



REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
OF CLARENDON, TEXAS.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAY 20, 1905. AS REPORTED TO THE
COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY. (CONDENSED).

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	\$127,730.95	Capital	\$50,000.00
U. S. and other bonds and pre- miums	25,780.00	Surplus	18,827.90
Building and fixtures	7,000.00	Circulation	25,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	1,250.00	Deposits	167,583.25
Cash and Sight Exchange	99,659.20		
	\$261,411.15		\$261,411.15

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT.
W. H. PATRICK, CASHIER.

The First National Bank, with resources of over a quarter of a million dollars, offers to depositors every facility which their business, balances and responsibility warrant.

Mrs. Van Horn is visiting in Amarillo this week.

Sherwood Wilson, of San Antonio, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. F. D. Martin.

Henry Ellis returned Wednesday from Galveston where he has just completed his first year in the Medical Department of the State University.

J. H. Lutrick, of Hale Center, was a College visitor this week.

L. C. Beverly sold for Mrs. W. A. Martin to Joe Horn 55 stock cattle at p. t.

Dr. S. W. Anthony, of Dumas, was here for commencement, his daughter Miss Mary, being one of the students of the college this year.

Commencement at Clarendon College

This Institution Closes a very Successful Year with Four Days of Interesting Exercises.

The first day of Commencement, Friday, May 26, dawned cloudy and misty but despite this fact visitors kept arriving almost every hour and preparations for the great event went steadily on.

The entire week had been a seige of examinations and these continued until about noon Friday. Then care was cast to the winds and the students abandoned themselves to the pleasures of Commencement, pleasures which one must experience to appreciate. There is a joyousness and exhilaration about the gayly dressed, hurrying throngs, the music, and the laughter which after all is not far from tears in view of coming partings, that makes a part of college life which is never forgotten.

The first entertainment of the Commencement was the Art Levee on Friday afternoon at 3:30. The chapel had been beautifully decorated with the work of the Art class during the year. Every particle of space on the walls was filled with pictures which reflected much credit on teacher and pupils. The prize pictures were placed on the rostrum and much speculation was indulged in as to which had won.

A short, bright program was rendered consisting of music and reading, and then the large audience was invited to inspect the pictures, comparing them with the printed lists which had been furnished. One hundred and thirty-two pictures were shown as the result of the year's work, thirty-two of which were painted while Miss Black was here and the remaining one hundred under Miss Houk's instruction. Toward night the clouds gathered heavier, the lightning flashed and the thunder pealed and soon the rain was falling in blinding sheets which continued till after 8 o'clock. The entertainment for the evening was that prepared by the young ladies of the Castalian Society. Before the

rain had fairly ceased a good crowd had gathered and the program was rendered. Quite a number of those who had parts on the program were absent on account of the rain, and so much had to be omitted but still the program was very creditable. It consisted of vocal and instrumental music, monologues, pantomimes and some of which were especially enjoyable. Though fate was unkind, yet the Castalians rose superior to fate, and the audience was given a very enjoyable evening in spite of wind and weather.

The College Board held a meeting in the Library on Saturday morning. On Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the Primary entertainment was given. A heavy mist had fallen all morning, but the clouds had cleared away for Miss Betts and her small folks, and long before time for the program to begin there was not standing room in the chapel. The vocal and instrumental music showed the careful training of the special teachers, Mrs. Tresise and Mrs. Wedgworth. It has often been said that the piano pupils of Clarendon College never fail to reflect credit on the institution, and some of the little vocal pupils sang their way into the hearts of the audience. The most laughable part of the program was the Dwarf Drill, in which sixteen startling looking dwarfs performed various evolutions. The prettiest thing on the program was the Fan Drill, in which the sixteen little Japanese ladies in pink and blue kimonos, with their hair done high on their queenly little heads sang, "We are good little maids from Miss Gabie's room," and perhaps the most attractive thing on the program was the Chef Drill, in which twenty little boys and girls dressed in blue with the little white aprons and caps of the cook, and armed with stew pans and spoons, went through

the drill with scarcely a mistake. The audience seemed very appreciative, sitting patiently through over two hours, and the little people felt much gratified.

One of the most attractive features of the entire Commencement occasion has always been the Inter-Society debate between the Panhandle and Adkissonian Societies. It was held this year in the opera house on Saturday evening, May 27. The subject was, "Resolved, That all railroads in United States should be consolidated, owned and operated by the Federal government". Messrs. J. E. King and Geo. F. Harris championed the affirmative for the Adkissonian society while Messrs. R. H. Cocks and T. E. Graham represented the negative for Panhandle Society.

The speeches were all well prepared and well delivered—speeches which did credit to the college, the societies and to the young men themselves. Challenge and counter challenge was given in the reply speeches, proof called for and produced on each side. At the conclusion Bro. Hardy came to the front and amid tense silence read the decision of the judges, unanimously in favor of the negative. The Panhandles were wildly happy while the Adkissonians met defeat bravely.

On Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Dr. Rankin, editor of the Texas Christian Advocate, preached the Commencement sermon to a packed house. The graduating class occupied the front seat, while the space inside the pulpit railing was filled by the distinguished guests from a distance. The sermon was one of spiritual strength and power. At night Rev. John M. Barcus, Presiding Elder of the Corsicana District, preached an earnest practical sermon to the young people. Special music had been prepared for each service.

On Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock the Oratorical contest took place. This was participated in by eight youngmen: John Arnold, Hugh Black, Travis Braly, Gibbs Glenn, Marvin Law, W. P. Mc-

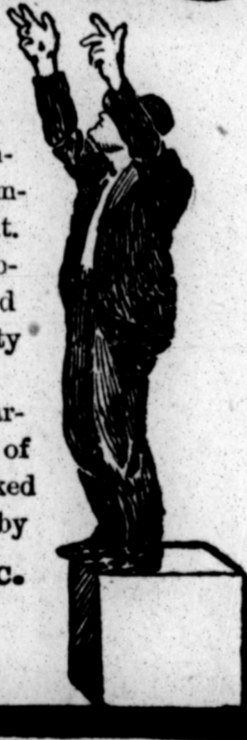
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NEXT WEEK we are going to have a **BIG REMNANT SALE** of Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons, White Goods and Figured and Colored Lawns. The values will be the best ever offered. We intend to clean up all short ends in these lines and the early callers will get the choicest bargains. Don't forget the Remnant Sale next Monday, May 29th.

The Martin-Bennett Co.

Saturday Night's Fire Alarm.

