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Washington Birthday Tea.

If the men and women of Memphis wish to take part in one of the unique and most attractive receptions on the top of the earth take advantage of the affair that is now being planned by the committee of ladies from the Presbyterian Church's Helpers. It is to be given at the beautiful home of Mrs. F. A. Finch in south Memphis. February 22nd is the date. From 5 to 9 p. m. are the hours. Don't forget. Some interesting characters will be there; among others, the honorable George and the more honorable Martha. The ladies call it a reception and it will be but it won't be so stiff and formal as the same sounds. The sights and attractions connected with this affair are enough to compel you to come if you only knew. The reception is for all, young and old no matter what your color. We expect some painted ones to be there.) No admission but 10 cents for the extra high class of service with the refreshments. The proceeds go to the Ladies Building Fund.

Business Change.

Since writing another article regarding the sale of the Pandale Jewelry Store last Saturday to a Mr. Gum, we understand that the trade fell through and since that time the stock was sold to E. M. Leutwyler of Vernon. Mr. Leutwyler accompanied by his wife and little daughter were in the city Tuesday making arrangements with Mr. Chas. Oren to take charge of and continue the business in the same stand. The store will be run under the same name. Mr. Leutwyler will ship in quite a lot more of fine stock to replenish the present one and all the stock now on hand will be sold out at one-half the cost price in order to get a fresh stock before the public. Mr. Oren will have charge of the business for the present.

Cone Johnson Club.

We the undersigned call a meeting at the court house Saturday night at 7:30 for the purpose of organizing a Cone Johnson Club.

WM. FORE,
J. G. ADRISSON,
JOHN D. BIRD,
W. P. CAGLE,
Committee.

A. Baldwin is in the northern and eastern markets buying spring and summer dry goods and clothing for A. Baldwin & Co. He is expected home the latter part of this week.

Her Father's Crime.

Barden Lefferts, of Chicago, is in town arranging for a local production at the Opera House, March 4th and 5th, in the beautiful four-act society melodrama "Her Father's Crime." Will be presented for the benefit of the Memphis Band. Mr. Lefferts has presented this play for sev-



eral local benefits and it has always been a great success. He is securing some of the best local talent of Memphis, and promises the theater goes a fine production. Mr. Lefferts is a very pleasant gentleman to meet, and as an actor has very few equals. No doubt he will be greeted by a large attendance on the nights of the productions. At the Armwood Opera House, Friday and Saturday, March 4th and 5th. Admission, reserved seats 50c and general admission 35c.

Miss Ruth Gist Entertains.

Miss Ruth Gist, was the charming hostess of the J. Y. G. Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 6, the occasion being in honor of Miss Katherine Brantley who left the next evening for her future home in Kingsville. After all business was transacted the club spent the remainder of the afternoon in playing games which was much enjoyed by all. A delightful salad course was served to the following:

Club members. Misses Katherine Brantley, Myrtle Lock, Fay Wheat, Bertha and Annie Thompson, Rachael and Anna Moores, Neddie Roberts, Ruth Gist, Mesdames Montgomery, Baskerville, Greene. Invited guests, Miss Myrtle Magness, Mesdames Ellis, Dickey, Gist, and Mr. Brantley.

Ask Rev. Frank about his plans for a Y. M. C. A. building for Greater Memphis. Think what a drawing card it would be for our town as well as a protection to the moral and physical being of our young men.

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Brakeman on Denver Hurt.

Last Sunday morning a special train was going south on the Fort Worth & Denver and just this side of Carey, the brakeman by the name of Doran in attempting to step from a low car to a higher one, was thrown from the top of the car down between the cars and out on to the ground. The accident was not discovered by any of the crew and as No. 19 was coming north a short while afterwards, the man was discovered along side the track. The wheels of the cars from which he had been thrown had passed over the tip ends of his gloves he was wearing when thrown from the cars, but his fingers had not been touched. The man was brought to Memphis where the company physician made an examination and found that his back and shoulder was badly sprained from the fall and then he was conveyed to the hospital at Amarillo. It is almost a miracle that he was not killed.

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THE REXALL STORE.

For City Marshal.

In the announcement column of the Democrat this week will be found the name of Pritchett Montgomery for the office of City Marshal of the City of Memphis. Mr. Montgomery has been a resident of Memphis for the past two years and is well known to the people of Memphis. He is capable of performing the duties imposed on him should he be elected and he promises if elected to perform the duties of the office in a fair and impartial way. His name is submitted to the voters of Memphis and he asks a fair and impartial consideration of his claim at the polls at the coming election.

Wedding Chimes.

On Monday night, February 14th, at the Presbyterian Manse occurred the wedding of Mr. R. Q. Anderson and Miss Etta Gregory, both of Memphis.

The ceremony was pronounced in solemnity befitting the occasion at about nine o'clock. The young couple left immediately to take the night train for Estelline.

Mr. Anderson has fitted up a nice home in Estelline so as to be near his ranch. He believes in trying to surround his bride with comforts.

The entire community join in wishing great joy and happiness to the newly married couple.

During the last few months the Presbyterian wedding bell has been called into service on several occasions. Rev. Frank is becoming somewhat discouraged not that his young women members are sought in marriage but that every one of them as soon as they are married move out of town. It is about to depopulate the church.

Henry Hudgins and wife living down on Indian Creek are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born last Friday night. This is their first boy in the family all the others being girls.

Cotton Report.

The following number of bales have been received at the two local yards up to Wednesday afternoon:

Farmer's Union yard... 4703
Memphis Cotton yard... 3506

Local Market Report.

The following is a corrected market report for week ending Wednesday February 16.

Butter, per pound	25c
Eggs, per dozen	16c
Chickens, per dozen	\$3.00
Cotton, per hundred	\$14.00
Cotton, Seed per ton	\$20.00

Hip Broken.

G. H. Broome, father of C. W. Broome, had the misfortune of falling off the steps at the home of C. W. Broome last Saturday night sustaining a fracture of the hip. It was dark and the old gentlemen fell in the darkness. The wounded member was set by physicians and he is now getting along as nicely as could be expected. We trust it will not be very long until he will be up and about again.

Obituary.

After an illness of three weeks W. L. Hurst died at his home in North Memphis February 11, 1910, aged 23 years 8 months and 4 days. After a short service at the house conducted by Eld. Humphreys. The W. O. W. of which he was an honored member took charge and in their beautiful and impressive "Burial Service" the body was lovingly and tenderly laid to rest in Fairview cemetery, beside his brother Henry L. who had preceded him to this silent city of the dead 12 days. The sorely afflicted family have the sympathy of the entire community in this hour of bereavement.

