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TOWN PESTS


# SANTA CLAUS IS HERE 

Our stock of Holiday Goods have been prepared for a genuine old-fashioned gift-giving Christmas and we believe that it will take much of the work and worry out of your shopping.

Not only are we prepared to take care of the wants of the little ones, but the grown-ups also come in for their share of the good things at Christmas time. We

cannot begin to tell you all the good things that we have that are appropriate for holiday presents. They are many and varied, combining the useful article for the adult with the toys for the kiddies.

Only a short time remains until Christmas and we advise our customers to shop early and avoid the jam and rush of the last days.

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We Invite You to Bring the Kiddies and Let Them Inspect Santa's Toy Shop. We Have Many Useful Gifte for Grown-Ups, Too. THE NEW EDISONthe phonograph with a soul. A complete line of the- new Re-Creations. Come in and hear them. $\boldsymbol{r}_{1}^{\prime} \times \ldots, 5^{\circ}$

## USEFUL GIFTS

We have many useful gifts for every member of the family. If what you are looking for does not appear in this list, call and see us-we have it.

SMOKING STANDS
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GAME BOARDS CUT GLASS

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A beautiful rug would be a useful as well as appropriate present to the whole family.


## GIFTS FOR THE HOME

Nothing could be more pleasing to the home-lover or housewife than the gift of those things that add to the beauty and convenience of the home. We give only a partial list below:
SHEFFIELD SILVER PYREX COOKING WARE RUGS, ALL SIZES

ROCKING CHAIRS
CEDAR CHESTS
CARD TABLES SILVERWARE CARD TABLES
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Don't fail to
visit our
Furniture
Department
during the
week.


We will wrap and hold any purchase for
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Christmas


## McNeill \& Smith Hardware Co.

## What's Christmas WITHOUT GOOD EATS?

Santa Claus would get a poor reception at your house without a big Christmas dinner, made up of all the goodies of the season. We are showing a fine assortment of everything to make that Christmas dinner a success, Fancy Fruits, Nuts, Candies, and Fancy Groceries of the best brands
Place your Christmas Grocery Order Early

## White Cash Store

J. F. POSEY, Proprietor.

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## Our Meats

Yes this is the BUTCHER SHOP where you get good WHOLESOME STRENGTH GIVING meats. Our weights are conscientious, our prices agreeable and our service pleasant.

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## Big Reduction Sale Of Christmas Rugs!

We have the most complete stock of high grade Rugs ever shown in Haskell. We bought a large quantity of the best known makes of Rugs at the very lowest possible price and we now offer you the benefit of our buying power.

## We Quote below a few of our Bargains!

High Grade Wilton Rug, Size 9X12, $\$ 75.00$ value sale price $\$ 62.50$ Highest Grade Axminister Rug, 9X12, $\$ 75.00$ value on sale $\$ 62.50$ Seamless Axminister Rug, 9X12, $\$ 55.00$ value, sale price . $\$ 47.50$ Seamless Axminister Rug, 9X12, $\$ 45.00$ value, sale price . . $\$ 38.50$ Seamed Axminister Rug, 9X12, $\$ 42.50$ value, sale price... $\$ 36.50$ Seamless Velvet Rug, 9X12, $\$ 35.00$ value, sale price . . . . . $\$ 27.50$ Seamless Brussels Rug, 9X12, $\$ 25.00^{\circ}$ value, sale price. . . . $\$ 21.50$ Seamed Brussels Rug, 9X12, $\$ 15.00$ value, sale price. .... $\$ 11.75$ Wool Fiber Rug, 9X12, $\$ 11.50$ value, sale price. .......... $\$ 9.75$ Japanese Matting Rug, 9X12, $\$ 6.00$ value, sale price. ..... $\$ 4.75$

We have a large assortment of small rugs priced in proportion.
Our hold for order Christmas Corner is growing every day. We will deliver your presents any time you specify.

Come See Our Large Assotment of Gifts.


## R. V. Robertson Co's 

## BEGINS FRIDAY DECEMBER 9TH. CLOSES SATURDAY DEC. 24TH. 14 = BIG SELLING DAYS = 14

No hot air advertising, just the same kind of an old reliable, right quality, right price Robertson Sale, that we have given you in the past at the close of each year.
No use trying to tell you just what prices we will make, for without seeing the goods you would not know whether they were priced right or not: Come in and see. Every item in our big $\$ 40,000.00$ stock will be reduced so as to show you good liberal savings on your purchases.
We must have $\$ 20,000.00$ out of our stock before January 1st. 1922, and are willing to sacrifice our profits in order to get it.

DON'T FORGET THE DATE
Begins Friday Dec. 9th. Closes Sat. Dec. 24th.
Come early so that you can get everything you need.
Our CLEARANCE SALES are always a great success, because we do Reduce Prices on Every Item that you buy from us.

NO CHARGES OR APPROVALS, SPOT CASH R. V. Robertson Co. HASKELL,

TEXAS.

## It's Toy Time at FOUTS \& MIICHELL'S

If you are looking for a real treat, if you want to enjoy the old thrills of childhood days, bring the kiddies in to see the avalance of toys we are showing here. then select the toys they like best.
THERE'S SOME KIND OF A GIFT HERE FOR
EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY

Our holiday stock includes gifts, suit able and useful to every member of the age of complete stocks and unlimited vari eties. Avoid the rush and jam of the late hoppers.
DON'T FORGET OUR NEW LOCATION

## Fouts \& Mitchell <br> West Side Square <br> Haskell, Texas

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##  <br> Remember the <br> HASKELL PRODUCE COMPANY Cash Buyers of Chickens, Eggs, Turkeys, Butter



## BIG HOLTDAY SALE

Now in action at the house of J. T. Bryant \& Co Rochester, Toxas. The prices have been cut to the bone, and the bone scraped. Every article in the house has
been marked down tremendously, for this Holiday Sale, and you will be more than pleased with the Wonderfuil
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nd cut them so deep, that a blind man can see them: and cut them go deep, that a bind man can see them:
There is no grumbling by our customess, for THEY KNOW THAT THEY ARE GETTING sure enough BARGAINS.

