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We Have the Four Burner Oil Stoves with Cabinets.

They are New.

VAN PELT, KIRK & MACK

CASH 2 Boxes Search Light Matches 5c | 7 Bars Chrystal White Soap 26c | 10lb. Bucket Cottolene \$1.24 | 25 Pound Sack Sugar \$1.24 | **CASH**

28 in. Brass Bound Trunk, each \$3.39	Unbleached Sheeting	
	9-4 Unb Sheeting, yard	17c
	10-4 Unb Sheeting, a yard	19c
	10-4 Linen Sheeting, \$1.25 value,	84c
	Enamel Dippers	
	Enamel dippers, 15c values, each,	5c
	Files	
	10 in. files, 25c values, each	14c
	12 in. files, 35c values, each	19c
	Breakfast Foods	
2 Post Toasties for	24c	
2 Grape Nuts	24c	
2 Cans of Oat Meal for	24c	
2 Cream of Wheat for	28c	
Dried Fruit		
Dried Apples per pound	9	
Dried Peaches per pound	9c	
Dried Grapes per pound	7½c	
Syrups		
Green Velva 1 gallon	64c	
Red Velva 1 gallon	54c	
W. R. Syrup 1 gallon	39c	
Green Velva ½ gallon	39c	
Red Velva ½ gallon	34c	
W. Rose ½ gallon	22c	
National Crackers		
Best bulk Crackers per lb.	7½c	
Premium Crackers per package	9c	
Uneeda Biscuit per package	4c	
Nabisco's per package	9c	
Galvanized Ware		
No. 1 Galvanized wash Tubs	54c	
No. 2 Galvanized wash Tubs	64	
No. 3 Galvanized wash Tubs	74	
8 quart water bucket Each	17	
10 quart water bucket Each	19	
12 quart water bucket Each	22	
14 quart water bucket Each	24	
Glasses		
6 Hotel goblets, Sale Price	42c	
6 ice tea goblets, Sale Price	84	
6 tumblers, Our Sale Price	24	
Colgate's Talcum		
Colgate's talcum powder, sale Price	14c	
Colgate's shaving soap, sale price per pound	24	
Cartridges		
Winchester loaded shell Box	44c	
Winchester .22 Cal., per Box	12	
U. M. C. .22-Cal., per Box	10	
Buggy Whips		
294 Buggy Whips, Sale price each	9	
Dominoes		
25c Dominoes, per Set	18	

CASH 50c Brass King Wash Board 33c | 5 Gallons Coal Oil 69c | 7 Boxes Sardines 25c | 1 Doz. 3 lb. Pie Peaches \$1.00 | **CASH**

HERE'S WHERE YOU SAVE
OUR MOTTO IS: "LOW PRICES PLAINLY QUOTED." MAKE YOUR MOTTO: "BUY WHERE I CAN GET IT CHEAPEST, AND CUT HIGH LIVING COST"

Baking Powder	
10c can K C Baking Powder at	7½c
15c can K C Baking Powder at	12½c
25c can K C Baking Powder at	19c
10c can Calumet Baking Powder at	8c
25c can Calumet Baking Powder at	19c
10c can Good Luck Baking Powder at	7½c
25c can Good Luck Baking Powder at	19c
Good 4 String Broom for	25c
Soda	
10 lbs. Arm & Hammer Soda Only	44c
1 lb. Arm & Hammer Soda Only	5c
Soap	
7 bars C. W. Soap For	25c
8 bars Clarette Soap For	25c
2 bars Wild Rose Glycerine Soap For	15c
3 bars Cocoa Long Bar For	20c
Beans	
19 pound Pink Beans For	\$1.00
30 pound Black-Eyed peas For	1.00
24 pounds Pinto Beans For	1.00
Lard	
10 pound bucket Swifts Premium	\$1.49
10 pound bucket Swift's Jewel	1.09
10 pound bucket Cottolene Each	1.24
Meal	
Best Wichita meal per sack	64c
Flour	
"Belle of Whichita" Flour For	\$1.49
Sugar	
25 pound sack Beet Sugar	\$1.24
20 pound Sugar for	1.00
Perfection Oil Stoves	
Oil Cook Stoves Each	\$13.19
Cups and Saucers	
6 cups and 6 saucers For	49
6 plates, large size For	49
Art Squares	
\$5.00 Grade, 9x10 1-2 Art Squares	\$3.94
Suit Cases	
Men's Suit Cases, Sale Price	98c