L. H. HUMPHREYS.

Public Health Meeting.

Given under the auspices of the Hall County Medical Society, Friday, February 25, 1910, 7:30 p. m. at court house.

The general public is cordially invited and earnestly requested to be present at this all important meeting. It is given in the interest and for the benefit of the people in general for the purpose of discussing subjects of paramount importance along lines of public sanitation and the prevention of contagious and infectious diseases. Short brief, spicy and instructive papers will be read and discussed upon topics of special importance to carry out the plans of the Hall County Medical Society to improve and upbuild public sanitation and to protect the public health. The entire program will not last over one hour and a half.

J. Q. DURHAM,
J. W. GREENWOOD,
W. C. DICKEY,
Committee.

Messrs. W. V. Darnell and E. P. Ford W. B. McBride of Hedley were business visitors in Memphis Monday. They report a very bright outlook for the thriving city of Hedley when the new depot gets under construction.

The supply of school sunbonnets at the Famous is immense. All colors and styles, prices 35c and 50c. Adjustable crown.

Mission Established.

Rev. Charlie Robinson with a corps of christian workers arrived in Memphis last week and have rented the old grain building on Main street where they are now conducting a fifteen days meeting. It is thought that a mission will be established here and that there will be at least three services each week after the meeting has closed. They have missions in almost all the large cities and there is no reason why Memphis should not have one. There is a certain class of people in every town that will never hear a sermon preached if they have to go to church to hear it, and this mission work will probably be the means of reaching some person or persons who would not otherwise ever hear the word of God preached, if they did not hear it in this way. These people are doing a good work.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

In this issue will appear the name of B. F. King as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. Mr. King needs no introduction to the public as he has served the voters of this precinct for the past three or four years with credit to himself and the county. Mr. King asks a fair consideration of the voters in the coming election and promises to fill the office to the best of his ability should he be elected.

New Club Organized.

The Harmony Club was organized Wednesday, February 9, 1910 with sixteen members for the purpose of study and advancement of music. The following officers were elected:

Mrs. E. L. Houghton, Pres.;
Mrs. E. J. Thorne, Vice Pres.;
Miss Anna Moores, Rec. Sec.;
Mrs. H. M. Frank, Critic; Mrs. W. C. Dickey, press reporter.
The club will meet with Mrs. Baskerville, February 24, 1910.

Press Reporter.

The Presbyterian church had planned to have a week's meeting beginning on Tuesday night but owing to the fact that Dr. Kirkos of Amarillo could not come at present the meeting will be postponed until some date in the near future. Bro. Burkes of Quanah was in Memphis on Tuesday looking into the church building proposition. He preached in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday night and left for Quanah Wednesday morning. He spoke very encouragingly about the proposed new church for Memphis.

Read The Democrat.

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This would be a great and glorious old world in a few years if our children would only achieve what we expect and predict for them.

In these days of scramble and rush we often wish that the boys would learn how much of wisdom there is in the old Latin motto, "Festina lente"—hasten slowly. Scores of young men are betrayed into impudence by their impetuosity. They are always in haste and always distanced.

St. Valentine's Day.

Superstition is nearly as old as man and that it exists now quite as strong though not as wide spread as in the early ages of our world, is proved by the various rites and ceremonies practiced on certain days throughout the year. Even those who ridicule them, yet participate in them "just for fun" have a lingering half-suspicion in their minds that they might come true; especially is this the case when inclination points the way. St. Valentine is the acknowledged patron saint of lovers; and the peculiar customs connected with the day were referred to by writers nearly 500 years ago. The St. Valentine who suffered martyrdom on the 14th of February was one of fifty-two saints of that name but nothing has ever been found in his life or in the lives of any of them, that would give occasion for the singular observances of the day. It has been maintained that it was an ancient custom among the Romans during the Lupercalia, celebrated in the month of February, for the boys and men to draw the names of their future wives in honor of their goddess, Februate Juno, and that the Christian clergy finding it absolutely impossible to abolish this heathen practice changed it to a religious ceremony by writing on the slips of paper instead of the names of women those of particular saints whom they were to follow and imitate during the year.

In England, Scotland, France and some other parts of the continent it was formerly the custom of the young people to meet, write each other's or some of their acquaintances' names on a slip of paper, which were thrown into a box from which they were drawn, the men taking the girls' names and visa versa. The person thus drawing became one's valentine and for a whole year was bound to devote himself to the one who drew him. Sometimes, of course, this led to real engagements between the parties, and often tricks were played in such a way that the slips of paper fell into the hands they were meant for. During the fifteenth century married people could be chosen as well as those who were not married, and often very valuable presents were exchanged.

What to Take During 1910.

Take this paper.
Take comfort—if you can.
Take things easy—within reason.
Take the girl you love to be your wife.
Take care of your health.
It is the most valuable thing you have.
Take a hint when it is intended

Crude Thoughts From The Editorial Pen

for you. Don't wait to be knocked down.

Take flattery as an insult, and an honest compliment as something to be grateful for.

Take pains to be faithful and conscientious in business. It will bring you success.

Take offense only at things worth being offended at. It is a sure evidence of a small mind to notice trifles.

Take hold of any work that comes to your hand rather than be idle. Luck always waits upon the busy man.

Take time to be polite and kind always. Rudeness never pays, the boor may think so but he is wrong.

Take trouble like a man. Don't go whining about when it comes, but shut your mouth and stand up under it resolutely.

Take a trip now and then, and try to see something outside of the home town you live in. Travel is one of the greatest of educators.

Take pains to do your work well. The conscientious worker is the one who gets to the front—and the one who never needs to be idle.

Take care that you make this day a model for all the days to come—and then copy after it. Live this day so that it will bring you no regrets.

Take time, young man, to go out with your sister. If she is a good girl she is much more desirable company for you than the other girl who flirts with you so desperately.

Take the sunshine into your life as something to be grateful for; don't darken it with shadows of your own making. Trouble will come soon enough without your coining it.

Take your wife and children with you when you go out to be amused. That is not a proper amusement for you that you cannot take your wife to—and you know it.

Take as much care of your money as you can, if your means are limited; but don't try to save your smiles or your kind words. The more liberal you are with these the more you will have.

Take a walk—several of them. It is healthful to walk, and it is a nice moonlight night and some rich old man's pretty daughter is hanging on your arm, it is especially healthful.

Take time young woman to be kind to your brother—and go out with him when he wishes you to do so. He is one of your best friends, sure. He will protect you always. Take time to be good to him.

