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RECEIVER APPOINTED.

Clarendon Land, Investment & Agency Company's Affairs to be Wound Up.

DALLAS, May 1.—(Special.)—Judge Meek, in the federal court, this afternoon granted the application of Sully and other English and American stockholders for a receivership for the famous Clarendon Land & Cattle company, a corporation holding large ranch property interests in the Texas Panhandle. John N. Simpson, of Dallas, was appointed receiver, under a bond of \$10,000. The company has 42,000 acres of land, a large number of cattle and other investments involved. The litigation runs back fully twenty years, at which time a British court appointed liquidators. Sully has shown by affidavits submitted to the federal court that \$70,000 has been paid out in England in counsel and court fees and \$60,000 to creditors; that he was comparatively a young man when the litigation started, and that now, as he is growing old and of feeble health, he desires the case to be closed before he dies. On these and other showings Judge Meek granted the receivership notwithstanding the property had been placed in the hands of liquidators by a British court.

The above dispatch appeared in the Fort Worth Record of Tuesday and refers to the old Clarendon Land, Investment & Agency Co., (Limited). This is one of the oldest corporations in the Panhandle.

—They combine beauty of design with durability of finish, do those fancy oak and plate glass doors for sale by Clarendon Lumber Co.

Rev. W. P. Dickey returned Wednesday from Edna, Jackson county, where he had been to attend the funeral of his father, Rev. W. N. Dickey, who died at his home there on the night of April 23, of heart disease. Deceased was 71 years of age, and was one of the best known Presbyterian ministers in the state. He was particularly well known in the west, having been the first Presbyterian minister to engage in the evangelical work in this section. He organized the church at Clarendon, as well as at other points in the Panhandle. His death was sudden. He retired at night in apparently good health and was found dead in his bed next morning.

SCHOOL CLOSURES.

Program for the Closing Exercises of Clarendon Public School.

The closing exercises of the public school will be as follows: On Thursday evening, May 11, at 2 o'clock an entertainment by the primary grades will be given at the opera house. On Thursday night, beginning at 8:30, the intermediate grades will give an entertainment at the same place. For this a charge of 15 cents for children and 25 cents for adults will be made to meet the incidental expenses. A special feature of this evening's exercises will be an operetta entitled, "Bonnybell," prepared by Miss Anderson and Miss Pucket. Commencement exercises will be held at the opera house on Friday night beginning at 8:30. The following program will be rendered:

Invocation—Rev. B. W. Dodson.
"Beautiful Night," Song—Class.
Salutatory—J. B. McClelland, Jr.
"Out of the Harbor into the Sea"—Essay by Miss Mattie Trigg.
"Chanson Joyeuse," Piano Solo—Miss Francis Collinson.
"Nothing Great Is Achieved by Accident," Oration—John P. Brinley.
"Character is a Diamond that Scratches every other Stone," Essay—Miss May Lumpkin.
Solo, "Supposing"—Miss Blanch Houk.
"Greek Heroes," Essay—Miss Minnie Thorp.
"Class History"—T. S. McClelland, Jr.
"Tis All I Ask" Solo—F. D. Martin.
"Class Ode"—Miss Lila McClelland.
"Class Will"—Roy R. Stevens.
Duet—"The Gipsies"—Mrs. Tresise and Miss Burkhead.
"The Goal for which We Strive"—Valedictory—Miss Millie Baker.
Hunting chorus—Class.
Delivery of Diplomas—W. H. Cooke, President of School Board.
Trio—Good night.
There will be a picnic on Monday, May 15, for the children of the school, but the place has not been fully decided upon. This will be announced next week.

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.

Don't forget the school trustee election tomorrow.

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY.

Now Closing a Successful Year—Improvements to be Made During Vacation.

St. Mary's Academy is just closing its seventh annual term, and we are informed this last term has been the most successful since the railway shops were removed from Clarendon. The term will close on May 31st and the eighth annual term will begin on the first Tuesday in September.

The afternoons of the last two days of the present term will be devoted to an art display and general public exercises to which the public is cordially invited. There will be several medals awarded and diplomas presented to pupils of the business department, there being no graduates this year in the literary department. Some of the business students have made exceptional progress and special medals will be awarded in such cases.

Our reporter is informed by the Mother Superior that arrangements have been made for considerable improvement in the Academy property this summer during the vacation season. Three new rooms will be built in the rear of the present building, to be used as kitchen, dining room and store room, thus leaving all the large rooms on the first floor of the main building for school room purposes and affording quite an increase in the educational facilities of the institution. This additional room has been needed for some time but has been delayed by reason of the fact that the title to the property has been vested in the Bishop at Dallas, until quite recently when it was donated to the Community of the Sisters of the Incarnate Word who now have the matter in hand with authority to undertake any improvement for the betterment of the institution. There will in all likelihood be other improvements made in addition to that mentioned above.

Remember the dates for the closing of the present term. The general public is earnestly invited to attend.

Local news in supplement.

Fresh Barrel Shaving Lather.

—The freight on lather is very high and getting higher so we will be compelled to ask our credit customers to pay their accounts promptly or else we may be compelled to give out a few dry shaves. This reads like a joke but we mean business. All accounts must be paid on the first of each month. The Imperial Barber Shop.

Dress Goods Specials

To reduce our stock of Woolen Dress Goods we will make some special prices next week. This reduction will include all wool dress goods in stock. This does not mean the winter weights only but applies to everything in this line. We call especial attention to our stock of La France Shoes for Ladies and Nelson's celebrated Men's and Boys' Shoes. Our line is by far the best and strongest we have ever shown. A shipment of Boys' and Children's Suits just received and the values are right. Our Grocery Stock is up to its usual high standard and we can furnish your table with good things to eat. All orders given our prompt and careful attention.

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GENERAL STOCK NEWS



Jno Widmer sold 60 head of 4-year-old steers for \$30 a head, delivery to be made May 10th.

June Smith has lately sold a herd of one and two year-old steers at \$21 and \$23.—Claude News.

Bunk Harvey, of Amarillo, purchased of F. M. Hilliard 500 one and two year old steers. Terms private.

Alex Maltsberger bought 112 head of yearlings from Steve Sparks last week for \$13 per head.—Higgins News.

Luke Bagwell, manager of the M—ranch, sold two cars of twos Saturday to a Kansas City buyer at \$25 per head.—Claude News.

Fourteen cars of cattle were shipped from Clarendon last Wednesday. Seven cars were the J. B. Pope speyed heifers sold to Robbins, of Kansas; T. S. Bugbee had six cars of fed cows and Clark & Williams one car fed steers for the Kansas City market.

