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Largest
Panhandle
Compress

BY B. F. SHEPHERD

Hall County being the best cotton producing county west of Fort Worth, taken year in and year out, naturally created an interest that brought about the organization and building of a compress at Memphis in the summer and fall of 1922. The material for the construction of the press began to arrive in the early days of July and under the splendid management of C. T. Martin, this work was rushed to a finish and was ready to do business on the first day of November, and would have been ready several days earlier, but delayed on account of a machinist strike, and the side track to the press could not be put in.

This company is officered by the following well known financiers and business men: Lucius Rash, President; I. L. Brin, Vice-President; Robert L. Rash, Secretary-Treasurer, all of Terrell, Texas, and Charles T. Matkin, Manager, Memphis, Texas.

During this first season about seven thousand bales were pressed. This small amount was due to the lateness of getting the press in operation and the interested buyers not knowing of the readiness of the new press. About twenty hands were employed regular at this time. When this season was over, it was very evident to the management that the shed and platform facilities were not adequate to accommodate the next season's crop and plans were at once begun to enlarge same. During that year the entire capacity was doubled which gave them a storage capacity of ninety-two thousand bales and the year following, which is the year just closed, approximately sixty-five thousand bales were handled and it became further evident that their storage facilities were inadequate, and the company is now expending twelve thousand dollars in the installation of two new hundred and fifty horse power high pressure boilers besides thirty thousand square feet of platform and sheds. These additional sheds will be located as a separate unit from the original sheds and with this increase in facilities the company feels assured it will be in much better shape to handle a considerable increase as over the last season's business.

This company believes in progression and expansion and should the increased facilities not meet the demands of the cotton growing interests of this section, they stand ready to put in any amount of sheds and platforms in order to accommodate the cotton interests and protect the cotton during the most severe weather. The management has shown their utmost confidence in the future of this locality by placing such an institution in Memphis at such a large cost, and they are still willing to re-double these amounts if necessary in order to keep up with the ever increasing procession of cotton development.

We are informed by the management that during the busy season of the fall and winter that as many as two hundred and fifty bales of cotton had been hauled in on trucks and thrown on the ground for the cotton weigher to begin weighing early the next morning and before he could get them all weighed, there would be a string of wagons and trucks backed up for a quarter of a mile. This unusual occurrence took place many times during the past season. A large sign now adorns the south front of the press which attracts much attention. It reads, "Memphis Compress Company." These letters range in height from eighteen inches to seven feet six inches and were painted off hand by George Tipton, a local sign painter.

You will notice the small accompanying cut shows the Compress with the men and workmen's bunkhouse in the distance. The cotton you see in the ground the placing of which was necessitated by the large platforms being full. The compress and the public weigher work in conjunction during the season and when the

REVIVAL NOW UNDER GOOD HEADWAY

CHURCHES OF CITY CO-OPERATE TO MAKE BAPTIST REVIVAL A SUCCESS.

The revival meeting at the Baptist Tabernacle opened last Sunday under the leadership of Rev. Ridgeway doing the preaching and Mr. Sam Raborn, of West Virginia, leading the gospel singing. A deep interest is being manifested from the beginning and large crowds are in attendance at both morning and night services.

The splendid Christian spirit of co-operation manifested by the different denominations is indeed encouraging. The working forces are being systematically organized and are fast falling into line and before the week is brought to a close one of the best revivals ever held in Memphis will be under way. Mr. Raborn is getting his singing forces well organized and all the singers of the city are earnestly requested to come out and join in these services.

Rev. Ridgeway is preaching some splendid gospel sermons which are well delivered and received.

Auto Supply Station Improving

The Auto Supply Station has been improving and adding to their "service that serves" station on Main Street, near the depot, recently and the workmen are finishing up the work this Thursday. The place will be ready for all first class service Friday morning of this week.

A new rest room has been added as has also a stock room. The entire building has been finished in stucco and the roof of modern Spanish style metal shingles that make it almost fire proof.

With these new added features this will be quite an added accommodation to the traveling public. Read their free offer in this issue.

Memphis Ice Cream Station To Open

The Memphis Ice Cream Station, under the management of Mr. Will Gammage, will throw its doors open next Tuesday for business. They will be located in the new Gammage building on West Noel Street, where they will be prepared to test and buy cream.

They will also have an ice cream factory in connection and will make all kinds of cream.

Lightning Strikes Two Residences

Tuesday night during the rain and thunderstorm lightning struck the flue of the residence of Sam Alexander, but did no other damage to speak of.

At the residence of R. B. Harper lightning coming in on the wiring set fire to the wall paper, which was soon extinguished with a bucket or two of water.

compress sheds are full the public weigher goes to the ground with the weighing.

The crooked rows of cotton you see are not caused by the public weigher being drunk, but he explains this crookedness by saying that these rows were made during the incessant high winds in part, and that the wind was blowing the day the picture was made and that the camera wavered and made things worse. This is one kind of an alibi.

Fire Destroys Roberts Home

A dwelling house located in North Memphis, belonging to John Alexander and occupied by John Roberts, was completely consumed by fire Wednesday afternoon, and the H. E. Berry residence located just north of it was threatened for several minutes.

Although the fire department left the station at an early minute the house is located so far out, and the plug so far from the house, that it was well under way of the flames before water reached the scene. Although the blaze kept the large company of volunteers from the burning house and only one item was saved, practically all the furniture was taken from the Berry home.

Mrs. Roberts who, with her two children, was in the house when the blaze started, states that it caught from an oil stove explosion. Both the house and furnishings were covered with insurance.

Two Good Rains Since Saturday

Last Saturday night a good rain, reported from half to an inch, fell in this section of country—a good cotton shower is the way several expressed it.

Then Tuesday night 1.42 inches fell here, heavier in some sections of the county and lighter in others. The farmers are all rejoicing over the moisture they are receiving and the way their crops are growing because of the good rains. Come to Hall County.

BAND CONCERTS

The concert Saturday night, by the Chamber of Commerce Band, was given in front of the King Furniture Co., where adequate lights and plenty of chairs were furnished by Mr. King for the seating of the members of the band. In the absence of a band shell centrally located on the square, the band will render their Saturday night concerts in front of the stores furnishing plenty of light and enough chairs to seat the members of the band.

This will be continued until the band shell shall have been erected on the court house lawn. The Democrat is authorized to state that any merchants desiring the band to give a concert in front of their place of business, if they will make their application and leave at Democrat office, the band will be glad to accommodate them. First come, first served.

The degree team of the Memphis I. O. O. F. was invited to Clarendon last Monday night, where they put on the initiatory degree. Two candidates were initiated. After the secret work was over the ladies of the Rebekahs invaded the hall and a great feast was spread and all enjoyed a real old time feast. The Memphis team is very enthusiastic over the way Clarendon people entertained them.

Doings at the Court House

In conversation with County Judge Hoffman he states that he received on Monday of this week a letter from the State Highway Department at Austin, stating that they had sent corrected plans of Highway Five through Hall County to the Federal Department on June 5.

In looking over the records of the Justice of the Peace R. N. Gillis, we find there have been five hundred and forty-nine fines collected since the first of January this year. This will aggregate several hundred dollars.

One drunk was reported on last Friday, with a fine of one dollar and cost.

Regular session of Commissioners Court convened Monday morning. Routine business was transacted during the day.

County Clerk Miss Edna Bryan reports the following marriage license since last week: J. R. Boston, Jr., and Mae Farling, Parker B. Floyd and Fay Sessions, Noah Taylor and Clara Meek.

Commissioner J. B. Burnett attended the State Highway meeting at Dalhart Tuesday.

Cicero Smith Plans Yard Improvements

CICERO SMITH LUMBER COMPANY MAKES PLANS TO ERRECT NEW BUILDINGS ON BLOCK AT SOUTHEAST CORNER OF PUBLIC SQUARE.

In keeping with the wave of prosperity and building operations which has been prevalent in Memphis for the past several years, the Cicero Smith Lumber Company, through its efficient and courteous manager, Mr. J. G. Brown, announces extensive building operations for this company in Memphis. The company, through its general manager, Mr. Johnson, of Fort Worth, has been contemplating for some time to tear down the old buildings on the present site of the lumber yard and replace them with new and modern buildings and in keeping with the many modern buildings recently built and now under construction. The operations have been unfortunately delayed because Mr. Johnson, the general manager, had to take his wife to a sanitarium in Baltimore, and delayed his going over some of the details with the local manager, Mrs. Brown. However, at an early date the management contemplates tearing away the

old buildings and sheds and replacing them with new all over the entire block now occupied by this splendid company.

