

who thought that the Moon was inhabited proposed that at a certain moment on a certain night every man, woman and child on earth hould holler just as loud as possible, so that the Man in the Moon might hear the sound and know that he had neighbors.

Everybody said it was a Fine Idea, Everybody agreed to Holler with a big H. For a month in advance everybody practiced lung exercises, so as to cultivate the Biggest Holler possible. Everybody was sure that the Moon Man couldn't help but hear the Vast Volume of Vociferation.

The Eventful Night arrived. The Moon Man was looking down through a cloudless sky. Everybody on earth drew in two large lungfuls of air and got ready for the Big Holler. The Mighty Moment came at last!!!

Silence! Absolute silence! It was the silentest moment since the morning stars first sang together.

When the returns came in it was known that only one man, a negro in Darkest Africa, hollered, and one woman in Oshkosh, Wis., who was so excited that she just couldn't help it, let out a faint hysterical shriek

Everybody else had kept Mum in order to hear the Big Holler that all the others were going to make. But nobody made the holler because they all waited for the

other fellows to do it-all except the African, who had no curiosity, and the Oshkosh lady, who had hysterics. And the Man in the Moon just laughed!

It was enough to make a comet splutter, for it revealed a very amusing trait in human nature.

> You will find lots of people right here in this community who refuse to join in the Eig Holler because they want to get the full ben-efit of the holler when the other people make efit of the holler when the other people make it. Sometimes by making a Big Holler all at once we might get a new factory located here, but when 909 men stand around, each waiting for all the others to do the hollering. and only one man hollers, the man looking for a factory site doesn't hear any sound.

If it takes a Big Holler to get what we want, every fellow must

just a funny story. It is Full of Philosophy. It

MORAL: Now's the time for the Big Hofler!

## Clarendon, The City Beautiful.

Clarendon is referred to as the most beautiful city in the Panhandle country, and the claim is substantiated by the facts. The streets this week it measured two and in strating the value of forage crops They concluded by electing officers are lined with handsome trees half feet high and averaged one and to a remarkable degree and showing for the year and selecting a place from one end of the town to the a half tons to the acre. Mr. Cox how the growing of these crops can to meet next year. Childress outother and this one item alone sold his alfalfa loose on the ground be made profitable by combining voted Amarillo by two and we Yet any town in this section can do least one more cutting this year. It with stock raising on a small scale. with true Democratic dignity. the same as Clarendon has done if can therefore be seen that Mr. Cox the effort is made. Let the will make between \$75 and \$100 propety owners decide to do this per acre on this land this year, improvement and then go to work and land is selling at \$12 to \$20 and the results will surprise the per acre. - Alanreed T'mes. most enthusiastic. With the growing of trees around the home varnishes and stains now in stock it gives the appearance that the at McKillop & Goodman's, owner has located for life and is satisfied with his lot in life. - Clarendon Cafe; a resort for ladies Childress Index.

C. W. Cox, living five miles north of Alanreed, cut his alfalfa

-A full line of the Acme paints,

-Eat your Sunday dinner at the and gentlemen.

RICHARD WALSH, Vice President.

## Do You Pay Bills by Check? Your

And thus have a record of each and every amount expended together with a receipt for the

amount paid? If not, you need a checking account with this bank. It is the safest way, the most convenient and satisfactory method of transacting all business payments;

We will be pleased to have you make this bank

your place of desposit. he First National Bank

#### PRAISES THE PANHANDLE CLARENDON ENTERTAINS

Enthusiastic Over Our Future Outlook.

Warm praise for the Texas Panhandle is contained in a letter from week the Northwest Texas Press President H. H. Harrington of the Association held its annual meeting Texas Agricultural and Mechanical in Clarendon. The session proved College to E. A. (Pat) Paffrath, most interesting and instructive to of Fort Worth, replying to a letter the members of the craft who went which Mr. Paffrath wrote him re- to the trouble and expense to cently regarding dairy farms in attend? Texas. Dr. Harrington says:

-Dear Sir: I am in receipt of first time and to meet the Clarennewspaper clippings containing don people. He was totally unpreyour own article and those of other pared for and unaccustomed to the writers on various agricultural Clarendon way of receiving and topics. I am especially interested entertaining guests. in these, as you present them, and The pencil pushers were received more particularly interested in at the train by the citizens, escorted topics connected with the Panhan- to the hotel with band music, and of experiment stations, or rather, mixture was on in earnest. with the multiplication of these.

have at least four new stations pro- in the courthouse. After prayer vided for by this next legislature by Rev. J. A. Arnold, Mayor A. and six would be extremely desir- L. Journeay delivered a short adable. These stations are of dress of welcome. Though a citizen great value to the farmers of the of Clarendon for only two years, Panhandle. state and to the agricultural Judge Journey has been elevated to

energies to general agricultural The address of welcome was but

now taking place and their in- years ago. comparable climate, fertile soil and W. A. Johnson, of Memphis, opportunities for stock raising president of the association, recombined with farming, it offers sponded. the most attractive inducement, in At the conclusion of the aftermy judgment, that can be extend- noon program the editors were ed to immigrants of any part of driven over the city in carriages. the United States.

vested by the state in its devolop- home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. ment and in a demonstration of Beville. Mr. Beville is an exwhat could be done there would be editor and still enjoys to "hob nob" rapidly returned ten fold in the way with his erstwhile brothers. The of increased valuation of property elegantly appointed home of the and payment of larger taxes.

with the department of agriculture there by the hundreds and the delithis week for the fourth time. He at Chilicothe thatl is a valuable cacies were enjoyed by all had eight acres that he cut four object lesson to the people in that Wednesday was a day of busiweeks ago, and when he cut it again immediate vicinity. It is demon-ness for the editors until evening. gives it a reputation it now bears. for \$12 per ton. He will get at with the dairying industry and bowed to the will of the majority

H. H. HARRINGTON.

There was a reunion of the Mc-Craken family at the home of Mr. F. R. McCracken in Alaureed this in the opera house and fully 200 week, and for the first time in partook of an excellent five-course twenty-five years four brothers and dinner. Wit and humor, music two sisters of the family were and oratory flowed as the hours together under one roof. Such occasions as this are always of before the final hand-shakes and great pleasure; when brothers and words of parting. On this occasion sisters with hoary heads can come Mr. Beville distinguished himself together and, in their minds and conversations, again live over the how to bring out the latent elements days when they were girls and boys of good humor and good cheer. together at home. Still there is often, as is the case, a degree of been a grand ball, but since the pathos occasioned by the missing quill pushers could not tarry longer, The singing mower chants a tune links in the family circle-a sorrowing for the ones that have program, passed the last mile-post of life. which they realize all must soon pass .- Alanreed Times.

#### If Your Eyes Trouble You

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

varnish when you see it and will beautiful homes surrounded by try the Acme brand one time you groves and orchards -- the stately McKillop & Goodman.

President of Texas A. &. M College Northwest Texas Press in Royal Style-Beautiful Plains Town Captivates Editors.

Tuesday and Wednesday of this

The writer gladly seized the op-E. A. Paffraih, Fort Worth, Tex. portunity to see Clarendon for the

(1, and especially with the growth the session of festivity and fraternal

At 2:30 Tuesday afternoon the I believe that the state ought to association program was opened up development of the whole state. the highest position within the We need, of course, to have gift of the Clarendon people. some dairying statious, but we need This is but another instance of stations, that are devoting their merit and ability rising to the top. buying the same kind of drugs. The Panhandle is destined to and well-directed efforts. The become in the very near future one city was turned over to the pencil the best. McKillop & Goodman, law provides, that when the tax of the richest portions of the state. pushers, not the keys, the latter With the rapid settlement which is having been lost in Clarendon many

In the evening a reception was The money which would be in- given in honor of the press at the Bevilles was thrown wide, and the We have a co-operative station band played, the town folks were

The great social event of the session took place Wednesday night. A town banquet was served flew by, and it was morning long as an expert toastmaster who knows

The crowning event was to have that number was erased from the

Thursda morning the press members departed for their respective homes, glad to have had the Across the meadow's leveled brow opportunity to see Clarendon and make the acquaintance of such

CLARENDON.

Of all the plains towns, none can lay claim to more natural and artificial, beauty than Clarendon. Located on a group of hills, -If you know a good paint or undulating its site, its many and will use no other. Full line in trees towering high and lending stock at the new drug store of beauty and comfort---shrubbery tf flowers and fruit in abundance

A checking account is, indeed, a business necessity, and he who tries to get along without one is at a great disadvantage.

It is not required that a person should have a large, bulk of business in order to open an account. Professional men, farmers, and even many women, are running checking accounts. If you have never done business in this way, and are not familiar with the plan, come to us and we will started.