P. H. Landergin, of Eureka, Kans., has purchased the east half of the IS ranch, some 100,000 acres, through the Miller Land Agency, and will take possession at once. This is one of the finest tracts in the Panhandle and Mr. L. is to be congratulated on his purchase.—Amarillo Herald.

E. D. Hunt bought cattle this week of the following: Jim Johnson, 12 ones and 9 two-year old steers; O. C. Roberts, 17 ones and twos; Frank Coleman, 30 ones; Jim Thomos, 5 ones. Prices ranging from \$10 to \$15. He also purchased of Charley Scott 24 two year old heifers at private terms.—Childress Index.

R. T. McElreath, of Memphis, made us a call Saturday while here as a delegate to the Clarendon District Conference. He reports having picked up two bunches of steers lately as follows: 125 ones and twos for which he paid \$10 to \$12 for the yearlings and \$14 to \$15 for the twos. This bunch he sold to Jim Browder at p. t. The second bunch was 90 head and cost him \$12 to \$13 around.

Lyman Brewer, of west Carson county, and living 15 miles northeast of Amarillo, has bought 272 Red Polled and Shorthorn cattle mixed blood, same for the most part being stock cattle, at \$25 for cows and calves. Ninety per cent of the cows have calves, yearlings this spring. In the sale were 3 Red Polled bulls valued at \$300 each and 27 head fine yearling steers. The cattle were bought of Lee Bivins of Amarillo.

A sale of cattle, an echo of the Amarillo meeting of the Panhandle Stockmen's association, was reported last week. W. C. Isaacs & Brother of Canadian have purchased through R. N. Graham of Fort Worth 1,200 3-year-old steers out of the Bush & Tillar herd, whose ranch is near Colorado. He says that when the quality of the cattle is taken into consideration the price he paid about averages with the prices paid at the Amarillo meeting.

Will Lewis returned the first of last week from Knox county where he bought for Lewis & Molesworth from Roy B. Burnett, Frank Patton and others, 1500 2- and 3-year-old steers and about 350 cows, all to be delivered at Estelina about May 3rd. They have also recently bought 1000 Spur cows to be delivered at Pampa on the first. On the 25th they received at Colorado

City 1000 steer yearlings bought from Ben Van Tuyl. They have since sold these steers to McClelland Bros., and they are now being driven through the country to Clarendon. All deals were at private terms.

Mart Darter was in town Tuesday looking for hogs. He has a large alfalfa pasture and uses it for grazing purposes, especially for hogs. Last week he purchased a lot from the Goodnight ranch but he wants more. He has forty acres in alfalfa and only about seventy head of hogs, therefore he wants more hogs. The Darters are strong in the belief that it pays to fatten stuff and ship to market direct instead of allowing some other fellow to make the big profit. Recently they shipped forty-one head of fed calves to the Kansas City market and were well pleased with results. The average weight was 522 pounds, price \$4.65 per hundred.—Claude News.

Judge Polly, of Canadian, well known throughout the Panhandle, dropped dead on the street at his home town on Friday afternoon of last week.—Miami Chief.

Sid Williams, of the Burnett Ranch, 12 miles north of Panhandle, shipped 1000 head of 4-year-old steers to Kansas Saturday.—Panhandle Herald.

The report is out that Joe Getzwiller recently inherited a half interest in a \$35,000 cattle ranch in Mexico.—Miami Chief.

H. J. Lippold has bought 200 head of stock cattle from J. C. Paul at \$17.50 per head.—Panhandle Herald.

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From Prof. Williams.

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EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

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It is not very long since a cowman couldn't get a car to ship out cattle and when the car was furnished his cattle generally were not loaded until after twelve hours' stay in a corral and then loaded out at the bewitching hour of 3 a. m. Now if a cow bawls up or down the track a train and crew is after her in daylight. The service has wonderfully improved; claims are few and far between. Still the railroads could improve in many ways, but let us be thankful for the changes that have come without questioning the why and wherefore, and say "keep a-coming" with the changes for the good of the "dear public."

VERDAD.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her wake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and lagrippe. At Fleming & Maulfair drug store, price 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Rev. Wilson C. Rogers returned Monday from a trip to Childress county where he was present with Lee church at the organization of the new Baptist association to be known as the Panhandle Baptist Association. He reports a good attendance and a big interest, the organization starting out with a good membership from the churches of Donley, Hall, Childress and Collingsworth counties.

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W. W. W. at Stocking's. tf

The Clarendon M. E. church has installed a fine new pipe organ at a cost of nearly \$300. It is a fine instrument; there being not another like it in this section of the state.

W. W. W. at Stocking's. tf

The firm of Bagby & Potts of the Clarendon Bakery has dissolved, Mr. Potts retiring and Mr. G. B. Bagby now being sole proprietor of the business.

See Clower for your new ledger.

The Priddy-Reeves Realty Co. this week sold the M. D. Marcum 227-acre place, 3 miles south of the city, to L. C. Countis. The price was \$2550.

The paint that makes palace cars beautiful is Palace Car Paint. Clarendon Lumber Co. tf

Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 COUNTY OF DONLEY.

To any Sheriff or Constable of Donley County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon P. J. Leithauser by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in Precinct No. 2 of your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in Donley county; but if there be no newspaper published in Donley county, then in a newspaper published in the nearest precinct to said Precinct No. 2 in Donley county, to be and appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 2 in Donley county, to be held at the court house in Clarendon, Donley county, on the fourth Monday in April, 1905, the same being the 24th day of said month in said year, then and there to answer a suit filed in said court on the 14th day of April, 1905, said suit being numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 484, wherein Priddy-Reeves Realty Co. is plaintiff and P. J. Leithauser is defendant. The nature of plaintiff's demand is as follows:

Suit upon a breach of contract for damages in the sum of forty-five (\$45.00) dollars. Plaintiff says that on or about the 20th day of July, 1904, the defendant listed for sale with the plaintiff the Leithauser barber shop building at the price of \$1800, agreeing to pay to the plaintiff a commission of five per cent on the sale thereof by the said plaintiff, that later the defendant offered to take \$1100 for said property and so informed the plaintiff, that the said contract was a verbal contract entered into by and between the defendant and D. C. Priddy of the said firm; that said contract has never been revoked; that on or about the 25th day of March last, plaintiff found a purchaser for the said property who was ready, able and willing to buy the said property and who did buy the said property from said defendant at a price and on terms satisfactory to the defendant; that said purchaser was one Wm Gray; that the plaintiff showed the said property to the said Gray and put the defendant in community with the said Gray; that the said Gray bought the said property direct from the defendant at the price of \$900; that the plaintiff was the procuring cause of the sale; that the defendant is indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of \$45; that the same is due and unpaid, and that demand has been made upon defendant for said amount which he wholly fails and refuses to pay.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand this, the 13th day of April, 1905.