Take pains to hear both sides of a story before you come to a decision. Jumping at a conclusion, one time and another, has filled the world with enemies and deluged in it blood. Wait to hear both sides of a story before you speak.

Take a wife if you are able to support a wife, a very, very stylish one. It is every good able bodied man's duty to help some good woman through the world. Where would you be now if your father had not done this?

Take heart, if you are cast down. Your luck will change ere the year is out. What though the clouds do cover you now, the sun will shine by and by. No life is made up altogether of shadows, and God never yet wholly deserted a resolute

man or a brave woman. Fight on and victory will come at last.

Take a rest if you are able to afford it. Rest is sweet and you don't wear out while you are resting. The Savior bade the weary to come unto Him, and he promised them—rest.

Little Brother.

Once upon a time a lonely little boy began praying for a baby brother. Finally he suggested that he had waited a long time and hoped the Lord would hurry up matters. In a few days the "little brother" arrived. Looking at the baby the little boy said: "Gee! He's a funny looking thing! Can't talk, can't walk, ain't got any hair and he ain't got any teeth—he ain't finished! Wish I hadn't been in such a big hurry.—Scrap Book.

Mistake In Order.

"Ma'am, here's a man at the door with a parcel for you."
"What is it Bridget?"
"It's a fish, ma'am, and it's marked C. O. D."
"Then make the man take it straight back to the dealer. I ordered trout."

New Postoffice Order.

Postoffice Department officials have ordered that all stamps sold through postoffice windows shall be delivered with the gummed side up. The purpose of this is to prevent possible spread of disease germs should the stamps be delivered face up. Many hands and pieces of money come in contact with the board or glass in a stamp window on which the stamps are usually placed by the clerk when a sale is made, and if a germ should fasten onto the gummed side of the stamp, it would probably be communicated to some one soon, as most people moisten the stamps with their tongue. The order is as follows:

"Office of the First Assistant Postmaster General, Washington, D. C., Feb. 4, 1910.—Postmasters are directed to instruct postoffice employees who sell postage stamps to purchasers to handle the stamps in such a manner that the gummed surface will not come in contact with the base of the stamp window.
C. P. GRANFIELD,
First Assistant Postmaster General."

Sends Ticket to wife; Sister Uses It And Will Be Deported!

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 10.—Joseph Schoenborn of Youngstown, steadily declines to consider an imported sister-in-law as a substitute for his wife and little Maria Nezibitokwa, twenty years old, in consequence is in jail. The immigration authorities have her, alleging that she is an alien brought here under false pretenses.

Schoenborn sent transportation to his wife in Poland to enable her to join him in his home. His amazement was intense therefore, when little Maria, with the remnant of Mrs. Schoenborn's transportation in her pocket, appeared in the stead of his beloved Bronislava. The fact that she was his wife's sister and pretty did not stay him from entering bitter complaint to the immigration inspectors.

Investigation by the department showed that she had entered the country as "Mrs. Joseph Schoenborn, bound for Youngstown to join her husband," and the inspector who addressed her says she innocently confessed to purloining her sister's ticket, in a natural desire to see the world. Schoenborn insisted that he wanted his wife and to no substitute, and under orders is sued from the immigration bureau the girl is being held for deportation.

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THEY ARE AFTER COUNTRY EDITORS.

Government Inspectors Revising Newspaper Subscription Lists.

The government is now sending out inspectors to examine the subscription books of the country newspapers with a view to getting all subscription lists on a "paid in advance" basis. With weekly papers, subscribers must be paid up within a year of the date of inspection. The Clifton, Ill., Advertiser is the appearance of an inspector by the name of A. C. Train, who is now working in his vicinity. The order was originally made to shut out the papers issued by mail order houses, which had no regular list, but it seems that it is to be enforced rigidly among the weekly papers of the country. The ruling would work a hardship among the weekly papers of the country. The government, realizing that such a ruling would work a hardship among country publishers, has been very lenient so far, in order to give them a chance to adapt themselves to the rule. As two years have gone by since the order was made, the government evidently thinks that enough time has been given and will strictly enforce the rule from now on.—Exchange.

Notice to Creditors.

State of Texas County of Hall To The Creditors E. M. Stallings: You are hereby notified that E. M. Stallings of the County of Hall on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1910, executed a deed of assignment conveying to the undersigned all of his property for the benefit of each of his creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of his estate and discharge him of their respective claim and that the undersigned accepted said trust and is duly qualified as required by law. All creditors consenting to said assignment must within four months after the publication of this notice make known to the assignee their consent in writing, and within six months from the date of this notice file their claim prescribed by law, with undersigned, who resides at Memphis, Texas, which is also his post office address. Witness my hand this 8th day of February A. D. 1910. S. M. PEDIGO, Assignee. Read the Democrat and live happy.

Stabs Friend After Struggle In Dark.

Groveton, Texas, Feb. 10.—Carleton Swinney, aged 23 years, last night was killed with a butcher knife by S. T. Lockard in the kitchen of the latter's home.

The young man had been living with his mother, Mrs. Mattie E. Swinney, where he was being treated for mental derangement.

He broke away from his attendants about 11 o'clock and entered the Lockard home where he went into the bedroom.

There he bent over the sleeping wife of Lockard until the latter awoke. Mrs. Lockard awoke too and screamed for a revolver.

Lockard grappled with his man and a struggle in the dark through the hall, down into the kitchen ensued. There in the darkness Lockard took the butcher knife with which he stabbed Swinney twice.

The house was in an uproar by that time and lamps were lighted when to the horror of the blood-stained Lockard he discovered that he had killed one of his best friends.

A pretty Ohio school teacher made the mistake of pinning her belt three years ago with a needle; the needle ran into her back and could not be found. Just the other day it was discovered working out of the arm of one of the trustees of that same school who kept her steady company about the time the needle was lost. It was recognized, as being the same needle by the expression of the eye.—The Bungalow.

The musical entertainment at the Pastime Theater last Thursday night was listened to by a large crowd. The reading which was to have been given during the evening's entertainment was left off the program on account of the weather being so unfavorable the parties who were to give the readings could not be present.

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ALDERMEN DODGING POLICE.

One Little Rock Councilman Refuses to Respond to Summons and Attachment is Issued.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 8.—The police were unable today to locate the seven insurgent Aldermen. Service was served on Alderman J. H. Hollis, but he refused to make answer. An attachment was issued for him today. The others are said to be out of the city.

The disruption arose over the contest for the acting Mayorship between Aldermen Powers and Startman. The Startman men, seeing they were in the minority, left the City Hall and refused to attend the meeting.

After a short session today the council adjourned until Thursday.

