of McKinney, was able and deeply spiritual. The same minister addressed the men at the Y. M. C. A. building in the afternoon on "The Greatest Man," showing from history and experience that the greatest man is the man who does most for others. We greatly need something like the Y. M. C. A. work for our men and boys in Clarendon.

The Pastor's Association had a good meeting.

Rev. C. C. Bearden was appointed to read a paper at next meeting on the work of the conference on church federation recently held in New York City.

There will be prayer meeting at the churches Wednesday evening to which all are invited.

Optical Goods.

I have fitted others, why not you? I have a full line of spectacles, eye glasses, etc., and have never failed yet to fit a person applying to me for glasses. I guarantee satisfaction, what more can you ask? Eyes tested free. John M. Clower. tf

Great Success in Shorthand.

Misses Lilla Woodward and Minnie Thorp, two pupils of the Commercial class, St. Mary's Academy, have, after the short interval of two months' study in shorthand, been awarded each a "Certificate of Accuracy." These young students are delighted with their success and will be ready to apply for an Amanuensis Diploma in the course of a few months.

Donley County Lumber Co.

J. J. WOODWARD, Mgr.

Successors to Yellow Pine Lumber Co.

Having bought out the Yellow Pine Lumber Co. we have changed the name as above indicated and solicit the continued patronage of the public. Mr. J. J. Woodward will continue as manager of the business. We will endeavor to supply him with a better supply of building material than the yard has been carrying and will do everything possible to enable him to meet the wishes of the trade. Give him a call and let him figure your bills.

Rockwell Bros. & Co.

Two Bath Rooms

Four Chairs

The Imperial Barber Shop,

Lloyd Blackwell, Proprietor

Cleanliness

Courteous Treatment

WE HAVE SPENT MUCH MONEY

And have added to our capital stock, built larger sheds and bought better lumber. WHY? To enable us to handle your orders better and thereby increase our business. Do you need lumber? Then don't fail to figure with us. The more complicated the order the better we like it. Ask Morgan. Phone No. 10.

Clarendon Lumber Co.

THE ENGLISH KITCHEN

J. E. TRACY, Proprietor.

Positively the best place in the city to get well cooked food and clean, well ventilated rooms. I have been in the business longer than any other local restaurant concern and have always treated everybody right. When you want the best restaurant and lodging house service at rates that are fair and reasonable come to me. Regular dinner each day; short orders at any hour. Satisfaction guaranteed. Same old stand on Kearney Street.

J. E. TRACY

G. C. Hartman

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

NEW SUBSCRIPTION OFFER

For a Few Weeks the Banner-Stockman will Make Reduction in Price on Foreign Subscriptions.

The Banner-Stockman will, until the first day of February, 1906, make a special price to parties wishing to send the paper to friends or relatives in the old states or to other sections of Texas than the Panhandle. We will send the paper one year to such addresses for 50c, cash in advance. This is an excellent opportunity to get the many advantages of Donley county and the Panhandle before your old friends back east who are even now looking this way. There is no better way to interest such parties than by sending them the local paper, especially when that paper is one of representative character like the Banner-Stockman. The paper for the next year will be better than ever and will lay before its readers many facts calculated to draw homeseekers to this section. Every local subscriber has some friend or relative to whom they should send the paper. This is the opportunity. A full year for 50c, and the paper will be discontinued at the expiration of the year. Parties taking advantage of this offer prior to the 20th inst. will be entitled to votes in the Range Contest. Also those parties who are already sending the paper away can take advantage of the offer by renewing such subscriptions. There are a good number of foreign subscriptions expiring with the first of the year. Those knowing themselves to be responsible for any of these expiring subscriptions can have them continued for another year by paying us 50 cents.

Remember, this offer is made for a limited time only. After the first day of February it will be withdrawn. It is made simply for the purpose of getting the paper before a large number of people who may through it become interested in this section and settle with us. Make out your list of names and help in a worthy cause.

—If you wish to see something pretty look at the display of jewelry in Stocking's show window.

Local Market Report.

Clarendon merchants are paying the following prices for country produce. List corrected each Thursday.

Cotton, middling.....	10.50
Hay, alfalfa, ton.....	13.00
Hay millet or prairie, ton.....	8.00
Hay sorghum, ton.....	7.00
Indian corn in ear, bu.....	.40
June corn in ear, bu.....	.40
Sweet potatoes, vam, bu.....	.75
Sweet potatoes, Southern Queen, bu.....	.50
Chickens, hens, doz.....	\$3.00
Chickens, fryers, doz.....	2.40
Turkeys, lb.....	.08½
Eggs, doz.....	.30
Butter, lb.....	.25

—Clocks! clocks! all kinds of clocks at John M. Clower & Son.

