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INDICTED SHERIFF WILL RUN AGAIN

WACO, Jan. 20.—The indictment of Sheriff Buchanan of McLennan county on the charge of murder in connection with the death of Louis Crow, which was the result of a knife wound inflicted at Lorena on the night of December 1st when the sheriff tried to stop a Ku Klux Klan parade, coupled with Buchanan's announcement today as a candidate for re-election, is a signal for what promises to be one of the most sensational trials and hottest political campaigns ever witnessed in this county.

We are sorry to report that Editor A. W. Sledge is still ill at his home on Broadway. He has been in bed since Tuesday, but reports today state that he will probably be back at his desk shortly.

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West Texas Towns Lining Up for Eight Club League

With the thermometer down around zero, and the weather too cold even for a game in the Hot Stove League, baseball fans all over West Texas are going right ahead today with preparations for the mid-summer sport.

Local fans are deciding at this afternoon's mass meeting whether Ballinger remains in the running with the other leading towns of West Texas.

In conversation over the phone with officials of the clubs, it was learned today that the following towns will be in the West Texas League this season.

Abilene states that they are all fixed and rarin' to go. Kroh will manage the club this year, and says that he will keep his club inside the salary limit.

"Popboy" Smith again heads the Swatters, and stated to local parties over the phone that he was busy organizing his team, which will have a \$1500.00 payroll.

The San Angelo manager has not yet been selected, but the chances are Higginbotham will get the job. N. Shaw Rives says that they have just completed the sale of \$4,000.00 additional stock, and that the club will either stay within the salary limit or get out of the league.

Mr. Mitchell of Lubbock, will be present at the meeting tomorrow, ready to deposit the money on the "barrel head." They don't want anybody to give them "nuthin'." They have the cash to buy a franchise and a ball club outright.

Roy Morton, manager of the Stamford club, has his team already organized, and is not in the market for ball players. Stamford has a franchise in this league, and will play with the fast amateur line-up which they used so successfully last year.

The Ranger franchise is still owned by Mr. Fleming of the contracting firm of Fleming & Stitzer. Ranger withdrew last year for the good of the league, but is ready to start at any time.

The Elks Lodge of Big Spring, has already made application for entry in the league, and will back the team which that city puts out.

Amarillo is another city with league aspirations, and has repeatedly stated thru the public press that they are going to be "in" if the league will accept them.

Plainview backers also want a team in the league, one of the Plainview fans being present at the last meeting of the West Texas League held in Ballinger on Nov. 15th. At that time they were virtually admitted into the league, with the understanding that they were to give their final answer at Saturday's meeting.

It seems practically certain at this time that there will be at least eight clubs in the circuit this year. Eleven towns are seeking admission, but the present membership of the league consists of six clubs: Ballinger, San Angelo, Sweetwater, Abilene, Ranger and Stamford.

GOVERNMENT LOST \$1,500,000

FLORENCE, Ala., Jan. 20.—Charges that the government lost approximately \$1,500,000 in the last six months by not accepting Henry Ford's offer to lease, farm, and operate the nitrate plants at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, were made here today at a meeting of the Southern group of members of the Farm Bureau Federation by Gray Silver, the federation's Washington representative.

Silver declared that when Ford tells the farmers he can make muscle shoals into cheap high grade fertilizer that they need, the farmers are ready to take that statement at 100 per cent.

COLD WEATHER CONTINUES HERE

AMARILLO, Jan. 20.—With a rise in twenty-four hours of 15 degrees in temperature, a slight snow fell in flurries in Amarillo and vicinity last night. The temperature today was 17 above zero.

Sleet was reported as far West as Baird, South to Menard and to Clarendon in the Panhandle.

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight cold and cloudy, rain or snow. Saturday cloudy with continued occasional rain, rising temperature.

The thermometer Thursday night registered 19 degrees above zero, but many citizens were of the opinion Friday morning that it was much colder, few venturing out in the evening in search of movie amusement or for motoring. Sleet fell for about two hours in the early part of the night but from midnight to dawn it gradually became warmer. However there was much ice and the ground was frozen much harder Friday morning than the night before.