## ROWE STATE

HEDLEY, TEXAS

everywhere; a creek meandering through the lowlands, churches by on the hillside. This is Clarendon, a town of homes, and homes that harbor people who are truly Southern in their spirit, whose very

-A new car of Forney hay, 21-school tax shall be reduced. falfa, new oats-in fact everything in the feed line. C. L. Young. tf

#### More School Money.

Austin, Texas, August 1 .the score, a convent and a college It can be authoritatively announced that the scholastic apportionment for the ensuing scholastic term will be greater than last year and possibly go to \$6.50 per presence means comfort and capita, as against \$6 for the curhospitality. The country around rent term and \$5 in 1906. This is rich in soil, crops are thrifty and was the day that the constitution farmers, prosperous. Clarendon fixed for the State Board of Eduis in truth a garden spot, a real cation to meet and make the verification of the fact that the apportionment, but owing to the Panhandle country is not out- absence from the city of Controller classed by any country on earth in Stephens and Secretary of State, its possibilities .-- Amarillo Daily Davie, only the Governer was left and he declared the board adjourn--There is no more reason for ed to meet Monday. The Govbuying old stock paints, stains ernor in discussing the apportionand varnishes than there is for ment said it would be over \$6, but how much over he could not say. Go to the new drug store and get He said he wished it could be made another of the Judge's well timed the Acme brand. No matter what \$7 for each scholastic child, but you are going to paint the Acme is that it was improbable, because the rolls yield \$4 per child the State

-Stocking has kodaks for rent.

#### HAYING Byron Williams



The fragrance that a queen might choose.

Of peace and plenty-rustic rune That charms the hearts of haying

The waving corn looms higher now And fustles in the soughing gale. The crickets scurry o'er the hay, A-frolic in the cricket way, While from the hedge-row pipes the

quail,

Now up the lane the horses pull The hay that fills the hayloft full, The falling hayfork comes, apace, To lift the fragrant heap to place Beneath the rafter-crowned abode.

And then to wash beside the pump. The farmer and his helpers hump-A goodly crowd with merry quip. The dinner! Ah, no favored band Dines better in this bount'ous land Where wholesome dishes charm the

And while the cloak comes down at

They smoke and view the rosy sight, Contented with their God and clime. Across the hayfield, shorn of plume, Still drifts the clover's sweet per-

And all is well, in having time!



#### A New Hotel.

In advocating the building of a new hotel on a large scale for large for their and in putting out day with Miss Edna Miller. We Clarendon the Banner Stockman the fire at the Denver House, and were received in her spacious par does so without meaning to thank them for their help at any lor and before scated were so antaponize any caker local botel time there might be a fire, but with punch by hitle Lois. business and we are sure the would ask one and all not to get in A good program consisting matter is looked at in the same the way of the firemen or take hold piano and vocal solos, duets, relight by all our citizenship. There of the hose when the firemen are ings, etc., was reinlered. is a universal demand for more and there. We hope to have every man, which we engaged in a little con better hotel facilities for Clarendon. trained to his place in a short time, test, "Mother Goose's Rhymes No one is finding any fault with and by so doing we hope to make which produced a great deal of the service of any local hotel, yet short work of all fires. There was laughter. we all realize that the city needs some good work done by outside. Miss Edith Clower won first something on a much larger scale men and we would be glad to have prize and Miss Zoe O'Neill re than it has ever had.

proposition here would be a good Murrell; assistant chief, James trusting that our hostess would enone. Clarendon could then be Trent; general foreman, C. Allen; tertain again real soon. advertised to the world as a health foreman engine and hose, E. S. resort; a place where one could Clower; foreman book and ladder,

#### To the Public.

them join us and become active ceived the consolation prize. An investment of twenty-five or members. At fires officers in Delicious cream and cake were find refuge from the heat of the Jesse Waller. We organized under

#### CLARENDON COLLEGE OPENS.

A large force of workmen are rapidly pushing the work toward completion of the new administration building. A new President's Home and enlarged dormitory accommodations are being provided and we can confidently announce that the college will open September 1 in the new building.

By order of the board of trustees.

W. B. WILSON, Sec. J. D. STOCKING, Pres. (Panhandle papers please copy.)

lower altitudes at a minimum of the Volunteer Fire Co.'s rules and Mew Mexico, is here on a visit to expense. Our climate is better regulations of the Volunteer Fire- the family of his brother, Jim than that of Colorado and a man men of Texas, and expect to Rutherford. He says that, alwishing to send his family to a follow their laws throughout. We though it is a little dry in the Tuhigher altitude for the bot summer issue this notcie so that everbody cumcari country the farmers will months could send them to Claren- will understand what to do in case make a fair crop, and that the ones don and get the same benefits of fires. secured in Colorado at a much lesser expense." If Clarendon had the hotel facilities and the proper advertising she would in three years have a reputation all over the would flock here at the beginning of Out about Bray we understand there residence in the Panhandle. It

Yours for fire protection, CLARENDON VOL. FIRE CO., Per Geo. A. Murrell, Chief. soil conditions.

was a pretty fair rainfall.

We will leave next Monday for the St. Louis market, where we will also meet Chicago and New York representatives and where we will complete the purchase of our stock of

# Fall Millinery

We have secured room for this season with the Clarendon Mercantile Co. and already we have on display some new fall millinery. Our designer for this season, Miss Smith of Waxahachie, will meet us in market, and by the last of this month we will be fully open again after the fire losses, which destroyed our Building, Fixtures and Stock, and our stock will be

## All Entirely New

We hope to hold all our old customers and add many new ones this season. We want and will certainly appreciate your trade.

## Can we Serve You?

While in the market we will gladly make any "special order" purchases for anyone who desires anything not obtainable in this market, such as suits with hats to match, cloaks, skirts, waists, etc. If we can serve you command us, before we leave for market.

MRS. A. M. BEVILLE MISS RUTH GAGE

#### The Oddity Club.

We wish to thank the people at The Oddity Club met Wedne-

thirty thousand dollars in a hotel charge are as follows: Chief, Geo. served. We took our departure

Press Reporter.

#### Baptist Church.

Preaching Sunday at It a. m. by the pastor, and at 8:15 by his father, H. M. Burroughs, of Fort

The text for the morning hour will be found in II Cor. 3:18.

"But we all with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image, from glory to glory, even as by the spirit of the Lord. All, and especially strangers and visitors, shall have a cordial welcome at these services.

Clint Rutherford, of Tucumcari, who are suffering from drouth are the ones who are strange to the country and do not understand the

A light rain fell Tuesday James Davies, who is superinsouthern part of the state, and night, amounting to little more tending the construction of Clarenas a pleasant place to spend the summer, and hundreds of people getting heavier as it went east, contract for erecting the finest will be built at Amarille by C. T. Herring, the Vernon banker, who is moving to Amarillo for permanent residence. The house will cost

> Mrs. J. J. Thames and children, of Taylor, are visiting the family her brother, C. W. Bennett. Mr. Bennett and the boys left overland Monday with a camping outfit, the ladies going by train to Canyon City, and from there the party will go on a fishing trip to

Mrs. Sarah Davis, of Blooming Grove, Texas, and Mrs. Viola Carruthers, of Guymon, Ok., are visiting the family of B. F. Smith this week. Mrs. Davis is Mrs. Smith's mother and Mrs. Carruthers is her sister.

There will be no band concert tonight on account of the Groom picnic tomorrow for which the band has been engaged and where they have gone today. Begining next Friday night the concerts will be

H. W. Taylor & Sons will soon begin the erection of a new residence on the old George Morgan lots on First street. It will be for rent, and will be a nice house. The lots are most desirable.

L. E. Waters, district manager of the Southwestern Chan angua Association, is in the city to arrange with Clarendon College to put on a lyceum course during the coming season for that institution:

-You have been worrying about supplies or attachments for that Singer sewing machine of yours: worry no longer, but phone Odus Caraway. He has the agency, if

Dr. Stocking was called to Claude yesterday to see Mrs. Dr. W. A. Warner who is very low with typhoid fever.

-The finest lot of wall paper in Jown at Stocking's store. Coms

H. W. Taylor, W. H. Patrick and W. L. Hawington are taking in the Canyon City reunion,

I. J. Prokaw, of Hedley was in to see us Wednesday with a fine sample of alfalfa.



We still have about sixty summer suits that we're putting our regular clearing discount on. These suits represent some of the best models of this season's styles, and we still have a full range of sizes. Kindly visit our clothing department during the coming week. We're sure you will find something that will please you, both in style and price.

On the following:

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Men's Summer Pants. Boy's Summer Suits.

Men's Fancy Vests.

On Panama Hats and Boys' Wash Suits



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#### Posted.