R. F. Wood,
 Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2, Donley County, Texas.

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Clarendon, Tex., May 5, 1905

The Amarillo Herald seems to have peculiar ideas as to what constitutes a scoop.

The meeting for organization of the American Live Stock Growers' Association will be held at Denver beginning next Tuesday. Manager Dick Walsh, of the JA ranch, will attend from here. Murdo McKenzie will be elected president.

The Denton County News, one of the best papers in Texas, has given up the twice-a-week feature as a hard proposition and goes back to once a week. Messrs. Erwin & Bailey are fast putting the News to the front as one of the best papers in Texas, and have lately added a complete new equipment of presses, type and material.

For some time past there has been talk of selling the instruments of the Clarendon Silver Cornet Band in order to raise money enough to pay the balance still due on the purchase price of the set. The instruments cost \$850, and there still remains due \$340. The best offer yet received for the set is \$350. The Banner-Stockman is not in favor of selling these instruments for that price, or any other price for that matter. It is true the band is no more, but the material for a good band is at hand and it could be easily reorganized at any time. In our opinion it will not be long until a reorganization will be effected and the selling of these instruments now would be suicidal to band interests in Clarendon for years to come. Of the \$340 to pay on the instruments we can put our finger on about eight men who have already signified their willingness to put up \$110 or more. The balance should be easily secured by private subscription. The instruments should be kept by all means, and properly cared for until such time as they will be needed. Let's don't throw away a fine set of instruments for a matter of \$200; it can be raised.

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Read the supplement.

District Conference.

The first day's proceedings of the Clarendon District Conference were printed in last week's paper. Regular routine business was taken up Friday, and the reports from the various churches showed unusual prosperity all over the field and it was decided that several new charges should be made for the ensuing year. A special feature of the occasion were the sermons Friday morning and night by Rev. J. L. Morris, presiding elder of the Dallas district. It is claimed by many who heard the morning sermon that the effort was the finest thing that had ever been delivered, not only in Panhandle, but in Texas. The League address Saturday night by Rev. J. Winford Hunt was also very fine. Saturday afternoon was devoted to District League service, Rev. George Harris, president. A very interesting program was rendered. Dr. Alonzo Monk, of Ft. Worth, preached Sunday morning, and his effort was so appreciated that he was prevailed upon to remain over and all the pulpit again on Monday night. Rev. J. R. Nelson, of Dallas, preached Sunday night. At the Sunday morning service a collection was taken for Clarendon College. Something over \$3000 was secured in a remarkably short time. It might be well to state here that extensive improvements are to be made in the College property this summer. A new building to cost \$4000 or \$5000 will be erected. It will perhaps be used for a dining hall, art room, music room, physical culture room, etc. We are unable to obtain definite plans at this time but will have more to tell in a later issue.

The attendance on the Conference was about 100, and the sessions were harmonious in the extreme and the interest profound.

The Citizen's Cemetery.

Wednesday's weather proved to be of the variety which precluded the possibility of working in the cemetery as per call of Supt. Wood but notwithstanding the flying sand a number of citizens went out and did some little work. As will be seen in another column the call for donations to the cemetery fund is meeting with some response, and doubtless a goodly sum will be realized. The names and amounts will be published each week and the general public is invited to contribute.

Mr. Wood asks us to state that the cemetery is not in debt; in fact the treasury is \$100 to the good if the amount could be collected, and he hopes to collect the most of it. However, it takes money to employ a man to work, and to get proper results a man should be kept at work out there all summer. To this end he makes a call for funds.

Any one wishing to contribute should leave their names and amounts with Mr. Wood, or if more convenient, at this office.

Blank books for 1905 at Clower's. Also all kinds of stationery and writing materials. tf

Dentistry.

Dr. Wm. H. Cooke has returned from Vernon and can be found at his Clarendon office every day. Residence phone 25 2 rings. tf

Our Country Correspondents

Bray Briefs.

Bray, Texas, May 3.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Weather is fine, everybody busy farming. Corn and cotton planting is the order of the day.

Bro. Oller has been on the sick list but is up again.

Mrs. John Stallings has been quite sick but is some better.

Mr. Greaves, who some time ago sold his place to Bro. Oller has bought a section of land from H. Fortenberry.

Prof. Harding's school will close Friday with a public examination.

Some of our people are preparing to attend the reunion at Rowe Saturday.

Mr. G. W. Stallings made a business trip to Memphis this week. H.

Groom Gossip.

GROOM, TEXAS, MAY 2.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Rain! More rain than has been known, at this time of year, for some time. Farmers are beginning to be very much distressed about planting their corn. None has been planted so far.

Miss Myrtle Zellner left for her home near Waco last Sunday, wish she might have stayed longer.

G. O. Walker made a business trip to Amarillo the first of the week.

Invitations are out for a party at Mrs. Walker's next Thursday.

A crowd of our young people spent a very pleasant day at Claude last Sunday. N. A. Steel has been absent for the past week buying cattle.

Matt Britten has purchased a bunch of stock for his ranch. He bought N. A. Steeds, O'Keef's and others.

S. Boydston, J. H. Alexander, F. P. Campbell made a business trip to Amarillo, the first of the week.

Our music teacher, Miss Hitchcock, has moved her headquarters to Mr. Fay's.

Mrs. H. C. Boydston, of Boydston, was in town Monday shopping.

C. R. Slay has built an addition to his store, and has also a cellar made under his building.

Mrs. Steel was in town shopping one day last week.

Cemetery Fund.

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

Geo. F. Morgan	\$5.00
W. H. Muir	2.00
Banner-Stockman	2.00
Rob't F. Wood	2.00

County court convened Wednesday instead of Monday as scheduled. The reason was that County Judge Morgan was subpoenaed as a witness at Childress and was absent two days on that account. The docket is as usual light and uninteresting.

White's Wonder Worker

Is still working wonders and selling like groceries at Dr. Stocking's drug store. tf

The ladies of the St. John's Guild will give a real up-to-date Union Depot in the opera house Thursday May 18. They will represent all the funny scenes in a Union Depot from Mrs. Buttinsky to Carry Nation.