The thermometer lingered around 20 to 21 above all day Thursday, falling only two degrees during the night.

Rubber Stamps.—The Ballinger Printing Co.

FEDERAL COURT TRIES ATTORNEY

WACO, Jan. 20.—Lon Etbanks, County Attorney of Limestone county, who is charged with conspiring to violate the federal prohibition act, will be arraigned in the federal court here this afternoon for a preliminary trial.

Four other men and women are also charged with the same offense and will be given a hearing this afternoon.

W. C. Williams, of San Antonio, Assistant United States District Attorney is here and Assistant State Attorney General Stone will be here at the hearing. The parties were arrested in connection with the clean-up campaign in the Mexia oil field.

RUNNELS IS BEHIND IN GOOD ROADS

One of the reasons for the present condition of Runnels county's highways is reflected in the recent issue of the Texas Highway Bulletin, which is published by the State Highway Department. This bulletin shows Runnels county way down the list among Texas counties that have voted bonds for highway improvement. In fact, only about 20 Texas counties have spent less on their roads in the past four years than Runnels county, and of these, all but three are smaller counties, and thinly settled.

The report also shows that during the past year Runnels county paid to the state in automobile fees \$15,715.80, and has been allotted aid in the sum of \$127,214.46, of which \$92,214.44 has been actually paid in. \$19,730.00 worth of war material has been loaned to the county. The state of Texas has been loaned over four and a half million dollars worth of war materials for road building purposes.

Motor vehicles registered in Runnels county for 1921 showed a 25 per cent increase over the registrations for 1920.

Read the ads and profit.

WALLACE WILL LAY CHARGES BEFORE COMMITTEE NEXT WEEK

POPE DENEICT IS NEAR DEATH

ROME, Jan. 20.—3:48 p. m.—The condition of Pope Benedict remained stationary it was stated at the Vatican late this afternoon. Although his condition is very serious he was still conscious.

ROME, Jan. 20.—The eucharist was solemnly carried to Pope Benedict at 11:30 this morning and in the presence of eighteen cardinals the Holy Sacrament was placed in the Palatine chapel.

Prayers were said in all Catholic schools in Italy and all business at the Vatican is suspended. At twelve-thirty today it was stated that the Pope was in a dying condition. Inflammation which had been confined in his bronchial tubes had extended to his right lung, according to official physicians.

A great crowd had begun to assemble at St. Peter's to await news from the Vatican.

DEPARTMENT MUST RESIGN

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—The first official act of Dr. J. H. Florence today in assuming duties as State Health Officer was to ask the resignation of every employe in the health department. He said this did not necessarily mean that the present employes are discharged but that he wanted to do the hiring of the department.

THREAT LETTER LEADS TO ARREST

COLEMAN, Jan. 20.—Officers arrested a young man at the postoffice yesterday at noon when he called for mail. Several days ago Mrs. M. Tye Overall received a threatening letter demanding \$800 or take the consequences. It was signed "Ku Klux Klan." Mrs. Overall was advised by officers to drop a letter in the office with paper in the envelope, addressed to the name in the threatening letter.

ROBBERS BREAK INTO WAREHOUSE

The Radford Grocery Company's warehouse located across 10th Street from the Santa Fe freight depot was broken into Wednesday night, and so far the only articles missed are 1 pound of coffee and one gallon of syrup. There is a considerable amount of goods stored in the warehouse and if the robbers were looking for something to eat it is puzzling to the officers why they did not help themselves. Another check is being made today and it is possible that other missing groceries may be discovered. The building is located in an out of the way place and the night watchman seldom walks over that route and the thieves would hardly have been disturbed on such a night as Wednesday night was.

Two new locks had been placed on the doors recently and both of these had been broken. One showed evidence of filing and the other had been forcibly broken, and both locks had been thrown away. Chief of Police B. W. Pileher and Sheriff Flynt are at work on the case and express hopes of finding the guilty parties. Some unusually large tracks were left and other clues that will aid the officers in their hunt.

SHOT GUNS FOR PRO OFFICERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Sawed-off shot guns will be given to all prohibition enforcement agents in California, under an order published here today by Assistant Prohibition Director Brown.