The Cold Storage Power Company now has its new feed mill at work and is ready to handle the farmers' feed either on a cash basis or for toll. Mr. Trent has put in a first-class outfit and has built a large mill house with plenty of room, and says he is prepared to crush feed while the patron waits.

A FOOLISH PLAN



It's a joy to eat—I welcome my dinner hour; Because I rout indigestion with August Flower

Constipation is the result of indigestion, biliousness, flatulency, loss of appetite, self-poisoning, anemia, emaciation, uric acid, neuralgia in various parts of the system, catarrhal inflammation of the intestinal canal and numerous other ailments that rob life of its pleasures if they do not finally rob you of life itself.

"I'm bound in the bowels," is a common expression of people who look miserable and are miserable—yet who persist in "letting nature take its course."

What a foolish plan, when nature could be aided by the use of Green's August Flower, which is nature's own remedy for constipation and all stomach ills.

August Flower gives new life to the liver and insures healthy stools.

Two sizes, 25c and 75c.

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

TALK IS CHEAP

AND SO IS OUR LINE OF HOLIDAY GOODS. All good goods at a reasonable price and you should come early if you want first choice. Remember the Big Graphophone is to be given away Dec. 23, so don't forget to call for your chances. Our Laundry still leads the them all, WE ARE STILL SELLING THE BEST AND CHEAPEST SHOT GUN SHELLS IN TOWN.

We will appreciate your presence if you will call and let us show you through.

BARGAIN STORE

W. H. THOMPSON.



This Shoe is cut from the choicest Patent Colt and is made in the latest style.

\$3.50



This cut shows our Cushion Shoe. It is made from the very best Vici with a cushion inner sole which makes it very comfortable. The best thing for sore feet. Welt and turn soles. Price

\$3.50



This cut is a reproduction of one of our Men's Fine Shoes. It is made of Corona Patent Colt, in the latest style. There is no other shoe like this for the money—

\$4.00



A very fine Patent Colt Shoe, the best ever shown for the money. Only

\$3.00

This Slipper is made from the very best Felt, has a good leather sole and fur top, Black and Green. Very nice for Christmas presents.



\$1.50

J. H. RATHJEN

The Foot Fitter

New Bridges on Denver.

"During the present year we have put in thirty-seven steel bridges and over 6,000 yards of concrete work on the Denver road," said O. J. Travis, superintendent of bridge and buildings of that road yesterday. We are pushing the work of putting in permanent improvements just as rapidly as the work can be pushed. With the exception of over the Canadian river, we have either replaced or have made arrangements to replace all the wooden bridges on the Denver road."—Fort Worth Record.

Bride Died Instantly.

Ballinger, Texas, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Viola Hughes, a bride of two weeks, met instant death about 3 o'clock this morning by placing her hand upon the switchboard at the electric light plant, where her husband is engineer. She was spending the night with her husband at his work and was unaware of the danger.

A special invitation is extended to all the young people of Clarendon to assist in the song services during the revival meetings at the Christian church.

The pastors and members of the various churches are earnestly requested to attend our services during the meeting to begin next Sunday; this means you.

C. C. BEARDEN,
Pastor Christian church.

—We lead in flour, both in price and quality. Get our prices and try a sack and we will continue to sell you flour. T. H. Allen. tf

The public school will close on Friday, Dec. 22nd, for a two weeks holiday.

THE LATEST FAD

Is Bargain Sales; but for real bargains see J. M. Clower & Son. We have just opened up the most complete stock of Xmas goods to be seen. Toys, Books, Games, Chinaware, Medalians, Air Guns and, in fact, everything heart could wish. Fresh nuts, fruits and candy. A new stock of fireworks, including Roman candles, fire crackers, salutes, whistling bombs, triangles, red fire and serpents.

Our stock of fine jewelry, watches, clocks, silverware, cut glass and hand-painted china, is complete. See us for bargains.

J. M. Clower & Son

Jewelers and Opticians

The Banner-Stockman.

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Clarendon, Tex., Dec. 15, 1905

THE first snow-fall in Clarendon last year occurred on Dec. 13th, the same date as this year; history repeats itself.