Mrs. Eugene Noland returned to Stratford Wednesday accompanied by her mother, Mrs. D. L. McClellan.

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

"A Union Depot" in the opera house May 18. A graduate from King's School of Oratory Pittsburg Penn. will have the entertainment in charge and it promises to be the best ever given in this city.

Miss Alma Wright, of Silverton, is here this week visiting friends.

R. H. Houssels, of Childress, was here Wednesday on business.

There will be special excursion rates made to the meeting of the Women's Home Mission Society at Midlothian.

Mrs. Beasley and children, of Amarillo, were this week visiting Mrs. B. W. Dodson.

June Weddings

Call for Fine White Hats and Dainty Laces, Dress Trimmings and Ornaments. We have them all and can supply the most fastidious with all their needs.

Commencement Hats

We have already supplied some beautiful ones and are prepared to meet all demands in that line. We pride ourselves upon the many

Fine Dress Hats

We have turned out this season and especially of the material and work they show. In our

Cheaper Quality Hats

We give the same distinctive style and finish which characterizes all our fine Dress Hats. We are receiving

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Our large sales makes us large purchasers and give us lowest prices and our LOWEST PRICES make us large Sales. Consult your best interest by always seeing our goods and getting our prices.

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It isn't a hard matter to look pleasant when you have a good picture in prospect. I make only good pictures, and if your negative is not good I will look pleasant while you sit for another.

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Be careful of your diet, and eat only good, nutritious food. Poor bread especially is injurious. The bread made by Bagby & Potts fulfills every condition demanded by properly prepared food. Its taste is delicious and its quality is always of the highest uniform merit.

BAGBY & POTTS

Corn, Corn, Corn. Two cars Indian corn in ear for sale; see or write J. H. O'Neall. tf

Corn, Corn, Corn.

Two cars Indian corn in ear for sale; see or write J. H. O'Neall. tf

Kurius Kusses



A YOUNG man said that he had tried every way to get his girl to say "Yes," finally one day he was down at Williams Bros. and saw the loveliest cakes he had ever seen. They were so dainty and sweet, and on top of each was piled a delicious cream with a nut in the center. A bright idea struck him. He bought some and that night he sent them around with his compliments. A little note came the next day saying "Dear Charlie, I am yours, if you'll feed me on those cakes." Kurius? Yes, Kurius girl and "Kurius Kakes." Of course, it was an easy matter to promise that, because they are cheap. Charlie told this and soon another young man thought he would try the same; so he went to a store and bought some old, dry cakes that had been in stock a long time. He tied them neatly and sent them to his beloved. They were very quickly returned with this note: "I'll never marry a man who sends me stale cakes to eat." Kurius store, Kurius boy, "Kurius Kakes," but not a Kurius girl. This same girl went to Williams and bought a 25 cent barrel of Ginger Snaps. She said she did not want the cakes so bad as she did the lovely barrel. It is real pretty and the picture on it is very suggestive of our Clarendon girls. But when she opened her barrel, how surprised she was. It was full of the most delicious cakes, enough to do her a whole week too. They're large barrels, Kurius barrel! You've heard of that Kurius Oil; well Williams has a Kurius Kan now to keep the oil in. There's no possible way to lose a drop now, and oh, it's so easy to fill a lamp out of these cans. You can save enough oil in two months to pay for one. They have a Kurius dried apple. It is whole, the core is out, but the whole apple remains. It's a Kurius thing but good. I reckon so. Try some. Some people like butter from a speckled cow; some from a black haired cow, but none of them want the specks nor the hairs in the butter. You'll never know what color of hair the cow had when you buy butter from Williams. Kurius? But they buy only good butter. Have you ever tried a good plum pudding made out of those "whole" plums called "Green Gage." You'd never know but what they were plums just picked, and made in a delicious pie. Kurius? Yes, Kurius goods! Kurius prices! and everything that's Kurius at

Williams Brothers.

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Buy and sell Stoves and Household Goods. Furniture Varnished and Repaired.

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Buy and sell for cash. In the Market for Butter, Eggs, Poultry and Hides. Handle grain in car lots. Phone 82.

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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.

Local news in supplement.

—See our ad for new premium offer. Does not conflict with old offer. E. Dubbs & Sons. tf

Read all the pages for locals.

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.

For the next 30 days N. N. Martin will close out all of his registered yearling bulls out the "Lone Star" herd at \$50 per head. High-grade long yearling bulls at \$25. Terms to suit. 3t

Wanted.

300 acres sod broke. Land on Plains. Apply to WALTER KNORPP, near Groom. 4t

W. W. W. at Stocking's. tf

Buck Barnett, of Fort Worth, was here this week.

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

Dr. Stocking was called to Claude Wednesday in consultation with Dr. Warner.

W. S. Messner, of Dublin, came in this week with his family to make Clarendon their home. They have rented the Dr. Winn place on West First Street.

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

The Lazy J speyed heifers which were sold last fall to J. W. Wadsworth, of Geneseo, N. Y., were shipped out from Southard Wednesday. There were 23 cars.

—Do you want a paint that will not scale off or blister? If so, try Palace Car Paint guaranteed to be the very best by Clarendon Lumber Co. tf

Quite a crowd of Clarendonites went to Decatur yesterday to attend the inter-collegiate debate between representatives of Clarendon College and Decatur College.

—Best laying strain of Brown Leghorn eggs for sale at 50cts per setting of 13. N. N. Martin, Clarendon, Texas. 3t

O. H. McDonough, of Fort Worth, is here this week visiting his uncle, Dr. Morris.

The JA ranch on Wednesday shipped six polo ponies which had been picked up and sold to Herman Kinnicutt, of Morristown, N. J. The ponies brought from \$100 to \$150 around.

—You will never regret investing in one of those fancy doors for sale at the Clarendon Lumber Co.

Dr. W. D. Francis, the eye specialist of Lampassas, was here the past week as per advertisement. He reports a satisfactory week's work. The doctor is a clever gentleman and well up in his profession, and has quite a good clientele in Clarendon.

—There are many kinds of paints, but there is only one of the Palace Car kind. For sale by Clarendon Lumber Co. tf

Dr. Stocking was called to repair a broken arm for H. J. Stockett's youngest girl Monday evening.

We have four men to buy bread, meat and clothes. Also to shave the business men of the town if they will only give us their patronage. The Imperial Barber Shop.