This action was taken as a protective measure based upon the information that armed bandits had attempted to rob agents of \$15,000 worth of liquor at Dublin Canyon yesterday.

KEELING WILL NOT RESIGN

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—Attorney General Keeling said today that he do so, or make any further statement today. He returned from Mexia today and made this statement after a conference with the governor.

Be Wise and Advertise—

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Determination to lay before the National Agricultural Conference next week, the thoroughly selfish and grasping attitude of many of the companies of different sorts which loan money on farm mortgages, was announced today by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace.

Declaring that many farmers who have never done so before are now having to mortgage their lands in order to get the necessary money, Secretary Wallace said, "It is discouraging to note how many companies and individuals who are in the business of loaning money on farm mortgages are taking advantage of the farmers in their distress to extort heartlessly a rate of interest and terms on the loans which cannot be justified."

WOMAN SUCCEEDS IN ENDING HER LIFE

TYLER, Tex., Jan. 20.—Mrs. C. H. Grant, wife of a Smith county farmer, who recently killed her eleven year old son, burned the home and barn and attempted to cut her own throat, succeeded in hanging herself in the county jail here this morning.



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CITY PROPERTY CHANGES HANDS

A deal was closed by E. Shepperd & Co. this week whereby M. S. Karmony buys one lot on 7th Street. Mr. Karmony stated that some time in the near future he will build a home on this property, but that he is in no hurry about building before the oil and irrigation booms commence, when he wants to be sure of a home to live in. He says he went through the oil boom at Wichita Falls and when one comes this way he doesn't want to try to rent a house.

C. R. Stone has purchased the two lots between Mrs. Pape and Leroy Nicholson on Broadway. Claude feels as does Mr. Karmony and he firmly believes that the boom is not far off and is getting ready so he will have a place to build a home when it hits. He does not contemplate building immediately however.

W. B. Wood, now in Granger, owns a lot on Broadway, and on a visit here Christmas he said that some day he intended to return to Ballinger and that his holding was not for sale. He further asserted that when the boom that was coming to Ballinger arrived he would not be able to rent a house and that he wanted to have a site on which to erect one.

Local real estate men report daily inquiries on Ballinger and Runtels county property and non-resident property owners are advancing their prices on real estate here.

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PEACE OFFICER HAD A CAREER

DENISON, Tex., Jan. 20.—The death of Henry Hackney, former chief of police of Denison, deputy sheriff of Grayson county and deputy United States Marshal, which occurred in Petrolia, Calif., a few days ago, ended the career of one of the most spectacular figures of the early North Texas.

Hackney, a veteran of the Civil War, was a peace officer in and around Denison when the Gate City was considered by many the hub of the crime world of North Texas and the old Indian Territory. Denison a quarter of a century ago was the clearing house for the criminals who, after staging a holdup or highway robbery would escape into the Indian Territory until the event "blew over" when they would come down to Denison to spend a part of their loot. The Gate City was a "live town" and all that term is generally accepted to mean and the tenderness was anxious to entertain the bandit seeking amusement or anyone out on a spree. Holdups were not uncommon and a drunken cowboy shooting up the town caused it to be eminent. In this atmosphere of frontierism and crime Henry Hackney lived and worked for twenty years. He was known as a fearless man and the bandit world shied away from the little peace officer who was more than ordinarily quick on the draw. Hackney "shot it out" with more than one desperado.

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all evidence of his whereabouts. As deputy United States Marshal he tracked many bandits and murderers thru the wilds of Southern Oklahoma, often in the stillness of the sparsely settled country coming across his man, battling it out with him and bringing him back to justice in handcuffs. A small man, with long flowing black whiskers and salt blue eyes in composure, he looked anything but the fearless enforcer of the law. But when the glint of cold steel appeared in the blue eyes, "Old Tiger" meant business.

Mr. Hackney, after serving fourteen years as chief of police of Denison, went to California in 1905.

He had an interesting career during the civil war. He enlisted in the Union army in 1863. At Bull's Gap, Texas, in 1864, he was severely wounded and left on the battlefields for dead. The Confederate troops captured him, restored him to health and sent him to Libby prison in Richmond, Va. He was released when Union troops captured Richmond in 1865.