For Sale.

One two story brick building 25x80 feet on lot 25x140 feet, plate glass and pressed brick front, cement walk in front of building, well located in business part of city, rent for \$1500 per year and leased for two years. A bargain if sold at once. Would consider smooth section of land close in unimproved at reasonable price. Balance cash. Also new five-room bungalow four blocks from main part of city, on corner of lot 75x140 feet, 100 feet of cement walk, good barn, buggy house, electric lights in house also in brick building. See or write. 27tf J. M. BOGARD Hereford Tex.

F. O'Hern returned Thursday night from New Orleans where he had been taking in the Mardi Gras.

Notice Of Bankrupt Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the entire stock of The Panhandle Jewelry Store E. L. Trulove, Proprietor, Bankrupt Stock will be sold in bulk on the 12th day of February, 1910, at 2 o'clock, p. m. to the highest and best bidder for cash. Said sale will take place at the place of business of the late E. L. Trulove, Memphis, Texas. J. L. BAIN, Assignee.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County—GREETING;

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hall for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, L. F. Robbins whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. B. F. King, Justice Peace Precinct No. 1, Hall County at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County, of Hall at the Court House thereof, in Memphis on the 5th day of March, 1910, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 5th day of February A. D. 1910, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 430, wherein W. K. Hollifield and L. P. Hollifield, composing W. K. Hollifield & Co. plaintiffs, and W. J. Butler, L. F. Robbins and W. M. Day are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: For \$75 due on a note given by L. F. Robbins to W. K. Hollifield & Co. on 6th month, 5th day 1909, and due 10th month, 15th day 1909, at Memphis, Texas, 10% interest and providing for the usual attorney's fees. Secured by mortgage on forty-five acres of cotton growing on Alfred Ogden's farm in Hall County, 1909; and for foreclosure of mortgage lien. The defendants W. J. Butler and W. M. Day are sued for the value of one bale of cotton gathered from the above crop and converted to their own use, in the sum of \$65.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, this, the 5th day of February A. D. 1910.

B. F. KING, J. P. Precinct No. 1 Hall County, Texas.

Clean-Up Day for Texas. March 10.

To Health Officers, City and County Authorities and Women's Clubs; March 10 has been selected as the annual Clean-Up Day for Texas. On this date, for several years Texas sanitarians have made a special effort at purifying our State. I therefore, call upon you now to do all in your power officially and privately to rid our State of filth and its products. Let each man cleanse his premises, each woman her house, and each officer his territory. To secure concerted action, each parliamentary body is requested to pass resolutions urging all Texans to observe Clean-Up day. Very respectfully, W. M. BRUMBY, President State Board of Health.

To the Farmers.

I am prepared to handle boll cotton. I have installed new huller gin and have new boll thresher and cleaner. Will buy bolls or bale cotton after ginned. 28-6tp. Ed. CLIFTON, Newlin, Texas.

Notice to Creditors.

The State of Texas, County of Hall, To the Creditors of E. L. Trulove, You are hereby notified that E. L. Trulove of Memphis, Hall County, Texas, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1910, executed a deed of assignment, conveying to the undersigned all of her property for the benefit of such of her creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of her estate and discharge her from their respective claims and that the undersigned accepted said trust, and has duly qualified as required by law.

All Creditors consenting to said assignment, must within four months after the publication of this notice make known to the assignee their consent in writing and within six months from date of this notice file their claims, prescribed by law with the undersigned, who resides at Memphis, Texas, which is also her Post Office address.

Witness my hand, this February 2, 1910. J. L. BAIN, Assignee.

A. W. Read returned Friday morning from a business trip out in El Paso county.

FOR RENT—Three nice rooms up stairs in front of Democrat office. These rooms make nice living rooms or office rooms. Apply at the Democrat office.

EGGS FOR SALE—Full blood Rhode Island Red, 50c a setting. Call on Mrs. M. C. Glasco, three miles south of Eli.

G. M. Bush John A. Bush
G. M. BUSH & SON
REAL ESTATE and LOAN AGENTS
Fire and Tornado Insurance
Money to Loan on large Pastures from \$25,000 up. Interest 10 per cent for first year and 8 per cent thereafter. Term 5 years
Office up stairs in Mickle Building MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Panhandle Land FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

I have some of the best city and farm property in Hall and adjoining counties on my list which I can sell at low prices and easy terms. Anyone desiring information regarding the Panhandle Country will be furnished same by writing to

J. R. Brumley, MEMPHIS, TEXAS

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Anything and everything in the way of high-grade commercial printing. Our assortment of job type is complete, our press facilities of the best, and our workmen true typographical artists. This tells all the story of our facilities for doing job printing of the right kind at the right prices.

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To the Cotton Raisers

We have just received several hundred dollars worth of the latest improved Boll Machinery, and are now better prepared to give you the very best results from Bolls, better than you have ever gotten before.

We Guarantee Our Sample

to be the best, and our turn-out as good or better than you can get in Hall County. We also buy Bolls and pay the highest market price.
Yours for good ginning,

Burnett & Moreman

Our Store is Headquarters ...FOR...

WERTHIMER SWARTZ..... SHOES

They are above reproach in Style and finish. We have them for the baby, the child, the youth, for men and women.

We still have a number of Shoes in broken lines which we are putting out cheap. Ask about them, there are some rare bargains among them.

Yours for bargain and for business.

Memphis Supply Co.

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The Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Record and the Memphis Democrat together with the New Home Library Wall Chart showing splendid maps of Texas, the United States and the world, all for only \$1.75

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Our Great Proposition

Remember, our paper one year, The Semi-Weekly Record, Tuesday and Friday, for one year, and the splendid Wall Chart, all three for \$1.75 when called for at this office. Fifteen cents extra is charged to cover postage and packing if the chart is to be mailed to you instead of being delivered at this office

Second Offer

Or the Semi-Weekly Record one year and the Wall Chart for \$1.00 at this office; fifteen cents extra if chart is to be mailed to you.

This is the greatest value for your money ever offered. Act now. Order at once, as our supply of charts is limited. Address all orders to

The Memphis Democrat



The Diamond Edge Puts Them All On The Run.

And Padgitt Bros. Saddlery Puts Them All On the Bum!

Our large stock of Harness goods has been badly torn up, by our heavy trade of the past ten days, but Monday's freight brought us another large shipment of the FAMOUS PADGITT BROS. make of bridles, lines, collars, whips, buggy and wagon harness—Our stock is complete and we invite you to come and examine our goods and get our prices before you buy. Leather is high but we are prepared to give you more for your money than you can get elsewhere—Our goods have the quality and that is the first thing to consider in buying harness—You all know the grade of harness and saddlery Padgitt Bros. make and we handle their goods exclusively.