A game of baseball was played at the College grounds Tuesday afternoon between the College team in Mother Hubbards and the town team in regular uniform. While the game was rather loosely played it was close, and withal, interesting. The score was 16 to 15 in favor of the Mother Hubbards.

The students and teachers of Goodnight College went down to Leha Lake Wednesday for a picnic. They were in a gaily decorated special coach.

Corn, Corn, Corn.

Two cars Indian corn in ear for sale; see or write J. H. O'Neill. tf

Dr. Stocking reports a bouncing boy-baby born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Buntin Tuesday night! Have you noticed Tom's smile?

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. tf

Miss Gabie Betts visited friends in Amarillo Monday.

Eggs for Hatching.

Brown Leghorn (Rose Comb) eggs for sale at \$1 per setting of 15. H. J. WINN, Clarendon, Texas.

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.

Our line of general Racket Store goods is more complete than ever and we have a big bunch of bargains awaiting your selection.

Our Ice Cream and Cold Drink business is increasing with each succeeding day. We serve the celebrated Steffens Ice Cream and are sole agents for it in Clarendon. Our parlor is in shape to receive the ladies and we solicit their patronage.



E. DUBBS

& SONS.

The Art of Painting

AND DECORATING, as well as hanging wall paper, is one the importance of which is not always understood. Often a good carpenter does a good piece of work only to see the beauty and design of it all spoiled by an inexperienced or "sloppy" painter who attempts the most important work of putting on the finishing touches.

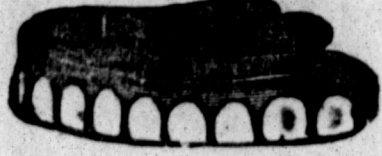
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Clarendon, Texas.

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Clarendon, Texas.

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

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DRAYMAN

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

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!

First Monday found a pretty good crowd in town considering the busy time the farmers are now having with their plowing and planting. The auction sales were better than ever, there being offered at public sale a quantity of merchandise, dry goods, etc., which Auctioneer Crisp stated had been stolen in New York to enable him to sell at bargain prices. The stuff found ready sale and lots of people secured splendid bargains. Our reporter noticed one man who bought a pair of shoes for his wife and two good undershirts for himself, all for the munificent sum of 80 cents. A good jag of farming tools and implements also found ready purchasers. These auction sales, and the Clarendon First Monday are proving quite popular and are drawing larger crowds with each succeeding month.

How to Ward Off Old Age.

The most successful way of warding off the approach of old age is to maintain a vigorous digestion. This can be done by eating only food suited to your age and occupation, and when any disorder of the stomach appears take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to correct it. If you have a weak stomach or troubled with indigestion, you will find these Tablets to be just what you need. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

T. S. Bugbee is interested in the cultivation of sugar beets, believing that it will be found to be a profitable industry in Donley county. He offers a first and second prize of \$4 and \$2 respectively for exhibits of these vegetables at the Donley County Fair this fall.

BILIOUSNESS AND CONSTIPATION CURED BY THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

Because the liver is neglected people suffer with constipation, biliousness, headaches and fevers. Colds attack the lungs and contagious diseases take hold of the system. It is safe to say that if the liver were always kept in proper working order, illness would be almost unknown.

Thedford's Black-Draught is so successful in curing such sickness because it is without a rival as a liver regulator. This great family medicine is not a strong and drastic drug, but a mild and healthful laxative that cures constipation and may be taken by a mere child without possible harm.

The healthful action on the liver cures biliousness. It has an invigorating effect on the kidneys. Because the liver and kidneys do not work regularly, the poisonous acids along with the waste from the bowels get back into the blood and virulent contagion results.

Timely treatment with Thedford's Black-Draught removes the dangers which lurk in constipation, liver and kidney troubles, and will positively forestall the inroads of Bright's disease, for which disease in advanced stages there is no cure. Ask your dealer for a 25c. package of Thedford's Black-Draught.

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To Randolph and then Rock Island.

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It's every day with the best service.
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FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

Giles Glimmerings.

GILES, Texas, May 1.

EDITOR BANNER-STOCKMAN:

Corn planting is the order of the day. Arthur Ranson went down to Memphis Saturday.

The school at this place will be out Wednesday, May 3.

Mrs. G. G. Willingham spent the day Sunday with Mrs. Wylie.

Mrs. T. C. Ranson visited Mrs. Mevis Saturday night and Sunday.

G. G. Willingham has returned from Oklahoma and is again holding down his old job at this place.

Will Scarbrough shipped out 200 head of cattle from here this week.

Mrs. G. G. Willingham and Miss Clara Wylie went down to Memphis Monday shopping.

Miss Dessa Young is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. T. A. Curtis and sister, Miss Lura Johnston, visited Mesdames Crain and Reed Monday.

J. S. Young went up to Clarendon Saturday.

Rev. Oller, a Baptist preacher, will preach at this place next Sunday morning.

A Good Suggestion.

Mr. C. B. Wainwright of Lemon City, Fla., has written the manufacturers that much better results are obtained from the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in cases of pains in the stomach, colic and cholera morbus by taking it in water as hot as can be drunk. That when taken in this way the effect is double in rapidity. "It seems to get at the right spot instantly," he says. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

Lloyd Blackwell says that since he advertised the fact that there would be no more rough language allowed at the Imperial Barber Shop the ladies are not afraid to come in, and in fact he has had more lady callers during the past week than ever before. Lloyd is eminently correct in his opinion that a barber shop need not necessarily be a rough and tumble proposition, but can be conducted along lines of decency as well as any other business. We wish him success in his efforts to conduct "a gentlemen's shop."

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c at Fleming & Maulfarg drug store.

A good crowd is expected to attend the ex-Confederate meeting at Rowe tomorrow. The Denver has made a round-trip rate of 55c for the occasion, with a one and one-third rate from all other points, Claude to Childress. Arrangements have been made to entertain a big crowd and all attending are assured of having a big time.

Lost.

Two large hair pins, with large brass coil heads set with brilliants. The finder will confer a special favor upon me by notifying me, or calling and leaving them at the Baptist parsonage and receiving reward.

MRS. WILSON C. ROGERS.

While a bilious attack is decidedly unpleasant it is quickly over when Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are used. For sale at Dr. Stocking's drug store.

The ladies of the Baptist church served dinner and supper at the vacant Barnett building Monday and realized handsomely on the investment. Excellent meals were served and the total amount cleared was something over \$40.

Strayed.

One bay horse branded V-S left hip. Will pay liberal reward for same. If Will Wiley.