Mr. Hackney was at one time lieutenant in the Texas Rangers.

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COLEMAN TO BUILD A BIGGER CITY LAKE

Little time will be lost in starting construction on the Coleman city lake, Mayor Scarborough stated Wednesday. Negotiations for the transfer of the land are now under way and the approval of the bond issue is now with the attorney general's office.

It was stated Wednesday that a local bank had offered to finance the project pending sale of the bonds and that no time would be lost on that account. The city commission has in hand a favorable proposition for clearing the land, it was stated.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

COLEMAN BANK MAY OPEN SOON

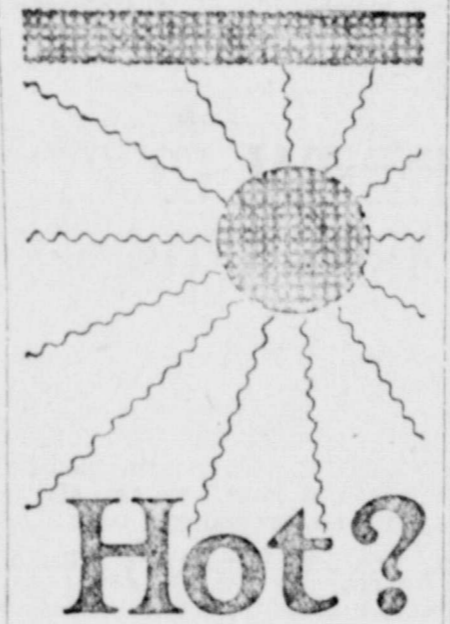
The scheduled meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Coleman, to be held last Tuesday, was deferred another week on account of absentee stockholders, who, it was stated, made request that the re-organization meeting be postponed one week.

It is confidently expected that arrangements will be completed for re-opening the institution following the meeting of the stockholders to be held next Tuesday.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

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Liberty Bonds and W. S. Stamps	23,700.00
Real Estate and B. H. Fixtures	30,001.00
Depositors' Guaranty Fund	9,059.20
Bills of Exchange	36,318.67
Cash and Exchange	104,214.10
Total	\$528,927.63
Liabilities:	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits	51,344.33
Bills Payable	NONE
Due to Banks	NONE
Deposits	377,583.30
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FROZEN PIPES CAUSE DAMAGE

The present cold spell has taught several people in Ballinger a lesson they will not forget soon about cutting off their water when the weather predictions call for greatly lowered temperatures.

What came near being a disastrous loss occurred to N. Passur Thursday night. The water pipes feeding the second floor over his dry goods store located in the Zappe building sprang a leak during the night and when Mr. Passur arrived on the scene Friday morning his store was flooded with water and the ceiling was beginning to leak at many places. At first the damage looked big but when Mr. Passur started an inspection it was found that only a small amount of his stock was damaged and the water was only beginning to reach the goods which would be easily damaged by moisture.

There was no one to blame for this occurrence. The pipes did not burst but only slipped apart at a connection in the office of Drs. Marshall & Weight and all this water filtered down the walls and thru the ceiling to the store below.

Thursday afternoon pipes on the third floor of the F. & M. Bank building burst, but fortunately the leak was discovered almost as soon as it was sprung, the water cut off and repairs made before damage was done.

Numerous reports of minor trouble with frozen water pipes in the resident section have come in, and the last few days have been busy ones for the plumbers.

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URIC ACID IN MEAT BRINGS RHEUMATISM

Says a little Salts in water may save you from dread attack.

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat and other rich foods that produce uric acid which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the Estate of J. C. Murphy, a non compos mentis, notice is hereby given that O. L. Parish has filed an application in the County Court of Runnels County, on the 13th day of January, for Letters of Guardianship on the Estate of the said J. C. Murphy, a non compos mentis, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 6th day of February 1922, at the court house of said county, in Ballinger, at which time all persons interested in said Estate, are required to appear, and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Ballinger, Texas, this 13th day of January, 1922. (Seal) W. A. FORGEY, Clerk, County Court, Runnels County, Texas. d-20-27

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Mayor Carl Guin and Leroy Nicholson, of Ballinger, were visitors to Coleman Wednesday evening. They were here for the purpose of feeling Coleman's pulse in regard to league baseball for next season.—Coleman Democrat Voice.