All we ask is that you see what we have before you buy—No trouble to show you what we have and give you our prices. Our good natured clerks will take pleasure in doing this—Come to see us.

Protect Your Wife and Children and Save Fuel

by buying a Ruhmann's FURNACE for your Wash Kettle

Only \$5.50 and \$6.00. Don't fail to see them.

5th and Main



THOMPSON BROS. CO.,
HARDWARE

Memphis Texas

Valentine Entertainment.

The Culture club with several invited guests were highly entertained last Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Quigley, Mesdames Quigley, Montgomery, Wheat, Greenwood, Dickey, and Miss Mary Noel were the hostesses of the occasion. The color scheme of the club in red was carried out and the home was beautifully decorated with hearts. A contest of hearts was one of the evening's entertainment and was entered into with a free spirit and was intensely interesting. The upper parlor of the home was decorated and arranged to represent a postoffice at which each one present received a beautiful valentine. The guests were also served with punch just before leaving the upper parlors.

As a finish to the evening's entertainment a delicious one course luncheon was spread after which the merry guests departed for their home voting this one of the most pleasant occasions they had ever attended. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Baskerville, Mrs. Dr. West of Hopkinsville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradford and Mrs. W. P. Dial, Misses Bennie Jones, Mattie Elkins, Mary Noel, Messrs. Bert Airhart, Dr. Ellis, Pope, Geo. Forgy.

Kiowa Chief full patent Oklahoma flour for \$3.25 per hundred at Brumley & Thrasher.

Key Rate For Memphis.

Dunbar Bros. insurance agents have received a bulletin from the state board announcing that the rate for Memphis would be 54 cents. This will make some of our insurance higher and some of it lower, but we ought to feel proud of Memphis from the fact that we have the lowest rating of any town this side of Fort Worth. Amarillo has a rating of 89 cents.

Christian Church Revival Meeting.

The members of the Christian church have been contemplating for some time a big revival meeting to take place some time in the summer. They have been in communication with the best evangelists in the United States for the past few weeks trying to make arrangements for them to come to Memphis and conduct the meeting. Eld. Humphreys received a letter from Eld. Jacks and son last week stating that they would be here on Saturday, July 3, and would begin a protracted meeting at that time. Eld. Jacks and son are widely known all over the country for the great interest that is always manifested in their meetings and they are coming to Memphis with success written all over them. Let everybody begin to get themselves ready for one of the greatest revivals ever held in Memphis.

Just received new lot of kettle coffee at J. S. Yowell's grocery

Her Father's Crime.

The above heading is the name of a production which will be played at the opera house on Friday and Saturday nights, March 4th and 5th, by local talent, directed by Mr. Barden Leferts of Chicago. Mr. Leferts comes to Memphis well recommended in this class of entertainments and an actor worth the time of the people to go see. The play will be under the auspices of the Memphis band, and those taking part in the play will be picked from among the best stage artists of the city. Those taking part have been assigned to their different roles and they are now rehearsing each night. This is a fine play and all the newspapers from the towns in which the play has been produced speak of it in the highest terms. We will have something more to say of the play each week. Don't forget the dates, Friday and Saturday nights, March 4 and 5.

We have before us the first issue of the Claude Courier, published at Claude, Texas, and published by Claude Wells. This is a four column six page sheet, well edited and patronized. If the people of Claude will stick to Mr. Wells they will have a live wire in their midst that will build their country from the very start. We wish Mr. Wells a bright future in his new field of journalism.

The Philomathian Literary Society Lakeview, February 14, 1910. Program.

Opening Song By the Society.
Address, "Progress"—Prof. Henry Crawford.

Recitations—Fannie May Davenport, Tessie Welshire, Clarence Gosdin.

"Bumper"—T. H. Yarbrough.
Music.

Reading—Ruth Pirtle.
An Essay, "Man"—Clera Golden.

Query Box—Dr. Stidham.

"Old Woman Had A Little Pig"—Fannie May Davenport, Viola Borden, Vera Thompson, Oscar Golden, Tom Pirtle, Robert Cummings.

Quartette—Misses Georgia Stine, Clera Golden, Ruth Pirtle, and Lillian Gosdin.

Debate, Resolved that the government of the U. S. should not own and operate the railroads.

Affirmative—Rev. Eugene Campbell, Houston Fowls, Lowrie Beck.

Negative—W. E. Borden, Dell Wells, Bascom Davenport.

Music—Messrs. Risenger.
Decision of Judges.

The new spring clothing for men and boys are in and we have some lovely things and invite the public to come in and look them over. N. C. HEROD at The Famous.

Eutement.

One of the circle of the Ladies building society of the Methodist church has secured for one evening only (Friday night, Feb. 25) Mr. Robert Dunn. A high class entertainer.

His program will be made up of the Dramatic, Pathetic and Comic. Mr. Dunn is represented to the Ladies as a splendid impersonator and all who want to spend a most enjoyable evening will have the privilege offered them.

A program of inimitable impersonations is one of the most enjoyable that can be given and we hope a large number will patronize the ladies for we feel confident they are offering to the public a program that will be highly appreciated.

Poplins in all colors. Faillie Broche in all colors, Susaine silk in all colors in the Shantung effects and plain St. Regis Prunella Soisette and also light weight woolen in serge and sicialian in the fancy striped and plain, fancy weaves and broach figures in the rajah silks for waists and dresses.

THE FAMOUS.

U. D. C. Program.

1. Roll call. Describe the various seals of the Con. states and name the official flowers.

2. Song—Miss Bertha Thompson.

3. Recitation—Miss Fay Wheat.

4. Piano solo—Miss Biffie Adkisson.

5. Paper story of the seal of the confederacy—Mrs. Wheat.

6. Solo—Cecil Raney.

7. Recitation—Miss Qua Wells.

8. Talk on history of crosses of honor—Miss Suggs.

9. Duet—Mrs. Baskerville and Thrasher.
Meet with Mrs. George Thompson next Friday afternoon.

Subscribe for the Democrat for 1910.

Farewell Entertainment.

At the regular meeting of the Eastern Star order last Friday night the lodge gave a farewell entertainment to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hardwick. A very interesting and social evening was spent after which refreshments were served. Mrs. Hardwick departed Saturday night for Hillsboro where she will spend some time visiting her daughter. Mr. Hardwick will leave some time this week. Miss Arnold of Wellington and Mr. James of Anadarko, Okla., were visitors during the evening.