B. W. Chamberlain, H. W. Taylor and W. H. Patrick went to Childress Monday as character witnesses in the case of the state vs. Fred Dewey, charged with murder.

MY

But Can't you buy
HARDWARE
Cheap Now!
Who was the
Cause of
That

?

DAILY

Now I will ask you
Who is
Entitled to the
Business

?

That's all.
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Range on Salt
Fork and Turkey
Creek in Donley
County.

Additional Brands.
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T. S. BUGBEE.



P. O. Clarendon,
Texas.
Ranch in Donley and
Armstrong counties.
MARK—Right ear
pointed.

Additional Brands.
Right Side. Left Shoulder.

Right Side. Right Side. Left Shoulder.

ROBERT SAWYER.



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

KNORPP & BUGBEE.



P. O. Clarendon,
Texas.
Ranch on Salt
Fork in
Donley and
Armstrong
Counties.

Additional Brands—
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Left Side. O Hip. Right Side.
Left Side. Horse Brand. Right Shoulder.

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block C8, eight miles
east of Clarendon.
Mark, Underslit the
right.

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law. All trespassers will be prosecuted

P. C. JOHNSON.

P. O. Giles, Texas.
Range north of Giles
in Donley county.
Brand may also ap-
pear on right hip.
Mark—Hole in left ear



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Fleming & Maulfair drug store. 25 cents.

A SMALL CREAMERY.

Mr. Brewer Shows How Every Farm-
er Can Make Money in
Milk and Butter.

Mr. Lyman Brewer, of the Ama-
rillo country, living 15 miles north-
east of that city, is a very interest-
ing and enthusiastic gentleman in
the creamery work.

Mr. Brewer says that for the
past twelve months, 92 milk cows
of mixed Jersey and Shorthorn
blood, yielded him an income of
\$1600, including his work. This
counts the calf crop besides the
butter and skim milk of twenty
cows.

Some of the facts Mr. Brewer
mentioned are as follows: Twenty
cows averaged 2½ gallons of milk or
50 gallons per day. With a centrifu-
gal separator, the cream was sepa-
rated from the milk while warm in
the ratio of 8 to 1; that is, one gal-
lon of cream is separated from
every eight gallons of milk. The
skim milk is then sold to ice cream
factories and makes a better article
for cream than if not thus separa-
ted. The cream is then put in 5, 8
and 10 gallon creamery cans, which
are of such weight, that with the
cream inside, will cause the can to
sink in water to such a depth as
the cream is in the can. The cans
stay in the water which is kept
perfectly fresh from a well by inlet
and outlet pipes forty hours. This
is the time it takes for cream to
ripen under proper temperature,
and the water fresh from the well
is the right degree of coldness.

After the cream thus ripens, the
cans are taken out of the water
trough and placed on shelves on
the south side of a building; the
cans are turned half way every
half hour so that all the cream may
be evenly warmed in the sun, and
this step takes three hours, or un-
til the temperature of cream is
blood heat. However, when the
cream is taken out of the water and
on being set in the sun, one gallon
of butter is added to every ten
gallons of cream—this as a starter
for the cream. After the cream
has attained the right temperature
and stage, it is set in the shade for
about three hours, from which it's
taken to the churn. Here Mr.
Brewer showed a 20 gallon barrel
churn, and he said it took physical
power of no slight degree to make
the revolutions of the churn when
the cream had given away to but-
ter. Every gallon of cream pro-
duces four pounds of butter. The
butter is then taken and after suf-
ficient working is pressed into box
mold forms. Mr. Brewer has his
pasteboard boxes with his brand
and address printed and with the
paraffin butter paper gives the but-
ter an appearance that is exceeded
only by the quality when it comes
to the table.

Mr. Brewer said at first he had
to hunt his customers but now he
could sell a thousand pounds a
week in Amarillo. He gets thirty
cents a pound and never has a
pound on his hand. The skim
milk goes to the ice cream factories
and to the rearing of calves. There
is quite a formula for graduating
the amount of milk for the calves
and because of wrong proportions
Mr. Brewer lost twenty calves last
spring.

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast approaching," writes
Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., de-
scribing his fearful race with death, "as
a result of liver trouble and heart disease,
which had robbed me of sleep and of all
interest in life. I had tried many differ-
ent doctors and several medicines, but
got no benefit, until I began to use Elec-
tric Bitters. So wonderful was their
effect, that in three days I felt like a
new man, and today I am cured of all my
troubles." Guaranteed at Fleming &
Maulfair drug store; price 50c.

N. W. T. P. A. Attention!

The executive committee of the
Northwest Texas Press Association
met in Amarillo on April 17 and
called the Association to convene
in the city of Hereford, Texas, on
Friday and Saturday Aug. 11 and
12, 1905, this being our seven-
teenth annual convention.

The session is to open with pray-
er at 2 p. m., Aug. 11, and an ad-
dress of welcome is to be delivered
by one of Hereford's representative
citizens, to be replied to by F. N.
Oliver, of the Lockett Beacon, on
behalf of the Association.

President's Annual Address—
Harry Koch, Quanah Tribune-
Chief.

Poem—Tom Marks, Jacksboro
News.

Foreign Advertising Rate, Based
on Circulation—W. A. John-
son, Hall County Herald.

Should the Subscription Price of
our Papers be Raised above
One Dollar—Geo. L. Rhea,
Graham Leader.

How Long Should Subscribers
be Credited, if at all—F. L.
Vanderburg, Amarillo Herald.
Should the Members of this As-
sociation have Uniform Prices
for Commercial Work—J. Ray,
Hereford Brand.

County Printing and Job Work;
How to Obtain Them—J. E.
Cooke, Clarendon Banner-
Stockman.

Northwest Texas Printshops and
their Reminiscences—Cyrus
Coleman, Henrietta Independ-
ent; J. M. Shafer, Plainview
Herald.

How to Get and Hold One Thou-
sand Subscribers—E. S. Hen-
drick, Vernon Hornet.

Deadheads—Samuel Gay, Stam-
ford News.

At the conclusion of each paper,
the subjects shall be open for dis-
cussion by members.

Through the unflinching courtesy
of the "Denver Road," your secre-
tary has arranged for an excursion
to Boulder, Colorado, details of
which will be announced later.

Your secretary wishes to again
urge upon every member the im-
portance of aiding in working up
an interest in Association affairs.
You are requested to publish above
call, and later, when the campaign
for new members is commenced,
you are urged to take it upon your-
self to aid in the work. "Here-
ford, 1905," must be a rouser!