NOTICE SCOUTS

There will be no Boy Scouts meeting tonight. By order of Scoutmaster.

Avoid irregularity in the bowel movements, it leads to chronic constipation; a condition that poisons the blood and breeds disease. Prickly Ash Bitters is a man's remedy for putting the system in order. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

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Picture Starts at 7:00 O'clock. Theatre is Well Heated.

Carl Laemmle, presents
Hoot Gibson in "ACTION"

A thrilling Western play of today with all the pep and punch of the old West beautifully portrayed.
A Universal Special Attraction.

Also Ford Educational Weekly and Topics of Day.

Admission 10c and 25c

MONDAY
Marie Prevost
in
"A Parisian Scandal"

What is baby's health worth?

WHAT IS YOUR BABY'S HEALTH worth to you? The best milk sealed for your protection costs but little more than the other product. Let us serve you each morning for your own sake as well as the baby's. Will call upon you promptly if you telephone us.

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By this unique descriptive name The First National Bank of Ballinger has become known among its host of patrons.

Nearly thirty-six years of dependable service to the community has justified its use. It has proved itself in all things to be reliable—worthy of public trust and patronage.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER

The Modern Dealer Sells More Than Automobiles

If nothing except the delivery of the car was involved in the sale of an automobile, the public would buy all cars direct from the manufacturer.

But both public and manufacturer depend upon the dealer to see that the maker's ideals serve the owner's expectations.

Buicks are made to give satisfaction. We see that they do it locally.

Make the Whole Family Happy Start the New Year With a New Buick

Shelton Motor Co.

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How many times have you heard that remark? The whole future of your child's life is RIGHT NOW being shaped. If it is a failure, there will be no going back. Oh! what a fine start The Book of Knowledge will be for yours; a few cents a day for a year will purchase it. It will last a century. Capt. J. D. Dickson. 20-1td.

Constipation. Constipation of the bowels is a stoppage of the sewerage system that removes waste matter from the body. It is as necessary that your bowels move regularly once each day, to carry off this waste, as it is that the waste pipes of your home be kept open and carry off the waste from the house. If you would enjoy good health, keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
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"Where the Best Pictures are Shown"

TODAY

William Fairbanks in "Hearts of the West"

A romantic story of the gold fields.
Fast Action—Thrilling Stunts.

Also
Hall-Room Poy comedy.
"Tough Luck"

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A REAL BARGAIN SALE

of "Quality First" Merchandise.

Sale Starts Saturday, Jan. 21st Ends Saturday, Jan. 28th

We mean just what we say, A REAL BARGAIN SALE. Its cash we are after. Not one dollars worth of goods bought for this sale. Only "Quality First" merchandise. We have just received several cases of Spring Gingham, 25 cases of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes and Oxfords, Stetson Hats and many other articles which we bought for Spring stock--every article on sale.

All Goods On Sale for Cash Only

BALLINGER DRY GOODS CO.

"QUALITY FIRST"