Window Shades	
All colors, your choice For	24c
Vasilene	
Blue Seal vasilene per Bottle	4c
3-in-1 Oil	
3 in-1 oil, 10c size, 2 for	15c
Giant Lye	
15 cans Giant Lye For	\$1.00
Tea and Table Spoons	
W. B. W. table spoons a Set	18c
W. B. W. tea spoons, a Set	9
Nest Eggs	
1 Dozen Nest Eggs For	24c
Bicycle Tires	
28 inch Bicycle Tires Each	\$1.98
Enamel Wash Pans	
Gray Enamel Wash Basin, 11 in. wide, 25c value, Sale price	10c
O. N. T. Thread	
7 Spools O. N. T. Thread only	25c
Men's Shoes	
Men's \$2.50 to 3.00 Shoes, a pair	\$1.84
Men's \$3.50 to 4.00 shoes, a pair	2.86
Men's Hats	
Odds and ends, broken sizes value as high as \$3.00, must sell at Jno. B. Stetson hats, black and white, \$5.00 grade,	69c \$2.94
Fishing Tackle	
80 ft. Line only	5c
100 ft. Trot Line only	19c
100 Heepshead Hooks	33c
8 ½ ft. Jointed Rods each	\$1.39
2 Fancy Fishing Corks	15c
Ice Cream Freezers	
2 qt. Ice Cream Freezer each	\$1.69
3 qt. Ice Cream Freezer each	\$1.94
4 qt. Ice Cream Freezer each	\$2.39
Bridle Bits	
Good Bridle Bits each	9c
Better Bridle Bits each	18c
Shoe Lasts	
Good Shoe Last 3 forms a set	69c
Minnow Seines	
10 x 4 ft. Seine each	98c
Good Fishing Reel each	48c
Chair Seats	
Chair Seats all sizes each	13c

Stillson Wrenches	
8 inch Stillson Wrench each	73c
10 inch Stillson Wrench each	\$1.14
12 inch Stillson Wrench each	\$1.19
14 inch Stillson Wrench each	\$1.49
Lamp Burners	
No. 1 Lamp Burners each	4c
No. 2 Lamp Burners each	9c
No. 1 Lamp Chimney each	4c
No. 2 Lamp Chimney each	8c
Tin Buckets	
Tin Buckets, 10 qt., each	14c
Tin Buckets, extra heavy, 10 qt., at	29c
Tin Buckets, extra heavy, 12 qt., at	39c
Percolators	
4 cup Percolator each	\$2.19
6 cup Percolator each	\$2.39
9 cup Percolator each	\$2.98
Wire Nails	
Best Wire Nails, a pound,	3½c
Wire Staples, a pound	4c
Hair Brushes	
Good Hair Brush each	24c
Extra Good Hair Brush	49c
Good Cloth Brush	24c
Pad Locks	
All kinds and sizes, at 4c to	34c
Rubber Hose	
25 ft. length Good Grade, each	\$2.29
50 ft. length Good Grade, each	\$4.43
Bath Towels	
Unb bath towels, 54in. long, each	14c
Drawing Knives	
\$1.00 Grade Sargent Brand each	69c
Irish Potatoes	
Best California Potatoes the bushel	84c
Welch's Grape Juice	
1 pt. Welch's Grape Juice for	24
1 qt. Welch's Grape Juice for	47
½ gal. Welch's Grape Juice for	89
4 oz. Welch's Grape Juice, a bottle	9c
½ pt. Welch's Grape Juice a bottle	14
Can Corn	
1 dozen Wild Rose Can Corn now	89c
1 dozen Clipper Brand Can Corn now	94
Clipper Tomatoes	
1 dozen 2 lb. cans Clipper Tomatoes	94c
1 dozen 3 lb. cans Clipper Tomatoes	\$1.19
Van Camp Hominy	
1 dozen Van Camps Hominy	94c
1 dozen Van Camps Kraut	\$1.07
Coffee	
Arbuckles Coffee a pound	25c
5 pounds Roasted Coffee	\$1.00
Cheek Neal Bucket Coffee	99c
M. H. Blend Bkt. Coffee	\$1.07

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Are you satisfied with the weather? Such beautiful weather is calculated to make the knocker quit his job.

Frank Chance gets \$40,000 for managing the New York Americans, while if he had merely dug the Panama Canal like Col. Goethals, he would have drawn but \$15,000.

You can't send books by parcel post. Perhaps the reason why the Congressman ruled them out was that they were afraid some constituent might send them a bible.

It is mighty good wind that does not blow ill to some one, and the base ball fans are kicking about the rain. A rainy spell may stop the flow of base ball enthusiasm, but the flow down the corn and cotton row will cause more enthusiasm among the farmer. Let'er flow—the water we mean.

The railroads leading into Washington report business still holding up pretty well, and the return part of some of the tickets are being used, those who rushed to the pie counter having used up the last punch in their meal ticket are returning home to await developments.

Huerta says he is going to run the rebels out of Mexico and he is renewing his fight against them. The sand is rapidly slipping from under the man who is president of Mexico by force, and he no doubt realizes that he is doomed and stands a good chance to go the route of the Maderos. A man reaps what he sows and it is coming true to Huerta.