The new office building will be fifty by one hundred feet, located at the southeast corner of the square, where the old hotel now stands. It will be of brick and stucco and will be modern in every way with plenty of ventilation and light, two qualities very essential to health and happiness. The roof will be of tar and gravel. The side walls all around the yard and also the sheds will be of galvanized iron in order to conform with the city fire ordinance. The south part of the yard will be used for storage of posts and other like material. Other materials will be blocked off and conveniently arranged for easy access.

Thus Memphis is fast becoming more modern at every step of building operations added to the many other modern buildings in our city.

Woman Accidentally Shoots Self Sunday

(Newlin Correspondent)
Mrs. Henry Wade, wife of a well known young farmer living between Newlin and Estelline, accidentally shot herself while hunting near Estelline late Sunday afternoon. Although she is suffering a flesh wound she will totally recover in a short time.

The accident occurred while the young woman, who was alone, was examining the .22 rifle which she was using. After snapping a shell in the gun she reloaded it and was looking down the barrel when it accidentally discharged. The bullet took effect in her right shoulder, lodging in her back without reaching the hollow cavity of her body.

She was felled by the shot, and as there was no aid near she crawled to the highway, where she was picked up by tourists and brought to a hospital here. After taking the bullet from her body she was taken to her home where she is on a quick road to recovery.

George Greenhaw Changes His Shop

After buying out his partner, C. W. McCool, George Greenhaw has been rearranging the barber shop fixtures and getting more room. All the shop has been given a coating of white enamel which adds greatly to the appearance of the shop as well as furnishes more light. George believes in keeping up-to-date, and has made his shop an attractive place of business.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. W. H. Whitfield, of Lakeview, underwent an operation at the Boaz Sanitarium yesterday for appendicitis. She is reported to be resting very well and a quick recovery is anticipated.

Mrs. J. D. May of Plaska was operated on at the Boaz Sanitarium last Friday for appendicitis, and is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Whittington, of Newlin, underwent an appendicitis operation at the Boaz Sanitarium last Friday, and in a day or two will be well enough to be taken home.

To the seeker of thrills, heart throbs, poignant drama, startling narrative, appealing love interest and awesome climaxes "After Six Days" offers the drama of life, itself in an unfolding of the Old Testament from Adam and Eve to the songs of Solomon. See it Wednesday and Thursday at the Palace Theatre.

Will Kesterson and wife returned Thursday afternoon from the Boy Scout camp to be at the fish fry given by "Big Chief" Gardner Thursday night to the Ladies and Men's Bible Classes of the First Christian Church. They returned again this week for the remainder of the camping season.

MASONIC BOYS BAND PLEASURES THE PEOPLE

BOYS BAND OF MASONIC HOME GIVE CONCERTS HERE. ENTERTAINED IN HOMES.

The Masonic Home Band headed by several of the Grand Officers of the State and in charge of E. S. Shelly, arrived in Memphis Friday about 11:30 a. m. Owing to the lateness of the hour, the boys were hurried into cars awaiting them at the depot, and started to Clarendon, where they enjoyed a splendid lunch, after which an enjoyable musical program was rendered by the boys band. Short talks were made by members of the delegation.

They then drove to Hedley, where a large crowd had gathered to welcome them. Here a splendid program of music and short talks was enjoyed, after which the caravan came to Memphis.

The Masonic Lodge was opened at 5 o'clock and interesting talks from members of the Grand Lodge were enjoyed by all present. The lodge closed and repaired to the basement of the First Methodist Church, where a sumptuous repast was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star.

At 8:30 in the evening the auditorium and balconies of the High School were crowded to capacity and a very pleasing musical program was rendered by the Masonic Home Band. The musical selections were well rendered and greatly enjoyed.

Another interesting feature of the evening was the moving picture. The boys carry a moving picture machine and several reels, showing different Masonic features. The first reel began by showing the portrait of Gen. Sam Houston, organizer of the first Grand Lodge of Texas in 1836. Then came Governor Anson Jones, first Grand Master, then followed all the Grand Masters through the annals of time down to the present, showing the present Grand Master, the Hon. Guinn Williams, of Decatur.

Then followed another reel showing the old buildings of the Masonic Home and school, followed by the new and more modern buildings as they are at present.

The reception, dining and bed rooms of the larger and smaller pupils of the Home were shown and to say they certainly looked sanitary and neatly kept would only mildly express it.

During the evening the following visiting members of the party were introduced by Mr. Wilbur Keith, of Dallas, executive-secretary of the Masonic Service Association: Congressman Guinn Williams, Decatur; Grand Master; E. R. Bryan, Midland; Deputy Grand Master; Judge Hatfield, Grand Junior Warden; Thomas Fletcher, Superintendent Home and School, Fort Worth; W. J. Broom, Manager of the Home for aged Masons, Arlington.

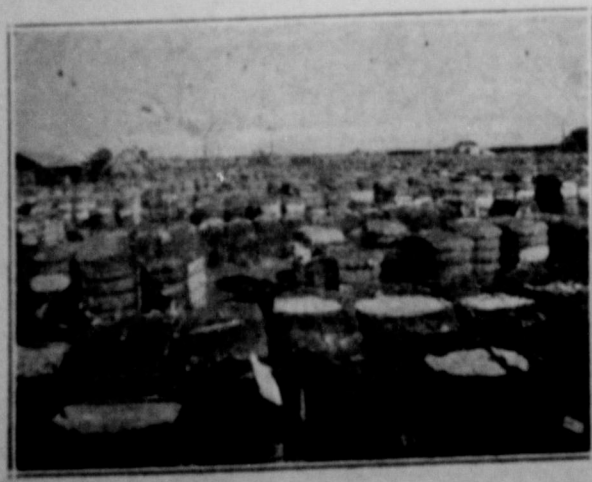
Just before the close of the evening's program a very pathetic scene was portrayed before the large audience when Wilbur Keith took Uncle Henry Arnold by the hand and stood before the audience with hands clasped in bonds of brotherly love, quoted a poem composed by himself, entitled, "Brother of Mine." Many eyes were moist with loving tears during the recital.

Uncle Henry Arnold is held in highest esteem by the officers of the Grand Lodge and all members of the local Masonic fraternity for his untiring efforts in the interest of Masonry. He met this delegation at Childress and made the rounds with them until they returned to Memphis.

Saturday morning the Masonic Home Band gave an enjoyable concert on the public square before departing for Dalhart.

Miss Daisy Sachse and brother, F. M. Jr., of Brice, were pleasant callers at the Democrat office Saturday. Miss Daisy has just returned from school at Lubbock and will attend Summer Normal at Canyon. She reported the Brice public school as closing last Thursday night with appropriate exercises. This school had a very prosperous year under the leadership of Prof. Arthur Adams as Superintendent.

Mrs. J. W. and W. Fitzjarrald have sold their chiropractic business to Dr. Fry of Clarendon, and are making preparations to move away in a few days. They will tour the Plains and New Mexico, and then on to the Ozark Mountains, where they will spend the summer and perhaps locate at some place in the Ozarks.



Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lane spent Friday in Wellington.

Martin's Blue Bug Remedy at Craver Grain Co.

Mr. Loyd of Lakeview was a business visitor in Memphis Tuesday.

M. J. Draper was a business visitor in Amarillo two days last week.

R. S. Smith, produce merchant of Hedley, was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

L. S. Edmonson and family of Estelline were visitors in the city Friday afternoon.

Automatic Refrigerators use less ice and preserve food better. See them at McKelvy & Reed. 50-1c

Dave Price and wife came down from Amarillo Saturday for a short business trip.

On your birthday send mother flowers. Hightower Greenhouse, phone 491. 49-1c

Claude Herd and family came up from Wichita Falls Saturday and visited his mother, Mrs. G. J. Herd.

Dr. J. T. Worrell, Veterinarian. Call day phone 53, night phone 284. Calls answered promptly. 50-1f

Miss Ora Bray came in from Canyon the latter part of last week, where she had been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Arnold were in Wellington this week visiting their son, Wade, and daughter, Mrs. C. J. Glenn.

Potato Slips, prices reduced. 30c per 100; \$2.50 per thousand. Hightower Greenhouse, Phone 491 day; 418 at night. 50-1c

Mrs. Black returned to her home in Wichita last week after a visit of several weeks here with her father and brothers, the West families.

Miss Mae Simmons came down from Canyon Thursday night and spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Simmons.

Gordon Alexander came over from Tulsa last Thursday and spent the day with his father, S. G. Alexander, and other relatives.

Six hundred and fifty-two names of local and county people were mentioned in the columns of the Democrat in last issue. Count them in this issue.

You'll need a Refrigerator, and you can find one no better than an Automatic. Buy one now and get the full benefit of it. McKelvy & Reed. 50-1c

Conkey's Poultry Tonic at Craver's condition your chickens for winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells went to Amarillo last Thursday. The former camped with the Boy Scouts until Monday and then came home. Mrs. Wells remained in Amarillo with her parents on account of her father being sick.