The Clarendon Water, Light & Power Company last Saturday received and put into commission 100 feet of 2-inch fire hose with nozzle and other attachments, and the same night gave a demonstration of the worth of same as a fire fighting apparatus. A big pile of boxes, old lumber, oil barrels, cotton waste and other trash was provided and the whole thoroughly soaked in Beaumont oil. About 11:30 the mass was set on fire and a fire alarm turned in. The flames were allowed to gain a big headway before the water was turned on. The demonstration showed conclusively that the plant is now thoroughly equipped for self-preservation in case of fire for the flames were quenched in less than two minutes from the time the water was turned on. With 150 pounds of steam a stream of water was thrown clear over the smoke stacks of the plant which are 105 feet high. The public was not informed of the test to be made and the alarm was taken in dead earnest by many who thought the plant was burning, and all witnessed the demonstration with considerable surprise at the ease with the fire was put out. The demonstration perhaps created in the minds of many a healthy sentiment in favor of similar protection for the business interests of the city. It was conclusively shown that the water works company could give plenty of pressure for fire fighting if the proper equipment was had. Supt. Gleason now has in mind another demonstration on a larger scale for a later date, and if same is attempted the general public will be given notice to be on hand.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Dr. T. H. Westbrook returned Monday from Chicago where he has been for the past three months attending medical schools and lectures. The doctor completed the full course at the Illinois School of Electro Therapeutics, took the regular course at the Chicago Polyclinic and put in eight hours a week at Rush Medical College. Besides this he devoted two hours each week to the Post Graduate Medical School and the Cook County Hospital. Dr. Westbrook returns more thoroughly prepared than ever to take up his practice in Clarendon. From a physical standpoint he is also greatly advanced, having gained twenty-one pounds during his sojourn in the Smoke City.

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Church Reunion.

It has become necessary to change the date of the reunion of the Baptist church from the 1st to the 2nd Sunday in June. At this time the revival meeting will begin.

The church has been fortunate in securing the services of Rev. J. Felix Harrell, of Waco, to lead the song service for us. Bro. Harrell is a young man of deep spiritual life, and one of the sweetest solo singers in the south. We have had him with us before and know whereof we speak. To miss hearing this godly man sing will be missing an opportunity of your life. He sings for the glory of God.

The purpose of the church reunion is to bring us together like one family; to bring us in closer touch spiritually and socially, that we may know each other better and to have more sympathy for each other. An invitation will be sent to each family of the church, and to as many of the old pastors as can be reached by mail, to come and be present with us, and a general invitation is extended to Baptists and the public at large.

Dinner will be served on the ground, or in the homes of members in the city, so that no one will need to leave the city for dinner.

There will be four services. Sunday school service 9:30 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m., testimony and praise service with roll call of membership at 3:30 p. m., and preaching at 8 p. m. Let each member begin praying and arranging for this day and our meeting. Let's make it the most glorious, spiritual occasion the church has ever experienced. Let us pray for the spirit of God to come in power and give us a great soul-saving revival.

WILSON C. ROGERS, Pastor.

Thanks!

Editor John E. Cook of the Clarendon Banner-Stockman is celebrating the arrival of a little girl baby at his home. Congratulations and felicitations are extended.—Hall County Herald.

The item in the Kurious Kolumn last week about Mr. Daily's turkey eggs has attracted so much attention that we feel like a more sober presentation of the facts is due. It is a fact that out of ten turkey eggs set there were hatched twelve well-developed turkeys. The explanation lies in the fact that two of the eggs were "doubles". As a rule "double" egg will not produce, and when production occasionally happens the product is generally a freak in the poultry line. However, Mr. Daily's turkeys were well-formed and as lively as were ever hatched.

Just What Everyone Should Do.

Mr. J. T. Barber of Irwinville, Ga., always keeps a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand ready for instant use. Attacks of colic, cholera morbus and diarrhoea come on so suddenly that there is no time to hunt a doctor or go to the store for medicine. Mr. Barber says, "I have tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which is one of the best medicines I ever saw. I keep a bottle of it in my room as I have had several attacks of colic and it has proved to be the best medicine I ever used." Sold at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

An effort is being made to build a church at Giles and the committees are now at work raising the funds. Lots have been secured in the village and it is believed that the work of construction will begin in a few days. We are pleased to see the villages moving up along this line and hope that another few years may see the church spires pointing upward from every neighborhood.—Hall County Herald.

Local news on every page.

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Agents for Mrs. C. Adair, Or, Messrs. Priddy & Reeves, who are ready to show the lands at any time to prospective purchasers.

He's All Right, You Bet.

The many complimentary things said by Texas Press Association at Brownwood last week about Mr. Glisson of the Denver Road would have been a source of some satisfaction to that gentleman had he been present. The HERALD editor being the only one present from along his line of road it was quite gratifying. Mr. Glisson has always been the friend of the Texas publishers and they all bank on him for any good thing he wants. Some complimentary resolutions were passed and he was elected an honorary member, being the only passenger agent not present who was so honored.—Hall County Herald.

L. R. Dean, of Childress, was here the first of the week.

Clyde Wright, of Silverton, and Clyde Wright, of Alanreed, were here the first of the week.

Mrs. O. W. Argo and little niece, Miss Louie Bushey, left Saturday for their home in Dallas after a three weeks' visit with Mrs. Argo's sister, Mrs. John E. Cooke.

Jeff Trent, formerly a substantial citizen of Clarendon, but late of Sparks, Nev., came in last week to visit old friends. Jeff still owns considerable property here and has as lively an interest in old Clarendon as ever.

White lead and linseed oil paint is not guaranteed. Mastic Mixed Paint, "the kind that lasts," is made of oxide of zinc, white lead and linseed oil, and is guaranteed. Note the difference. Sold by H. W. Taylors & Sons.

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NOW have for this month's planting a fine stock of Arbor Vitae, Junipers, Cedars, Hydrangeas, Snake Fringe, Spinax, Altheas, and all kinds of ornamental Grasses and Canes. Special attention paid this month to cemetery work. We will give you good values in all the above named plants.

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Theford's Black-Draught comes nearer regulating the entire system and keeping the body in health than any other medicine made. It is always ready in any emergency to treat ailments that are frequent in any family, such as indigestion, biliousness, colds, diarrhoea, and stomach aches.

Theford's Black-Draught is the standard, never-failing remedy for stomach, bowel, liver and kidney troubles. It is a cure for the domestic ills which so frequently summon the doctor. It is as good for children as it is for grown persons. A dose of this medicine every day will soon cure the most obstinate case of dyspepsia or constipation, and when taken as directed brings quick relief.

DANVILLE, ILL., Dec. 23, 1902.

Theford's Black-Draught has been our family doctor for five years and we want no other. When any of us feel badly we take a dose and are all right in twelve hours. We have spent lots of money for doctor bills, but got along just as well with Black-Draught. IRA H. BADER.

Ask your dealer for a package of Theford's Black-Draught and if he does not keep it send 25c. to The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. and a package will be mailed to you.

THEFORD'S BLACK DRAUGHT

In fruits and vegetables Waggener has everything every day and enough for everybody. North of Citizens Bank. Phone 55. tf

Rev. S. E. Houk, of Plainview, was here for commencement. His daughters, who have been attending the college, returned home with him.

E. Dubbs & Sons on Tuesday issued invitations to a free concert at their popular store, The Globe, for that night. They have a large new graphophone and a number of new records and the entertainment was a good one and hugely enjoyed by a large crowd.

Fresh vegetables and berries on ice at the Cold Storage Market. tf

Married.