The many friends of this good family regret to see them leave Memphis and wish them the full amount of this world's goods which they justly deserve, wherever their lot may be cast.

Junior Christian Endeavor.

Topic: Pilgrim's Progress
Series II Christian Starting on his Pilgrimage.

Song No. 31.

Bible lesson read by leader
Matt. 7: 13-14.

Sentence Prayers.
Lesson explained by the Pastor.

Lesson story, A Pilgrim of today, led by Luke Hart.

The Lord's prayer in concert led by Walter Moreman.

Song No. 137.

Mission story "The people" read by Author Edleman.

Bible drill—Bessie Bradley.

Memory verses—Bertha Guinn and Biffy Grace Hart.

Report of last week's work.
Song No. 23.

Mizpah.
Leader—Alvis Moreman.

All members are requested to come on time and bring a friend

Y. P. S. C. E. Sunday, Feb. 20, 1910.

Topic: Intemperance and other sins of the body, Rom. 8: 1-14.

Prayer.
Song.

How may you help suppress drunkenness in your locality?—B. J. Shepherd.

Give one reason why we should keep the body pure.—Mrs. T. T. Bradley.

Sentence prayers.
Song.

What harm does alcohol or drugs do to body and mind?—Miss Myrtle Bradley.

Song.
Prayer.

Visitors always welcome.
Time 7 o'clock p. m. sharp.

Leader—V. L. Shaw.

B. Y. P. U.

Sunday, February 20.

Subject, What Jesus taught about mercy and sympathy.
Scripture reading; Luke 10:30-37.

Prayer.
Paper, How did Jesus himself show mercy—Mrs. Bunch.

Song, The Great Physician.
Scripture reading, John 11:20-35—Miss Pritchett.

Special music—Mrs. Thorne.
Scripture reading, Matt. 26:46-53—Jessie Bryant.

Address on bible study—R. J. Thorne.

Talk on the lesson—Mr. Kinard.

Leader—Miss Cecil Raney.

All Baptist young people are requested to be present at the Union.

Oklahoma corn chops and shelled sack corn for sale at the Memphis Milling Co., Try it.

GILES GOSSIP

We are having some very warm days at present although some wind with it.

Ullis Bush came in last Thursday from points in Oklahoma and at this writing is indisposed with cold and lagrippe.

Mr. Ike Payne and wife arrived last Friday night from Oklahoma City. They are visiting Mr. Payne's parents here and will probably locate in this country. We are glad to welcome them among us.

Grandpa Coursey and J. Young are reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. W. D. Shelton and children of Rolla, were visiting friends and relatives here a few days last week.

Mrs. E. P. Crow was a guest of her parents and other relatives a few days last week. Mr. Crow now lives about miles east of Giles.

Rev. Wood filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Rev. R. E. L. Farmer of Anrillo, preached here last Wednesday night.

One of the most unique and enjoyable entertainments of the season was given at the home of Judge and Mrs. J. S. Akers.

St. Valentine night. A large crowd was present and each enjoyed themselves to the limit.

The parlor was decorated with hearts and cupid and also a dining room and table where the appointed hour the young people had the experience of "spooning" at a delicious refreshment. Each couple's spoon being tied together with about 12 inches of ribbon this to some was a little difficult while some it was "easy." Various games of fun were indulged in and the Misses Akers assisted by their brother, Clay, and sister Mrs. J. D. McCants, proved to be royal entertainers who few equal and none excel. At late hour each one declared they had had the best time of their lives and bidding goodnight to their host went away to bed to the happy event.

MERRY WIDOW.

IRON BED: Little's so-called REXALL Hair in the THE

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Settling Down To Business

WE have been torn up for several days on account of moving, but we now have everything comfortably located, and our new prescription clerk will be here the latter part of this week, and we will be glad to have our friends give us a call. Our prescription clerk is a registered pharmacist of several years experience, and your prescription will be carefully and accurately compounded when entrusted to us. We handle a complete line of Drugs and Drug Sundries. Give us a trial.

The Jot Montgomery Drug Co.

NEW SPRING GOODS

Ladies' Spring Coat Suits

We have just received a nice assortment of light weight woolen Coat Suits. They are made in the Russian Blouse and the new long lapel manish effect coats. The Skirts are all pleated effects. The colors are champagne, grey, new blue and Shepherd checks.

These are beautiful Suits and are exceptional values at from \$22.50 to **\$35.00**

New Dress Goods

A big lot of new spring goods. Poplins, shantung, moire effects and all kind of fancy weaves. Colors, navy grey, mulberry, wines, champagnes etc.

Prices per yard, from 20c to **50c**
Also a nice assortment of light weight spring woolen goods in plain and fancy weaves.
Prices 50c, 75c and **\$1.00**

White Goods

Big line of new white linens for all purposes including the beautiful sheer linen lawns at from 30 to **60c**
90 inch linen sheetings in good quality at per yard **1.00**

Men's and Ladies' Low Cuts

Just yesterday we received our Spring line of Men's and Ladies' Low Cuts. These are the very newest styles and we have a wide range from which to select.

The Ladies' range in prices from \$1.50 to **\$3.50**
The Men's range in price from \$3.00 to **\$5.00**

Greene Dry Goods Company

Memphis, Texas

Local Happenings

Items of Interest About Town and County

J. D. Orr was in Memphis today from Clarendon visiting relatives and friends.

See A. J. Battle for your floor matting and linoleums.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Thompson are visiting in Dallas this week.

Just received a fresh car of Race Maker Flour at Brumley Thrasher.

J. E. Hanna, of near Newlin is in Memphis Saturday on business.

Iron beds a specialty at A. J. Battle's south side square.

REXALL "93" HAIR TONIC. A Hair in the Head is Worth Two in the Brush.

THE REXALL STORE.

A light sprinkle of snow is falling as we go to press with indications of a heavy fall night.

Lon Thrasher of Childress has been in the city several days visiting in the family of his uncle, A. L. Thrasher and other relatives.

Just one teaspoonful of REXALL CHERRY JUICE promptly relieves your cough.

THE REXALL STORE.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bennett has been very sick with bilious fever and almost verging into pneumonia.

You can get the best Missouri shelled corn in the sack at W. P. Dial.

REXALL ORDERLIES, The Ideal Remedy for Constipation. THE REXALL STORE.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shepherd have had two very sick children for the past week but they are some better now.

REXALL ANTISEPTIC BLEMISH SOAP, Highly recommended for Eruptions of the Skin and Toilet Uses. THE REXALL STORE.