We do not hire Sale Promotors, and pay them 10 per cent on the gross sales, to Run a sale for us, but conduct our own affairs, and give this Extra 10 per cent than a Sale Pros, who appreciate it, and need it far more always successful, for we the reason, OUR Sales are always successfu, for we are thus able to mark our
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This big Holiday Sale will far eclipse any Sale Promotor's sale ever attempted in West Texas, because we
have the Choice of New Merchandise, with Real merit,
and are not afraid to make extremely low price
Let the Moss-Backs Howl, yes let 'em weep, for they will weep alone; for the people know where their interest Read every line of this advertisement, familarize
yourself with the prices and come to the store and see how much better the goods look than the discription we
gave them. gave them

Don't forget the Date the Sale begins. Saturday December 12th.

## Sale Begins Saturday December 10th.

WE'RE GOING to STAY IN ROCHESTER. Reports to the Contrary:
We are often asked, "Are you going to keep the store $t$ Rochester?" We say now and for all time, "Yes," yes we are going to maintain the store at Rochester, for an
indefinite length of time. We would be foolish to leave as good a town and country as Rochester, and its trade territory. Where could we beat it. We say nowhere
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Mr. Roscoe Hood, will have charge of this store, and will continue to serve the people, with the very best
merchandise obtainable, and at the most reasonable
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We want to join hands with the people of Rochester, munity in which to live.
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Now is the best time you will have this year, to do your Christmas shopping. The stock is chuck full of the sea-
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and staples. Many items was bought especially for the
Holiday trade, items, suitable for gifts to every member Holicay trade,
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Do not get into the hands of the Phillistines, but come straight to the store, that does things. The store that handles a full and complete assortment of dependable dry goods of the better sor
Tell all your friends about J. T's Big Holiday Sale,
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Real Bargains.

We submit a few prices to indicate the tremendous reductions we shall make during this Big Holiday Sale.

## Men's and Boy's Shoes

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New Nifty Boy's Suits That Will Wear




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## Hosiery of the Better Sort

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## Staple Department









Look at J. T. 's big Sale Let's go over There.

| Dress Pants <br> We are offering highly tallored dress pants for much less than the ordlpants for much less than the ordi- nary kind sella for. nary kind sella sor. <br> The sool, in a fine French Berge, blue What or brown. sale price........ 87.19 <br> A good all wool, blue serge, recular $\$ 10.00$ grade, sale price. | Faney all wool, serge, $\$ 10.00$ grates <br>  <br>  <br> Many other grades on down to the Old rellable Heary Winter Weight Molecektin at at Big stock of boys koee pants greatly redueced. |
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Competition Set Up and Take Notice













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Men's Dress Half Hose





 Dress Goods-Standard Quality









# J. T. BRYANT <br> 8 <br> CO 

Rochester, Toxas.
Stamford, Texes.

# One-Half Price! On All Ready-to-Wear and Millinery 

We only have a limited number of ladies Coats, Coat Suits, Dresses, Skirts and Ladies Hats left, and we are closing these out at exactly one-half price. During the past week we have had an excellent business in this depart ment-still we have some good values at bargan prices and if you have not purchase ! for this season, it will be to your interest to come in and let us show you.

## Special 20 per cent Discount in Other Departments

All Regular 35 cent Ginghams at.
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Our Regular 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, 60c Quality ${ }^{\text {r }}$ t Our Regular 10-4 Bleached Sheeting, 75c Quality at Unbleached Sheeting, 9-4, Regular 50c Quality at Good Quality Blue Denim, Regular 25c Quality at Good Quality Khaki Cloth, Regular 35c Quality at All Chevorts, Regular 25c Quality, at.
Ready-Made Sheets, $\$ 1.75$ Quality at
Regular $\$ 2.50$ Blankets, now
Don't forget to call for your free show tickets-we give a ticket with each One Dollar Purchase made during this month.

## SHOES!

We are offering a substantial saving on our entire shoe stock, representing the famous lines of Walk-Overs, Maxines and Buster Brown'School Shoes:


| Our regular \$12.50 values now | \$11.25 |
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| Our regular $\$ 4.00$ values now | 3.60 |
| Our regular $\$ 3.50$ values now. | 3.15 |
| Our regular $\$ 2.50$ values now. | \$2.25 |

WE SUGGEST THAT YOU DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY WHILE YOU CAN TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE BARGAINS


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## ELKS MINSTREL!

 At Dick's Theatre Thurscay night December 15th.A Show That Everybody Will Enjoy
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SONGS, DANCES AND NEW JOKES THAT YOU HAVE A SCDEAM FRON START TO FINISH'

Home talent, under the direction of Mr. W. H. Holmes of the Holmes Theatrical Prodtetion Co. of Smasas City.
Given for the Pract of a Chrlymas Cheer Fund to be used for the poor and ned ch dren of Fablel.
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Articles of Gold an Silver, Nicely Han Engraved for ou Customers.

PIANOS, Player Pianos, PHONOLAMPS, Phonographs, Finest on the Mark Cash or Terms.

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