THE chances seem good for Clarendon having a new \$15,000 brick hotel. Keep your ear to the ground and the rumor may soon grow louder.

Panhandle Bankers.

The regular meeting of the Panhandle Bankers' Association was held in Amarillo the first of the week and the Herald reports a good attendance considering the very inclement weather. The program was follows:

Welcome Address—J. L. Smith, Amarillo.
Response—W. B. Slaughter, Dalhart.
Twice Told Tales—W. H. Patrick, Clarendon.
Exchange—Frank B. Salter, Channing.
Collateral—J. T. Sneed, Jr., Amarillo.
Automobile Banking—Jas. B. Posey, Floydada.
The Banker in Politics—J. R. Bowman, Amarillo.
Growth of Banks in Panhandle—D. S. Young, Canadian.

—Send to Stocking's for it. tf

—School supplies at Dubbs'. tf

—Get you a strong cut-off key from Stewart.

All the pupils and teachers of the public school are preparing for the semi-annual examinations next week.

—If you want it for a Xmas present Stocking has it.

—Try Allen for syrups. Celebrated White Swan and Wapco brands. tf

Victor Smith, late of Greer county, is a new settler in the Jericho country.

—Get your Xmas apples and oranges at Williams Bros. They have the goods and the price, too. Get a box of each, they are cheap.

The public school teachers with their entertainment funds have ordered a set of the "Makers of History" for the public school library.

—New shipment White Swan and Wapco canned goods at Allen's. None better. tf

—I have a good watch to trade for a saddle. See me at Bargain Store. W. H. Thompson. tf

The trustees of the public school showed their good judgment by putting 30 tons of coal in the basement last summer for winter use.

—Just Received:—Fresh car White Swan flour, the best flour that this market affords. Williams Bros. tf

Will K. Banks, an old time acquaintance of Prof. and Mrs. Silvey from Tennessee, stopped over Wednesday to visit them.

—See our new line of men's and boy's shoes which has just been received. We can save you some money on your shoe bill. E. Dubbs & Sons.

—School supplies at Dubbs'. tf

—Pocket knives at Dubbs. tf

—Have Stewart do your repair work and it will be done right.

—A large supply of pure Georgia Ribbon Cane just arrived; call and try a lick. Williams Bros. tf

The various literary societies and teachers of the primary grades of the public school are preparing a Christmas program.

The water works company has received the new water mains and a force of men is engaged in distributing them along the streets where intended for use.

WANTED—10,000 bushels threshed kaffir corn and milo maize, sacked. The Powell Trading Co. tf

The Home Mission Society meets next Monday afternoon. They will have monthly bible study. A full attendance is desired. Miss Bobo will conduct the lesson. Press Supt.

—Can please anyone in a pocket knife now. New and complete line just opened up. E. Dubbs & Son.

Raffles are all the go now. Shotguns, watches, robes, and other articles seem to be finding a ready sale through the medium of chance.

—Our big sale continues. Especial low prices on candies, fruits, oranges and fire works. Williams Bros. tf

—A line of the most attractive gent's neckwear at The Martin-Bennett Co. tf

The Slaughter ranch on the north plains near Stratford, has been sold to a number of different northern parties. The ranch consisted of some 27 sections, and the purchasers will cut it up into farms.

Our Shoes Have Arrived.

Call and see the line. We want your shoe trade and are going after it with good shoes at reasonable prices. E. Dubbs & Sons.

Holland's Magazine

(Published by Texas Farm and Ranch Pub. Co., Dallas, Texas.)
This Magazine is pre-eminently a publication for the home—for each member of the family, from the parents themselves on down to the child just learning to read. Prominent among its features are:

The best short stories and serials obtainable.
Topics of special interest to women and girls.
Articles dealing with decoration of the home.
Information about flowers, both wild and cultivated.
Valuable culinary hints for the thrifty housekeeper.
Timely articles on housekeeping and self-adornment.
Instructive articles on embroidery and needlework.
Things that boys may make (with illustrations).
Work for girls in home, kitchen, garden, etc.

A Handsome Publication

Typographically and from an artistic standpoint, HOLLAND'S MAGAZINE takes a place with the best magazines of the country. It is printed on paper of fine quality and generously and artistically illustrated. With a new cover design each month.

A SPECIAL OFFER

The publishers make this special offer to readers of this paper: Subscribe for HOLLAND'S MAGAZINE, read it for three months, and if you are not satisfied your money will be promptly returned.