At the home of the bride's parents Sunday night Elder E. Dubbs united in marriage Miss Mary Wyatt to Mr. Z. H. Shepherd. The bride is the daughter of A. J. Wyatt and has been raised in Clarendon. Mr. Shepherd is late of Greenville and is the eldest son of J. G. Shepherd of the Clarendon Hotel. The Banner-Stockman extends the usual congratulations and wishes for Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd a long and happy life.

Nature's Great Invention



On de banks ob de Amazon, far away, far away, Whar Dr. Green gits August Flowers to dis day; Ah picked dose flowers in August in ole Brazil, An' aldo' I see a Yankee, ah longs to be dar still.

August Flower is the only medicine (free from alcoholic stimulants) that has been successful in keeping the entire thirty-two feet of digestive apparatus in a normal condition, and assisting nature's processes of digestion, separation and absorption—for building and re-building—by preventing ALL irregular or unnatural causes which interrupt healthy and perfect natural processes and result in intestinal indigestion, catarrhal affections (causing appendicitis—stoppage of the gall duct), fermentation of unhealthy foods, nervous dyspepsia, headache, constipation and other complaints, such as colic, biliousness, jaundice, etc.

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Dr. Stocking has a desirable 4-room dwelling to rent. tf

—W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon Hotel, phone 33

W. M. Stevens has been on the sick list the past week.

Attorney W. R. Gibson, of Claude, was a visitor in the city the past week, account commencement exercises Clarendon College.

Mrs. D. H. Sweeney, of Silverton, was a guest of Mrs. Joe Horn during commencement week. Lonnie was on his good behavior all week as a result.

The laxative effect of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is so agreeable and so natural that you do not realize it is the effect of a medicine. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

If you want the paint on your house to look well and wear well use Mastic Mixed Paint, "The kind that lasts."—Sold by H. W. Taylor & Sons.

Prof. A. R. Harris, superintendent of the schools of Roger Mills county, Oklahoma, came in Saturday night for a visit to the family of D. B. Donnell, to whom he is related.

—World's Fair Souvenir Dishes at Dubbs' as premiums. They cost you nothing—see them. tf

W. G. Stewart, the real estate man, left Saturday night for Hunt county where he expects to do some missionary work in the way of inducing people to leave that storm-swept, drowned-out section of the state and locate in God's country—the Panhandle, of which Donley county is the garden spot.

Mrs. A. C. Morgan returned Saturday night from an extended visit to her mother at White Cloud, Kas. A. C.'s friends will be glad to hear this for his recent enforced return to bachelordom was beginning to make a regular bear out of him, and the roses and smiles had fled from his countenance.

—Buy racket goods, glassware, queenware, men's and ladies' notions, ice cream, cold drinks, etc., at The Globe and get not only your money's worth but valuable premiums with each purchase. E. Dubbs & Sons. tf

One of the rankest games of baseball ever pulled off on the local diamond "happened" Monday afternoon. The Plainview team came over expecting to get a nice game with Clarendon's crack first nine, but were disappointed as the team could not be gotten together. A team was made up from members of second and third nines with one or two of the better players to make the thing look like baseball, but the efforts were not even strong enough to give the visitors decent practice. The score was eight to three in favor of Plainview. There were several times as many errors made as there were scores. The visitors were a nice set of boys and play good ball, or rather could play good ball if they had a team of opponents good enough to keep them busy.

The Banner-Stockman has one of the finest lines of calendar samples for 1906 ever issued and is prepared to take the orders of local business concerns for this class of advertising matter. Don't let a traveling man get your order until you see our line. The price will be no larger and by patronizing us you keep the money at home. tf

To My Customers.

Last year my home garden being entirely ruined by the storm, I was forced to send abroad for vegetables, but this season I have a 4-acre garden "chuck full" of choice Panhandle vegetables, which are now coming on the market. Other vegetables and fruits I get from the Truck Grower's Association, which enables me to fill all orders, FRESH FROM THE GARDEN.

I thank you for your past liberal patronage, and will appreciate your orders this season, and assure you I will send out no frozen relics of antiquity, but fresh from the garden to your door, and you pick what you want.

Very Respectfully,
W. P. WAGGENER.

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Go to Wood & Adams for Red Top Cane seed. tf

Wanted.

300 acres sod broke. Land on Plains. Apply to WALTER KNORPP, near Groom. tf

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Clarendon, Tex., June 2, 1905

DOLAN WAKES UP.

FT. WORTH, Texas, May 27.
HON. GEO. F. MORGAN,
Clarendon, Texas.

MY DEAR JUDGE:—I have your favor of the 24th inst., relative to depot facilities at Clarendon. We have recently added an additional waiting room to our depots at Dalhart and Quanah. Would a similar addition to the Clarendon station be satisfactory? I assure you it is our desire to give our Clarendon friends the very best attention possible.

Yours truly,
F. T. DOLAN,
General Sup't "The Denver."

The above letter is in reply to the one addressed to Mr. Dolan by Judge Morgan and published in last week's Banner-Stockman, and it begins to look as if Clarendon's depot facilities would be no longer neglected.

EVERY time they abandon the railroad well at Childress the report goes out that there is enormous quantities of water in the company pool at that point. It was announced a few weeks ago that the well had been abandoned for good and now The Index reports the pool as containing fifteen months' supply of water. The Index is nothing if not sanguine.

Mrs. C. B. Trent has returned from a visit to her mother at Turnersville, Texas. She is accompanied home by her sister, Miss Birdie Jones, who will visit here for awhile.

E. Dubbs & Sons have employed the Clarendon String band for a concert at their store next Wednesday night. Free to all—ladies invited.

S. B. Owens, of Gray county, has purchased the old L. C. Beverly residence property in Clarendon and will move his family here for permanent residence in the near future. Mr. Owens is a most substantial citizen and the Banner-Stockman gladly welcomes him. The price paid for the property was \$3200.

Miss Ola Jacks and Mr. Arthur Scoggins were married Sunday afternoon at the residence of Rev. G. S. Hardy, Bro. Hardy officiating. These young people are among the most worthy and popular in the county and the Banner-Stockman extends best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

Episcopal Church.

Sunday after Ascension Day; full morning service with sermon, 11 o'clock. Evening and sermon, 8 p. m. Specially selected subjects both morning and evening. All cordially invited.

REV. H. C. GOODMAN, Rector.

A pair of beautifully finished altar vases of polished brass have been presented by Mrs. J. B. McClelland and will be blessed at the Sunday morning service.

Ladies invited to attend the free concert at The Globe next Wednesday night, June 7.

Commencement Week at Clarendon College

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Micken, Richard Peebles and Clinton Small. The orations were fine, each one showing much original thinking and considerable oratorical ability. The medal was awarded to Richard Peebles on the oration entitled "Honor to Whom Honor."

In the afternoon the Elocutionary contest was held. This was entered into by six young ladies—Misses Pearl Brumley, Lizzie Crisp, Perle Harp, Eula Lilwall, May Ryan and Lillie Mertz Clower. Each recited a different piece and one suited to her style and ability. The medal was awarded to Miss Eula Lilwall.