All Goods On Sale for Cash Only

Men's Shirts	
\$1.50 Shirt, sale price	.98c
\$2.00 Shirt, sale price	\$1.23
\$2.50 Shirt, sale price	\$1.68
\$3.00 Shirt, sale price	\$2.06
\$3.50 Shirt, sale price	\$2.25
\$4.00 Shirt, sale price	\$2.65
\$5.00 Shirt, sale price	\$3.45
\$5.50 Shirt, sale price	\$3.95
\$6.00 Shirt, sale price	\$4.35
\$7.50 Stetson Hats, sale price	\$5.65
\$9.00 Stetson Hats, sale price	\$6.75
\$10.00 Stetson Hats, sale price	\$7.50
\$12.50 Stetson Hats, sale price	\$9.40
\$16.50 Stetson Hats, sale price	\$12.40
\$10.00 Velour Hats, sale price	\$6.05
\$4.50 to \$7.00 Hats, sale price	\$3.25
Men's linen Collar, sale price	14c
Men's Silk Collar, sale price	25c
15c Shoe Polish, sale price	12c
50c Shoe Polish, Dyanashine, sale price	38c
20c Mattress Tick, sale price	11c
45c and 55c Feather Tick, sale price	32c
\$2.00 Union Suit, sale price	\$1.50
\$1.75 Union Suit, sale price	\$1.05
\$1.00 Drawers and Shirts, sale price	75c
\$2.00 Heavy Outing Night Shirts, sale price	\$1.23
\$2.50 Heavy Outing Pajamas, sale price	\$1.65
\$18.00 Rain Coats, sale price	\$13.20
\$10.00 Rain Coats, sale price	\$6.60
\$7.50 Rain Coats, sale price	\$4.95
\$6.00 Rain Coats, sale price	\$3.85
\$3.50 Quilts, sale price	\$2.45
\$5.00 Quilts, sale price	\$3.48
\$2.00 Blankets, sale price	\$1.28
\$2.50 Blankets, sale price	\$1.78
\$3.00 Blankets, sale price	\$2.25
\$4.00 All-wool Baby Blankets, sale price	\$2.98
\$4.50 Woolnap Blanket, sale price	\$3.05
\$9.00 Wool Blankets, sale price	\$6.25
Men's Gloves	
\$1.25 Gloves, sale price	.98c
\$1.50 Gloves, sale price	\$1.15
\$2.00 Gloves, sale price	\$1.40
\$3.50 Gloves, sale price	\$2.15
\$4.50 Gloves, sale price	\$3.10
\$5.00 Gloves, sale price	\$3.48
\$9.00 Gloves, sale price	\$6.10
Leather Palm Gloves, sale price	29c
\$10.00 Sweaters, sale price	\$6.45
\$6.50 Sweaters, sale price	\$3.95
\$4.50 Sweaters, sale price	\$2.45
All Cotton Sweaters at 1-2 Price.	
One lot Children's Sweaters at \$1.00 each.	
15c Gray Work Sox, sale price	11c
25c Sox, sale price	16c
35c Sox, sale price	21c
50c Silk Lisle Sox, sale price	31c
\$1.00 Silk Sox, sale price	58c
\$1.25 Silk Sox, sale price	82c
\$1.50 Silk Sox, sale price	97c

15c good Brown Domestic, sale price	11c
20c good bleached Domestic, sale price	14c
9-4 brown Pullman Sheeting, sale price	44c
9-4 bleached Pullman Sheeting, sale price	48c
50c Meritas Oil Cloth, sale price	33c
Henderson Corsets	Hose
\$1.00 Corset, sale price	81c
\$2.50 Corset, sale price	\$1.69
\$3.00 Corset, sale price	\$2.48
\$3.50 Corset, sale price	\$2.96
\$4.50 Corset, sale price	\$3.92
\$7.50 Trunks, sale price	\$5.25
\$17.50 Trunks, sale price	\$11.45
\$18.50 Trunks, sale price	\$12.05
\$16.50 Trunks, sale price	\$10.65
\$22.50 Trunks, sale price	\$14.05
\$60.00 Trunks, sale price	\$25.00
20c Outing, sale price	14c
35c Outing, sale price	23c
25c Canton, sale price	19c
60c Silk Stripe Shirting, sale price	48c
60c Flannels, sale price	43c
75c Flannels, sale price	49c
\$1.00 Flannels, sale price	69c
\$1.25 Flannels, sale price	82c
\$1.50 Silk and Wool, sale price	\$1.13
\$1.65 Silk and Wool, sale price	\$1.21
20c Huck Towels, 15x26, sale price	14c
30c Huck Towels, 20x38, sale price	23c
20c Brown Turkish Towels, sale price	14c
35c bleached Turkish Towels, sale price	26c
50c bleached Turkish Towels, sale price	41c
20c Flowered Cretonne, sale price	14c
25c Flowered Cretonne, sale price	19c
30c Flowered Cretonne, sale price	23c
30c Scrim, sale price	24c
40c Scrim, sale price	29c
65c Scrim, sale price	43c
75c Scrim, sale price	53c
\$1.00 Scrim, sale price	82c
\$1.50 Scrim, sale price	\$1.15
25c Sateen, sale price	19c
40c Sateen, sale price	29c
60c Sateen, sale price	41c
50c Foundation Silk, sale price	39c
\$1.35 Kimono Silk, sale price	\$1.05
25% discount on all Laces and Insertions.	
One Table Laces and Insertions, sale price 3c	
All Sale Prices are Stricly CASH	And Many Other Bargains Not Listed On this Page.