May 7th will be farmers day in Ballinger, and every citizen of the town should make himself a member of the entertainment committee. The farmers are coming here to attend the farmers meeting and to hear a prominent speaker from the agricultural department of the greatest state in the Union speak. Let's all do our part towards making it a pleasant and successful day for Runnels county farmers.

A friends of this writer remarked in our presence that he was disgusted with the slogan, "swat the fly," that he sees published in so many papers. Perhaps it would be better to change it a little and say swat the man that will not swat the fly. When we say swat the fly we don't mean that you take a little fly killer and go around and smash the head of every fly that you find, but swat him in a wholesale way. In other words destroy all breeding places for the fly by cleaning up. Swat the fly.

In Canada forest fires fanned by high winds destroyed thousands of

dollars worth of property, and endangered the lives of many, who narrowly escaped death. In the Mississippi Valley millions of dollars worth of property is being wiped away with the flood and lives lost. Further East cyclones are claiming the usual toll of life and leaving death and destruction in its wake. Central West Texas is covered with sunshine, and the mirth of spring. We have been blessed with a good rain and prospects were never more promising for the man with the hoe, and that means prosperity for us all. Yet, there are a few who continually knocking. What's the matter with buying them a ticket and sending them to one of the above mentioned places?

The happiest man you meet along the pathway of life is the man that is content, regardless of his surroundings and station in life. The man that can be contented where ever he is placed is the richest man you meet, whether he possesses millions or whether he possesses nothing. Whether he occupies a place of prominence or that of the most humblest. The misfit man, the man who makes life a burden to himself and those around him is the man who never sees anything bright except a bright dollar. His greed is for gold, regardless of how gained. The great maker of the universe endowed every being with a talent and there is a particular work for every man to do. The man that neglects his own work, be it ever so lowly can never rise to a higher calling and he will drag out an existence in this life that will leave behind a rugged path for his children. An exchange says:

"The man that's clean inside and out; he neither looks up to rich nor down to the poor; who can lose without squealing and who can live without bragging; who is considerate of women, children and old people; who is too brave to lie; too generous to cheat and who takes his share of the world and lets other people have theirs."

It does not cost a cent to be a gentleman of that order of nobility defined by The Sun. It does not cost a cent to be courteous and to be considerate, to be humane and to play the game of life accord to the rules.

This type of the gentleman is as often arrayed in jeans or the humble habiliments of toil as in the broadcloth of affluence and venerated gentility.

The moral is: be a worker, a willing and intelligent worker, and above all, aspire to be a gentleman of the type that has been portrayed in The Sun's picture gallery of the passing throng.

Bad breath, bitter taste, dizziness and a general "no account" feeling is a sure sign of a torpid liver. Herbine is the medicine needed. It makes the liver active, vitalizes the blood, regulates the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy and cheerfulness. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

TEXAS INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Midland—The good roads bond issue election upon \$50,000 for improved highways in Midland county, recently held, resulted in a victory for the bonds by a vote of 2 to 1.

Texarkana—Steel and brick are being unloaded here for the new Cotton Belt roundhouse which will replace the old frame structure now being torn down. The new roundhouse will have 16 stalls and will be the second largest on the Cotton Belt system.

Mart—The Mart Fair Association has named July 16, 17, and 18 for the annual Fair and Stock show. The premium list will be the largest ever offered here.

Mount Pleasant—The first train on the Paris and Mount Pleasant Railroad reached Mount Pleasant on April 22. It will be several days before through traffic can be inaugurated as considerable surfacing and ballasting is still necessary on the new line.

Wichita Falls—The thirty-eighth annual meeting of the Tex. State Firemen's Association will be held in this city on May 13, 14 and 15 and nearly 2,000 firemen from all sections of the State are expected to attend. An exhibition drill and hose reel race have been arranged.

Alpine—The first passenger train to run over the Orient railroad which was recently completed between this city and San Angelo, left here Sunday morning April 20 arriving at San Angelo the same day. A regular passenger and freight service has been established.

Cisco—Gas was recently discovered at Moren, thirty-five miles northeast of this city. The development of the field is being pushed.

Brownsville—What is said to be the first motor car church to be used for a religious society in America was recently dedicated. The unique church is called Saint Peters' Motor Chapel. The car was made in Chicago and was accompanied to Texas by the general secretary of the Catholic Church Extension Society.

Rub the joints with Ballard's Snow Liniment to relieve rheumatism. It penetrates the flesh to the bone conveying its soothing and restorative influence to the spot where the pain exists. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

RUNNELS COUNTY SHEEP AND WOOL STATISTICS

The proposed tariff schedule now under consideration by Congress putting wool on the free list is of interest to the sheep growers of Runnels county. The present tariff on wool is, approximately, 11 cents per pound. The quantity of wool clipped in this county is not of record, but the clip per sheep per annum amounts to about five pounds.