All persons are hereby notified that my Allan Creek pasture is posted and all are forbidden to fish in Allan Creek, Richardson Creek or Record Creek. Any one found Ladiesembroifishing in these streams will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law for every offense.

THOS. S. BUGBEE.

Now is the tire to cut the weeds typewriter ribbons, carbons, and from about your premises before

> Mr. and Mrs. H. B. White left Colorado.

#### The Tax Levy.

was made as follows:

Road and Bridge Court House and Jail Repair Fund 0.03

rolls. One of the commissioners move on the place. in coversation with our reporter stated that the court desired to reduce the levy on the last three items but that an order of the court made at the time the bonds shower just now, as the ground is so dry were issued prohibited the lessening of the tax. These items were accordingly left the same, the re- Elders Oliver and Hensoler. duction coming from the general and the road and bridge funds visiting his parents this week. which were last year 25c and 15c respectively.

#### Big Lighting Contract.

have secured the contract for wir- into 3 and 10 acre lots and sold to differing the new Clarendon College ad- ent parties, viz., Guy Taylor, Roy Guffy, ministration building. There will Mr. Ellis, Henry Jackson, Phil Jackson, be 494 lights installed which indicates somewhat the size of the building as well as the size of the job. It is probably the biggest job of the kind ever let in the Panhandle, and the Banner-Stockman is glad to see home men get the contract.

#### Nearly a Million.

of \$934,362.

own weeds there is very little work entailed for any one and the appearance of the town is greatly en-

A half-inch rain fell in Clarendon Wednesday night. Light showers are reported from all over the country, sufficient to break the effect of the recent extremely hot weather to a certain extent. A good general rain would be appreciated by all.

R. Hund'ey Cocke, the Wellington lawyer and former Clarendon College student, thinks of locating in Clarendon and is even now investigating with a view to buying a home. He is a fine fellow and we would be glad to see him move to Clarendon.

Cut the weeds.

These prices tell better than words the bigness of the values. Every department is overflowing with bargains equally attractive. The greater your needs, the greater the saving.

Strap hinges Hatchets, a for gates Large milk strainers

# Set teaspoons

dery collars

large size 10c special at 10c Best tooth Padlocks,

Stew pans

Cake pan with hole 10c

\$45 Per Acre. Commissioners court was in ses- W. A. Patman, of Sulphur Civil Engineer H. B. Hawley of sion all week up to yesterday, but Springs, father of J. T. Patman, Fort Worth, after looking over the besides the tax levy there was little this week closed a deal whereby he grounds for a sewerage system for business of interest to the general becomes owner of 160 acres of the Memphis, says that it will require public transacted. The tax levy old Henry Jackson farm in Windy not to exceed \$20,000 to install an 0.121/2 Clarendon. The seller was G. W. which will practically cover the en-Harp, and the consideration was tire city. Now, citizens, can you \$45 per acre. Mr. Patman gets one conscientously allow your wives. of the very best farms in Donley children and friends to remain in 0.341/2 and all under cultivation, including health, if not their lives, when such Last year the total was 52c. 30 acres of good alfalfa and a disease-preventing system can be The decrease amounts to a fraction 20 acres more just seeded. He gets installed by issuing bonds to the over 25 per cent and represents a possession Jan. 1st, and both he amount of \$20,000, which can be corresponding increase in valua- and his son-in-law, G. T., Adams, maintained and gradually retired tions as shown by the tax assessor's also from Hopkins county, will by an insignificant tax of not to

#### Lelia Lake Locals.

Lelia Lake, Texas, Aug. 12. Editor Banner-Stockman:

Farmers would be very proud of a nice

The people of the community are being entertained by a discussion between

Mr. Judson Cook, of Stephenville, i J. O. King-will leave for Canada Thurs

Lelia is going to be a town yet, as Guy Taylor has bought 40 acres of Mr, Clark's Clower Bros., (Will and Eric) land at \$50 per acre, which was cut up

> Roy Jackson has returned from Granbury where he has been visiting relatives and friends.

Art Clark a.d J. D. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren have re turned from Goodnight where they have been attending the encampment. They were accompanied by Mrs. Warren's brothers, Emmit and Roner Mace. CHEERFULNESS.

An inspection of the tax rolls for Childress will have her hands this year shows that the total full to equal or excell Clarendon in valuations of all Douley county the entertainment of the Northproperties amounts to almost a west Texas Press Association, million dollars more than last year. which meets here next year, The figures last year were The Clarendon people are famous \$3,841,380.00. This year the for their exceeding cordiality and total is \$4.775.742.00, an increase open handed hospitality and they have set a pace which other towns zen to cut the weeds from in front editors over the country are anxious the streets free from weeds, but treat them in a manner that will when each citizen takes care of his compel them to forevermore sing our town's praises. In years past a only failed to compliment our town extensive improvements on his dress Post.

It was frequently remarked by this remark can always be made. let weeds grow in the street in uable stock of goods. front of your home.

## Dalhart Property for Trade.

We have two nice houses and lots to trade for Clarendon property. The Dalhart property is paying to per cent on the investment. Call and see us. We also have several farms, and ranches for sale. Western Real Estate Exchange, Clarendon, Texas.

#### The Gun Club.

The shoot Wednesday resulted in the following scores, Dr. Standi fer winning the trophy.

Mrs. Cooke Mrs. Standifer

All colors and various sizes of the world beater-Patton's Sole-Proof Floor Coatings, now in stock at McKillop & Goodman's. Exextragood 10c clusive agency.

#### For Sale

A good farm hack, brand new, for sale for cash or on terms. See J. H. Rutherford, at the saddle

#### Applies to Clarendon.

Valley, about ten miles south of adequate town-cleaning system county, with ample improvements constant danger of losing their exceed 25 cents per \$100 valuation? -Memphis Democrat.

#### A New Brick.

A. L. Connally & Co. will build a new brick business house on their lots on Kearney street in the near future certainly in time to be occupied by Jan. 1st. Mr. Connally informs us that the house will be 50x115 feet, with a 50-foot basement, and will be modern in all its appointments. Workmen are this week erecting a large warehouse immediately in the rear of the lo-

Two men were killed at Chillicothe Wednesday in a duel with knives. The men were brothersin-law, and got into a fight over a crop settlement. Each pulled a pocket knife and the carving which resulted was regular butchery. One man had his heart cut out and feil dead on the spot. The other was cut all to pieces and lived ten or afteen minutes. The fight occurred in front of Ben Griffin's drug store, and only lasted two or three

T. M. Pyle and wife left yesterday for Kansas, where Mr. Pyle goes to ship out some cows. Last night Mrs. Pyle's fine buggy horse got out of the lot and, judging from appearances, he must have gotten It's a small matter for each citic will find difficult to excell. The on the track and been struck by a train, as he was found dead this of his residence. Viewed in the to see our town and its wonderful morning. He had managed to aggregate it is a big job to keep growth, hence, it behooves us to drag himself up town to Mr. Pyle's well known eye specialist, thereby assuroffice where he laid down and died. suring satisfaction. We will be pleased He was a very fine animal, valued to test your eyesight for you at any time. at several hundred dollars.

few neighboring editors have not V. R. Leonard has begun some but in their unguarded moments home on the block just south of the have sometimes used their hammers public school building. Besides much to the injury of the fair boring a well and installing his own name and general welfare of our waterworks all over the place he town. This meeting presents a will add several rooms, both down most opportune occasion to disabuse stairs and on the second floor, and their minds of their false notions will build some extensive galleries and send them home to give us about the house. When completed fair treatment evermore. - Chil- he will have one of the finest homes in the city.

Taylor & Sons will next week the visitors at the press association begin tearing down the two-story last week that Clarendon's streets frame building adjoining their furwere remarkably free from weeds, niture department and which has It would be a splended idea for been used as a ware room. Too every property owner to see that much danger from fire for a sound business man to leave a house of Now is the time to cut them. Don't that kind standing so near a val-

> Miss Susie Patterson is this week having her house opposite the public school remodeled. Another room is being added, and the entire place worked over into a nice, homelike cottage of five rooms. It will be for rent.

> The condition of Mrs. Dr. W. H. Cooke remains about the same as last week, though she has possibly gained a little strength. She is still in a very precarious condi-

Miss Lura Brown and mother, of Henrietta, are visiting the families of W. W. Taylor and L. C. Beverly Office upstairs over drug store. this week. Miss Brown was at one time a teacher in the Clarendon Public School.

Conductor Jack Cunningham, of The Denver Road, is laid up with a dislocated arm as a result of an encounter with a bum stealing a ride on his train.

Albert Taylor, the actor, well known in the Panhandle, is in trouble over in Arkansas as a result of assaulting his leading lady when she asked for her back salary.