I am again entering the filling station business on the south side of the square, having bought the Cotton Hamburger Stand, and ask for the patronage of all my old customers as well as new ones when in need of anything in my line. M. R. Jones, Memphis. 49-4c

Letts Life

Prof. Nicholson of Duncan, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davenport spent last week-end in Roswell, New Mexico, making the trip in record time.

Little W. F. Geisler has been on the sick list this week.

Miss Marginett Puckett, of Amarillo, was the house guest of Eloise Wells last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd House and son, Winifred F., Roy Allard, Roy Blackwell and Dook Gibbs were at Lett's Ranch Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Bevers and children, Inez Gosdin, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby and Howard spent Tuesday and Wednesday fishing at Bitter Lake.

John Ismel is back from Shallow-water for a visit with his friends.

Slim Tudway, O. A. Thames and sons, Roy and Eron, were in Memphis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geisler and children were in Memphis Friday night to attend the American Legion boat.

Crops are looking fine in this part of the county, only we are needing another good rain.

The County is building the T-Bar iron bridge on Red Roar Canyon in Letts District this week.

Letts school will close July 3, making an eight months school term.

Weatherly school closed last week. The Davenport children spent last week-end with their grandmother at Memphis, Mrs. Damron.

Charlie Damron of Simmons College spent Friday with his sisters, Mrs. Bennet and Mrs. Tom Davenport. He and his mother and sister of Memphis are making preparation to spend the summer on their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and children are recovering from a siege of small pox.

Mesdames J. T. Wills and Spangler were Memphis shoppers Friday.

Howard Weatherby spent Saturday night with Stanley White.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geisler and children spent Saturday and Sunday at Quitaque visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Colvin and children left Thursday for a two weeks vacation on the Brazos River fishing. His father and mother will accompany them.

Tom Davenport and family have moved to Memphis to make their home.

Isiah Neely of Quitaque spent Sunday in our community.

Mr. Carl Helfner of McLean was in our community Monday with a herd of cows, en route to his ranch near McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edd House.

Mrs. Garland Weatherly and Mrs. Edd House and son are spending the week end at Dickens, Texas, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wiley.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Hall County up to 2 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday the 14th day of July, 1925, for the purchase of said County of Hall of One Crawler Type Tractor with sufficient power to successfully pull an eight foot grader with extension blades to be used upon the public roads of said county.

All bids shall be addressed to the County Judge of said county, and shall be marked "Sealed Bids" and bids not so marked shall not be considered.

The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. C. HOFFMAN, County Judge Hall County, Texas. Attest: Edna Bryan, County Clerk. 50-4c

Here and There

R. N. Gillis: "I had occasion to meet a traveling man on the streets of Memphis not long since and, in our conversation he said that he had visited every city from Fort Worth to Memphis and had had the pleasure of walking the streets of these cities and that Memphis was the cleanest of them all. I tipped my hat and said: 'My dear sir, you are now in the best county in the State of Texas.'"

J. A. Batson came by way of Shamrock Saturday from Amarillo and stated that the wind was blowing and the sand whirling in the sandy strips along the road and that it looked like the crops might be damaged to some extent in some places.

The Shriners special train on their return trip from a ten days trip at Los Angeles, California, passed through Memphis Saturday evening at 7:00 o'clock. First report as to the time of arrival of the special gave them a stop of twenty-five minutes in our city. A pleasant reception was arranged by a large delegation of Memphis Shriners, accompanied by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce Band, but the train was late and they had to pass on through without very much fuss by the local delegation. However, the siren whistles on the special playing "How Dy I Am," made up for all the other fuss.

T. L. Waddell: "Have one hundred ten acres in cotton and eighty acres in feed, planted and up to a good stand. The rain Sunday night was the very thing us farmers were needing. It made lots of weeds, but it also made the crops get up and whoop."

D. A. Grundy: "Went fishing Tuesday and caught two nice bass."

Notice By Publication In Probate

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Hall, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of twenty days week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof: THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the Estate of Effie L. Houghton, deceased, you are hereby notified that C. R. Webster has filed an application in the County Court of Hall County, on the 21st day of April, 1925, for the Probate of the Will of the said Effie L. Houghton, deceased, and for Letters Testamentary to issue to the said C. R. Webster, which said application will be heard by said court on the 22nd day of July, 1925, at the Court House of said County, in Memphis, at which time all persons who are interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Memphis, Texas this 9th day of June, 1925. (SEAL) EDNA BRYAN, Clerk County Court, Hall County, Texas. 50-2c

ALL OUT OF SORTS?

So Was This Memphis Woman Who Tells Her Experience.

All too often women accept their pains and aches as natural to their sex. They fail to realize that weak kidneys are often to blame for that backache, those headaches, dizzy spells and that tired, depressed feeling. Thousands have found new health and strength by helping the weakened kidneys with Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. This Memphis case is one of many:

Mrs. Ona Brooks, E. Main St., says: "My back bothered me a great deal with a dull ache and it was so sore and stiff it was a task for me to do my housework. My kidneys didn't act right either and my feet and ankles swelled so I couldn't put my shoes on. I used Doan's Pills and they cured me. I have had no return of the trouble at all." Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't

simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Pills—the same that Mrs. Brooks had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. (adv)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ORDER OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Hall, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof: THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the Estate of C. M. (Buster) Montgomery deceased, J. P. Montgomery, administrator, has filed in the County

Court of Hall County, an application for an order to sell the following property of said Estate, to-wit:

Lot No. 20 in Block No. 6, in original town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas, together with the building thereon, which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing the third Monday in July, A. D. 1925, at the Court House thereof, in the city of Memphis, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and show cause why such application should not be granted.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, this 9th day of June, 1925. (SEAL) EDNA BRYAN, Clerk County Court, Hall County, Texas. 50-3c

Palace Wednesday, June 17 Thursday, June 18 THE MIGHTIEST DRAMATIC SPECTACLE OF THE AGE!

A \$3,000,000 Production for the Hundred Millions! Jean Finley Presents AFTER SIX DAYS Children 10c Adults 50c Daily at 2-4-7-9 P. M.

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- The Creation Adam and Eve The First Murder The Tower of Babel Noah's Ark The Flood Sodom and Gomorrah The Golden Calf Moses and Israel The Red Sea Miracle Court of Pharaoh Astis in Egypt

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More than 500,000 Texas people have enjoyed this production. It was actually made in the Holy Lands. The scenes shown were taken in Egypt, Palestine, Babylonia and Mesopotamia. It is a vital visualization of the world's greatest story presenting the Old Testament, from the Creation through the Songs of Solomon.

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"It Is the Ultimate of Screen Magnificence"—The Dallas News

Clothes For Men and Young Men

CALLING YOUR ATTENTION ESPECIALLY TO

Extra Pants For Young Men

We have just received a lot of Pants for Young Men in the Popular Light Summer Colors and Patterns, which include Sand-tone, Grey and Light Grey with Stripes. Just received a bunch of New Ide Shirts. Oxfords for everybody. See them!

Ross Clothing Co THE MAN'S STORE



Society and Club News

Telephone 15

SUNDAY SCHOOL HAS BASKET SUPPER

About one hundred and fifty members of the Christian Sunday School, with several invited friends, drove out near the Browder camp grounds Tuesday evening, where a delightful basket supper was spread and greatly enjoyed. Supper over a splendid program of readings was enjoyed. Then red lemonade and ice cream served to the delight of all present. After this, several drove to the Browder Park, where the youngsters enjoyed the swings.

RAINBOW GIRLS ENTERTAIN MASONIC BAND

Last Friday, June 5, the "Order of the Rainbow for Girls" initiated two girls into their organization. At 5:00 o'clock the girls of the Rainbow took the boys of the Masonic Home Band in their cars and carried them over the city for a ride. Returning to the Methodist Church at 6:00 o'clock, the girls were hostesses to the Masonic Service Committee and band boys at a six o'clock luncheon. After the entertainment at the auditorium by the band boys, they were taken to the homes of the people of the city for the night.

YOUNG MEMPHIS PEOPLE WED

Mr. Leonard Doss and Miss Jeraldine Davis, well known young people of this city, were quietly married at the home of the bride Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, with Rev. C. E. Jameson officiating. Mr. Doss is a prominent young man of the city, and is at present employed at Electra, Texas. Miss Davis is popular among the younger set here, being a graduate of the Memphis High School, having graduated with the class of '23. Their many friends extend their congratulations along with the Democrat.