Live Agents
wanted.
Salary and
Commission

Send \$1 today and get HOLLAND'S
MAGAZINE each month for a year

Holland's Magazine

DALLAS, TEXAS

Send Ten
Cents for the
Current
Number

—Its right if you get it at Stocking's store. tf

A number of farmers are finding the turkey proposition a mighty good one just now. A large number of the birds are being shipped. M. T. Crabtree showed our reporter a nice check from a local business house for his turkey crop.

Fire! Fire!

—Fire works cheap at Williams Bros. tf

—You will save money by getting it at Stocking's. tf

Rev. R. M. Morris returned the first of the week from Alanreed, Jericho and Groom where he had been filling his regular ministerial appointments. He reports that section of the moral vineyard in great shape, considered from all points of view. Land is selling and new settlers coming in rapidly.

—School supplies at Dubbs'. tf

Lipscomb & Christal,

REAL ESTATE

DENTON, - TEXAS

If you wish to buy, sell or exchange real estate, or desire any information pertaining thereto, write or call upon us.

Optical Goods.

I have fitted others, why not you? I have a full line of spectacles, eye glasses, etc., and have never failed yet to fit a person applying to me for glasses. I guarantee satisfaction, what more can you ask? Eyes tested free. John M. Clower. tf

Santa Claus

has set his table at Stocking's.

—Come and see our line of Seth Thomas clocks, new and guaranteed at Jno. M. Clower & Son. tf

The Powell Trading Co's

Clean Sweep Sale is Still Going

TAKE A HAND IN IT. To make a clean sweep of all heavy goods by Jan. 1st. We are making some very attractive discounts on our full line of Dry Goods, Men's Furnishings and Groceries.

Men's Clothing
Men's Overcoats
Men's Pants
Boys' Suits
Men's Shoes
Men's Gloves

Ladies' Skirts
Ladies' Cloaks
Misses' Cloaks
LADIES' SHOES
WOOLEN DRESS GOODS
LADIES' GLOVES

Appreciative Gifts for Xmas

FINE UMBRELLAS, LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, COMBS, LADIES' PURSES AND CARD CASES, LADIES' COLLARS, BRUSHES, TIES, SUSPENDERS PUT UP IN INDIVIDUAL AND ATTRACTIVE PACKAGES * * * * *

☛ ☛ ☛ GROCERIES ☛ ☛ ☛

OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE; A FULL LINE FRESH CAN GOODS. GOLDEN GATE COFFEE. IN FACT EVERYTHING GOOD TO EAT. IF YOU DO NOT FIND OUR GOODS BETTER AND CHEAPER THAN EVER ELSEWHERE BRING THEM BACK AND GET YOUR MONEY * * * * *

The Powell Trading Company

CLARENDON, -:- -:- TEXAS

NINE MORE DAYS

TILL XMAS



Are You Ready

?

We have been Ready for Weeks

And Weeks. We have prepared for the Holiday Trade as no Clarendon firm has ever before done. We are just now in receipt of big shipments of new Holiday Goods by express, our first stock having been badly depleted by prudent early buyers. But we still have the goods, and our assortment is just as complete as it was a month ago.

HATS

We have just received a big shipment of Hats; all kinds. Stetson hats and the cheaper kinds. Can please anyone in a hat.

SHOES

Our line of men's and boys' Shoes is expected daily. It should be here and placed for sale by the time this paper goes to press. Don't buy shoes until you see our line.

KNIVES

See our new showcase packed full of the best pocket cutlery ever seen in this town. It is a guaranteed line, and the makers' guarantee stands behind ours. No flaws in your cutlery if you buy here; we make any defect good if you should happen to find one.

TOYS

Our toy department is a veritable fairy land for the children. They will surely think they have entered Toyland if you bring them to our store. Ten thousand toys to select from, all the latest and best. Santa Clause will buy his toys here.

Every other department is full and complete but we cannot possibly mention all. Come and see and you will buy your Christmas supplies from

T H E G L O B E
E. DUBBS & SONS, Proprietors

McClellan & Crisp,

REAL ESTATE

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 list and descriptive matter of the Panhandle country. We bring buyer and seller together.

J. H. PIRTLE
DRAYMAN

Respectfully solicits a share of your business. Special attention paid to the careful handling of household goods.

PROMPT SERVICE AND REASONABLE PRICES?

A. M. RAMP,

Drayman.

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 No. 10.

MAIL ORDERS

A SPECIALTY.



NOCONA, TEXAS.

