




LIVE STOCK CUTS


We have a variety of good cuts suitable for live stock advertising and for use on stationery for Stock-farms Swine Breeders, Poultry-Raisers, etc. See us and let us assist you in getting up your advertising, sales-bills posters, dodgers and stationery.


The Memphis Democrat



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Our buyers have just returned from Dallas where they, with other retailers, met Chicago wholesale people in a conference and placed additional orders for Spring and Summer goods. This meeting was equivalent to a second visit to Eastern markets, for this season's supplies, every facility was given for acquiring information and purchasing the latest market offerings


Sunshine Suits
Everyone knows the bigh-quality of this brand of garments. Only a limited number of suits now in stock. Bargains, if we have your size. Come at once unless you can wait tor future shipments

## For Men

Hart Schaffner \& Marx and Curlee Suits
John B. Stetson Hats "Standard" Ide Shirts and Collars
Peters, Hamilton Brown and Ogden Shoes
Big line of Overalls and Jumpers at $\$ 1.50$ per garment or $\$ 3$ per suit

## Summer Millinery

Our new Summer millinery supplies, including latest pattern hats and new trimmings and ornaments, are arriving daily. Come see them.



## The Cross Dry Goods Store <br> "The House That Stands Behind Its Goods"

F\&S Dress


## For Ladies

Welworth, Wirthmor wash waists, for quality they cannot be excelled Just received a beautiful line of Georgette waists. A full line of middies, house-dresses, aprons and petticoats.

> All Alterations, Free

When skits or are altered they can not be taken back money refunded.



## Some Shoe Special

| $\$ 8.50$ | Men's | Shoes | $\$ 6.95$ |
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| 6.00 | Men's | Shoes | 4.85 |
| 5.00 | Men's | Shoes | 4.50 |
| 4.50 | Men's | Shoes | 3.85 |
| 3.50 | Men's | Shoes | 2.95 |

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Of course, you are interested in the new goods for making up Spring and Summer wear. These goods are now coming in rapidly and the variety in colors and fabrics was never more varied or beautiful. The printed goods, in Georgette, Taffeta, Chiffon and Voils are more than ever in evidence and more dainty and attractive patterns are coming in as the season advances. In wash goods the zephyr ginghams, plain and figured voils, linens, organdies and, a beautiful assortment of dimities.

Good 30c Domestic, bleached, at 20c


Special Prices
50c Suiting at . . . 35c
$\$ 1.00$ silk finish Suiting 85 c
5 f Beach Cloth . . . 40c
A bis lot of short length voils 35 c values for . . . 25 c


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Entered as second class matuer at the postoffice
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ADVERTISING RATES
Display advertusing 15 cents per inch. colum
Professional cards $\$ 1.00$ per mouth.
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they derive reveune therefrom. No advertisement will be taken for less than tweaty-ive ceats. Couat the workis and seud cash wi
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SUBSCRIPTION RATES
One year $\$ 1.50$. Six months 85 c . Three months 45 c .
The devil's devices to entrap the righteous are many. Lent has hardly passed before the millinery bills begin to come in.

It looks now as if the next world-war might be fought to settle a controversy as to the best way to perpetuate peace.

The recent rain-storms seem to have been distruct ive to the West Texas derrick crop; but they did no hurt the wheat, oat or grass crops.

The horned-frog is an ugly bird,
Villianous looking and tricky; Except that he never says a word You might think him bolsheviki.

You never see a newspaper filled with local advertising from a dead town! The best boosting any town can have is through advertising from live local merchants.
Thanks to this, and the almost universal use of the automobile by Hall county farmers, the trade territory of Memphis has tripled in area within the past three years.

A professor of the University of Chicago says that the "first man," who lived about 425,000 years ago in Java, was an apelike brute with a thick skull and a powerful jaw, and that he was religious. Sounds like a de scription of some modern political-preachers, except that it is further stated that the Java species made personal sacrifices because of his religion.

Sinful Sim says that he had a hunch early last summer when Mrs. Sim's mother and her pastor wer holding political caucuses that they were plotting to put up some sort of job while he was gone to the war; but
he had no idea what form their fanaticism would take until he came back from overseas and learned that the Governor of Texas had vetoed the law allowing a discharged soldier to vote.

The soldiers should be given a full year's pay, Tis a shame they're not permitted to vote; Remember the fair promises we made when they Were urged to go after Kaiser Bill's goat.

One of the initial undertakings of the organization being formed for the development of Hall county, and this immediate section, is to take the necessary steps to secure the services of a Federal cotton classer for this county. In this connection we call the attention of our readers to an article in another column of this paper by Mr. Buckhalter, telling of practical results obtained
by the farmers of Smith county. Judging from the results shown there the new organization will be well worth the trouble and expense if it shall succeed in its first effort even if it should never do anything else.

## A British gent.

On a voyage bent
Hesitates on the Emerald Isle;
His published notion Is to cross the ocean,
But he seems content to wait a while.
Bolshevist propaganda, it is said, was the cause of the recent mutiny of American troops in Russia, a company of whom refused to obey an order to proceed to the front. That may have been true; but it is probable that the men did not need any one to tell them that
since war upon Russia had not been declared by Congress, as the constitution provides, there would be but little risk in defying authority thus usurped. Practicdrafted men: many of them well-educated, such men are not likely to be impressed by propaganda from an not likely to be impressed by propaganda from an
ignorant mob, such we are told is now in control in ignoran
Russia.
"The cleanest town in the Panhandle." Strange as it may seem Memphis once enjoyed this distinction, and the satisfaction, of truthfully making this claim; but she can not now reasonably do so. We have in recent years had annual "clean-up" campaigns; but the efforts put forth have lacked the interest and enthusiasm necessary to thorough and effective work. To accomplish this work with the thoroughness needed to make and keep Memphis a really clean town, as it once was, will require the arrousing of a publie spirit and civic pride that is now either non-existent or dormant. Nothing but thorough organization and enthusiatic persistent agitation can effectually do this. This paper is willing to lend its help in any and every way possible, and would be pleased to have an opportunity to do so.

Reports indicate that the North Dakota Legislature which recently adjourned, has made an unusual and an enviable record. During a session lasting less than 60 days an extraordinary number of wholesome laws were passed and a minimum of time seems to have been consumed over inconsequental matters. Five measures ad-
vocated by the organized farmers were passed and signec by the Governor.

In addition to these were a number of good laws ask for by the union labor men of that state; including a child-labor law, a full-crew law, a law prohibiting the coercing of employees by court injunctions. Over 100 far mers were members of this law-making body and they were in full control. Union labor organizations had but two members, a barber and a coal-miner, but every meas ure asked for by the labor organizations of the state was passed. Yet there are many professed friends of the farmers and of the laboring men who continue to warn them against allowing their organizations to take part in political matters and who continue to insist that the rs, whe of the farmers, who are producers, and the labor ers, who are consumers, are so opposed that they can not
get together politically. The facts are that the interests of all workers are the same-for honest government; and their only hope to attain that is by organizing for poli tical protection.

Gutter, Drainpipe and Flues put in on Short Notice
"Old Roofs Made New"

## Barber Sheet Metal Works

J. V. barber. Prop.

Center of Block. South Side of Square
All kinds of architectural and ornameutal work Gin, Mill and Pattern work a opecialty

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