G. GARDNER HOST AT "FISH FRY"

Thursday evening some seventy-five or eighty friends of J. G. Gardner drove to the shady nook in Dial's pasture, just south of Browder camp ground, and there spent two hours in various entertainment, mostly "talkfest." At the close Mr. Gardner

asked all present to line up in single file, ladies first. They were then directed to file past a designated point where they were given plates, spoons and cups. These were filled with many good things to eat. This was a jolly gathering and the "fish fry" was a decided success, as always is when "Big Chief" Gardner is host.

MARRIED

Mr. J. R. Boston, of Holiday, Texas, and Miss Mae McFarling, of Hedley, were united in marriage by Rev. C. E. Jameson at the Methodist parsonage Sunday afternoon. The happy young couple will reside at Holiday, where Mr. Boston is an employee of the Wichita Lumber Co.

VISIT DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brooks of Wellington spent Thursday of last week with their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Lane, of this city. They were en route home after a month's visit in Fort Worth, Dallas and other points. They also visited their old home at Graham, where they lived forty years prior to coming to this country. Mr. Brooks was sheriff and tax collector of that county in the early days.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. The pastor and family are leaving this week for points in New Mexico to be gone about thirty days. In all probability there will be no Sunday services before July 12th.

Let every Presbyterian co-operate with the revival that is now being conducted under the Baptist Tabernacle. If you have not been attending you have been missing a real spiritual feast. Brother Ridgeway is an earnest messenger of God and is bringing some very helpful and interesting messages. Let us co-operate in every possible way and help bring a blessing to Memphis. There will be no mid-week services during the revival. On June 24, Mr. Allen Grundy will head the prayer service, July 1, Sloan Baker will be in charge of the service and July 8, J. M. Tucker. May God bless these services in a mighty way.

C. E. Richter, Pastor.

There is a difference in gasoline. Try ours. Gerlach Bros.

Here and There

C. E. O'Brien of Fort Worth, representing an insurance company, said: "If I should decide to move to any other place outside of Fort Worth, I would come to Memphis. It is the best town West of Fort Worth. It has the worthwhile spirit of citizenship I like."

M. J. Draper: "I am not going to leave Memphis. It is the best place to live I know of. When I return from our summer trip will re-enter some kind of business again."

W. A. Miller, five miles southeast of Memphis, was in town Tuesday to advertise some maize and cotton seed. He reported a good rain Saturday night and crops doing fine. "I have plenty of feed in the crib to do me this crop and another crop if I fail to make any this year; also, have enough cotton seed to plant over should something happen to make me plant over," he said.

L. J. Starkey was in Wheeler last week on business and upon stopping at a certain hotel, he learned that the hotel was being operated by Mr. J. L. Walker and wife. When the facts were thoroughly understood, Mr. Starkey reported to friends in Memphis that this J. L. Walker was none other than our friend recently removed from Memphis and who is well known to Hall county citizens. His many friends in this section will be glad to know he has taken on the robe of a benedict and we extend him the usual benedictive blessings of the newly weds.

The Palace Theatre. Program.

FRIDAY—
"East of Suez," featuring Pola Negri. Last chapter of "Riddle Riddle."
SATURDAY—
"I am the Lam," with Kenneth Harlin and Gaston Glass. Comedy, "Wall Street Blues."
MONDAY AND TUESDAY—
"Mansion of Aching Hearts," with Pauline Frederick.
WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—
"After Six Days," Educational Comedy.

Main Street Church of Christ

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. All expected on time.
Communion and offering 10:45 a. m.
Junior C. E. 3:00 p. m.
No preaching. Pastor and wife attending State Convention at Abilene.
No services next week on account of revival at Baptist Tabernacle.

Some big moments in "After Six Days:" The creation of the world, the building of Noah's Ark, the rain of fire and brimstone on the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah, the frenzied building of the Tower of Babel, the Red Sea miracle. Showing at the Palace Wednesday only.

Last week a local reader for the Guinn Grocery stated 15 pounds of honey for \$1.15, when it should have read 5 pounds. Just another slip of the typesetting machine. Mr. Guinn and the other stores in town were bothered by people asking prices of honey and then going to Guinn's to get the bargain extraordinary. It caused some annoyance but it should not be held against Mr. Guinn for he wrote the copy five pounds. It was the fault of the Democrat, yet almost impossible to prevent. It proved however that people read Democrat advertisements.

We invite you to come in and inspect our Automatic Refrigerator, whether you are ready to buy or not. McKelvy & Reed. 50-1c

S. A. Bryant is having his home on Main Street repainted and repapered this week.

Feed Purina Hen Chowder, more eggs for less money. City Feed Store.

Mrs. Byron Gist and son of Amarillo are here this week visiting Mrs. Gist's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bryant.

You can get fresh vegetables on cur 8:30 o'clock delivery. A. Womack's Grocery. 44-1c

T. M. Disheroon and family came in Tuesday night from California on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Disheroon's sister, Mrs. O. B. Hardy.

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\$1.00 Orders Delivered FREE



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Less Than \$1.00 Orders Delivered For 10c

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Both in the QUALITY of goods and the SERVICE you get, there's SATISFACTION in trading with the M SYSTEM STORE. We make shopping a pleasure for you rather than a task.

Consider the prices on EVERYTHING you buy and you'll always find the M

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ANNIVERSARY SALE

OPENS FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 12TH, 1925

Read Big Circular for detailed prices. The Greatest Bonafide Bargain Sale we have ever offered. Store-wide Price Reductions—no reservation except Stetson Hats. Come expecting a Great Bargain Feast and you will not be disappointed.



Ladies Dresses

ONE-HALF PRICE

GIRL'S GINGHAM DRESSES

89c

CORSETS

All LaCameille and W. B. front and back lace Corsets exactly Half Price

36-inch Domestic, bleach and brown, yd. 10c

9-4 Garza and Cortland Sheeting, bleach and brown per yard 39c

8-oz. ACA Feather Tick, per yard 29c

TURKISH TOWELS

25c values 15c
50c values 29c
75c values 39c

27-inch Gingham, extra good grade, special 10c

One lot Dotted Voile, 36 inches, 50c value, yd. 24c

One lot Cretonne, 25c value per yard 17½c

Cotton Checks, per yard only 8½c



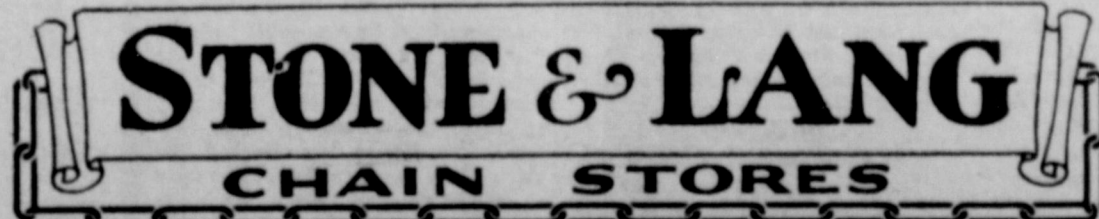
MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

One lot Men's Dress Shirts

95c

Hundreds of other values as good as those listed above. Everything will be ready Friday morning for the opening of this ANNIVERSARY SALE

Clark's O. N. T. Thread Spool 4c



Two Papers of Pins for 5c

SO BIG



By EDNA FERBER

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He was more than usually uncommunicative, and noticeably moody.

Paula remarked it. "Why the Otello brow?"

"You didn't mean that rot, did you? about marrying a rich man. You were joking, weren't you?"

"I wasn't. I'd hate being poor, or even just moderately rich. I'm used to money—loads of it. I'm twenty-four. And I'm looking around."

He kicked an innocent beet-top with his boot. "You like me better than any man you know."

"Of course I do. Just my luck."

"Well, then, let's take these vegetables in."

She made a pretense of lifting the heavy basket. Dirk snatched it roughly out of her hand so that she gave a little cry and looked ruefully down

at the red mark on her palm. He caught her by the shoulder—even shook her a little. "Look here, Paula. Do you mean to tell me you'd marry a man simply because he happened to have a lot of money?"

"I don't marry simply because he had a lot of money. But it certainly would be a factor, among other things."

Six months later Paula Arnold was married to Theodore A. Storm, a man of fifty, a friend of her father's, head of so many companies, stockholder in so many banks, director of so many corporations that even old Aug Hempel seemed a recluse from business in comparison. She never called him Teddy. No one ever did. Theodore Storm was a large man—not exactly stout, perhaps, but fleshy. His inches saved him from grossness. He had a large white serious face, fine thick dark hair, graying at the temples. Within three years Paula had two children, a boy and a girl. "There! That's done," she said. Her marriage was a great mistake and she knew it. For the war, coming in 1914, a few months after her wedding, sent the Hempel-Arnold interests sky-rocketing. Millions of pounds of American beef and pork were shipped to Europe. In two years the Hempel fortune was greater than it ever had been. Paula was up to her eyes in relief work for Bleeding Belgium.

