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# Ten Days' Sale on Wash Fabrics 

 Ladies' Slippers and House Dresses, Men's and Boys' Oxfords, Palm Beach Suits, Caps 10 Days---Beginning Saturday, June 30, and Closing Wednesday, July 11---10 DaysWe urge that you read carefully our full page announcement on pape 3 of The Reporter. There is something of interest in it to you. In this time of high prices economy is the watchword of all. In our sale of Seasonable Goods, beginning tomorrow, we are going to give you a chance to save. It is a chance that you should appreciate, too, for $i$ it is now more of a question of getting the goods than the price you pay . Believe us that this is so, or it may be that you will soon regret your
neglect of an opportnity that would have profited youe INVESTICATE OUR PRRE, not only those listed in our page ad, but throughout our varineglect or an opporthnty y
ous departments. Don't overlook our Groceries. To do so is no less your misfortune than ours. Every one must eat.to live, but patrons of our Groery ment find pleasure in it almost sufficient to reverse this order and live to eat! Remember, our sale begins tomorrow. . . Read our Big Price Announcement.

Dry Goods Phone 284 Grocery Phone 6

## Mid-Summer Sale of Men's Oxfords

Boys Palm Beach Suits

## In the face of advanced prices we are offering

 about 200 pairs of Men's Low Shoes at about half the present day values.About 175 pairs of Black Gun Metal, Tan Calf, Black Kid and Kangaroo, in both lace and button styles, some with the wide comfort tees, some straight
All of these were exceptional values a year ago at $\$ 4$ and $\$ 5$ the pair. and today they could not be produced in the same good quality for this price, wholesale.

Choice $\$ 3.50$
About 25 pairs of Men's Patent Low Shoes that sold for $\$ 4.00$ a year ago,
choiee of this lot for All of these run in sizes from 5 to $101-2$ and we cart fit the big boys from
12 years up, and they are much better shoes than could be had in boys sizes at most any price.

These are Good Shoes
(See the window) and the saving to be made is true economy.

## Boys' Palm Beach and Kool Kloth Suits

To close, we are offering our entire stock of Boys' Knickerbocker Suits, in genuine Palm Beach and Koolkenny Suits. All new Pinch Back and Belt models. Sizes run from 5 to 18 years,
$\$ 5.00$ models, to close $\$ 3.85$
$\$ 4.65$

Wadley - Patterson Co.
One Price---the Lowest---For Cash Only


Miss Ruby Mims ars. Last Sun. Little Mises Irma Jean and Jose- Judge Chas. B Gibbs went to For



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## The Mercantile's Speliar Cash Sex

 Seasonable Wash FabricsT
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## Begins Saturday, June 30th

 Closes Wednesday, July 11thThis is going to be really a sacrifice sale. The goods are very seasonable, and we are prompted to offer them at reduced prices by reason of the amount of cash they will bring. Remember, then, that it is strictly a Cash Sale that we present to you, and if you investigate it you will surely invest in it. You can do so profitably. It will enable you to practice the great slogan of the day---Economy.

We have on SPECIAL SALE, beginning Saturday morning, June 30th, some few things in mid-summer Wash Goods, also some special things in Men's and Boys' Clothing, Men's, Boys' and Ladies' Oxfords and Slippers.

## Don't Miss These Bargains the Next 10 Days

## Wash Fabrics

35 c and 25 c colored and fancy voil_
65 c and 50 c colored and fancy voil
85 c and 75 c colored and fancy voil $19 e$ 50 c colored and fancy Marquisette 30 c and 25 c white and fancy Skirting 40c white and fancy Skirting_ 65 c and 50 c white and fancy Skirting 25c Egyptian Tissues 20c Organdy Chiffon

## Ladies' Patent Leather Slippers



## Ladies' House Dresses

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Men's Wool Pants
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## Boys' Pants

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## Please Remember Nothing will be Charged at these Prices

While you are at ourstore investigating the above attractive prices, we urge that you do not overlo ath our Grocery Department. One good lady remarked recently: "If the Mercantile hasn't it, there's hafoly a chance that you'll find it at all." This is a good reputation to bear. It is one that we have work har' for and we are proud of its general recognition. Visit our Grocery Department. It is an attractive place; the geods are attraetive, both in quality and variety, while the price is set at the lowest possible safety mark.
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Bernice Cow-
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days with other relatives ere returning home. W.F. Hatchell and family left last
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and family. E. S. Cobb, a ranchman of Glassreports a very heore Tune of iav. $\mathrm{H}_{3}$ . IH. H. Niedlin is an old-timer of Mid-
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and was here this. week, mixing with
old-time friends. We are very to add his name to our subscription Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hammack, and early in the wook Traylor, returned
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from a very pleasant auto trip to
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East Texas.
Mrs. C. W. Cowden, of Abilene. after
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-so that only part of its power could be utilized-it would stand as a naturdl illustration of a chemically sulphated storage battery.

Chemical sulphation is ruinous sulphation-the kind of sulphation your generator cannot decompose to bring your battery back to normal. It is gooss bad on the road -why it so frequently requires off-car recharging overcharging and repairing-and why your expense will never end until you are rid

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## Non-Sulphating Storage Battery

 represents the only real improvement made in lead acid batteries in the last twenty yearss- because it it the only battery that CANNOT developo chemical sulphate. Therefore it is the only battery than cannot beome affected by ruinous sulphation-and the only battery that CAN quickly respond to the recharging action your generator.
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## Midland Auto Company

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## July Clearing Sale

BEGINS MONDAY AT

## THE LADIES' STORE

Millinery---All trimmed hats will be sold in lots for $\$ 1, \$ 2, \$ 3 \mid$

Dresses---28 Dresses, consisting of Georgette, Taffeta, Crepe de Chine, Linens and Voils, that will be sold at

## Half Price and Less

A splendid opportunity to get a beautiful dress at a real bargain.

## All Summer Blouses at 25\% Discount

## All Skirts at Greatly Reduced Prices

Spring Coats at Half Regular Price

Only a few of these left. Make an early selection
This July Clearing Sale is sure not to last long. It will be worth your while to hurry, so as soon as you read this announcement come at once to the Ladies' Store and get a first choice.

MISS MAGGIE McCORMICK.

##  At Midland Fair Grounds, 2:30 P. M.

For the Fanciest Riders that the West has ever known there will be on hand the fanciest buskers ever seen to perform in this section.
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