—Seasonable bargains in all kinds of cloaks and jackets at our store. The Martin-Bennett Co.

Clarendon College

Miss Stella Gribble has gone for little visit to home folks at Wellington.

Ernest Sears returned from Hale Center a few days ago. He had gone home some time ago on account of not being well.

W. P. McMicken made a flying trip to Memphis one day last week, having been called home on business.

V. H. Tremmell had his trunk sent to him at Hereford last week. He has charge of Hereford Mission.

Geo. and Henry Pipkin were called home to Matador the past week to help finish gathering the crop. The abundant crops and shortage of hands has caused several of the boys to have to go home, but all will be back after Xmas.

The Panhandle Society had issued invitations for an open session for last Friday but for various reasons it was postponed till after Xmas. The Adkissonians are to have their open session next Friday.

Arthur SoRelle has been out of school for several days on account of sickness.

The pupils enjoyed a rare treat last Monday morning in the lecture by Mr. Peebles. It was delivered in Mr. Peebles' own racy, inimitable style, and was full of good things for the students. After his speech the boys called for a speech from Mr. Sawyers so vociferously that he was forced to respond, making a brief talk which was received with hearty cheers.

The Adkissonian Society, in a call meeting, passed the following resolutions:

There are no stronger bonds that bind our hearts together than the bonds of sympathy. There is nothing that can so brighten and sweeten our tears as the tears of a brother mixed with ours.

Into the home of three of our fellow Adkissonians death has come and taken away their best earthly friend. With our brothers Drew, Sims and Allan Burton we most deeply sympathize in the loss of

their dear mother. We call to their minds, however, the many sweet consolations that are theirs. Love can never lose its beloved, and hearts united by years of mingled smiles and tears can not be disunited even by the hand of death. Mrs. Burton held in her heart all the brightest gold of refined character; unselfish, pure and thoughtful, she was not only a true mother to our brothers, but a help to all who came under the rays of her beautiful life. She is gone, but not for long. Heaven is only a little way from earth to those who are prepared as she was for its mansions and rest. Be it resolved by the Adkissonian Society, that as a body of brothers indeed, we extend our heartfelt sympathy to our our bereaved brothers. That a copy of these resolutions be entered upon our minutes and also a copy be furnished our brothers, Drew, Sims and Allan Burton, to be kept by them as a memorial of our esteem and sympathetic love.

TRAVIS BRALY,
ROY DODSON, } Com.
HARWOOD BEVILLE, }

Bros. Hardy, Dodson and Sherman went on a two day's hunt last week. We didn't hear what success they had.

Hugh Black was on the sick list part of the past week, but is at work again.

WANTED:—A good buggy horse to keep this winter for board; will give him good treatment. For particulars see me.

W. C. STEWART.

Mrs. W. T. White, of Rowe, is visiting relatives in town this week.

Price Xmas goods at Stocking's and be convinced.

—Everything warranted as represented at Stocking's. tf

I. D. Shaw, of Alanreed, was in town Monday on business.

Tom Bain and Harry Clifton, of Bray, will ship a car of cows each to Ft. Worth market Sunday, loading at Giles.

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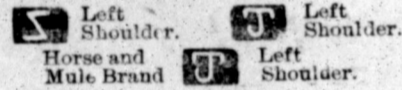
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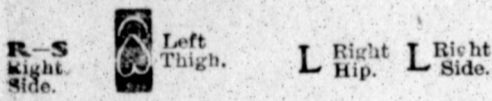


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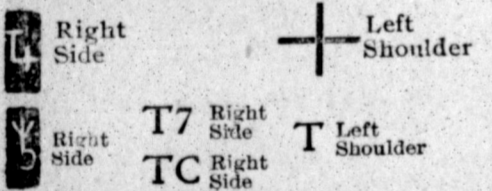


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Texas.
Ranch in Donley and
Armstrong counties
MARK—Right ear
pointed.

Additional Brands



ROBERT SAWYER,



P. O., Clarendon,
Texas.
Range on Salt Fork
in Donley county.
Mark—Underslope
left ear.

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Fork in
Donley and
Armstrong
Counties.

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P. C. JOHNSON.

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Mark—Hole in left ear



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Clarendon, Texas.

Let the boys and girls attend the
revival services.

Will Cooke has returned from
Sherman where he has been in
school and will accept employment
in the Citizens Bank.

—Fresh car Quanah soft wheat
flour at Allen's. tf

A light fall of snow and sleet
occurred Tuesday night, following
a day of drizzling rain.