Dirk had not seen her in months. She telephoned him unexpectedly one Friday afternoon in his office at Hollis & Sprague's.

"Come out and spend Saturday and Sunday with us, won't you? We're running away to the country this afternoon. I'm so sick of Bleeding Belgium, you can't imagine. I'm sending the children out this morning. I can't get away so early. I'll call for you in the roadster this afternoon at four and drive you out myself."

"I don't think I—"

"I'll call for you at four. I'll be at the curb. Don't keep me waiting, will you?"

Here and There

T. W. Howard, living eleven miles south on the Whaley place, said: "I have as fine crops as I ever saw at this time of the year in this county and believe we will make a bumper crop. Have plenty of good looking watermelon vines of the yellow meated variety, but they are for home use only."

J. C. Scott: "I live seven miles from Memphis on Indian Creek. All my crops are planted and up to a good stand. Have just finished first cultivation. The nice rain of Tuesday night was the very thing and will keep the moisture meeting. My crops are perfectly clear of weeds and grass and has nothing to do but grow and it sure is breaking the record for speed. My corn is waist high and moving upward."

Want-ads in the Democrat should be paid in cash if you do not have a charge account with the Democrat. It is too much trouble to keep books and send out a collector for such small items. So, if you phone in a want-ad please send the money before the paper goes to press, else the want-ad might be left out.

You can get fresh vegetables on our 8:30 o'clock delivery. A. Womack's Grocery. 44-11

Society and Club News

Telephone 15

MRS. JET FORE ENTERTAINS WITH ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY

Mrs. Jet Fore entertained on Wednesday, June 3, with a musical announcing the marriage of her sister, Miss Katherine Read, to Mr. Dewey Manus Foster of Canyon on June 19, 1925. The following program was given.

Just Like Her Mother—Annie Ruth Roses of Picardy—Marcelle Brewer.

Wild Zin Zarella—Mozella Moses. Hungarian Concert, Poika—Margaret Brewer.

Music—Margaret Milam. Long Pants—Gayle Greene. Piano—Hazel Delaney.

Following the program little Misses Charlotte Fore and Jeraldine Kinard passed among the guests with pink and orchid bags in which were found two hearts tied together, giving names of the to be bride and groom and the date of their wedding.

A delightful salad course was served to Misses Hazel Delaney, Katherine Read, Lucille Read, Margaret Brewer, Marcelle Brewer, Agnes Swift, Eut Swift, Bess Duke, Margaret Milam, Mae Beth Wilson, George Mickle, of Amarillo; Mesdames A. W. Read, W. W. Clower, Sam Harrison, R. S. Greene, Roy Leverett, V. R. Jones, T. J. Dunbar, J. A. Fain, Frank Fore, C. R. Milam, Little Misses Anna Beth Leverett, Jerry Kinard, and Charlotte Fore; Masters Gayle Greene and Jet R. Fore.

MISSSES BREWER AND DELANEY HONOR BRIDE

On Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Misses Marcelle Brewer and Hazel Delaney entertained at the home of the latter with a miscellaneous show-er for the bride elect, Miss Katherine Read. After presenting the gifts, which were many and beautiful, a delightful contest was enjoyed by the guests. Following this a dainty salad course was served by the charming hostesses. The affair was a complete surprise to Miss Read, but she declared it an agreeable one. Those present were:

Misses Katherine and Lucille Read, Verna Crump, Mae Beth Wilson, Pauline Goodnight, Agnes and Ruth Swift, Martha DeBerry, Ruby McCanne, Irene Beatty, Helen Beard, Cressie Ardery, Roberta Rogers, Bess Duke, Margaret Milam, Mesdames A. W. Read, Jet Fore, Frank Fore, T. C. Delaney and Ray Webster, and Miss Georg Ella Mickle of Amarillo.

Judge A. S. Moss was exhibiting a twig full of Damson plums on the streets Saturday morning. The twig was about a foot long and in a space of some nine inches there were 36 nearly grown plums. They came from his orchard on South Sixth Street and showed very forcibly that Hall County can produce fruit as well as cotton.

FIDELIS CLASS HONORS BRIDE-ELECT WITH SHOWER

On Tuesday evening at the home of Rev. Chas. T. Whaley, the Fidelis Class of the Baptist Church delightfully entertained with a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Katherine Read. Many lovely gifts were presented to the bride-to-be.

Following a pleasant evening a delicious salad course was served to thirty-five guests.

A ROMANCE OF SCHOOL DAYS

A notable event in society was the pretty morning wedding of Ruby Frances, charming daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Stone, to James Mabry Norman, which was solemnized Monday morning, June 1, at ten o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. C. W. Foote, pastor of the First Methodist church, reading the beautiful and impressive ring service.

The spacious living room, where the ceremony was held, was a scene of rare beauty with quantities of lilies, roses and ferns predominating in the decorations. A canopy of garlands of ferns from which fell showers of roses was arranged above where the wedding party stood. At either side of the altar massive floor vases of flowers were placed.

As the strains of the music modulated in Lohengrin's "Bridal Chorus," played by Miss Beatrice Wimberly, becomingly gowned in an ensemble of blue georgette, the bridal party entered. The bride was unusually lovely in a creation of white georgette. She carried a sheath of columbia roses and bridal wreath.

The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Naomi, who was fascinating in a frock of red crepe-de-chine. The groom was attended by Claude Drummond as best man.

During the ceremony the low sweet notes and the soft lights on the lovely decorations gave an added air of sacredness to the ensemble.

Delightful refreshments were served during the informal reception, which followed the ceremony. The dining room was artistically decorated with vari-colored flowers, which were used in every available spot. The table, in the center of which was the wedding cake, was covered with an exquisite cloth of embroidered linen.

Mrs. Norman is one of the most prominent and popular of the younger society set. She received her early education in the Paducah schools and later attend S. M. U. of Dallas, and T. W. C. of Fort Worth.

James is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Norman of Memphis and well known in business and social circles here and in Memphis.

The couple left immediately for Memphis. Mrs. Norman wore as a going-away costume a smart ensemble of blue French twill and harmonizing accessories. Mrs. Stone, mother of the bride, was very attractive in a white crepe roma with trimmings of orange. Mrs. Norman, mother of the groom, wore a becoming model in blue georgette.—Paducah Post.

WEDDING

Miss Vada Hicks and Sam J. Ross of Los Angeles, California, were married a few days past in Amarillo. They departed on their wedding tour for California and will make their home in Los Angeles, where Mr. Ross is engaged in the oil business. The bride was a teacher in the Memphis schools four years, and her many friends here wish for the young couple a long and happy married life.

TEXAS

By Phebe K. Warner

Texas' Greatest Enemies.

Ignorance, poverty, disease, crime. There they are. The greatest foes of any State and every Nation. Texas is not alone in her struggle against these foes. But she has allowed her full quota to exist in this day of wealth, education and Christianity.

We have tried to name them in the order of their responsibility to mankind. Most of us are inclined to place CRIME at the head of our list of foes in Texas and the world. But crime, like life, is not responsible for itself. Crime is a product of long years of sowing and cultivation. Crime is not so much the cause of things as the result. The end. Crime is the ripened harvest of years of ignorance, poverty and disease. Each of these enemies is the outgrowth of the other. Eliminate the first three and the last will disappear. Not entirely so long as human beings have tempers. But theoretically and in reality crime will decrease in ratio to the elimination of its causes just as disease and poverty will do.

The Laws of God.

The laws of life and hope and happiness are not past finding out. The Law of Cause and Effect is as simple as water running down hill. There is a reason for everything that happens in this world. The trouble with men and women is we do not get at the cause of things. We are always hammering away on the cure. And NOTHING will stay cured so long as the cause and source of the trouble is not destroyed. And that is just why man was born with a brain.

Man's One Asset.

Man's one asset over the lower animals is the power to think. The power to learn and know things. The power to reason. The power to judge. It has been given unto man to understand all the elements of life and earth and air and sea. He was endowed by his Creator with that invisible something called MIND. But what has man done with his mind? That most wonderful of all gifts and of all creations man has neglected, abused, dwarfed, starved and utterly refused to give his own mind a chance to serve himself to the best of its powers. And more men and women are neglecting, abusing, dwarfing, starving and utterly refusing to give their children's mind a chance to grow naturally and normally right today in this semi-enlightened age than are planning ways and means to develop the mind of their children to its highest power.

And Then We Wonder.