Fraternally,
ORION PROCTOR, Secy,
Bridgeport, Texas.

Rip Van Winkle at the big tent
tomorrow night.

THE LIVER QUARANTINE



"Hurried eating has ruined many a man's
stomach. The digestion-destroying
process is gradual, often unnoticed at first.
But it is only a short time until the liver
balks, the digestive organs give way, and
almost countless ills assail the man who
endeavors to economize time at the ex-
pense of his health.
A torpid liver causes a quarantine of the
entire system. It locks in the diseased
germs and body poisons and affords them
full play, inviting some serious illness.
In families where August Flower is used,
a sluggish liver and constipation are un-
known, so are all stomach ailments, as
well as indigestion, dyspepsia, heartburn,
headaches and kidney and bladder affec-
tions. No well-regulated family should
be without this standard remedy.
Two sizes, 25c and 75c.

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**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
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NOW have for this month's planting a fine stock of Arbor Vitae,
Junipers, Cedars, Hydrangeas, Snake Pringle, Spinars, 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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Of Registered Herefords.

Now offers for sale about 100 head of choice young bulls and
heifers at bedrock prices. All home bred, registered and
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Wm. POWELL, Proprietor.
Channing, Texas.

Clarendon Lumber Co.,
Dealers in Lumber, Shingles, Sash,
Doors, Lime, Brick, Cement, Etc.

We have added a complete line of Vane Calvert's
Palace Car Paints, the best on earth. Get our prices.

A. C. MORGAN, Manager.

J. H. RUTHERFORD
Has a full line of Saddle and Harness Goods,
Buggy Whips, Lap Robes, and in fact any-
thing in the line of Harness Supplies.

Repair Work on Saddles and Harness a Specialty

If you have lost anything, advertise in the Banner-Stockman.

HAVE YOU EVER

THOUGHT how easily you could buy Groceries from Adams & Wood, and how promptly you could have them delivered? We sell everything in the grocery line and guarantee everything you buy to be first-class or your money refunded.

We aim to and will sell you good fresh goods as low as the lowest. If you find an error in your bill bring it back and we will correct it.

Try Us

We will treat you right.

Try Us

We will give you your money's worth.

Try Us

We will please you.

Try Us

We will sell you nice fresh goods for less money.

Try Us

We will deliver your goods promptly.

We will do all of this and more because we want your trade.

Remember we have Pride of Decatur flour, Gold Band Bacon and Hams.

Cold Storage Lard and all kinds of compound.

Nice cheese and potatoes. Our potatoes are extra nice and will bear inspection. We will make the price right. We want your business.

ADAMS & WOOD.

Phone 37.

W. W. W. at Stocking's. tf

News agency, books, papers and periodicals at CLOWER'S.

—The Bargain Store leads, watch them.

—Nothing helps the appearance of a house more than a pretty door. Call and see those of the Clarendon Lumber Co. tf

Prof. L. A. Wells, of Memphis, was here as a visitor to Clarendon's schools the first of the week. Prof. Silvey said he was here for the purpose of learning how to teach school, and we will see if he can remember it next time he sees Mr. Wells.

—Paint is something that should be the best; the best is none too good for your house. Palace Car Paint is the best. Guaranteed by Clarendon Lumber Co. tf

The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Dickey will be glad to know that the lady has returned from Ft. Worth where she has been in the hospital for many weeks, that the operation which she underwent was entirely successful, and that she is rapidly regaining her health.

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Made from pure cream of tartar baked from grapes.

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**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

W. W. W. at Stocking's. tf

Good land near Clarendon to trade for cattle. This office. tf

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

The Clarendon College Ladies Quartette, consisting of Mrs. Frank Tresise, reader; Miss Mary Charlotte Burkhead, vocalist; Misses Anthony and Hawkins, pianists, chaperoned by President G. S. Hardy and wife, left Wednesday morning for Decatur to be present at the debate. They were to stop en route at Childress and Quanah and give entertainments at those towns for the benefit of the College. This quartette is the equal of anything of its kind seen in the Panhandle in recent years. The Banner-Stockman trusts they were accorded good houses at both places and is satisfied that all who heard the quartette were charmed.

—We have received a shipment of those fancy oak and beveled plate glass doors. They are something nice. Clarendon Lumber Co. tf

Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. B. Y. P. U. Sunbeams 4 p. m.

WILSON C. ROGERS, Pastor.

—If you eat Alta Vista cream at the Bargain Store, you eat the best.

Read the supplement.

—If you want the best pair of pants for the least money try the Bargain Store.

Following is the lineup of the Clarendon College baseball team as it will appear in the games with Decatur today and tomorrow. Isbell, catcher; Davis, pitcher; Cocke, first base; Genheimer, second base; McLean, third base; Warlick, shortstop; Self, left field; Walker, center field; Atteberry, right field; Sayers and King, substitutes. The boys go down to the field of battle in a somewhat badly crippled condition, having to patch up a team as best they can. Some of the best players who were expected to go could not leave. However, Capt. Isbell is nothing if not sanguine, and fully expects to bring back several baseball scalps.

Cane Seed For Sale.

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

We understand the postoffice may soon have larger quarters. The partition between the present room and the real estate office of the Priddy-Reeves Realty Co. will be removed and the whole space utilized by Uncle Sam for the handling of his mail. At least, this is a probability, and Messrs. Priddy & Reeves are seeking a new location to be available July 1st.

White's Wonder Worker, works while you wait at Stocking's store.

H A I L!

FELLOW
Countrymen



If you want as good goods as there is on the market at the right price, call and see us. We are now selling **Boys' Suits at 25 per cent Discount.** These goods are good but we must make room for more. One brand of our shoes are going at greatly reduced prices.***

We are now handling something new in the way of a LIQUID COFFEE, something that is not injurious but is pure, wholesome and healthy. Give it a trial.



The Powell TRADING CO.

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Paint Your House

—WITH—

Hammar Paint

It has stood the test of time in Clarendon. No other paint so good and so economical. Every Bucket guaranteed. No improvement that will advance the price of property equal to good paint. It has been sold for eight years

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Drug Store, with an increasing trade all the time, which speaks for itself. It will save you money.

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That Jericho Gas Find.

Judge J. H. Altizer, of Jericho, made us a call Wednesday while in the city on business. The Judge took occasion to pay the Banner-Stockman a splendid compliment on its news service and general excellency, which is the more appreciated as we know him to be a man not given to wasting breath on idle compliments and wind-jamming. In regard to the great (?) discovery of natural gas promulgated by Mr. Kinkead of the Jericho Enterprise through the Amarillo Herald and Dallas News he characterized it as nothing but a big "windy," and our expose of same last week was entirely correct.