Monday evening was the last

awarded. The scholarship to be given by the college to a pupil of the public school was given to Roy Stevens.

There was a tie for the Scholarship medal and two medals were awarded, one to Miss Mollie Hunt and one to Mr. G. J. Willard. There was also a tie for the Art medal and two were awarded, one each to Miss Perle Harp and Mr. Albert Kimbell. The essay medal was awarded to Miss Julia Hunt, the Bible medal to Mr. D. B. Doak; while there was a tie between Misses Forest Gray and Clare Teague for the Housekeeping medal, each receiving one. Two prizes were awarded by Miss Sherman to



G. S. HARDY,
PRESIDENT OF CLARENDON COLLEGE.

Recital given by the Music and Elocutionary departments, and was a fitting close to the work of these departments. The music was exceptionally fine, as were the monologues and readings. Many of the numbers were encored. The music by the orchestra was especially good, and some of the piano selections have never been surpassed in the history of the college. But the most intense interest of the entire commencement occasion was centered in Tuesday morning's program, the graduating exercises. Eleven graduates went out from the college this year. Miss Eva Trammell, Edith Hoge, Mamie McLean, and Messrs. O. T. Warlick, W. E. Garrison, J. E. King, V. H. Trammell, Edgar Betts, James A. Hall, J. D. Sherman and Geo. F. Harris. The orations and essays were excellent, and each speaker was showered with flowers amidst hearty applause. The college is very proud of its graduating class. All of them are young women and young men of sterling worth, and the faculty of the college send them out with high hopes for their future. After the address to the class by President Hardy, the diplomas were delivered, and the class honors announced. Mr. J. E. King won first honors, and Miss Mamie McLeau second honors.

The various medals were then

Elmer Houssels and Allan Beville for History and Reading.

At 3:30 Monday afternoon we assembled for the last time to listen to the commencement address by Hon. T. E. Turner of Amarillo.

We have seldom listened to a finer address than this one was, simple, earnest, and eloquent, straight from the heart of this gifted man to the hearts of the class and the audience. The audience sang "God be with you till we meet again," and commencement was over.

W. P. Powell is at Channing this week.

Free Concert at The Globe Wednesday night next.

Wesley Foxworth came in yesterday from Georgetown, where he has been attending the Southwestern University.

—Call at the Bargain Store and see the Graphophone they are giving away.

Ex-Confederate Veterans and West Texas Cow Boys Reunion, Canyon City, Texas. For this occasion the F. W. & D. C., will sell round trip tickets on July 10th to 14th inclusive, at rate of \$2.25. Limit of 15 days for return.

E. E. BALDWIN, agent.

V. Finch, of the JA ranch, is back from a trip to Canada.

LACES Embroideries

Dress Trimmings

We are now displaying the largest and most complete line of the above goods ever before shown in Clarendon. These goods are all imported, and we buy them in full unbroken packages and we feel sure that for VARIETY and PRICE, they cannot be duplicated elsewhere. It will delight the fancy of the ladies to look over these goods and they are invited to do so.

OUR STOCK OF RIBBONS

In both variety and price is attracting the favorable consideration of buyers in that line. We have a few

Skirts and Shirt Waists

That we are closing out for the season and are bargains. See them.

Summer Millinery.

All the dainty summer millinery fabrics. See us for your picnic hats.

Mrs. A. M. Beville
& COMPANY.

Donley County Improvement Club.

Temporary Organization Effected Wednesday. Will Build Up Donley County.

A meeting was held at the opera house Wednesday by some of the business men of Clarendon and other citizens, and the Donley County Improvement Club was organized. Organization was temporarily effected by the selection of T. S. Bugbee as chairman and A. M. Beville secretary. The purpose of the Club is to build up the varied interests of the county, all working together to that end. Every man in the county will be asked to join the club. There will be a membership fee of 50c a month and the secretary will be paid for his work. It is not the intention to try to do anything with the expectation of not having to dig up some of the coin of realm to pay for the doing thereof, and the Club will be strictly a business institution in that respect. A. M. Beville, D. C. Priddy and John E. Cooke were named a committee on permanent organization. All the real estate agents of the town were put on a committee to secure members for the Club. Next Monday was set as a date for making the organization permanent, and a meeting will be held for that purpose at the opera house at four o'clock p. m. To this meeting every citizen is urgently invited, and a good attendance is expected, and in a sense, demanded. This organization is going to do things and they are going about it in the right way. Those who signed the membership roll and paid their money Wednesday are as follows:

John E. Cooke, J. G. Martin, E. Dubbs, D. C. Priddy, T. S. Bugbee, S. E. Atteberry, J. S. Richardson, W. S. Messner, W. P.

Blake, B. S. Turbyfill, E. E. Baldwin, J. H. Rathjen, C. E. Blair, J. H. Hall, A. M. Beville, A. C. Morgan, G. W. Baker, H. W. Taylor, B. T. Lane, J. H. Rutherford, G. N. Harris, W. H. Cooke, W. F. Dubbs, F. A. Dubbs, T. J. Buntin, E. C. Maulfair, T. H. Westbrook, Ed Hartzel, J. S. Fleming, Lloyd Blackwell, W. J. Adams, J. E. Tracy, W. L. Powell, A. T. Cole, R. A. Chamberlain, W. H. Thompson, J. D. Stocking, J. M. Clower, W. H. Patrick, A. L. Daily.

The meeting was a result of the visit of Messrs. Joel L. Levin, representing Texas Farm and Ranch, and L. B. Simmons, of the Denver Road. The Denver has made a contract with Farm and Ranch to give the Panhandle an extensive write-up in three successive issues, 15,000 copies of the journal having been bought by the road for circulation among people who may be induced to move to the Panhandle.

Mr. Levin is touring the Denver now in the interests of this coming issue of Farm and Ranch, and being one of the organizers and an enthusiastic member of the 150,000 Club of Dallas, is also interesting himself in the work of talking up other such organizations in this and other sections of the state, believing that the concerted action of many such clubs will do Dallas and the whole state much good. Amarillo has organized "The Panhandle Club." Dalhart a "5000 Club." Wichita Falls a "7000 Club." Others will doubtless be organized in the Panhandle, and all will be working for the upbuilding of their respective communities in particular and the Panhandle in general. The longest pole will knock the most persimmons, so it behooves Clarendon to get busy.

The Great Cyclones

HAVE not effected Clarendon yet, except that they have blown our prices down, down, DOWN.

Spend your money at the cash house and save from 10 to 25 per cent. If you haven't got the cash go borrow it at the rate of ten per cent per annum and we will more than save you the interest for twelve months on one month's bill.

Why do you use high priced lard and cheap, unwholesome compounds when you can buy Cottolene from us so cheap? (Some people have quit it now; you follow suit.)

Why don't you use good flour? It is the cheapest. White Swan flour is the best.

A gallon of nice fresh barrel pickles for only 35cts.

25 lbs. Mexican Bayou or pink beans for \$1.00.