And then we wonder why every paper we pick up is full of crime. We say the world is getting worse every day. Who's getting worse? The children? Youth? Or the mature men and women? Nobody wants to get worse. But so many of us have already become victims of ignorance, poverty, disease and crime that we don't know now what to do with ourselves. So many of us have reached those conditions that it is almost impossible for us to do right. And that brings on the most universal of all troubles, UNHAPPINESS. That is the disease that is undermining so many of our homes and consequently our national life. Unhappiness. But what's the cause of so much unhappiness? The answer is, ignorance, poverty, disease and crime. And if you would try to put all these foes into one word it would be SELFISHNESS.

What Are the Results?

We are a Nation and a State of adult children. Little, narrow, undeveloped, childish minds in big, grown-up, 200-pound bodies, sometimes. Minds that belong to children of just a few years, but a few more pounds of physical material, meat and cash and kill. If they were little children in reality they would soon forget their foes. They would never kill one another. It's just grown-up, full-sized physical men and women who kill one another. Sometimes they are so very small in mind and soul that they even pick a child to kill instead of some one their size physically. But it is all so pathetic and unnecessary.

Corporal Punishment.

Has it ever done the world any good? Does it make life any safer? Has it ever had any effect on the universal ignorance of the race? Did it ever lead to a school of any kind? Has it ever prevented poverty in a single home? Has it ever brought happiness to a human soul? Has it ever healed a single disease of the mind, body or soul? Has it ever eliminated crime more than to merely eliminate the criminals? Yes, Corporal Punishment has reached the place where it seems almost like most of our other sins. We just have to practice it to get by. But it has never saved a sinner. It has never made its victim a better thing. It has never brought peace to anybody unless it was the convict himself. And after all it is all so unfair. For in the final day the victim of the electric chair or the gallows must pay

DIE in the electric chair. That boy has not been in school since he was twelve years old. He has been caring for a little cotton farm to support himself and his grandmother. His father died when the child was two years old. The mother tried to provide for her family by day labor. She did the best she could with her mental training and physical strength. Should a child pay with his life for all the misfortunes of the family? Where is our educational system? Where is our Christianity? Where is our humane society?

Texas' Greatest Assets.

Wealth untold. Health. Churches. Schools, the best in the nation. Opportunity everywhere. And a generation of boys and girls as capable as there are in the nation. But how are we using our assets to eliminate our enemies?

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The Better Kind of

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- 50 pairs Boy's Khaki Short Pants, regular \$1.00 values, Friday, Saturday and Monday, pair 49c
- Men's \$1.50 to \$2.50 Dress Shirts, all sizes from 14 to 20, Friday, Saturday and Monday for 90c
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- Men's Nainsook Union Suits, sold everywhere at 75c to 90c, our price 45c
- Men's Work Hose 9c
- Men's White, Black or Tan Dress Hose, per pair 9c
- Men's 50c and 75c suspenders 39c
- Girl's Gingham Dresses 45c
- Boy's \$1.00 Overalls 75c
- Boy's 85c Play Suits 49c
- Children's 100 Play Suits 45c
- 19c Gingham, now 10c
- One lot 20c to 35c Lawn 10c
- 20c to 35c Voiles 17c

Memphis Mercantile Co.

WE GIVE S & H GREEN STAMPS

-- JUNE SALE --

REDUCED PRICES ON ALMOST ALL SUMMER MERCHANDISE AND ON MANY ITEMS THAT CAN BE USED ALL YEAR. THERE ARE SOME BIG SAVINGS TO BE MADE AND THE SPECIALS BELOW WILL BEAR CLOSE READING

SHOE BARGAINS



About 100 pairs of Ladies' and Misses', also Children's, Shoes, odd lots in our stock out on the counter, and priced at from 65c to \$2.95

Some Real Bargains in This Lot



Twenty pairs of Men's Packard and R. J. & R. Oxfords and high shoes, at one time \$10 sellers, out on the counter at, special \$2.95

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

LADIES' SPRING COATS

Only a small assortment of Ladies' Spring Coats left. You may have your pick of the remaining numbers at Half Price

LADIES' APRONS 95c

Ten dozen fast color, well made, Gingham Aprons just as cheap as you can buy the materials at 95c



LADIES' DRESSES

All Summer Dresses, including Silks, Linens, Voiles, etc, many of them just received in the last week or two, all go at a discount of One-Fourth



GINGHAMS

30c grade MFC Gingham on sale at 24c
25c grade Ginghams on sale at 20c
20c Ginghams on sale at 16c
60c Gilbrae Ginghams on sale at 48c

STRIPED BROAD CLOTHS

A good assortment of high colors in Striped Broadcloths, Pongees and similar materials, at reductions of about One-Fourth

25c BLEACH DOMESTIC 18c

Our Best Quality 25c yard-wide Bleach Domestic on sale 18c

Ladies' Hats Reduced

All Spring Hats, both Ladies' and Children's are priced at a discount of almost

One Half



DOTTED VOILES

Ten pieces of fast color Dotted Voiles, all the good shades, this season's merchandise 48c

TOWELS 24c EACH

10 dozen large size Bleach Turkish Towels that sell regularly at 65c per pair, on sale at each 24c

25c PAJAMA CHECKS 20c

Five pieces of good quality 25c grade, yard-wide Pajama Checks, on sale, special 20c

5c LACES

50 pieces of good quality Laces that sold at from 6c to 10c per yard, Special 5c

Boys' Clothing



Now is the time to buy your Boy's Fall School Suit. We are carrying entirely too much Boy's Clothing. More than a store of this size should carry. To reduce this stock we are going to offer unrestricted choice of the entire stock at a discount of



It is only three months until your boy will need a Suit. These prices mean a hundred per cent interest on your money for three months. Better borrow the money, if you don't have it, and lay aside the Boy's Suit for the Fall Season.

Men's Wear

MEN'S SUITS



Every Man's Suit in our entire stock, regardless of size or color, both Summer and Winter weights, go on Sale at a saving of about One-Fourth

MEN'S OVERALLS \$1.25

Ten dozen pairs of Men's Overalls, sizes 30 to 42, our regular \$1.50 seller, on sale at \$1.25

MEN'S ATHLETIC UNIONS

Several dozen, all sizes, Men's Checked Nainsook Unions, our regular 75c quality 58c

MEN'S HIGH GRADE SHIRTS

Four dozen Men's no collar Eagle Shirts that sold at from \$2.50 to \$5.00, special to close this brand of Shirts \$1.95



Sale Begins Friday, June 12th

MEMPHIS

Greene Dry Goods Co

"THE BIG DAYLIGHT STORE"

TEXAS

W. M. Hughes and family of Lakeview will leave Monday of next week for Hope, Arkansas, where they will spend the summer. Mr. Hughes says he is going to spend most of his time fishing and eating channel cat. Here's wishing him good luck.

Mrs. J. S. McGill came in from Sulphur Springs, Texas, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. McGill will keep house at the S. O. Greene home while the family of Mr. Greene are sojourning in Sulphur, Oklahoma, for a few weeks.

Local and Personal

Ed Dishman, ginner of Hedley was a business visitor here Tuesday.

C. L. Hasie is out on the streets again after an operation a few days ago.

The many friends of J. F. Forkner are glad to see him able to be out on the streets again.

We handle the best Oil Stoves made. New Perfection and Florence. McKelvy & Reed. 50-1c

W. W. Beaty returned Sunday from Fort Worth, where he had been to get a new Hupmobile.

Carl Richards and family returned Sunday from a trip to Corpus Christi. They report an enjoyable time.

Lovic and Earl Thompson of Dallas came in Tuesday evening for a few days visit with homefolk here.

G. C. Baskerville spent several days at the camp of the Boy Scouts the past week, returning Tuesday night.

Miss Margaret Brewer left the latter part of last week for Canyon, where she will attend summer term of W. T. S. T. C.

Mrs. A. G. Powell departed Monday with the family of J. B. Landis for Bakersfield, California, where she will again make her home.

Henry Goodpasture is reported sick at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture, suffering with eye and throat trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stovall are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby girl at their home Tuesday afternoon. Mother and baby doing well.

Mrs. Fred Swift and daughter, Irene, left Wednesday morning for Houston, where they will visit Mrs. Swift's daughter, Mrs. Frank Meadows.

Alvin Thomas, Wendell Harrison, Donald Shepherd and Harry Baskerville, returned Tuesday night from the Boy Scout camp and report a great time during their stay.

Make cooking more pleasant by using an Oil Stove. Before buying let us demonstrate our New Perfection and Florence stoves. McKelvy & Reed. 50-1c

F. H. Boswell: "Never had better prospects for a crop at this time of the year. Have one hundred twenty-five acres planted to cotton and will start cultivating the second time this week."

Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Rogers will leave Friday morning for Abilene, where they will attend the State Meeting of the Christian Churches. They will go from there to Grand Prairie, where Rev. Rogers will hold a three weeks revival.