However, there are indications of oil in the Jericho country. At points 2 1-2 miles on either side of that community signs of oil have been found in sufficient quantities to justify an investigation, and Mr. Altizer has engaged two oil experts from Coffeyville, Kas., who were expected there Wednesday night to make a thorough investigation of the matter. One of these spots of ground is on land belonging to Judge Altizer, the other on the property of Mr. Carragar, late of Kansas. Any developments will be noted in these columns as soon as made and may be accredited as true, as they will not emanate from the Enterprise gas factory.

Elegant New Shirts.

Call at the Bargain Store and see those fancy new shirts just received; the price is most reasonable.

Strayed.

One bay horse 14 hands high branded flying A on left shoulder; has just been clipped. A liberal reward for his return.

JOHN H. KELLEY.

"A Union Depot" in the opera house Thursday May 18. The country bridal party, Mr. and Mrs. Henpeck, Uncle Joshua Hayseed and wife will make entertainment one of continuous mirth.

W. H. Cooke has bought Dr. Gray's fine buggy horse, consideration \$125, and a handsome rubber tired surrey from B. T. Lane to go with it.

Hon. W. B. Ware was up from Austin this week attending to some business in county court.

Jim Beverly, of Amarillo, was here the first of the week, guest of L. C. Beverly.

M. F. Lee went down to Wichita Falls yesterday to visit his sister.

Judge Inmon, of Dalhart, was here this week.

W. H. Patrick went to Amarillo Wednesday night.

Commissioners court meets in regular session next Monday.

DONLEY COUNTY FARM SCENES



Len Ballew's field of Indian corn, 4 miles east of Clarendon.

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Clarendon College Budget.

Since our last notes appeared a number of things have taken place. The college has passed through the revival season and some of the entertainments of the year have been numbered with the past. The pupils took great interest in the revival, and it has left its impress with the pupils.

On last Friday afternoon the visitors to the conference were entertained at the college. An impromptu program was arranged for those who came up to the college. After the entertainment in the college the visitors inspected the boarding halls. That part of the program was a surprise to most of the boarders, especially the boys. Yet all the rooms were in good order. Some of the visitors thought it very strange that so many of the young men were away from their rooms at the hour, and that the doors were locked. Boys who make a study of such things soon learn when to be away. This was the first chance the young ladies had to inspect the rooms of the young men. They seemed to enjoy the time. The same is true of the young men. No corner of the room escaped the gaze of the boys.

There have been a number of visitors at the college since our last notes. We note the names of Capt. J. R. Wright, Silvertown; Mr. Gribble, Wellington; Mr. Jones, Strip; Bro. Thomas, Goodnight. There have been others but their names are not before us now.

Bro. Sherman and Dr. Monk gave the pupils some very interesting things to think about. Some of the smaller boys say they will be more careful about answering questions when a new man is on

the platform.

Bro. Ben Hardy from Memphis and Bro. Tom Barcus from Hereford, were with us. Bro. Barcus gave an interesting talk.

Dr. John R. Nelson of Dallas spent some time with Bro. Hardy during the conference.

Prof. L. A. Wells of Memphis was with the college people a part of the day Wednesday.

Everything is now ready for the debate at Decatur. The Railway Company left the car for the pupils Wednesday. All are expecting a nice time. There will be no school on Friday as many of the boys and girls will go down with the debaters.

The ball team is getting ready for the games to be played at Decatur. Mr. Isbell has been with them the last few days, and he thinks the team is in good shape. It has been giving some good games during the last few days. Tuesday afternoon those on the ball ground witnessed a new game for this place. The college team, in "mother hubbard uniforms" played the town team. It was the first experience of the boys in the new uniform yet they did well. They still wear the colors.

Miss Betts was called to Amarillo to visit a sick friend Monday. She found her friend better, and returned that night. Miss Ferguson had charge of her room that day.

The boys of the college are getting ready to meet the boys from the Amarillo Academy on next Friday evening. Messrs. Garrison and Warlick will represent the college. A large number of the pupils are planning to go with the boys.

Sometimes you have visitors. Kindly let us know their names.

Panhandle Summer Normal

Located at Clarendon, Texas, by the Department of Education. Opens June 20, closes July 27, 1905.

Faculty—E. R. Haynes, Conductor, Claude, Texas; W. R. Silvey, Superintendent Clarendon Public School; Dr. S. E. Burhead, Clarendon College; Mrs. E. R. Haynes, Claude, Texas.

It affords us much pleasure to offer you the advantages of the Clarendon College Summer Normal for your recreation and profit during the coming summer. We confidently invite you here, assuring you that the time and money spent will prove a splendid investment.

For further information address E. R. HAYNES, Claude, Texas, or W. R. SILVEY, Clarendon, Tex.

F. A. White and J. M. Clower returned the first of the week from the meeting of the K. of P. grand lodge at Mineral Wells, the former being a delegate and the latter on the credentials committee. Mrs. Clower, who represented the local lodge of Rathbone Sisters, did not return, but will go to Midlothian to attend the annual meeting of the W. H. M. S. of the Northwest Texas Conference. The next meeting of the Knights will be held at Galveston. The widows' and orphans' home and industrial school was located at Weatherford, and it was announced that the institution already had an endowment of \$70,000.

—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

We understand that B. T. Lane has placed an order for a 6-horsepower gasoline engine with feed mill to grind meal and chops, also a big trip hammer machine to be run by power and used in his blacksmith shop. The feed mill will be of such proportions as to enable him to handle all the grinding of the farmers. It will prove a great boon to the farmers and should prove a paying investment to Mr. Lane as well.

Bond W. Johnson, the Rowe merchant, was here yesterday to place an ad in our columns. It will be found on 8th page and will prove interesting reading for the people in that trade territory.

—Investigate the premium offers made by E. Dubbs & Sons. Many valuable and beautiful things given away to our customers. tf

H. W. Taylor has bought from Judge Inmon the two residence lots just west of the Baptist parsonage and will move the Dr. White office building thereon and convert it into a residence.

The crowd for Decatur to attend the debate left yesterday, about 50 strong. Messrs. James Hall and D. B. Doak, the debaters, went down a train or two ahead in order to be in good shape for the fray.

Millet Seed.

—Big German millet seed for sale by the Clarendon Produce Co.

Mrs. Dobson, of Goodnight, was here yesterday shopping, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blair.