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Best heavy castor machine oil, per gallon only 40cts.

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Yours for business,

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY.

Closed a Very Successful Term Wednesday—Splendid Art Exhibit.

The Eighth Annual Commencement Exercises of St. Mary's Academy were held Wednesday at the Academy hall. The art exhibit was given the same afternoon and the display was pronounced by those who saw it as being exceptionally fine. The commencement program was as follows:

PROGRAM.

Farewell Chorus, (L. Bordese.)
Zampa Overture, (Herold)—Misses E. Martin and K. Harvey.

"Dixie Land", Instrumental Quartette. Mandolins—Misses A. Page and Luz Jar-amillo. Guitar—Miss Mattie Shaw. Violin—Master C. Browder. Piano—Miss C. Shaughnessy.

Military March Op. 45, Misses Maude Moore and K. Harvey.

Awarding of testimonials to primary and preparatory grades.

"I Mentecchi E Capuletto" Overture; Bellini—Misses K. and C. Shaughnessy. Certificates of accuracy in Pernin System of Stenography, awarded by H. M. Pernin. Misses Bessie Sloan, Marion Barnett, Jewell Smith, Mary Casper and Stella Dewey.

Cyclone Galop, (F. W. Meachem)—Misses Frances Walker and Lizzie Ulvari.

Certificate of proficiency in Palmer Method Business Penmanship, awarded by A. N. Palmer to Miss L. Shaughnessy.

Ben Hur Chariot Race March, (Paule)—Misses Ethyl Myers and K. Shaughnessy.

Academic course, conferring of diplomas on Misses Ethyl Myers, C. Shaughnessy and A. Page.

Advanced course, Misses Pattie Morgan, Maude Moore and Mary Molesworth.

Superior course, Misses E. Martin, S. Bugbee and K. Shaughnessy.

Spanish Fantasia, Madrilenia, (P. Wachs)—Misses K. Harvey, K. and C. Shaughnessy.

Commercial course, conferring of gold medals on Misses Jewell Smith and Mary Casper.

Presentation of gold and silver medals, Palmer method business penmanship, K. Shaughnessy and K. Harvey.

"Come Where the Lillies Bloom" Chorus, (W. Thompson.)
Address, Rev. D. H. Dunne.

Read all the pages for local news.

Ross Harp of Plainview was here this week.

Luther Bain, of Plainview was a visitor in the city this week.

See this office for late style wedding invitations. tf

Ross Bell, of Plainview was here this week.

Mrs. E. P. Babb left Thursday morning for Amarillo, her future home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harrington, of Plainview were this week the guests of Dr. Gray and family.

—Buy Bed Bug Beater at Stocking's store and sleep well these warm nights. tf

Miss Katie Long, of Paloduro, was here last week visiting the family of M. T. Howard.

Misses King and Blair, of Childress, were here for commencement.

\$20.65 Clarendon to Louisville, Ky. and return, sell June 9, 10, 11 and 12. Good to return June 21, 1905. Extension can be had for return to July 10th. Call on ticket agent for particulars. E. E. Baldwin, local agent.

Miss Elida Peters, from Green River Wyo., who has been visiting the family of Mrs. T. F. Driskell, left for her home Thursday night.

Mrs. T. F. Driskell left Thursday night for Cleburne to visit relatives for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harris, of McLean, were here this week, guests of H. S. Anderson and family.

If you value quality in fruits and vegetables order from Waggener, just north of Citizens Bank. Phone 55. tf

Alta Vista Cream

*And Cold Drinks that are cold are our specialties just now.

*If you have not visited us come around and give us a trial in this line.

*We have some special values to offer you in Men's Furnishings.

*Also some rare values in our Racket Department.

*A fresh line of fresh candies just received.

*Come to see us.

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W. H. Thompson.

Baking Bread in August

Is a hot proposition for any woman. Don't let your wife slave over a hot stove during the hot months when you can buy the Bread already made and of fine quality from the Clarendon Bakery. The same is true of all kinds of pastry. We make the good kind—as good as ever came out of the home kitchen, and it costs you no more than to bake it at home, besides it saves the worry and work for the housewife.

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Clarendon, : : Texas.

Strayed.

One red and white spotted cow, tips of horns off, branded BA on left hip. Reward for information or return to B. F. Adams, one mile east of Clarendon. tf

N. S. Ray is here from Wellington, Kas.

Dr. Harris will go to Claude June 5, and remain one week to do dental work. 2t

A few of the many Imperial Barber Shop specialties: First class workmen, courtesy, good order, clean towels and "a clear conscience." Call and see. it

—See Powell Trading Co. for hand threshed, red top, Sumach Sorghum Seed, best for planting; grain not crushed. tf

Miss Nellie Preston, of Bonham, is expected here next week for a visit to her former college chum, Mrs. A. T. Embrey.

R. W. Talley has taken the management of the business of the Martin-Bennett Company at Jericho. Mr. Talley is a fine business man and the firm has made a good selection.

Bob Rutledge, the book auction man, is in town for the purpose of conducting some auction sales.

J. E. Crisp and R. S. Kimberlin are over in the Quitaque country this week on a prospecting trip.

Sheriff J. T. Patman and wife returned last night from their visit to home folks at Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Martin are at Jericho this week, where Mr. Martin is attending to the business of his firm.

A telephone line from here to Jericho is one of the probabilities for the near future. We understand that C. W. Bennett and L. C. Beverly are interested in the matter and will likely put a line into operation soon.

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PROMPT SERVICE AND REASONABLE PRICES.

1st Monday

The Clarendon First Monday Sale and Trade Day has been resumed. On first Monday in each month the services of J. E. Crisp, auctioneer, will be at the disposal of the general public.

Come to Town!

A Kurious Kolumn

By A. Kurus Kusse

Kurus has a pretty good one this week on a former employe of the Banner-Stockman. This young man will be remembered as a good printer, a fine baseball player, and, above all, a ladies' man of the 18-karat quality. The first two of his attainments never got him into any trouble, but those who knew him best will remember that the girls kept him in hot water pretty nearly all the time; they also kept him pretty well "broke". Mr. Printer fell in love with a young lady who visited in Clarendon during the time he was living here. It seems that this particular attachment was of a more lasting quality than the general run of his love affairs, and even long after he ascertained that his affections were not reciprocated, he continued his attentions by letter, much to the disgust of the young lady in question. But Mr. Printer was nothing if not persistent and in spite of the fact that the years were slipping by and his letters were not answered he continued in the inditing of sweet scented epistles, each and every one breathing the spirit of his admiration and affection. The end came last week. The ardent swain, who is now in California, made one last determined effort, quoted several "stickfuls" of poetry, renewed the declaration of his undying love and wound up by requesting her latest photo that he might have her image ever before him to cheer him on his lonely way. To his surprise, perhaps, he got a reply. The reply was dated from a town miles away from the young lady's home, and after stating her displeasure at his persistence she informed him that her "husband" had been reading his letters for a year or two and was tired of them and instructed her to write him that if they did not immediately cease he would take the matter in his own hands. This letter she enclosed to a friend in the town where dated with request to remail, that the proper post mark might bear witness to the truthfulness (?) of her statement. Oh, these girls! Their hardness of heart knows no bounds. Kurus is sorry for his former printer and thus exposes the little game in the hope that this may meet his eye and he may be deterred from climbing up on top of the Golden Gate and plunging his unhappy self into the depths of the Pacific ocean.