Will swap meal for corn any time at Memphis Milling Co. Phone 63. 32tf

Sheriff Lon Burson departed Saturday night for Austin having in charge the man Irvin who was last week spoken of as being adjudged insane where he will be placed in the insane asylum.

Dial has some very fine Missouri shelled corn, come and get samples.

Moore & Crump handle everything in a first class market.

FOUND—Bundle of dry goods last week on Main street east of depot bought at Greene Dry Goods Store. Owner can get same by calling at this office.

Oats, Oats, Oats. For Seed See Oats see Dial's depot and get his prices before buying—they are native oats.

The Memphis W. O. W. lodge No. 1091, have decided to meet every Saturday night instead of the second and fourth Saturday nights in each month. All members are requested to take notice of this change and be on hand each Saturday night.

REXALL KIDNEY CURE Is a specific for all diseases of the Kidneys. 50c and \$1.00 size. THE REXALL STORE.

Our men's new shoes are now here and we have the styles and prices right. Call and see the stock. N. C. HEROD at The Famous.

Mr. Raymond Carter who has for the past several months been prescription clerk at the Jot Montgomery Drug Co., departed last Wednesday night for White-wright, Texas, where he will have charge of a stock of drugs recently purchased by his father. We wish him well in his new position.

Our new turban hairpins have come in, in the plain and jeweled styles, girls you can't do without them. THE FAMOUS.

Moore & Crump kills nothing but meal fed cattle and corn fed hogs.

Nice concrete sidewalk fourteen feet wide is being connected with the walk in front to A. Baldwin & Co. and will extend in front of the new Forgy brick and the old frame building adjoining. It will not be many more months until all the old plank walk along the east side will be torn up and replaced by substantial cement walks. Let the good work go steadily on.

OUR BOX PAPER Stock is always up-to-date and at down-to-date prices. THE REXALL STORE.

The Famous Store is receiving new goods daily and is well stocked up in all spring lines.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church met February 7th at the home of Mrs. Harrison. After a scripture reading and prayer, business was taken up and the following new officers elected: Mrs. N. C. Herod, President; Mrs. McMurry, Vice President; Mrs. Raney, second Vice President; Mrs. Bunch, Sec., and Mrs. Read was re-elected as treas. Time of meeting changed from Monday to Thursday. The society is to meet Thursday 17th with Mrs. Raney. A large attendance is desired. MRS. A. P. BUNCH, Sec.

Gingham, percales, linen in all colors and white from 15 cents to \$1.00 per yard at The Famous.

SATURDAY CANDY The best and always fresh. Take home a box. 50c on Saturday only. THE REXALL STORE.

Commissioners Court. The regular meeting of the commissioners court convened Monday and they have been very busy with county road and school business and they will probably be busy the remainder of the week auditing and checking over the reports of the county officers. This February term of the court is always a very busy one.

REXALL TOOTH PASTE Will make your teeth pearly white. 25c a tube. THE REXALL STORE.

Oklahoma flour, Twin Elks the best grade of high patent. \$3.50 per hundred at Brumley & Thrasher.

The new east ward school building is fast nearing completion and is a very handsome looking structure. The east ward children can now laugh at the west ward students and point to their new building with pride and be proud that they are attending school at the east ward. This is a beautiful building and something our whole city is proud of. The Memphis Independent School district has as fine school buildings as any school in the state and our school system can not be beaten in the state. We are justly proud of the rapid advancement we are making along educational lines.

You should stop a SORE THROAT as soon as you get it. The best way is with REXALL THROAT GARGLE 25c a bottle. THE REXALL STORE.

Box Supper at Deep Lake.

We are authorized to announce that there will be a big box supper at Deep Lake school house on Friday night, February 25. Everybody is cordially invited and a good time is promised to all attending.

If you want to rent a house see T. B. Norwood. 33-2tc.

Leck Herd, brother of Mrs. B. W. Moreman, came in from Blue Grove, Clay county, Monday night, and will spend a few days visiting in Memphis, after which he will depart for Yocalcum county for a visit.

BEGINNING SATURDAY MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK we will give with each 25 cent bottle of CHERRY JUICE COUGH SYRUP a small Dime Bank made to hold \$3.50 in Dimes. We have only 100 of these banks so don't be last, you may not get one. THE REXALL STORE.

Panhandle Jewelry Store Sold.

Last Saturday the bankrupt stock of the Panhandle Jewelry Store was sold to the highest bidder at four o'clock in the afternoon. There were but three buyers on hand to bid on the stock, and bidding was rather slow. The stock and fixtures invoiced \$3711, but were sold separately on account of a mortgage on the fixtures. The stock was bought in at 26 per cent on the dollar and the fixtures bought 23 per cent, and was bought in by Ben Linz of Dallas. The stock was then resold to a Mr. Gum of Van Alstyne, Texas. Mr. Gum informs us that he will add to the stock of jewelry and continue business at the same old stand, and will move his family here and make this their home. We are glad to know that the stock will remain in Memphis and that Mr. Gum will move his family here. Read the Democrat.

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Hedley's best. Four hundred bushels of corn for sale at 65cts. per bushel, two miles northeast of Hedley. W. T. WHITE. 30-5tp.

Fine Barred Rocks great layers. Eggs for hatching \$2.00 15 or \$3.50 for 30. H. L. Buchanan, Memphis, Tex. 33-4tc.

Priscilla Club Elects Officers. The Priscilla club met in regular session February 9 with Mrs. V. R. Jones nine members were present.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. D. A. Grundy, president, Mrs. S. S. Montgomery, vice president, Mrs. R. S. Green, secretary, Mrs. J. H. Reed, treasurer, Mrs. J. D. Bird, press reporter. The club unanimously decided to give Mrs. Bryant a miscellaneous shower at 2 o'clock at her home February 10. A profitable afternoon was spent in sewing and pleasant conversation. Dainty refreshments were served by our genial hostess.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. J. H. Read February 23. REPORTER.

"REXALL REMEDIES" have features that command attention of critical buyers. Can't we tempt you to get "the best?" THE REXALL STORE.

Just received a new line of art squares at A. J. Battle's south side square.

Remember all the orders given our solicitor on his rounds each morning will be appreciated. J. S. YOWELL.

Money to Loan. Long time money to loan on farms at 9 per cent. Call at Hall County National bank.

New Quarters...

We are now located in our new quarters formally occupied by the Jot Montgomery Drug Co., and we find we are overstocked on Men's Clothing, Overcoats, Heavy Winter Underwear, Boy's and Youth's Suits, Ladies Cloaks, and many other winter articles, and in order to clear them out to make room for our Spring line of goods which will begin to arrive soon we are going to sell these goods at

Actual Cost

You can get a Real Bargain on any article in our house. In Men's and Boy's Clothing and Underwear, you can take them away at your own price. Come early and get pick and choice.