Men's Shoes	
\$7.00 Douglas Shoes, sale price	\$5.85
\$7.50 Douglas Shoes, sale price	\$6.25
\$8.00 Douglas Shoes, sale price	\$6.65
\$8.50 Douglas Shoes, sale price	\$6.90
\$9.00 Douglas Shoes, sale price	\$7.25
\$10.00 Douglas Shoes, sale price	\$8.15
\$13.50 Strong & Garfield Shoes, sale price	\$9.95
\$10.00 Bootees, sale price	\$6.90
\$5.00 Shoes, sale price	\$3.45
\$3.50 Work Shoes, sale price	\$2.75
\$5.00 Boys' Shoes, sale price	\$3.95
\$3.00 Boys' Shoes, sale price	\$2.10
Men's and Women's House Shoes 1-2 Price.	
25% discount on all Women's and Children's Shoes and Oxfords.	
One lot Women's Fine Shoes, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00 values \$3.95	
One table bargains, choice \$1.00	
BAGS AND SUITCASES	Ladies' & Children's Underwear
50c values, sale price	34c
\$1.75 values, sale price	98c
\$7.50 values, sale price	\$5.60
\$11.00 values, sale price	\$8.10
\$13.50 values, sale price	\$9.25
\$15.00 values, sale price	\$11.95
\$18.00 values, sale price	\$13.45
\$20.00 values, sale price	\$14.65
\$35.00 values, sale price	\$21.00
\$5.00 Corduroy Pants, sale price	\$3.65
\$10.00 Corduroy Coats, sale price	\$6.35
\$1.75 Overalls and Jumpers, sale price	\$1.58
\$1.25 Brown Jumpers and Overalls, sale price	93c
\$2.50 Khaki Pants, sale price	\$1.90
\$3.50 Moleskin Pants, sale price	\$2.85
\$3.75 Moleskin Pants, sale price	\$2.98
\$4.50 Dress Pants, sale price	\$3.25
\$5.00 Dress Pants, sale price	\$3.70
\$7.00 Dress Pants, sale price	\$5.65
\$8.00 Dress Pants, sale price	\$6.45
\$9.00 Dress Pants, sale price	\$6.95
\$10.00 Dress Pants, sale price	\$7.40
\$12.50 Cow Boy Pants, sale price	\$9.25
\$1.00 two-piece Fleece lined, sale price	61c
\$1.50 Union Suits, sale price	\$1.05
\$1.75 Union Suits, sale price	\$1.15
\$2.00 Knit Underskirts, sale price	98c
\$1.75 Child's Union Suit, sale price	\$1.10
\$1.50 Child's Union Suit, sale price	98c
\$1.25 Child's Union Suit, sale price	82c
\$1.00 Child's Union Suit, sale price	61c
\$17.50 Men's Suits, sale price	\$9.65
\$27.50 Men's Suits, sale price	\$15.95
\$30.00 Men's Suits, sale price	\$18.15
\$32.50 Men's Suits, sale price	\$19.75
\$35.00 Men's Suits, sale price	\$21.00
\$30.00 Ranchman's Overcoat, sale price	\$21.00
\$30.00 to \$50.00 Dress Overcoat	1-2 Price
20c Gingham, sale price	15c
25c Gold Bond Gingham, sale price	19c
30c Dunwoodie and Toile du Nord, sale price	24c
40c Imperial Chambray, sale price	28c
50c Devonshire, sale price	38c
75c Gilbrae Zephyr Gingham, sale price	61c

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