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Here and There

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Neighborhood News

Newlin News

Mrs. W. L. Kellison entertained a number of her friends Thursday at her home in Newlin with a birthday dinner, honoring Mrs. L. M. Cardwell. Neighbors and friends of Mrs. Cardwell in Newlin were invited to bring a certain part of the dinner which was a complete surprise to Mrs. Cardwell. All the ladies reported a splendid dinner and a very pleasant day.

Mrs. Ada Garrett is very seriously ill at this writing.

Miss Blanche Dodson of Hedley spent Saturday and Sunday in Newlin at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Harper.

Mrs. Beatrice Pierce returned to her home in Newlin on Wednesday of last week after attending school in Canyon the past term.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Nelson spent Sunday in Childress at the home of Mrs. Adams, who were celebrating their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Sankey McCulloch has been very sick for the past week, but is better at this writing. Her mother, Mrs. Hooper, of Plainview, spent a few days of last week with her.

The Epworth League was reorganized on Sunday afternoon by the pastor, Bro. McCree. Joe Ballard was elected president. A picnic will be given on Saturday afternoon for all the Leaguers, at the "62" wells south of Estelline. All the girls are asked to bring lunches, and the boys will furnish transportation and refreshments for the crowd. Everyone is invited that are, or have been members of the League in the past. Also there will be singing at the Methodist Church every Thursday night for everyone. Come and help with the singing.

Ham Nelson left Sunday night for Wichita Falls, where he will visit his mother, Mrs. Morgan, and will spend the summer as he has a position with the Morgan Machine Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Mullins entertained a host of neighbors and friends at their home near Newlin Saturday night, with a party in honor of their ninth wedding anniversary. The guests arrived shortly after eight o'clock and were entertained for a short while with music and singing, then they assembled together for some lively games, which lasted far into the evening. Refreshments were

Hulver Hints

The ladies of the W. M. U. entertained the Methodist Society at the home of Mrs. S. G. Hinton Monday afternoon. Several women from Memphis were expected, but all were disappointed, as they did not come. The time was spent in the study of stewardship and was interestingly conducted by Mrs. Hinton. Delicious refreshments of angel cake, devil's food cake, fruit jello and iced tea were served to about thirty members and visitors. All departed at a late hour voting the Baptist ladies splendid entertainers.

J. O. Spath and Mrs. Slover and little son, spent the week-end in Memphis each with their home-folk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Henderson are spending their vacation with the latter's mother, Mrs. J. W. Phillips.

Rev. W. R. Nelson filled his appointment Sunday morning. Ellsworth Henderson supplied at the night service.

Miss Pauline Hill and Owen Williams, lately of Canyon, were quietly married at the home Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nelson Wednesday night, after prayer meeting, only a few friends and relatives being present. Rev. Nelson officiated. They left for Canyon the latter part of the week, where they will make their home. These young people formerly lived here and their many friends join in wishing them much happiness.

Mrs. J. W. Phillips and children Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. E. Henderson and Mrs. A. L. Chapman enjoyed a fishing trip to Hancock Lake Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Norris Williamson

and children of Parnell spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Stout.

Deep Lake Doings

There were more out at Sunday School Sunday than the past two Sundays. Let's everybody continue to go to Sunday School regardless of the hot weather and fishing.

Mr. Souter's mother is visiting with the family this week.

Miss Gaynell Gilmore spent last week-end at Turkey with her parents.

Mrs. Albert Bevers and sons went to Amarillo Tuesday on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cummings, enjoying a turkey dinner.

Prof. Echols spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. Hale's family.

Miss Lela Bates of Claude is visiting with Miss Garvin.

Mrs. Allison and Miss Maggie spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Cope.

Mr. and Mrs. Luttrell and Tommie Lou spent Sunday with Mrs. Lila Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Goudy, Roy Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Morris and family, Arthur Gidden and family, the Methodist pastor and wife, of Lodge, and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Freel all enjoyed a fish fry Monday night.

NOTICE

I wish to announce that I have sold my Chiropractic practice to Dr. W. H. Frye, of Clarendon, Texas. I also wish to recommend Dr. Frye as a skilled Chiropractor, and ask that my patrons show him the same consideration as they have shown me in the past. 50-ltp.
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I wish to announce to my customers and the public that I have added the Hostess Cakes to my line of Staple and Fancy Groceries.

This layer cake is rich, has plenty of icing to make it good, and is cheaper and better than the one you bake at home.

We receive these Cakes on Tuesdays and Fridays, and have the following assortment: White, Orange, Chocolate, Coconut, Pineapple, Georgia, Devil Food and Angel Food.

Phone us your orders and have us save you one while they are fresh.

A. Womack Grocery
PHONES 262 and 600

Elite Incidents

L. E. Dennis suffered a great loss last Wednesday from fire. He lost two cars, a barn, about one hundred bundles of cane, and about a ton of maize. The loss was about \$2,000. It was not learned whether or not any insurance was carried.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart fixed a splendid dinner for the following on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stargel, Glen, Roy, Cecil and Early Stargel; Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Sloan and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDaniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones returned from a long visit in Central Texas last Monday.

Don't forget our graduating exercises this week. The play Thursday night, the graduating exercises Friday night, and a sermon for the Senior Class Sunday at 3:00 o'clock.

The school has been very successful the past year. It has been enjoyed very much. We are hoping to have a new building to begin school another year.

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I can thoroughly clean your car of Carbon within thirty minutes, in the most practical and scientific way. The cost is small and all my work is strictly guaranteed.

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Memphis, Texas

Personal and Local Paragraphs

E. P. Thompson made a business trip to Amarillo last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jenkins spent Sunday with relatives in Hedley.

Have you tried our American gasoline? Gerlach Bros.

Dr. W. S. Goddin, of Lakeview, was a Memphis visitor Wednesday.

Gus Stephenson of Wichita Falls was in the city Tuesday visiting friends.

Holmes McNeely is at Parnell this week working with the Highway engineers.

M. L. Dial returned Friday from a several weeks visit of North and South Texas.

Mr. Guy Kercherville of Newlin was in Memphis Tuesday shaking hands with friends.

Did you know you could buy a good Angel Food Cake for only 35c at Womack's Grocery. 48-tfc

A. K. Scott of Canton, Georgia, is in the city visiting with his cousins, M. L. and W. P. Dial.

P. M. Forkner of Breckenridge spent several days in the city last week visiting friends.

Elmer Prater is having a new garage and servant house built at his home on East Main street.

Rainey Elliott came in Tuesday from Tyler, where he has completed a course in cotton grading.

Mrs. Curtis Huckaby and baby went up to Clarendon Wednesday for a week's visit with relatives.

Joe Meacham, Roy Cooper and U. F. Coker of Turkey, were business visitors in Memphis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Welch, of near Shamrock were fishing at Deep Lake Saturday and Sunday.

Fresh South Texas Comb Honey, 5-pound bucket \$1.15. J. D. Guinn Grocery. 49-tfc

Mrs. R. C. Howerton came in Wednesday night from Abilene after several weeks visit with relatives.

M. J. Draper and family will leave this Thursday for a two months stay on his ranch near San Angelo.

Before buying a refrigerator be sure and see the Automatic Refrigerator. McKelvey & Reed. 50-1c

Mrs. J. M. Ryan of Vernon is moving to Memphis, having recently purchased the T. B. Brooks property.

Miss Helen McNeely departed Monday for Norman, Oklahoma, where she will teach in the State University.

J. H. Norman and family departed Tuesday for an extended trip to San Antonio and other South Texas points.

E. M. Ewen, who has been attending the State University, returned home for the summer last Sunday evening.

Lafayette Pounds left for Dalhart Sunday evening, where he will be employed as a brick mason for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Ball and little daughter, of Vernon, spent Sunday in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Harrison.

The Clark Drug Company has this week installed a new cold drink fountain, made of white marble, that is very attractive.

W. C. Jenkins and wife of Waxahachie are in the city for an extended visit with the family of their son, Jesse Jenkins.

Mrs. P. A. James returned from Childress Friday morning, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ruth Butcher.

Tiny Randall came in Thursday of last week from Galveston, where he has been attending medical college the past year.

Summer time calls for an oil stove. You can get a New Perfection or a Florence, the best made, at McKelvey & Reed. 50-1c

Mrs. M. C. Suggs, Misses Carolyn and Nell McNeely are spending the week at the rural home of Mrs. and Mrs. W. L. O'Rear.

Mrs. C. H. Wood of Breese, New Mexico, arrived here Sunday, where she will stay a week with her daughter, Mrs. S. L. Keithly.

W. L. O'Rear and wife were in Memphis Monday. Mrs. Suggs, mother of Mrs. O'Rear, returned home with them for a few days visit.

Miss Beth Moreland of Durant, Oklahoma, came in last week and will spend the summer with the family of her uncle, J. G. Gardner.