—Rev. C C Bearden has a half-
breed whiteface bull calf for sale.

The pastor of the Christian
church believes in letting the pub-
lic know what is going on in town.
Be sure to see the window cards
announcing a revival meeting to
begin next Sunday morning.

—Try our Double Eagle flour.
tf T. H. Allen.

Death of Robert Ellison.

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 10.—
Robert Ellison, aged about 37
years, and a prominent cattleman
of Memphis, Tex., died tonight
about 10 o'clock at the residence
of D. W. Goodwin, 401 Burnett
street in this city. Mr. Ellison
came to Fort Worth from his ranch
several days ago for treatment.
He is survived by a widow.

Notice.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, the Am-
arillo eye, ear, nose and throat
specialist, will be in Clarendon Wed-
nesday, Dec. 27, one day only.
Office with Dr. Carroll. tf

Dr. A. J. Caldwell, the Amarillo
specialist, advises that his next
trip will be made to Clarendon on
the 27th of this month, the same
being Wednesday, and that he will
remain for one day only. Parties
desiring his services should be sure
to see him at the office of Dr. Car-
roll on that date.

—Bushnell guarantees satisfac-
tion in every case of testing eyes
and fitting glasses. tf

W. H. Hopkins landed "right
side up," in Kansas City with his
car of hogs and topped the market
for that week; receiving \$4.85 per
cwt. "Be" says he has done quit
the cow business and is going into
the hog business right.—Canadian
Record.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

On December 21, 22, and 23,
The Texas & Pacific Railway Com-
pany will sell round trip tickets to
points North, East, and Southeast
at rate of one and one-third fares,
limited to thirty days from date
sale, for return. For further in-
formation, call on the nearest ticket
agent, or write E. P. TURNER,
Gen'l Passenger Agent, Dallas,
Texas.

Tom Connell has lately purchas-
ed fifteen acres of land lying three
miles out from the square of the
town of Roswell, New Mexico.
Mr. Connell says that he is going
right out there and plant fruit trees
and when they grow up he is going
and stay under their shade and par-
take sumptuously of their fruits.—
Canadian Record.

—We would appreciate your
school supply trade. Come let us
show you our line. Jno. M. Clow-
er & Son. tf

Rev. Wilson C. Rogers left Mon-
day night for Dallas where he ex-
pected to attend meetings of the
Baptist State Mission Board and
Baptist Educational Commission.
At this meeting matters of interest
concerning Goodnight College were
to be decided. Bro. Rogers will
be home in time to occupy his pul-
pit at both hours Sunday.

—Some especially good values in
boys' and children's suits. The
Martin Bennett Co. tf

It begins to look mightily like a
court house for Channing. Judge
J. E. Moore and Commissioners
W. S. Marshal and Henry Kimball
met, Saturday last for the purpose
of opening the bids. On Monday
the names of Solon and Wicken, of
Weatherford, were given out as
the successful bidders for the new
court building, their bid being
something about \$10,000. They
bind themselves to begin work by
March 15, 1906, and the building to
be completed not later than October
1, 1906. The contract was signed
by Judge Moore for the Hartley
county, December 4, and the bond
agreed to amounts to \$5,265.—
Channing Courier.

—The best and purest candies in
town; fresh, home-made. The
Clarendon Bakery. tf

The series of meetings which had
been in progress at the Baptist
church last week came to a close
Sunday night. One conversion
and three additions to the church
were the direct results of the meet-
ing, while the pastor expressed
himself as being well pleased with
the revival of church spirit.

—Excellent values and good
styles in ladies' misses' and chil-
dren's wraps. The Martin-Ben-
nett Co. tf

—Telephone your orders to Stewart
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Xmas Presents

Are not always easy to select, and the
value is of little consequence. The
idea is to select a present that will be
appreciated. A nice picture makes a
present suitable for either relative or
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mation and drives out Pain.**

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W. S. Bailey, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My
wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in
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Snow Liniment, which effected a complete cure. I
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spects better than three to five times higher priced property located
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Groom Gossip.

GROOM, TEXAS, Dec 11.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

N. A. Steed and C. H. Harris shipped 3 cars of cattle from Groom last week.

E. S. Blasdel has gone to Chicago on business.

Miss Lora Slay gave a birthday party Nov. 24. Everyone attended and had a nice time. She received several nice presents.

Mr. Campbell left Thursday to visit his people in Kentucky and Alabama.