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"The" Crabtree, the "nester" who has a nest out east of town a few miles where he raises white-face calves, yellow legged chickens and other garden truck, being bothered by a skunk or some other insect who had formed an appetite for the before mentioned chickens, last week decided that patience was no longer a virtue in his particular case and set a steel trap for the varmint. When he went to garner in his pray next morning he found he had captured a wolf. His wolfship having no taste for captivity took to his heels when he saw what a formidable foe he was up against, and in his flight took the trap along with him. Now, "The" is a little too fat to make a good sprinter so he had to stand by and see Mr. Wolf capture the trap and get away with it. This seemed to worry him no little so he advertised the fact throughout the neighborhood that whoever would

capture the wolf could have its pelt if they would return his trap. Mr. Wolf evidently got wind of the magnanimous offer for on the very next day he reappeared on the brow of the hill nearest the scene of his escapade and by sundry barks and other means informed the owner that he was present. "The" got busy immediately and started in pursuit on horseback. Mr. Wolf waited until he was close enough for long range conversation, then politely placed the trap where it could be plainly seen and decamped, with a bark which seemed to signify that he had heard of Mr. Crabtree's generous offer and took the first opportunity to avail himself of the benefits of its conditions. "The" is willing to swear that that particular wolf is the possessor of a whole lot of sense.

Found a Cure for Dyspepsia.

Mrs. S. Lindsay, of Fort William, Ontario, Canada, who has suffered quite a number of years from dyspepsia and great pains in the stomach, was advised by her druggist to take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. She did so and says, "I find that they have done me a great deal of good. I have never had any suffering since I began using them." If troubled with dyspepsia or indigestion why not take these Tablets, get well and stay well? For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

Judge Altizer and Mr. and Mrs. Moore of Jericho, spent a pleasant day in the future great Thursday. Mr. Moore is an expert oil and gas man, and both he and the Judge believe that this immediate section of country is underlaid with oil and gas, and they are endeavoring to get our people interested in the matter to the end that a united move may be made to develop this industry. Their efforts in this direction are highly commendable, and The News trusts that they will meet with that encouragement which is so essential in the promotion of a new and untried enterprise.—McLean News.

Ice! Ice!! Ice!!!

The ice wagon is now running every day. If you miss the wagon leave orders at Cold Storage Market or telephone residence phone No. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Ramsey returned last week from Dallas where Mrs. Ramsey, as before noted in these columns, successfully stood a very serious operation in a hospital. We are glad to note that this most excellent lady is now in a greatly improved state of health. She will be gladly welcomed back to her church work, and her many friends are extending heartfelt congratulations.

Dying of Famine

is, in its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myers, of Cearfoss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed at Fleming & Maulfair's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free.

Marriage license were issued Monday to Mr. George Tomberlin and Miss Nora Adamson, popular young people of the Rowe community.

Stockett's Sale Stable.

My stable is in south part of town. I have drivers and work stock for sale or trade. Also have some good saddle horses.

HENRY STOCKETT,
Clarendon, Texas.

—Just received—A car of Ferr's pressed brick by the Clarendon Lumber Co.

Another Premium Offer

At The Globe



WE HAVE added a line of very fine BAKING POWDER, which is absolutely pure and wholesome and sells at 25 cents for a pound can. With each can sold we give you FREE as a premium your choice of either a World's Fair Decorated Souvenir Plate or Cup. These cups and plates are fine ware and contain illustrations of different scenes

from the St. Louis World's Fair—a different scene on each piece. The cup or plate could not be purchased anywhere else for the price we offer both Baking Powder and premium at. Call and see the line, and we are sure you will buy.

This offer will not conflict in any way with our previous premium offers. You can still get the other premiums with every purchase.

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New Livery Stable.
J. W. Looney.

I have opened a livery stable in the old Morgan barn on First St. and will be at your service next Sunday, April 23, with first class turn outs and good teams. Phone 62. Will also stand the Roberts jack this season. This is a fine jack and you would do well to obtain his services for your mares.

Notice!

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell of Amarillo, Texas, whose practice is limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be in Clarendon, May 30th and 31st at the office of Dr. J. D. Stocking.

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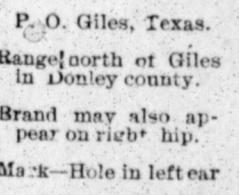
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Local news on every page.

**GENERAL
STOCK
NEWS**



Wm. H. Craven purchased 230
head of yearling steers from E. D.
Hunt the forepart of the week.
Terms private.—Childress Index.

Will Graham, of Paloduro, has
sold his holdings in the JA pasture
consisting of some half a dozen
sections of land and about 600
head of stock cattle, to Mrs. Adair.
The terms are not stated.

Patton, Price & Hyde, of Kan-
sas, on Monday finished receiving
the 2100 two-year-old steers bought
in the early spring from the JA
ranch. They were branded at
Southard and started on the trail
to pasture in Hutchinson county.

T. T. D. Andrews of Fort Worth
was a pleasant caller at this office
last week and reports the following
sales he made for Col. Slaughter:
1700 steers from the Running Water
ranch go to F. H. Evans, Garden
City, Kansas. 3400 Long S steers
to Oscar Killine, Council Bluff, Ia.
Shipment to be made Sunday from
Bovina.—Hereford Brand.

D. B. Gardner, manager of the
Pitchfork ranch in King county,
was in town last Saturday turning
over a bunch of steers to the Chil-
dress Cattle company. He says
King county is in fine condition at
the present time with the cattle-
man and the farmer feeling good.
Mr. Gardner went to Fort Worth
from Childress.—Childress Index.

Huge Task.

It was a huge task, to undertake
the cure of such a bad case of kidney
disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of
Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters
did it. He writes: "My kidneys were
so far gone, I could not sit on a chair
without a cushion; and suffered from
dreadful backache, headache, and
depression. In Electric Bitters,
however, I found a cure, and by
them was restored to perfect health.
I recommend this great tonic medicine
to all with weak kidneys, liver or
stomach. Guaranteed by Fleming &
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A terrible tragedy was enacted
at Miami last week. Sheriff T. B.
Stewart shot Dave Lard, a promi-
nent citizen, inflicting a flesh
wound in the leg, and then killed
himself by blowing out his brains.
The trouble was the result of a
minor altercation, almost puerile in
its littleness. However, there
seems to have been bad blood be-
tween the parties.

A novel way to keep the coyotes
from catching the turkeys, is to
"bell" the turkeys. Wolves are
very suspicious and the tinkling of
the little bells is said to be a sure
way of scaring these animals away.
Try it.—Wellington Times.