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country better, can find better bargains and more of them, than any other man in the county. Do a general commission, rental and collection business

H. C. and Phil Jackson, of Lelia Lake, were in town Wednesday.

-W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon, Texas. tf

W. H. Condron has returned from a visit to Oklahoma.

Clint Rutherford, of Tucumcari, was here yesterday. T. H. Gatlin is away with a

shipment of cattle. F. A. White went to Canyon City this week.

Cut the weeds

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No.	I, northbound	9:21 p.	m.
	7, northbound	10:10 a.	m.

#### Clarendon, Tex., Aug. 14, '08

DON'T knock. You will like his kind of weather next January

Too numerous to mention is the of the houses going up in Claren-

THE Northwest Texas editors have an eye for the beautiful. Without exception they appreciated Clarendon.

A CREAMERY looks like the cream of the various opportunities that are knocking at the door of the Panhandle today.

his crown for a war loan. He at that place tomorrow, the occaprobably figures that it is better to sion being a big picnic. One of lose his crown than to lose the head the best features of the invitation on which to wear it.

representation to the state demo their progress. Although handicratic convention at San Antonio. capped in various ways they have Big crops account for the lack of made steady progress and are in a political enthusiasm.

More campaign money is the cry of the democratic leaders. That publicity plank is a good plank, but without more contributions from individuals it is liable

THIS town is good enough for anyone to live in. It is also good enough to spend one's money in. for your town by spending your money at home.

WE need Dick Bowman's Panmal. If he lands his fish we should get in on the ground floor and see if there is not something doing for Clarendon.

IT is probable that the rancher in Donley county will share in the farmer's prosperity this year; he will be allowed an opportunity of renting the farmer ground on which to stack his products.

THE Panhandle is not worrying so much about who will get the ofbe done with the crops already raised and to be raised before that time. Prosperity is promised by time. Prosperity is promised by has it, so why worry?

#### ME 'N THE OTHER FELLER

a stock car and a box car: A few advocates a winter cultivation, and weeks ago Donley county sent to says if apple orchards are flat of hogs ever shipped out of that broken and well cultivated through county. Last week Canyon City out the fall and winter months, the shipped to Fort Worth a car of trouble some apple growers have wheat that for quality excelled anything seen on the local market in many years. The stock car and come trouble some apple growers have had in the past by the fruit falling off before maturing can be over-the stock car and come. the box car are delivering their material messages of progress to Fort Worth .-- Ft. Worth Star.

wrong. We are sure the Star is guilty of nothing worse than an other peaches and p'ums in process all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public free schools of this State for a period of nothing worse than an other peaches and p'ums in process all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public free schools of this State for a period of nothing worse than an other peaches and p'ums in process. error has been called to the atten- of each. Donley county needs the Legislature may also provide for

ket, and of late years they have been going mostly to Fort Worth. We are willing to admit that 'Donley county farmers are not faising one-tenth the number of hogs they should raise, but the industry is one that is growing larger with us every year. Donley county's specialty is corn and alfalfa, therefore hogs are bound to follow.

is never good; it is always better. Last week, however, it appeared as the best. Roswell is fortunate in having such a paper as the Register-Tribune, and the paper is fortunate in being among people wlo appreciate quality.

THE benefits to be derived by Clarendon from the recent meeting way we are now compelled to speak of the Northwest Texas Press Association are beginning to be apparent, as will be seen by the several very complimentary notices given us by visiting editors, and which are published in this issue of the Banner-Stockman. Clarendon will Banner-Stockman. receive advertising of inestimable value as a result of this gathering.

#### Band Goes to Groom.

Jess Waller informs us that the THE Shah of Persia has pawned from the citizens of Groom to play is that it carries with it a substantial purse. We wish in this con-THE Panhandle sent a very slim nection to congratulate the boys on fair way to become the best band in the Panhandle. In fact, their work at present is hard to beat, and Groom is fortunate in obtaining their services.

#### Died at Amarillo.

The 4-months oid son of B. P. Perdue died at his parents' residence at 301 Garfield street teday after a very short spell of sick
with the use and occupation of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture, said Section 5 as amended, to read as follows:

Section 5. He shall, at stated times, ness. Cholera infantum was the Dou't help build up Chicago; pull direct cause of the death. Funeral will take place to morrow at 3 p. m, under the direction of the Maddrey-Kenyon funeral establishment. -Daily Panhandle, Aug. 10.

and Mrs. W. J. Atteberry, of Clar- be unable to serve or if he shall be

The apple mentioned last week as left at this office by A. L. Bruce like manner the same compensation which the Governor would have received, had he been employed in the THAT fellow who made the statement that the sun would become cold in 12,000,000 years be found for this climate. It is a for the submission of this resolution to the qualified voters for members of the legislature of the State of Texas. should have made his announce- very large apple, with excellent the Legislature of the State of Texas. ment at some other season of the flavor, and is suitable for eating, of the State of Texas, to be voted upon year. So far as we can tell the sun is gradually becoming warmer each day.

cooking or preserving. Mr. Bruce of the State of Texas, which will be held on the day fixed by law therfor. All persons favoring said amendment apple orchard of more than 600, and prizes it highly.

ling Donley county will yet make a name for herself in this respect. He is a careful student of the fruit growing industry, and he thinks that apples can be made to produce the publication, proclamation and careful student of the fruit growing industry, and he thinks that apples can be made to produce the state of t both big parties. The Panhandle a name for herself in this respect. heavily and the fruit stay on the trees until ripe simply by a proper Here's an interesting story of cultivation of the soil. He strongly

Mr. Bruce has quite a large orthe Fort Worth market. Ship to chard with many varieties of all habitant of this State between the ages the different fruits on his farm west of twenty-one and sixty years shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the The above is all right except of town, the orchard including that the statement of facts is all over 600 apples, 300 peaches, 300 leeted an annual an valorem State tax of such an amount, not to exceed twensuitable correction as soon as the will give him something like 1,000 less than six months in each year, and tion of the editor. Dosley county more practical fruit growers like by general or special law, without the has been shipping hogs in carload Mr. Bruce, and the sooner we get lots for years. Donley county has them the sooner will our fruit insent scores of carloads to marterests begin to flourish. sent scores of carloads to mar- terests begin to flourish.

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Relating to Commis-

Joint Resolution to amend Section 18.
Article 5; of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for subsequent redistricting of a county into commissioners' precincts, defining the manner thereof; for submitting same to the electors of the State, and making an appropriate that and making an appropriation there-

for.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 18, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read

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The benefits to be derived by as follows: cinct in which there may be a city of eight thousand or more inhabitants, there shall be elected two justices of the peace. Each county shall in like manner and in the first instance, be divided into four commissioners pre-cincts, in each of which there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof one county commissioner, who shall hold his office for two years and until his successor shall be elected and quali-

pose the county commissioners' court, which shall exercise such powers and jurisdiction over all county business as is conferred by this Constitution and the laws of the State, or as may be

hereafter prescribed.

Sec. 2. That the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars is hereby appropriated Jess Waller informs us that the out of the State Treasury not other-band has accepted an invitation defraying the necessary expense of submitting the above proposed amendment to the people of the State, at the next general or special election in the man-ner required by law, by the Governor of the State.

(A true copy.)
W. R. DAVIE, Secretary of State.

Proposed Amendment to the State Con-stitution Fixing the Compensation of the Governor and Lieu-tenant Governor.

Joint Resolution proposing an amend-ment to Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Sections 5 and 17 of said Article 4 so as to fix the compensation of the Gov-ernor at eight thousand (\$8000) dol-lars per annum in addition to the use of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture, and the compensation of the Lieutenant Governor at twen-ty-five hundred (\$2500) dollars per

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 5 of Article 4
of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to provide that the
Governor of the State shall receive as compensation for his services, an annual salary of eight (\$8000) dollars and

receive as compensation for his services an annual salary of eight thousand (\$8000) dollars, and no more and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and

furniture.
That Section 17 be so amended as to read as follows:
Section 17. If, during the vacancy in Mrs. Perdue is a daughter of Mr. the office of the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor should die, resign, refuse to serve or, he removed from office or enden, and her many friends here impeached or absent from the State, the president of the Senate, for the time being shall in like manner administer the government until he shall be succeeded by a Governor of Lieutenant Governor. The Lieutenant Governor shall receive an annual salary of twenty of the shall be unable to serve or if he shall be impeached or absent from the State, the president of the Senate, for the time being, shall in like manner administer the government until he shall be unable to serve or if he shall be impeached or absent from the State, the president of the Senate, for the time being, shall in like manner administer the government until he shall be unable to serve or if he shall be impeached or absent from the State, the president of the Senate, for the time being, shall in like manner administer the government until he shall be succeeded by a Governor. The Lieutenant Governor shall receive an annual salary of twenty. the Amarillo sanitarium with fever for several weeks.