Mrs. R. A. Fae has been very sick for several days.

Irene Steed gave a tacky party Thanksgiving night. Stanley Cobbs and Miss Lillie Whatley won the prize for the tuckiest couple.

N. A. Steed and C. H. Harris believe in building up the community as each are improving a section of land north of town.

We think Mrs. Boswell who has been sick for two months is improving now.

W. S. Wilkerson made a flying trip to Amarillo Wednesday night.

The little daughter of N. A. Steed is sick with chicken pox this week. Also a son of W. S. Wilkerson.

Bro. Sebe Thomas, Mr. Geo. Whatley and Frank Slay are down near McLean hunting this week.

Mr. Arndt, a late arrival of Iowa, is suffering a slight indisposition this week, arising from "home sickness" "love sickness" or physical sickness.

Hog killing is in order in and around Groom now.

Mr. Willis Tarrace, of Jack County, the nephew of W. S. Wilkerson, is visiting here now with the view of locating later on. Ivin Marshall accompanied him but has returned.

Mr. Walter Crowell is visiting friends here now.

Matt Brittain, of Iowa, is here this month taking care of his feed crops and also looking after his cattle.

Mr. Charlie Boydston's sister is here to spend the winter with him and hopes to engage in the dress-making business and would appreciate the patronage of the ladies who have work in her line.

Miss Saddler, our school teacher, left Thanksgiving and has not yet returned.

The winter winds have begun to blow on the Plains.

Buy a good clock at Stocking's drug store for \$1.00. tf

Rev. Wilson C. Rogers returned from Dallas Thursday morning. He reports a full attendance and very enthusiastic meetings of both the State Mission Board and the Educational Commission. Plans were enlarged all around for the coming year. The amount set for State Missions was \$100,000, a raise over last year of \$10,000. The educational work was laid out on a basis of \$154,000. \$2,500 going to Goodnight College, to which an effort will be made to add the same amount from the local field.

—Entire new stock of jewelry at Stocking's. tf

W. O. W.

All members camp 476, Clarendon take notice. Dues must be paid not later than the first of each month, if not your policy is worthless. J. J. ALEXANDER, Clerk. Office in Rutherford bldg.

—Get your wife or sweetheart a gold watch at Stocking's and see her smile as she hasn't for eleven years.

Fifty Years the Standard

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER
A Cream of Tartar Powder Made From Grapes No Alum

NEGRO MINSTREL JUBILEE

The Dixie Minstrels, Composed of Home Talent Under Competent Instruction, Will Appear at the Opera House Soon.

On next Thursday night the Dixie Minstrels will hold the boards at the Clarendon opera house. The entire cast will be composed of local talent, with the exception of the instructor, Mr. Chas. Roltare, who is an old hand at the minstrel business. The entertainment will be for the benefit of the Clarendon Concert Band, and promises to be first-class in every particular. The Longview Citizen says of Mr. Roltare's performance there:

The appearance on last Friday of the Dixie Minstrels at the opera house, composed of home talent, was a delightful, laughable and exceedingly enjoyable affair, and the crowded house demonstrated their appreciation of the efforts of the locals by their repeated long and expressive applause and the cheers which were not confined to any particular act, actor or part of the minstrel but was dispersed throughout the entire play making it very clear that each, all and every one did their work in first-class order and merited the plaudits of the audience. The minstrel was arranged by Messrs. Roltare and Humpurey who took leading parts in the entertainment, and the proceeds were given to the Longview Cornet Band. The audience was one of the largest ever gathered in the opera house, was loud in its praise of the entertainment and not a discordant note was heard in the praise of the local talent in their effort to present an attraction that would merit the patronage that was received.

Books at Stocking's. tf

Stolen! Stolen!! Stolen!!!

The little old woman's Sooner pup mysteriously disappeared Wednesday morning, since which time she has not seen hide, hair or tail of him. This is distressing as he belongs to that celebrated "Sooner" breed that neither bites nor fights. She will surely go "up" or "down" one if he does not materialize soon. Mr. Banner-Stockman, please bring him to the front and save trouble in the house of MOSSBACK.

—New line pocket knives at Dubbs. tf

Ed Butler, the hustler at the English Kitchen, shod his abilities in handling a rush order this morning. At four o'clock he received an order for 50 breakfasts to be sent up to the wreck. By 6 o'clock he had the breakfasts prepared and on the way to the wreck by wagon. As the boys say, this is "going some."