R. L. Moss, of Clarendon, who
was here last Friday and Satur-
day, deposited a silver dollar in the
News' pecuniary receptacle. Mr.
Moss owns a well improved section
of land ten miles north of McLean
and is having a 300-acre crop put
in this year.—McLean News.

**Sprained Ankle, Stiff Neck, Lame
Shoulder.**

These are three common ailments for
which Chamberlain's Pain Balm is espe-
cially valuable. If promptly applied it
will save you time, money and suffering
when troubled with any one of these ail-
ments. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug
store.

Mrs. W. C. Morgan returned
Sunday from McLoud, O. T.,
where she had been to see her hus-
band who was sick at that point.
We are glad to say she left him get-
ting well.

The best is the cheapest in the
end. Use Mastic Mixed Paint,
"the kind that lasts." Its purity
is guaranteed. See H. W. Taylor
& Sons.

THE court house of Donley coun-
ty is an institution (if it can be
called such) which has no recog-
nized capital nor watered stock yet
pays to the stockholders—the tax
payers of the county—the largest
dividends of anything in this part
of the state. Every year thousands
of strangers view its well kept ap-
pearance and are inclined to think
that a people that have such a
handsome public building and keep
it in such nice shape are not half-
bad folks to cast their lot among.
Yes, there is no doubt that our
court house, as it stands today,
has much to do in favorably im-
pressing new comers with Donley
county. It is a rather peculiar
statement to make, but we have no
hesitancy in stating that our court
house easily pays a dividend of
fifty per cent each year.

Appreciates The Paper.

Amarillo, Texas, May 27.
MR. J. E. COOKE,
Clarendon, Tex.

DEAR SIR:—Please find check for
two dollars, which will pay for the
paper until next Jan. You don't
know how we appreciate the Ban-
ner-Stockman as we still love our
old home and love to hear from it.
Very truly,

MRS. JAMES WALSH,
106 Lincoln St.

During the rain storm last Fri-
day evening lightning struck the
farm house of James Trent, two
miles south of town, setting fire to
and destroying same. There was
a quantity of hay and feed stored
in the house which probably ac-
counts for its burning. The loss
is about \$200.

The Banner-Stockman is in re-
ceipt of a neat invitation printed on
linen cloth announcing the celebra-
tion of the Linen Anniversary of
Rev. and Mrs. J. Sam Barcus,
Tuesday, June 6, 1905, at Corsi-
capa, Texas.

Cuban Diarrhoea.

U. S. soldiers who served in Cuba dur-
ing the Spanish war know what this dis-
ease is, and that ordinary remedies have
little more effect than so much water.
Cuban diarrhoea is almost as severe and
dangerous as a mild attack of cholera.
There is one remedy, however, that can
always be depended upon as will be seen
by the following certificate from Mrs.
Minnie Jacobs of Houston, Texas: "I
hereby certify that Chamberlain's Colic,
Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured
my husband of a severe attack of Cuban
diarrhoea, which he brought home from
Cuba. We had several doctors but they
did him no good. One bottle of this
remedy cured him, as our neighbors will
testify. I thank God for so valuable a
medicine." For sale at Dr. Stocking's
drug store.

Land Bargain.

Eight sections school land 5 miles
south of Pampa in Gray county,
12 miles from Groom, for sale in
tracts to suit at \$3.50 per acre. If
you are looking for a bargain write.
31-4t
W. C. CULWELL,
Clarendon, Texas.

Prof. W. R. Silvey has completed
the scholastic census of Clarendon
Independent School District and
finds that the figures tally exactly
with those of last year—385. It
is rather a strange coincidence
that there should be exactly the
same number of school children in
the district two years in succession.

A big section of the bridge over
the Canadian river on the Denver
Road was washed out Saturday
and all traffic was stopped for sev-
eral days on the upper end of the
line. The Santa Fe bridge over
the same river was also put out of
commission.

Mrs. C. V. Bray, of Bray, was
in the city Monday and made us a
very pleasant call.

Refrigerator Talk

Red Cross Societies
— And the —
Medical Profession

In America, England, South Africa, France, Germany and the Orient
use

The Siberian Refrigerators.

Is that evidence of sterling worth? Is it any wonder that we recom-
mend a refrigerator of such known quality to our many patrons?

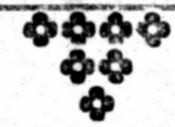
What we recommend for

The Siberian:

Fish and Fruit will not effect milk or butter, no contamination, Re-
quires no scalding out, Uses less Ice than any other make, Cold
Storage in Perfection, Cold air only used once, No Tainted Food
possible, Odors carried off and out, No Refrigerator smell, Perfect
Ventilation. They are perfect refrigerators in every respect and
will interest every housekeeper in need of a new refrigerator.

**The Cold Storage Will Fill Every
Refrigerator We Sell One**

Time FREE



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**BALLARD'S
SNOW
LINIMENT**

**A SURE CURE FOR RHEUMATISM, CUTS, SPRAINS,
WOUNDS, OLD SORES, CORNS, BUN-
IONS, GALLS, BRUISES, CONTRACT-
ED MUSCLES, LAME BACK, STIFF JOINTS, FROSTED FEET,
BURNS, SCALDS, ETC.**

AN ANTISEPTIC that stops Irritation, subdues Inflam-
mation and drives out Pain.

PENETRATES the Pores, loosens the Fibrous Tissues, pro-
motes a free circulation of the Blood, giving the Muscles natural
elasticity.

CURED OF PARALYSIS

W. S. Bailey, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My
wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in
her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's
Snow Liniment, which effected a complete cure. I
have also used it for old sores, frost bites and skin
eruptions. It does the work."

**BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH ONCE TRIED, ALWAYS USED
REFUSE ALL SUBSTITUTES**

**THREE SIZES: 25c, 50c and \$1.00
BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO.
ST. LOUIS, U. S. A.**

For Sale at Doctor Stocking's Drug Store.

You Can Buy At

Adams & Wood's

Fresh Star Hams and Breakfast Bacon.

Fresh Dry Salt Meat and Smoked Bacon.

We are making a special price on California Canned Goods for a few days.

Call and see our bargains.

Just received—a car of Pride of Decatur Flour and Meal; try a sack.

40 Pounds RICE for \$1.00.

We will make you a low price on a bill of groceries.

We back our reputation upon the quality of our groceries. We guarantee our prices. We want your trade and we hope to win it by honesty and fair dealings. Give us a call or phone 37.

—Ice keeps our vegetables nice and crisp. Phone 16, free delivery. The Cold Storage Market. tf

T. L. Goodman, a registered pharmacist with many years experience, will fill your prescriptions at any hour, day or night, at Fleming & Maulfair's drug store, Ramsey's old stand. tf

—Wedding invitations printed at the Banner-Stockman office will be found just as up-to-date and neat in every respect as the more costly product of city engravers. We have the latest type faces for this class of work and a line of stationery equal to the best. Don't chase out of town for something foreign when you can get the same thing at home for less money. tf

—A 25c cash purchase gets a chance at the big talking machine at Bargain Store. tf

The Plainview baseball boys were given another game Tuesday afternoon, enough of the regular Clarendon players being gotten together for that purpose. The game was entirely different from the one of the day before as the score of 6 to 1 in favor of Clarendon will show. It was a pretty good exhibition of the national sport. Clarendon lined up as follows: Shepherd, c; Davis, p; Cocke, 1b; Baker, 2b; Taylor, 3b; McLean, ss; Hildebrand, lf; Wright, cf; Sparks, rf.