The July King.

The apple mentioned last week

shall receive an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars per year, and no more. During the time he administers the government as Governor, he shall receive in like manner the same compensation which the Governor would have received had he been employed in the duties of his office, and no more. The President of the Senate, for the time being, shall, during the time he time he

Speaking of fruit generally, Mr.

Bruce, who has been an enthusi
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W. R. DAVIE, Secretary of State.

Taxation-Submitting Amendment to

Joint Resolution amending Section 3. Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, increasing the amount of tax that may be voted on school districts and providing for a majority vote of the property tax paying voters of such district to vote such tax.

Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State occupation taxes and a poll tax of \$1 on every male in-

and equipment of school buildings. and requipment' of school buildings, therein, provided that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the district, voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed in any one year 50 cents on the \$100 valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and inde-

towns constituting separate and inde-pendent school districts.
Sec. 2. The Governor of the State of Texas shall and he is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the next general election, or at a special election called by the Gov-ernor and the sum of four thousand (\$4,900) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropri-ated out of any money not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of publication of such proclamation. publication of such proclamation. At such election the qualified electors vot-ing and favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on the ballot as follows: "For amendment to Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State, relating to public free schools," and those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on the ballot as follows: "Against amendment to Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution," it is a section 2. tion of the State, relating to public free

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Song. Invocation.

Walcom address-Clay Akers Response-Mrs. G. A. Wimberly.

How to Best Secure Attendance of the Young Men .- John Bond and Mrs. Sims. Relation of Pastor to Sunday School -Bro. Henry Doak.

Song-Lelia Class. Class Reports, Why Made and by Whom-John T. Graham and E. H.

Attitude of Sunday School on Prohibition-J. M. Shelton and E. R. Clark.

Song-Giles. DINNER. Afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Report of committe on by-laws.

How Obtain Best Spiritual Results in Sunday School-Mrs. McCants and Bro.

Herron. General Discussion. Song-Rowe class.

Sunday school reports. Business meeting

Song-McKnight c'ass.

Should Prizes Be Given? If so to What Extent-Melion Cooke and Mrs. John

Song Hedley class. The Good of the Convention-General discussion.

Closing song.

take notice.

A local citizen who has been on a business trip over the Panhandle which required that he travel overland stated to the editor this week that Clarendon was the only town in the Panhandle which allowed the people the privilege of stopping their teams indiscriminately on the business streets, tying or hitching to anything or nothing as the case might be, and, in short, on busy days obstructing the business thorofares. In several towns he found stringent laws on the subject and it meant a fine right now if they were violated. He also noticed that delivery wagons were loaded from the rear doors of the stores, and he was greatly impressed with the entire arrangement. Clarendon has been too lax entirely in this matter, and should wake up and

T. M. Baldridge, of Oplin, Callahan county, was here the first of the week visiting the family of his sister, Mrs. E. A. Boles, Mr. Baldridge has been a regular reader of the Banner-Stockman for the past year, and took occasion to compliment the paper for the manner in which it advocates home institutions and boosts for Donley county. He said also that he was gratified to find on investigation that every claim made by us for Clarendon and Donley county could easily be substantiated.

The insurance adjuster was here Saturday and settled with W. J. Adams for the loss on Hotel Denver. Mr. Adams left this week for Bowie and other points down the Denver Road. He is taking notes on hotel buildings, with an idea of getting improved plans for a new



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to Clarendon.

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Engineer and Mrs. Ed Collins left Monday for a visit to Mrs. Collins' parents at Colorado City, Texas. Mrs. Collins has been quite ill for some weeks and it is hoped that the trip will be quite beneficial.—Childress Post.

Mrs. W. E. Mills, whose husband died last week, was taken to Colorado. She is quite sick with tions, bath waters, face creams, fever herself. Clarendon friends hair tonics, etc. Also barber's unite in wishing for the lady a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Tresise arrived this week from Cleveland, Ohio, for a visit to the lady's mother, Mrs. Honk. They will likely locate in Clarendon.

J. C. Morgan, of Dallas, was here for the funeral of his brother A. C. Morgan's baby. A sister from Hubbard City, was also here.

"What do you know about those good dinners down at the corner restaurant?" Ask Elkius, the best brands of ribbons, carbons, the new proprietor.

dren returned last Friday from an typewriter oil in small bottles for extended visit to her mother at only roc. Taylor, Texas.

#### EDITORS' ROYAL WELCOME SIZE VS. QUALITY IN HOGS

Clarendon Extends Elaborate Enter- The Hog That Makes Most Pounds in a Given Time Is the Best.

By M. Hart, Grandview, Texas, teresting held for some time. While get over, but I will make an effort.

the usual standard, yet the enthus: - a fad for us to let our fancies run asm of those present will more than away with us and breed our live counteract this, so that the meeting stock of almost every kind more for will go on record as a great success. quality than for size. It is a ma .-On account of a rush of business, ter of fact that when we ship our the Record editor only attended the live stock to market they sell altofirst day's session, and while Claren- gether by weight, and as a matter don is some 120 miles from Vernon of course the animal or carcass that and our stay there necessarily short, wighs the greatest number of still we were more than repaid for pounds will command the most the going. Clarendon had on her money, and I think the habit of best attire and it is our candid breeding more for quality than size opinion that she did the handsomest lies in the fault of the judges in thing for the pen-pushers in the making their decisions in the show history of the association. The rings, as I think they award more visitors were met at the station by prizes to the little fine-spun anithe brass band and all of the people mals, especially swine, than they do turned out as a reception committee. to the larger type, If they would So hearty and complete was the reverse their decisions it would let welcome that for the time, the press us all know where we are, and we boys almost thought they belonged would breed more for size than

A carriage drive over the town When we make a discrimination in the afternoon revealed the fact in favor of quality against size in that Clarendon is indeed a beautiful selecting our breeding stock, we town. Fine and stately school and also discrimnate against prolificacy, college buildings, magnificent as my experience has been the finer homes, hospitable people, no weeds the quality the less prolific, and allowed to grow on the streets, all the weaker the constitution of the premises well kept-in fact a animal. Also a great deal of this modern and proud little city of 3000 defect is brought about by too happy and contented people .- close inbreeding; so therefore I contend that if we would select our breeding stock of both sexes of larger type with good strong, We are informed that Guy heavy bone, with sufficient frame Taylor, J. D. Cook and several to build on and capable of carrying other citizens of Lelia Lake have flesh, our hogs would be of stronger

on the north side of the track, pay- I am not opposed to breeding ing \$50 per acre, and that they and raising thoroughbred slock of will immediately plat same for a any kind; I want them with pedi townsite. We are further informed grees; but I want them large that there are some half a dozen enough and with a strong constitu-

diately. Lelia Lake is located in a It matters not how large or how fine farming section and should fancy a hog is bred, ultimately the pork barrel is the end of it, as it is a matter of natural consequence, all things being equal, as they sell We want a representative to han- by weight in all the markets, that dle Ford automobiles in Clarendon the hog that weighs the greatest and vicinity. Live hustler, with number of pounds will bring the most money. Therefore, brother breeders, let us breed more for size rather than let our fancies for quality overrule our better judgment, and not raise the little fancy ones that are only fit to look at.

Rev. W. P. Dickey, we regret to the pastorate of the local Presbyterian church and move to Dallas on account of his wife's bad health. He was here last week attending to the shipping of his effects. The best wishes of hundreds of Clarendon's best people will go with him. and the prayers of many for the full recovery of Mrs. Dickey's health will go up. For the present, at least, Bro. Dickey's address will be 320 Holmes St., Dallas,

#### See Our New Line

Of face lotions, toilet preparasupplies such as combs, brushes, etc. In buying from us you always get the best. All our lotions come under the pure food and drug laws, and are guaranteed high-grade articles. The ladies of the city are respectfully asked to give our line an inspection.

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Users of typewriters would do well to remember that the Banner-Stockman office sells typewriter supplies of all kinds. We handle papers, onion skins, etc., on the Mrs. Carl W. Bennett and chil- market, and also the very finest

Bagby.

west Texas Press Ass'n which con- before the Swine Breeders' convenvened in Clarendon on Tuesday of tion: I ambinclined to think that this week for a three days' session the subject of size vs. quality covpromised to be one of the most in- ers more ground than I am able to

quality.

learn, has been forced to give up other appurtenance to any telephone line

# Architect and

dence solicited. Clarendon, Texas

ling large jobs, such as, un-Residence, 23 3-rings.

homa Farm Journal, the twice-aweek Fort Worth Record, and the Mrs. M. A. Bagby returned to Record wall chart, \$4.50 worth, all Mrs. W. T. White, of Hedley, Clarksville last week after a visit for \$2,00 at the Banner-Stockman visited her son, Frank, in Claren- with the family of her son, G. B. office. Call and see about it. This offer has never been-equaled. tf

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age in this respect in the past and we positively will prosecute to the full extent of the law if we find the guilty parties.