Foot balls at Stocking's. tf

—Tablets, ink, pencils and school supplies at John M Clower & Son.

R. A. Preston returned Wednesday from El Paso, where he has been working for the past several months.

FOR SALE:—Good second hand office stove. This office. tf

There will be regular services at the Baptist church Sunday, with two sermons by the pastor. All cordially invited.

Books! Books! Books!

The largest assortment of beautiful gift books in Clarendon will be found at Stocking's store. tf

Air guns at Stockings. tf

For Xmas Presents.

Look through my stock of ladies fine collars, silk shawls, drawn work. Ladies' and gentlemen's embroidered and plain linen handkerchiefs, purses, belts, waists, skirts and handmade novelties, etc. 2t Mrs. A. M. Beville.

The Cash Store

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

SUGAR

100 lbs. best granulated.....\$5.25

POTATOES

Greeley Pearls, by sack, per bu.....\$1.00

APPLES

Pippins, bushel.....\$1.50

Fancy Colorado.....1.85

FLOUR

Durham High Patent.....\$2.50

SALT

Barrels, No. 1 fine.....\$1.50

SHOES

Patent colt, Blucher style.....\$3.50

Kangaroo, plain toe, congress.....3.50

Box calf, leather lined.....3.50

Box calf, every day use.....2.50

Work shoes, solid upper.....2.25

Box calf, boys.....1.75

Box calf, girls' school shoe.....1.50

Ladies' fleece lined.....1.50

Children's shoes, \$1.50 down to......25

XMAS

5 wagon loads of toys and Santa Claus goods.

CASH

Buy where you get most of the best for your money.

T. R. Garrett.

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Meeting of Farmers.

In obedience to a request of Chas. Graef and his neighbor farmers north of town the Banner-Stockman calls a meeting of the farmers of Donley county to be held at the court house at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Dec. 23. The meeting is to be held in the interest of getting suitable seeds of different varieties for planting. Mr. Graef has been assured of free freight transportation for all orders, and it is thought that by getting together and discussing the matter of seeds as to kind and quality much good may be done in the way of getting better results in farming operations. All farmers are earnestly requested to be present at this meeting.

Xmas books at Stocking's. tf

—It's right if you bought it at Stocking's.

Notice.

Persons indebted to Dr. Westbrook will find their accounts for collection at my office. All accounts must be closed up at once; please call and see me.

J. J. ALEXANDER, Office in Rutherford bldg.

—The best-grade of leather leg-gins at Rathjen's. tf

Did you see the new silverware at Stocking's? tf

Our Sundry Line Complete

Also have a complete line of Chinaware and Cut Glass. Also full line of perfumes of the celebrated brands, Frederick Stearns and Adolph Spiehler; there are none better. Our stock of Jewelry is complete, consisting of a few diamonds, besides the usual run of a jewelry store. We also have a nice line of Toilet Cases.

All these goods are for sale, but the most important part about a drug store is clean, fresh drugs and knowing how to dispense them. And this we can certainly do, as Mr. Fleming had 15 years' experience in the drug business before coming to Clarendon, and is registered in this state, as is also Mr. T. L. Goodman, his pharmacist. And you take no chances when you take your prescriptions to the Old Reliable Ramsey Stand, next door to the postoffice.

See us for Musical Instruments, such as Violins, Banjos, Guitars, Mandolins, etc. Also strings and appliances for same.

We are stocked up with Ledgers, Journals and all kinds of Blank Books for the new year.

Fleming & Maulfair

...DRUGGISTS...

P. S.—Holiday shoppers will find the usual assortment of Holiday goods here, and all of first quality.

Christmas Holidays are Drawing Near

WE ARE READY

See us for fruit cake ingredients, such as Raisins, Citron, Currants, Figs, etc. Can also supply all your wants in the line of Fruits, Nuts and Candies for the holidays. SHELLED NUTS IN STOCK. Kandy Kitchen Kandy, the best ever, only 20c per pound. And don't forget our fresh Bread, Pies and Cakes.

The Clarendon Bakery

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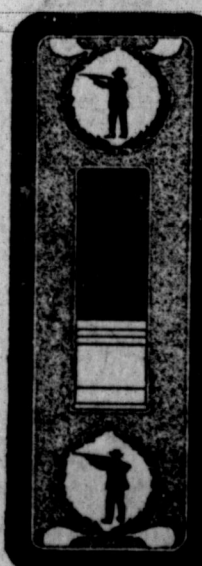
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