Buy your groceries at Womack's Grocery and you won't have any grocery trouble. 48-tfc

J. N. Cudd came in from Corpus Christi Thursday for a month's visit and reports cotton about ready to pick in his section of the country.

Misses Blanche Temple and Ruth Thomason departed Wednesday night for a summer visit with relatives and friends in Los Angeles, California.

We appreciate your patronage at this store, and offer you in return the fullest values and most courteous service. J. D. Guinn Grocery. 49-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Pool and family and Arval Montgomery of near Shamrock visited with relatives in Memphis and at Plaska Saturday and Sunday.

G. A. Sager and Judge A. C. Hoffmann returned Tuesday night from Dalhart, where they had been attending the meeting of the Gulf-Colorado Highway.

Phone us your order and we will deliver you the freshest and best vegetables in town, in time for dinner. J. D. Guinn Grocery. 49-tfc

Mrs. G. N. Scruggs and children of Wellington came over Tuesday to bring Mrs. Scruggs' mother, Mrs. McCrory, who had been visiting her several weeks.

Mrs. S. A. Bryant and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, will leave Sunday for an extended visit with friends and relatives in Abilene, Cisco, Hamlin and Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. Penn Johnson and Mrs. Adams of Hedley, attended the band concert Friday night at the high school auditorium, given by the Masonic Home Band.

You can get white layer, orange, chocolate, cocoanut, pineapple, and Devil's Food Cake at Womack's Grocery on Tuesdays and Fridays. 48-tfc

Miss Irene Beaty, a student of C. I. A. during the past year, returned home Sunday evening. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beaty from Fort Worth.

Misses Martha DeBerry and Ila Joe Leslie, who have been attending C. I. A., at Denton, during the past year, returned home for the summer vacation Sunday morning.

Mrs. Virgil Porter of Wellington was in Memphis the latter part of last week on her way to visit the family of her father, Rev. R. C. Baker, at Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Frank White of Clarendon, claim adjuster for the Fort Worth and Denver, was in Memphis Wednesday or business. He reported a light rain at Clarendon Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mary Moore and Mrs. E. C. Phillips and son, of Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. J. R. Horn and daughter, Miss May, of Quanah, are visiting Mrs. S. E. Draper this week.

Curtis Cudd has purchased the new home being erected by R. L. Ragsdale and will have same completed. Many homes are being erected and rent houses are at a premium.

G. A. Sager, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, attended the State Highway Meeting at Dalhart Monday and Tuesday. He reports an interesting and profitable meeting.

A new bright colored ice wagon was put in service by the Memphis Electric & Ice Co., Friday morning. This is one of the usual habits of the light company—brightening up things.

"After Six Days," teaches you more about the early life of man in two hours than the reading of a lifetime. See this gorgeous production at the Palace Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

Scoutmaster Sam Hamilton returned Sunday from the Boy Scout Camp and reports the boys in camp having a fine time, and they are all well, looking for action and begging for thrills.

Fred Boswell with his two sons went up to the Boy Scout Camp Saturday and spent two days in the camps with the boys. He reports the boys having a good time and all in fine spirits.

Joseph's Triumphant Return To Egypt In "After Six Days" At Palace Theatre



Alvin Baldwin returned this morning from Baylor University, at Waco, where attended school the past term.

H. O. Smith, of Canyon, returned home Friday, after a short visit with relatives here. Mrs. Smith will spend the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hortman of Memphis.

Mrs. J. T. Worrell and children came in Saturday from a pleasant visit at Vernon. Mrs. Homer Evans, mother of Mrs. Worrell, returned with them and will spend the summer in Memphis.

Rev. C. E. Richter and family, Mrs. T. Kittinger and James Simon leave this Thursday for a month's visit in Cimmaron County, and then into New Mexico, where they will visit at Portales and Las Vegas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Major departed Saturday for Vernon, where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Andrews. Mr. Major will return this week and Mrs. Major will remain for an extended visit.

Erwin Crawford, who has been visiting with his sister, Mrs. C. E. Richter for the past week few weeks, left Tuesday for Plainview to visit with his sister, Mrs. Walker, for a month before returning here.

We invite you to come in and inspect our Automatic Refrigerator, whether you are ready to buy or not. McKelvey & Reed. 50-1c

R. C. Cox and two daughters came over from Hale Center Monday and spent the night in the city with Mr. Cox's father. Mr. Cox was taking his two daughters to visit their grandmother in Hollis, Oklahoma.

Prof James returned Wednesday from Boy Scout camp. He was attacked with indigestion and was forced to return home. He reports a splendid concert Tuesday night and boys all in a happy frame of mind.

Real scenes photographed in the Sahara Desert, Babylonia, Mesopotamia, Egypt and Palestine are to be seen in "After 6 Days," a visualization of the Old Testament, showing Wednesday and Thursday at the Palace Theatre.

Dr. and Mrs. M. McNeely and W. M. Walker departed Sunday for Fort Worth, where they will join an excursion party for the Rio Grande Valley. They will go via Houston and Galveston on their way to the valley.

The following visitors were in the city Friday from Wellington, attending the Masonic exercises and band concert: R. L. Gillentine and wife, Dr. H. B. Worley and wife, Aubrey M. Dobbs, J. M. Strong and Elizabeth Sherwood.

Rush Crews and family, who have been living in the Jeff Thompson home, are this week moving to the ranch near Matador, where they will spend the summer, returning here in time for the beginning of school in September.

Mrs. Maude Conway and son of Ardmore, Oklahoma, were in the city last week visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. McKelvey. Mrs. McKelvey's father also came with them and will remain during the month of June. Her father is ninety years old and very feeble.

Dr. T. L. Lewis and wife left this week, he for Cleveland, Ohio, as a delegate to the National Convention of Rotarians. Mrs. Lewis will visit in Omaha. After the convention they will meet and visit Chicago, Buffalo, Niagra and Toronto, before coming home.

J. B. Landis and family departed Monday morning for an extended trip to Exeter, California. Mr. Landis hopes to be benefitted by the change. He also had the Democrat to follow him in order that he might keep abreast of the doings in this section while he was away.

T. J. Dunbar returned Friday from the Boy Scout camp to attend to some business matters. He returned again the early part of this week. Mr. Dunbar as well as the others who have visited this camp are very enthusiastic over this mode of outing and the discipline of the camp routine. The boys are all well and enjoying their stay in the canyon.

The Palace Theatre is showing moving pictures of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce activities at Mineral Wells, Wednesday afternoon and night and Thursday at the local theatre. The Memphis band and delegation was shown in the picture four different times thus giving Memphis some splendid advertising. Altogether the picture was a splendid reproduction of many of the street scenes during the convention.

CASH AND CARRY

SWEETS
Texas Pure Comb Honey, can -- 75c
Pure Sugar Syrup, can ----- 20c
Preserved whole Figs, jar ----- \$1.00

BROOMS
Plain handle, 4 string for ----- 49c
Painted handle, 5 string for ----- 65c

CEREALS
Puffed Rice and Puffed Wheat. Wheat Flakes cook in 3 minutes, pkg. 20c

PICKLES
Whole cucumber, gal. can ---- 85c
Stuffed sweet, can ----- 50c

FLOUR
Amarylis and Smith's Best.

COFFEE
White Swan with Glass and Coaster.

T. R. GARROTT

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FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE—Maize and cotton seed. W. A. Miller, five miles southeast of Memphis. 50-3p

FOR SALE—One house and two lots, North 8th Street, Memphis. Also, house furniture. Roy Lewis. 50-2p

FOR SALE or TRADE—Practically new 1925 model Ford coupe. See J. F. Forkner. 50-tc

FOR SALE—Cow pony, good looking; price \$30. See Mrs. H. Bassett, Oxbow. 50-1p

WHY PAY MORE—25 model Chevrolet for \$570.—Highway Garage, Wellington, Texas. Phone 74. 43tfc

FOUND AND LOST

LOST—One red gum boot between Deep Lake and Memphis. Finder return to Memphis Democrat and receive reward. L. T. Offield. 50-1c

THE YOUNG MAN—Who carried a go-devil from Frank's wagon yard Tuesday of last week had better settle with W. L. Patton at once or risk the consequences. 50-1p

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms Phone 425. 50-1c

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Students in Telegraphy. For full information, inquire at Western Union Office, W. R. Hall. 1c

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We are pleased to announce installation of our new modern iceless Soda Fountain.

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J. F. Forkner, Prop.

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\$15 Victrola

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"The House With the Goods"

Sure Death Insect Powders and Spray

When it is so simple to rid any infested place of flies and insects by sprinkling a little El Vampiro Powder or Spraying a little Tanglefoot Spray about, why not come here and get a can?

We also have Sprayers in stock at 35c each.

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