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#### "Mighty Encouraging."

Under the above caption the Childress Post presents some of porter is discussing the question of hog raisers knowing more thoroughly the details of their business, makes the followa new and modern hotel for Claren-ling pertinent remarks: don. Editor Thomas is just like everyone else who has stopped at a Clarendon hotel—he recognizes the sell, without such special knowledge. superior quality of the fare and re-

buildings. The Post say: Clarendon burned Thursday afternoon unless he has a thorough knowledge of after the members of the Northwest Tex- the economies of feeding and a training as Press Association had safely gotton in the care of hogs. Not only does he out early Thursday morning is mighty need this knowledge himself, but he encouraging and is a strong evidence needs competent help, for he cannot be that an omnipresent and unseen power everywhere and do everything. is constantly looking after the safety and protection of the newspaper man just the marketed hogs here in the last two

#### Knowledge Needed.

The Fort Worth Daily Live Stock Re-

He could raise them to better advantage If he had it, but it is not essential, if he alizes the great need for better has common sense and a little experience but no farmer can expect to make a The fact that the old Denver Hotel at success in raising hogs on a large scale

We have in mind two men who have

## SUBMISSION WINS IN STATE CONVENTION.

In the democratic state convention at San Antonio Wednesday the submission issue won out over the antisubmission plank by a vote of 418 to 225. The submission plank will accordingly be written in the platform. In short it means that the 31st legislature is called upon to submit to the people an amendment to the state constitution for a law prohibiting the manufacture, sale, gift, exchange or intra-state shipment of any form of liquor in the state of Texas.

people who think the newspaper boys sold out. Ho got over 6 cents a pound are such liars that their destiny must be and declared he couldn't raise, hogs at guided by the evil one alone but inci- such a price, and was going to quit. The dents like the above are a strong refuta- other sold a neat bunch of hogs at about tion of this implication.

Hotel building was a discredit to Claren- One of these men had knowledge and don. Now it is to be hoped that the old management. The other did not. building will give way to a modern brick of some kind. Then, and not till then, Notice to Eastern Star Memwill Clarendon become a popular stopping place for travelers.

#### Methodist Church.

follows:

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the ing. Remember, August 20.

Junior League at 3 p. m. Senior League at 7:30 p. m. Preaching at 8:30 p. m. by the

Everybody cordially invited attend these services

#### For Sale at a Bargain.

My home five blocks from Clarendon College. A modern residence five rooms and hall, cistern, sheds, ect., all brand new. Quarter of a terms write

T. E. WILLIAMS, Russell, Oklahoma.

Lloyd Blackwell, of Clarendon, is spending a few days with his brother, B. V. Blackwell, here. Mr. Blackwell brought a basket of fine peaches with him to show some people what would grow in the Panhandle.-Amarillo Daily Pan-

One hundred new desks for the public school were received this week. However an error matching the desks and fixtures be shipped.

Monday night for a trip to Mineral bert Hilburn and Allen Burton on

same as other people. There may be months. One shipped all he had and the same price, and said he was going to The burned building was a dilapidated buy a fine boar to head his herd and exstructure and was a standing disgrace, to pected to market a hundred or more the beautiful town of Clarendon. The next year. He declared he could raise editors made no complaint at the table hogs for 3 cents a pound, and that as fare set before them-it was nice-but all long as could get 5 cents on the market united in the opinion that the Denver there was good enough profit for him.

## bers.

We are requested to announce that the third Thursday night in The services at the Methodist this month is the time set for the church for next Sunday will be as election of new officers in the Eastern Star chapter. Every member is urged to be present at this meet-

#### Sunday Drug Service.

Owing to the fact that people want medicine on Sunday the same as week days you will always find someone at our store to fill your ing the roof off the engine and prescriptions. Our specialty:-Careful prescription work.

FLEMING & BROMLEY.

The young people enjoyed a 'hay ride' Monday evening, given by Miss Elizabeth Martin in honor block of land. For price and of her guest, Miss Pumphrey, of Taylor, and another on Tuesday evening given by Miss Kittje Fleming. Both affairs were reported most enjoyable. Refreshments were served succeeding the rides.

#### Card of Tnanks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Morgan wish to express their deep gratitude to their many friends for their kindness and assistance during the illness and death of their little daughter, Mary Lee.

-EGGS WANTED: -- We will pay 15c per dozen in cash and will take was discovered and the new furni- all you can bring and the quicker ture will therefore have to wait a you get them here the better we week or two till the right parts can will like it. R. H. Elkins & Son, at the Corner Restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Shaw left Jim Miller is chaperoning Hera trip to Paloduro canyon.

#### e<del>eeeeeeeeeeeee</del>eeeeeeeeeeee 560 HOT WEATHER STORE

That's US! Don't cook these hot days when you can buy bread, cakes, pies and pastries from us and they are just as good as "mother used to bake." Finest line of candies in the city, also.

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## The Corner Restaurant

Regular dinners every day end Sunday too only 25c, and the best in town regardless of price. Short orders quickly and cleanly served at any hour except the noon hour. Our endeavor will be to give satisfaction in every respect. We want your trade.

R. H. Elkins & Son

#### Democratic Nominees.

For District Attorney. HENRY'S. BISHOP

For County Judge.

J. H. O'NEALL.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector J. T. PATMAN.

G. W. BAKER.

For County and District Clerk. WADE WILLIS.

GUSS JOHNSON. Justice Peace Precinct 2.

For County Treasurer

A. J. BARNETT. For Commissioner Precinct No. 2

R. E. WILLIAMS. For Commissioner Precinct No. 3 J. G. McDOUGAL.

## Call For Meeting.

Mrs. James Trent asks the Banner-Stockman to call a meeting of the Cemetery Association for tomorrow afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at her home. The attendance of not only the old members but of anyone who may be interested in the cemetery is cordially requested. It is hoped that a good attendance may be had and some steps may be taken looking to having the cemetery premises cleaned off and everything put in good shape out

#### Pasturage.

I will take stock to pasture at 25 cents per head per month. Have plenty of good grass, six miles southeast of town. J. O. KING.

#### Notice.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, New Carson Building, Amarillo, Texas.

#### For Sale.

Winter turf seed. oats for sale. J. D. JEFFERIES, Mgr.

Rev. E. Dubbs will preach at both hours at the Christian church Sunday, the pastor, Rev. J. A. Arnold being over in Oklahoma holding a meeting. The general public is cordially invited.

R. H. Elkins & Son want your trade if you eat away from home and accordingly place an ad in this issue. Mr. Elkins promises to conduct a strictly first-class eating bouse and invites your patronage.

The Childress shops caught fire again one night this week, burnboiler room. Prompt work saved the buildings.

-I am local agent for the Singer sewing machine and have a stock on hand. Also have supplies and parts of all kinds. Odus Caraway.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church gave a "lemon social" last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner.

-More room, better equipment, best service at Clarendon Cafe. Regular dinner every day 35c. No raise in prices on Sunday. tf

A temporary roof at the Childress railroad shops fell Monday, killing one man and seriously injuring two others.

-The Clarendon Cafe, Mrs. L. C. Updike, proprietor, caters only to the best class of trade. She wants your patronage.

-Sewing machine supplies of all kinds, needles, parts, and new Singer machines. See Odus Caraway,

ocal agent. The Clarendon Produce Co. shipped out its first car of water-

melons this week. W. M. Caviness was among the visitors from Rowe yesterday. Also

J. T. McHan.

-Read the ad of the First National Bank; it will interest you

The county tax rate for Childress county, general fund, is 33 1-3

John A. Russell, representing the Western Electric Co., is here

today. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Morgan left Saturday night for a visit to Hub-

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams reurned the first of the week from Jacksonville.

John Askey, of Silverton, visited Eric Clower the first of the week.

Bond Johnson and R. H. Jones were up from Hedley Monday. -Acme brand paints at McKillop & Goodman's.

Cut the weeds.

# CLARENDON Mercantile Co.



# D-SUMMER Specials

All Summer Dress Goods AT COST

All ladies' and gentlemen's patent oxfords at cost.

All men's and boys' straw hats at cost and less.

All ladies' shirt waist and muslin underwear at cost.

New arrivals this week:

We have received new goods this week in India linons, American prints, shirtings, bleached and brown domestics, men's work shirts, and in fact lots of new articles you have been calling for.

Grocery Department:

Quality and at the right price are two things we look after first.