—Buy your fresh berries and garden vegetables at the Cold Storage Market. Phone 16 for quick delivery. You don't have to wait. tf

Mrs. J. H. Kelley left Thursday night for Cleburne as a delegate of the Home Missionary Society. While there she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Claude Hall.

L. B. Simmons and Joel L. Levin, representing the Denver Road and Texas Farm and Ranch respectively, were callers at the Banner-Stockman office Wednesday.

—Call at the Bargain Store and see the Graphophone they are giving away. tf

I have two second-hand buggies and harness for sale. Call on, at T. H. WESTBROOK.

LOOK AT ROWE!

Our Spot Cash Prices for the Next 60 Days

Flour, best, \$3.10 per cwt.
Sugar, 100 lb. sack \$6.65; retail 7c lb.
Lion and Arbuckle Coffee, 7 lbs. for \$1.
Peaberry Coffee, best, 20c lb.
Eupion Oil, per gallon, 20c; 5-gal. can, 18c per gal.
CAN GOODS: Corn, Peas, Beans, Blackberries, Strawberries, Pie Apples, 7 1-2c per can. California, best of all Peaches, Pears, Apricots, 15c per can.
TOBACCO: Drummond's Natural Leaf, 60c per lb.; Tinsley Thick Plug, 55c per lb.; Star, 50c lb.; other tobaccos as low in proportion.
Straw Hats at wholesale cost.
Our Ready-made Suits, boys' and men's, at wholesale cost and under cost.
Star Brand Shoes at less than wholesale cost.
Ladies' Skirts and Waists at less than wholesale cost.
A great many Piece Goods—Calicos, Dress Goods, at one-half wholesale cost.
Our Charter Oak Cook Stoves below wholesale cost.

Johnson & Reeves

Corner Main Street, Near the Depot.

Rowe, - - - Texas

Look Here Friends

We are offering our Shoes at greatly reduced prices. Beginning Thursday, May 18, we will sell

SHOES
At
10 to 25 per ct. disc't



Our Kantbeebat Clothes are going at a rapid rate. Overalls of all kinds - - - 25c a pair, up.

Our Famous brand of Flour—"Snow Flake"—is reduced to \$1.50 per sack or \$3.00 per 100 lbs. The best on the market. Hams, Bacon and all grades of Lard on hand. We only carry Three Grades of Coffee—Good, Better and Best, but can give it to you any brand. Our "Golden Gate" is extra good; try it. Yours with pride to please,

The Powell TRADING CO.

McLean Minnows.

McLEAN, TEXAS, May, 30.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN.

It has been some time since you heard from our little town. This section was visited by the heaviest rain and hail on last Friday afternoon and night doing great damage to crops in many places washing the land considerably.

Mr. Arthur Gray is here from Beaver county. Mrs. Gray is very sick at present with fever. Their many friends here hope for her early recovery.

Dr. Green and wife are very proud of their boy which arrived a few days ago.

Mrs. E. S. Rice and children are visiting in Fort Worth at present. Mr. Rice looks very lonesome.

Miss Maye Major of Midlothian, Texas, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Cousins, and family.

Quite a nice crowd was present at the singing at Mr. L. M. Haynes last Sunday night. Had some nice singing also.

Misses Maud and Essie Haynes have the children in hand preparing a program for children's day; the first Sunday in June. Everybody invited, we expect a nice program. Rev. Harris will preach especially to the children at 11 a. m.

Dr. Green has turned his practice over to Dr. Donnell, and will devote his entire time to the drug store ice cream and cold drinks. Will have a nice parlor and has improved quite a lot in the way of enlarging his drug store.

Grass is fine and cattle are getting fat and slick.

Victor H. Trammell and Marvin Law, two of the college boarding students, will remain in the city during vacation and embark in the painting business.

Mr. McQueen, of Clayton, N. M., has been visiting his mother, Mrs. J. M. Sherman, this week.

Notice!

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell of Amarillo, Texas, whose practice is limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be in Clarendon, June 29th and 30th at the office of Dr. J. D. Stocking.

For Sale.

Good milch cow with young calf. Price reasonable. Apply at this office. 2t

Wanted At Once.

Another car of good sound June corn, next week. Clarendon Produce Co.

For Sale.

90 head graded Angora goats. Z. C. COLLIER, Turkey, Texas.

Cemetery Fund.

The following amounts have been donated for the improvement of the Citizen's Cemetery:

Donley County	\$65.00
Geo. F. Morgan	5.00
W. H. Muir	2.00
Banner-Stockman	2.00
Rob't F. Wood	2.00
E. Dubbs	2.00
M. W. Andis	.50
W. R. Claunch	1.00
J. J. Woodward	1.00

Miss Blanche Houk and Mrs. Frank Tresise, of the college staff, have gone to Plainview to spend vacation with their parents.

See Clower for your new ledger.

—Graphophone in town, they are giving one away at Bargain Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mathis have brand new twin girls at their home this week.

BORN:—To Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Maulfair, Monday, a fine boy.

Telephone No. 16, Cold Storage Market, for the best vegetables and fresh fruits. tf

Rev. G. A. Oller, of Bray, was here Tuesday and made us a pleasant call.

—A 25c cash purchase gets a chance at the big talking machine at Bargain Store. tf

The Clarendon Produce Co. has moved to the Barnett building on Main street. Manager Davis here has very nice quarters.

Mrs. J. B. McClelland and son, Bruce, are visiting in Ft. Worth this week.

Only about 25 tickets were sold for the picnic at Giles Tuesday. At Childress over 600 were issued. Clarendon people were deterred from going in numbers on account of the late train and threatening weather. Those attending report a big time.

You will find Preston ready at all times to do your plumbing. tf

Prof. W. R. Silvey is at McLean looking at some land bargains.

G. R. Hoge, of North Fork, Gray county, was commencement visitor and called on the Banner-Stockman while here.

Misses Emily Centry and Pearl Thompson, who have been attending Kidd-Key College at Sherman, returned home for the summer vacation Monday.

Miss Lela Allen left Wednesday for her home near Silvertown for the summer vacation. She has been elected to a position in the Memphis school for next year.

Cold Storage Lard strictly pure. Every pail guaranteed at the Cold Storage Market. it

Misses Hattie and Pearl Alley, Zillah Price and Suemag McWhorter, of Hale Center, were here for the close of Clarendon College. In company with Mr. Ross Bell these young ladies made the Banner-Stockman an appreciated call Tuesday.

Note the statement of the First National Bank in this issue. It shows the affairs of the bank to be in very fine condition.