There are 15,138 sheep and goats, valued at \$62,672 by the Federal Census Department, on the farms and ranges of Runnels county. The annual wool and mohair production is valued at \$10,897 and 1995 sheep and goats are sold and slaughtered each year, and their value is \$8,260.

The number of these animals on the farms and ranges of the entire State is 1,808,709, which have a value of \$6,301,364. The production of sheep and goats is 591,976 annually, valued at \$1,361,544 and the State's yearly wool production is valued at \$2,267,308.

A valuable dressing for flesh wounds, burns, scalds, old sore rash, chafed skin, is Ballard's Liniment. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Toledo, Van Belt returned Miss Bertha by day from a visit home at noon Friday and also to her sister at Dallas while gone. and other points visited at Dallas in that section v

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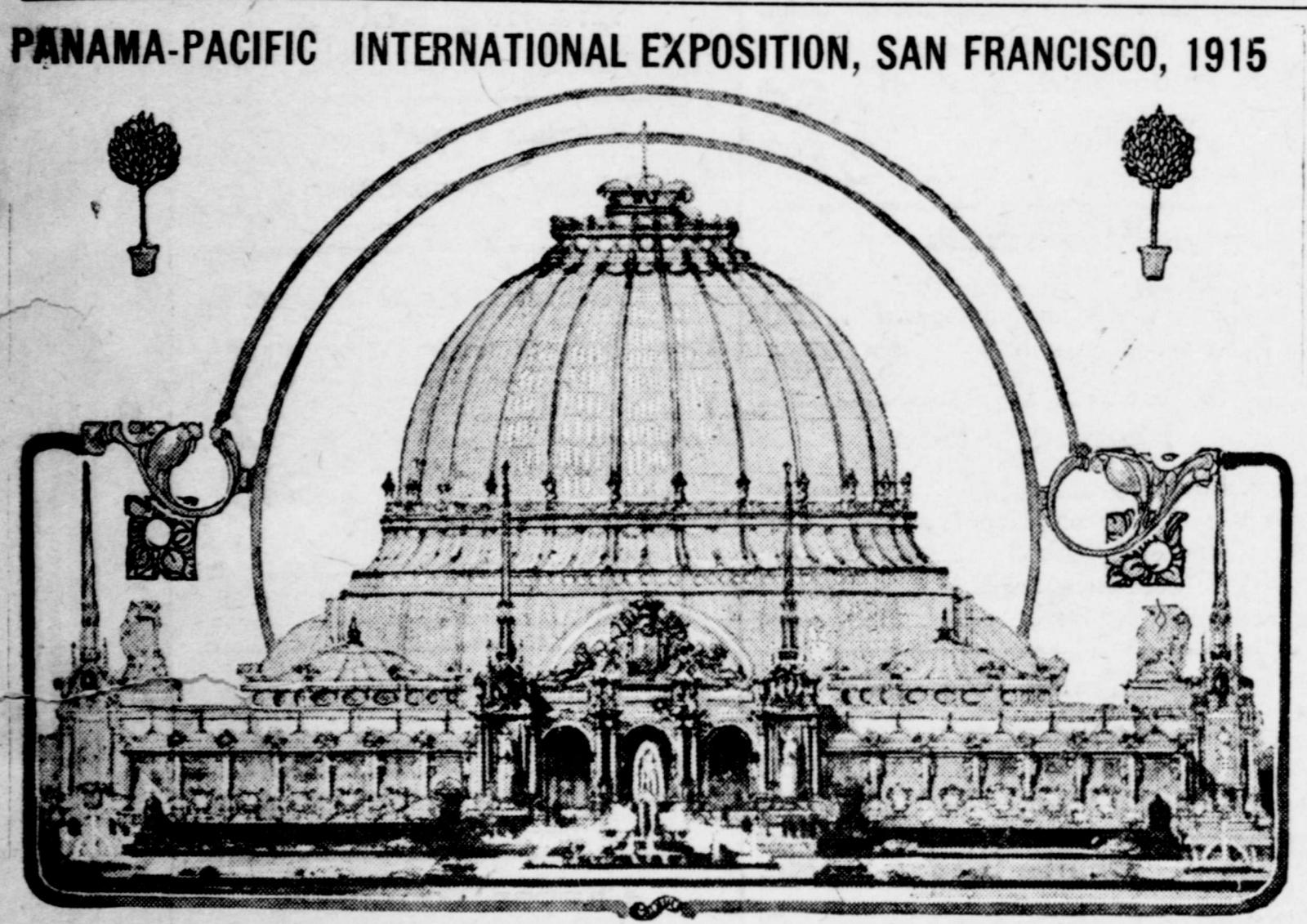
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