Try some of our Premium flour, Golden Gate coffees, Swift's and Cold Storage lard, and White Swan canned goods. These are the kind that please.

Keep your eye on this space; it will pay you.

# CLARENDON Mercantile Co



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And we wish to thank the good people for the liberal patronage that made it a Big, Sale in every respect.

The zed tickets and the cut prices are still on many lines of merchandise and the cash buyer will find many rare bazgains yet. We have just received a shipment of beautiful Red Seal dress ginghams and the styles are pretty and the price lower than before. New and tasty Elastic Belts just opened. If you are going to build a house see us for canvass. We will surely do you right.

White Crest and Albatross flour, Wedding Brekfast and Breakfast Bell coffees, Club House brand of canned goods and tables dainties always fresh on our shelves. Let us be your grocer and live better and not spend any more. Why? Because we sell the best.

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The land of matchless mountain scenery, where the air is cooled by breezes from the snow-capped Rockies. Why not spend your vacation there? Ask your ticket agent about the low rate to Denver, in effect every day until Sept. 30th. When you get to Denver and start sight seeing, go to the Union depot and ask for a ticket to the summit of Mt. McClellan,

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## HIGH CLASS CARPENTERING

There's a difference in carpenter work as there is in everything else, There is good, bad, indifferent, and THE BEST. The latter is the kind I do. To perfect my work I have added to my shop all the different woodworking machines which go to make up a high-grade wood working shop. Band saws, circular saws, and all other kinds of labor-saving and work-perfecting devices, all driven by power and operated by men who "know how." That's the reason iny work is superior; that's the reason I can come and ask for your business with a guarantee of strict satisfaction. Call and see me. Shop opposite court house, at Morrison lumber yard.

H. W. KELLEY.

# St. Mary's Academy

On St. Mary's Heights

CLARENDON, TEXAS

Boarding and Day School for Girls and Young Ladies. Day School for Boys under Fourteen Years of Age. Preparatory, Academic, Commercial and Scientific Courses.

Scholastic Year Begins Tuesday, Sept. 1.

#### Buy Farm Land.

From the Memphis Democrat we learn that W. A. SoRelle and A. M. Smith, of this city, have each invested in Hall county farming land out of the old Shoebar ranch. Mr. SoRelle bought 686 acres for \$16,-350. Mr. Smith bought 320 acres for \$8,000. Both gentlemen will immediately open up several farms and build rent houses. The Democrat also states that since July 20 \$42,000 worth of the Shoebar lands have been sold.

We need a \$25,000 brick hotel, and nothing less will fill the bill as it should be filled. The commercial club should get busy on this proposition. The real estate men should unite in helping to pull record breaking time this week, and for it, and every citizen should talk will load another car today and one it up and encourage . the move- at Lelia Lake tomorrow. The rain ment until Clarendon gets what Wednesday night will boom busishe has long suffered for.

Eric Clower is on the sick list this week. The band boys accordingly had to substitute an Amarillo engagement at Groom tomorrow, visit with Miss Elizabeth Martin, of "not guilty" Wednesday,

#### ·Hurt in Runaway.

Wednesday in which a former Clarendon lady, Mrs. W. H. Meador, was injured. The dispatch follows:

load of passengers. The team started from the tront of the Victoria hotel, ran down the street livery stable, in the yard of which it ran into a winduril tower.

In the bus were a party of Amarillo people-Mrs. W. H. Meador, children and her parents, and Mrs R. W. Morgan. Mrs. Meador was injured about the head, while Mrs. Morgan's face was badly cut by glass. The bus was a total wreck.

"Taking the place of Rev. Samuel F. Shiffler, who was pastor of the Colonial Hill Presbyterian church for about two years, Rev. W. P. Dickey has become stated supply of the pulpit. For some time Mr. Dickey was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Clarendon, Texas. Mr. Shiffler has resigned the Dallas pastorate and has gone to take up charge at Sweet Springs, Mo."-Dallas News.

#### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our thanks to the kind friends and neighbors; and especially the Odd Feliows, who lent their assistance during the illness and death of our husband and son, and also to the friends for the beautiful floral offerings.

The Clarendon Produce Co. got out the first car of melons in ness for the company, as it was just the proper thing for both meions and cantaloupes.

cornet player in order to meet their Wednesday for Plainview after a Douley county, returned a verdict

#### St. Mary's Academy.

A special from Canyon City to On Tuesday, Sept. 1, St. Mary's Academy will enter on its teens of a serious runaway accident and open its doors once more to re- Morgan, died last Friday afternoon ceive day pupils from town and after an illness of several weeks with boarders from abroad. During the cholera infantum. The funeral was past ten years the Sisters have en- held Saturday afternoon, at the About 10 o'clock this morning shown by the results of their work conducted by Rev. John L. James, the hotel bus team ran away with a that they are second to none as the interment being at the Citizens teachers and educators. While Cemetery. the academy is under Catholic This was a sad loss to these about two blocks, then through a auspices, it remains true to its loving parents. For weeks they had pledge not to interfere with the hung over the suffering little form religious convictions of non- of their first-born, while all that Catholic pupils. The Sisters are careful parsing and medical science expected back next week, when could do was done to save their the Mother Superior may be con- darling child, but all to no avail,

> who left us last week, writes back prepared by a Savior who loved that it is extremely likely that he little children. The Banner-Stockwill be able to so arrange his man joins in the expressions of affairs that he can move to Claren- tender sympathy which are so don in the very near future. He universally heard on every side for asks the Banner-Stockman to the bereaved parents. extend his hearty thanks to the people for the kindly consideration given him in his work here and for Rowe, was in the city Wedne day the many solicitations to return and reported a pretty fair rain and remain with us. Mr. Procter Tuesday night. is a good band man, and handled the boys so nicely that he is consequences already sadly missed, and the Banner-Stockman trusts he will soon be "at home" in Clarendon.

#### Ryan-Gentry.

Mr. George Ryan and Miss Emily Gentry were married at the home of the bride's mother Monday MRS. W. E. MILLS morning, Rev. John L. James AND W. I. MILLS AND FAMILY. officiating. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Ryan departed for Amarillo where they will make their home, the groom being engaged there in carpenter work. The Banner-Stockman joins in congratulations and best wishes,

#### Verdict of Acquittal.

The jury in the case of Ed Harding, on trial at Canyon City this Miss Stella Pumplirey left week on change of venue from

#### Baby is Dead.

Mary Lee, the little 2-year-old deared themselves to Clarendon and family residence, the services being

sulted as to enrollment and terms, for the summons came and little Mary Lee auswered, to go up Harry Procter, the band teacher higher, to that heavenly abode

A. A. Beedy, from south of

# A Question of Quality

Why is it that people who extheir photograph work until they have an opportunity of getting their work done by Mulkey? The reason is not hard to find. If a Mulkey photograph is no better than another no one would go to the trouble of waiting to get pictures from him. He feally does them better. If you want a good picture call on

a kodak."

Capt. Nat Smith, of Rowe, was here Monday.

Harry Brown, of Groom, was in town the first of the week.

-W. C. Cottrell, bricklayer and plasterer, Clarendon, Texas. tf

Oscar Reeves, of Silverton, was here the first of the week.

M. F. Lee has been quite sick the past ten days with yellow jaundice.

The walls are going up on the new concrete business house of Lane & Stanton.

Mrs. J. S. Hayter has returned from her visit to Seymour and Archer City.

W. E. Simms, of Ft. Worth, was here last week to visit his sister, Mrs. Guss Johnson.

Alderman Lloyd Blackwell made a business trip to Amarillo this week to see the street cars.

That wall chart alone is worth the \$2.00. Call and see it and get particulars about our big subscription offer.

FOUND: --- A bunch of keys. Owner can recover same at Dr. Stocking's drug store by paying 25c for this advertisement.

Mrs. Minnie McMenamy, o Whitesboro, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brooks, this week.

Curry Powell was here this week visiting his mother. He is now at Waco, Texas, and is in the special sales business.

Mrs. J. M. Sellers is enjoying a visit from Mesdames F. M. Sellers, of Clarksville, Tenn., and A. T. Culbertson, of Higgins, Texas.

Miss Nan Burson, from Amarillo and Mrs. Tom Ziegler, from Paloduro, came in Wednesday and spent several days with Mrs. R. E. Williams.

Active building operations commenced this week on J. D. Camp's new home. There will be ten rooms, and the house will be modern in its appointments.

Mrs. J. H. Rathjen, Mrs. Kate Lochridge, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Lee and Mr. Fred Rathjen spent Sunday at Goodnight taking in the big Baptist encampment and seeing the sights of the buffalo ranch.

Misses Qra. and Lucyle Burson and Mr. George Meador came in on the Saturday evening train from Amarillo, and are visiting Miss Maggie Williams. The Misses Burson will remain a few weeks in Clarendon.

Rev. W. C. Hilburn and daugh ter, Miss Clara, returned Tuesday morning from a visit to Rev. Hilburn's parents at Rising Star, Texas, where a family reunion was held. Bro. Hilburn also held a tenday's meeting at Scranton, Texas, while away.

W. B. Sims has bought the G. J. Teel residence and will move his family to town by the first of September in order to be here for school this winter. The consideration was \$1,850. Mr. Teel is erecting a new house on the block just south of the convent, where he has an exceptionally fine

J. L. Henson has been crippling around the past week on account of a spider bite on his foot. He reports Clarendon people helping out nicely on a fund for the enlargement of the Martin school house which has been moved out to the Southard road, five miles from Clarendon and which carpenters are now at work on. The new location is much more favorable.

W. R. Gibson, of Dalhart, was here Monday. He went to the country and secured a large number of samples of crops of all kinds which he boxed and shipped to Dalhart. Wonder if Donley county is going to be called upon to supply "the goods" for a Dallam or Hartley county exhibit at the Dalhart Trans-Canadian Fair? A sure way to land those Easterners, the stuff was raised there.

-"If it isn't an Eastman it isn't & M. E. Bell's new home is nearing RETURNS AT LAST READY ti completion.

> N. S. Ray has moved to town from Windy Valley.

E. R. Tatum has been holding down the third trick as operator at the depot the past month.

H. E. Sherwood and family are back home after a visit of a month or six weeks at Wellington. Miss Anna Talley left lest week

for a visit with relatives and friends at Quanah, Altus and Mangum. Mrs. Susie Bodell, of Jacksboro.

has been visiting her old friend, Mrs. D. J. Murphy, the past week. Ten cents buys enough of the Geers, 98,221. finest typewriter oil at the Banner-

Agent E. E. Baldwin is off on

C. L. Young has corn, corn seed meal and all kinds of hay for

is holding down the depot in his

sale, phone No. 4. -Patton's Sole-Proof Floor Coatings, the finest and best in the Sparks, 317,981. land, now in stock and for sale

only by McKillop & Gooman, tf

A. L. Connally & Co. are building a big warehouse on the rear of their lots on Kearney street. A new brick business house on these lots is one of the probabilities of the near future.

ply crude oil to that stagnant pool son, 167,673; O. S. Lattimore, near the public school house? Of course it ought to be drained, but as that can't be done maybe the application of a coating of oil would help matters a little.

The Banner-Stockman offers an abject apology to a little lady who arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Leathers at Lelia Lake 291. on the 2nd, for having failed to mention her arrival. She tipped the beam at 10 1-2 pounds.

Goldston and wife, Odus Caraway home in one of the Hastings houses and wife, Miss Bessie Caraway, in West Clarendon. Lindsey is Tom Tinkle and Ed Leithauser quite a chicken fancier and brought composed a fishing and hunting with him some very fine poultry, party which went to Timber Lake likewise a fine family milch cow. Monday for a week's stay.

for the eastern markets to pur- ing the adjuster allowed \$950. chase new fall goods.

is going to be a humper proposi- county, Ok. tion. Cotton is also booming down

Mr. T. P. Junkin of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, will be in Clarendon Tuesday, August 18th. Young men of this city and county who contemplate taking a course in this college may consult him at the Atteberry Hotel in regard to the entrance requirements and the various courses by. of study offered in the institution of learning which he represents. Mr. Junkin is also prepared to hold entrance examinations for those desiring them.

Homer Mulkey was called Mansville, Ok., last Friday by the news of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. H. S. Mulkey. He arrived there too late to see her before her death, which occurred at 6 p. m. Friday, Aug. 7. Deceased leaves a husband and eleven children, all whom were present at the funeral except one. She was 55 years of age, the cause of her death being a tumor. In company with her husband Mrs. Mulkey visited her son in Clarendon last Christmas, at which time she was apparently in good health, and her death specialty. Short orders at all hours. if they can be made to believe that will be greatly regretted by many friends made here at that time.

Official Returns of the July Primary Election at Last Made Public.

Dallas, Aug. 8.-At 11:30 tohight the tabulation of the official vote from the 215 counties that had sent in returns was completed at the state democratic headquar-

ters. The totals are as follows: For Governor-Thomas Campbell, 200,377; R. R. Williams, 116,562.

For Lieutenaut Governor-A. B. Davidson, 207,070; C. W.

For Attorney General-R. V Stockman to run a machine six Davidson, 165,305; R. M. Wynne, 145,454.

For Comptroller-Bob Barker, month's vacation and a Mr. Hate 68,545; J. R. Blades, 31,131; George F. Parker, 43,765; I. W. Stephens, 98,463; Charles B. White, 34,650.

For commissioner of the General chops, oats new crop, bran, cotton Land Office-J. T. Robison, 165,362; Thomas 129.797.

For State Treasurer

For Railroad Commissioner-O. B. Colquitt, 211,508; Theodore G Thomas, 87.582.

For State Superintendent or Public Instruction-J. M. Alderdice, 122,239, R. B. Cousins, 181,507. For Commissioner of Agriculture-R. T. Milner, 315,500.

For Judge Court Criminal Ap-Would it not be a good idea to ap- peals, Full Term-W. I. David-132,778.

For Judge Court Criminal Appeals, Unexpired Term-W. F. Ramsey, 323.373.

For Associate Justice Supreme Court-F. A. Williams, 322,624. Prohibition Amendment Submission-For, 139,824; against, 135,

System of Local Option-For, 116,048; against, 36,694.

Lindsey Taylor's family has ar-Cooper Morgan and wife, Nath rived from Denton and they are at

Mrs. A. M. Beville & Co. have Saturday and allowed the various Those who are in a position to know secured quarters with the Claren- claims on the burned out district say that this section cannot be beat don Mercantile Co., and will soon at the corner of First and Sully as a potato country, and that the have their popular millinery and streets. The claims were allowed yield is almost a certainty. Sweet ladies' furnishings business in full in full with the exception of the potatoes especially prove a paying swing again. Both Mrs. Beville adobe building, which was not crop here, yielding wonderful crops and Miss Gage will leave Monday entirely destroyed. On this build every year. If the farmers would

The editor is indebted to his big aged a deal this week wherein their best paying side lines. It friend, D. B. Sachse, of the Brice about \$70,000 worth of property possesses the same advantage as the community, for a fine lot of roast- changed hands, the principals being melon crop in that it does not ing ears this week. They were as C. A. Dysert, of Farwell, and T. materially interfere with other as sweet and fine as we ever tasted. B. Weathersby, of Mangum, Ok. crops. The crop conditions in Mr. An interest in a big stock of mer-Sachse's territory were never finer chandise at Farwell was traded for than this season, and the corn crop land in Donley county and in Greer

Jefferies for that new iron bridge his brother, Charles R., of Wash-Mr. Jefferies half way he would a mighty good proposition to let go their friend, Albert McCardell, of

start this week that he had not weeks yet. taken a day off for over two years, and nothwithstanding he was over the ears in work, quit his business yesterday and hiked off to Clarendon, where the boys of the Northwest Texas Press Association are week,-Quanah Tribune-Chief.

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#### Potato Prospects.

It is suprising that so few farmers in this section pay any atten-The insurance adjuster was here tion to the cultivation of potatoes. arrange for the shipment of potatoes J. D. Camp and H. Lott man- they would no doubt find it one of

> The Valley Register, of Middletown, Md., had the following item in last week's issue:

William Lewis, of Clarendon, We are sure we but express the Tex., son of Postmaster Chas. J sentiment of all Clarendon people Lewis, of Clarendon, who arrived when we thus publicly extend to Washington about two weeks ago, came to Middletown Wednesthanks to County Commissioner day afternoon last, accompanied by on First Street. If the business ington, D. C., on a brief visit to men on Kearney Street would meet the editors' families, who are cousins. Last Monday a week ago they came to Braddock Heights, grade and gravel that street. It's and next morning in company with Frederick, automobiled to Atlantic City, returning last Saturday. Editor Koch semembered with Mr. Lewis will remain east a few

The editor and wife returned yesterday from Clarendon, where they attended the annual convention of the Northwest Texas Press Association. Our notes on the having their a nual powwow this convention, together with our impression of Clarendon and Clarendon people, will appear in an early issue of the Daily Panhand'e. - Amarillo Daily Pan-

#### To the Public.

We wish to warn you against traveling opticians using our name. Through these columns we will announce any one sent out to repre- Panhandle Steam Laundry, sent us. AMARILIO OPTICAL CO. P. H. SEEWALD,

DR. C. WOLCOTT.



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