PIONEER MERCANTILE CO.

New Furniture Store

We wish to notify the public that we have received one complete car of fine New Furniture, and are receiving local shipments almost daily. The stock is now complete in every detail and consists of everything that goes in a first-class furniture store. Some of the finest furniture you have ever seen in Memphis. Call and see us in the Williams building, south side of public square.

A. J. BATTLE
Memphis, Texas

Interesting Particulars of a Flag of Truce from Gen. Beauregard to Gen. Buell

Corinth, Miss., April 22, 1862.
I have already informed you that on the 17th inst. Gen. Beauregard sent a flag of truce to General Buell, in relation to our wounded, and making inquiry concerning some missing officers from the Louisiana regiments. The answer of Buell I sent you by telegraph, stating that as soon as the inquiries could be made the information would be sent. I have obtained the following very interesting account of the visit of the flag of truce from Lieut. Sam S. Harris, of the 1st Alabama cavalry, who accomplished it to the enemy's line, as the bearer of Gen. Beauregard's dispatch.

Lieut. Harris, on reaching the line of the enemy's pickets, which are about half a mile north-east from the neutral hospital, halted his escort when he approached by Lieut. Wickliffe, of the 1st Kentucky regiment, who asked for his dispatches. Harris said his orders were to deliver them to Gen. Buell or one of his staff.

A surgent within the lines was then dispatched for Gen. Buell. In about half an hour the messenger returned with Gen. McCook and staff, who said he would receive the dispatch for Gen. Buell, as no flag of truce could be admitted into their lines, but that if Harris had come a little sooner he would have seen Gen. Buell himself. The dispatch was then sent by McCook, through a messenger, to Gen. Buell, and in the meantime a conversation took place between Harris, McCook and several other Federal officers who were present, of which the following is the substance:

Gen. McCook asked if we had the body of Gen. Johnston, and being told that we certainly had, McCook said that an officer was found dead on the field who was said by many to be Gen. Johnston, and that the dead officer must have been of high rank as he had a star in the collar of his coat. Harris replied that no officer of even considerable rank had been left on the field.

McCook then asked where and how Gen. Prentice was, and remarked with great profanity and bad language, that he hoped we would keep him and his brigade, and that they had many generals of the same kind whom he wished we had captured. He expressed great surprise at the

manner in which our army was armed, saying that he expected to meet only flint-lock muskets, but that he found instead the finest minie muskets and European Enfield rifles with far superior ordnance than they had, and suggested that they had been brought over by the Nashville.

Lieut. Harris smiled and said, not by the Nashville, but that many other vessels has brought us arms.

McCook then asked where the Nashville was at this time? Harris replied it was very uncertain!

McCook then remarked that we must have had a large portion of the army of Manassas present at the battle of Shiloh. Harris replied that not a man of it was there.

"Then," said McCook, where under heaven did your troops come from, and where were they drilled from? adding that the attack on Sunday was most brilliantly planned and splendidly executed, and that we came near gaining a complete victory over them. He was exceedingly severe on many Ohio and Iowa regiments, remarking that he supposed we considered them the greatest cowards in the world. He spoke in the highest terms of our officers, and said that our Government had made its appointments much more discretely than his. He then asked how far it was to Corinth.

Harris replied that he did not exactly know, but that the distance could be easily ascertained by a march.

McCook rallied, and said that they intended to have made a march in a few days, and should have been down there before this.

Lieut. Harris retorted, saying he thought the delay a wise one, and that the longer they delayed, the better it would be, for they would certainly have to travel that road twice, if they come.

Their officers seemed disposed to be pleasant and courteous, and a Virginia captain of the artillery (Federal) by the name of Terrell, expressed a desire to see Gen. Bragg, and learn his opinion as to how he thought his battery was served during the recent battle, alluding to Bragg's battery which served at Buena Vista, now in possession of the Yankees. Harris replied that the battery could not have been in Sunday's fight, or else he would not have asked the question, as all their batteries that day had been captured by us.

The renegade Virginian then remarked that Gen. Hardee was a great friend of his, whom he had known well at West Point, and that he would like to send him by Harris two bottles of brandy. Harris regretted that he could not conveniently carry the bottles.

Gen. McCook then expressed some surprise at Gen. Beauregard having addressed his dispatch to Gen. Buell instead of Grant, saying that the latter was in command.

The messenger now returned when Gen. McCook informed Lieut. Harris that Gen. Buell was absent from his headquarters, but that an answer would be sent to our lines under a flag of truce that evening.

Having learned from Dr. Bumbaugh, a Federal Surgeon who accompanied Lieut. Harris, the purport of the dispatch, McCook said that he did not doubt but that an exchange of wounded prisoners would be agreed to, but that our army had been so well supplied with ambulances and assistants during the recent fight, that nearly all our wounded had been recovered by ourselves. Those that they had taken, he said, had principally been sent to St. Louis, Paducah or Cincinnati, to be better cared for. Lieut. Harris then took his leave.

In the afternoon a flag of truce from the enemy, covering a Federal Surgeon and other officers approached our lines with Buell's reply, and an ambulance of medical stores for our wounded at the "Mickey Hospital." Lieut. Reese, of the 1st Alabama Regiment was sent to receive it but refused admission to the officers on the ground that we had enough medical supplies of our own.

After the Federal officers left one of our pickets told Lieut. Reese that before he came up and while the other picket had been sent in, the Yankee officer under protection of the flag endeavored to induce him to desert, pointing out the difference between his (the Confederate picket) clothing and that of the Federal escort. The picket replied with proper spirit and indignation, telling the Yankee officer that they must have but little regard for principal or honor in their army, when their own officers, under the sanctity and protection of a flag of truce, could, in violation of it attempt to persuade a soldier to desert, and that all the good clothes in the world could not cover an act of villiany. The Federal man rebuked, and seemed very uneasy and anxious to get back. It is a pity that our brave and honest picket did not inform his officer of it before the Federal man got off.

The telegraph on the 16th inst., played sad havoc with my dispatch in relation to the promotions in our army, and as the error has been generally copied by other journals without crediting the Picayne's dispatch, I will now make the correction. The dispatch should have read:

General Breckinridge and Hindman have been appointed Major Generals, C. S. A. and Col. Thomas Jordan, Assistant Adjutant General to Beauregard, Wm. Prestan, of Kentucky, late Aid to Gen. A. Sidney Johnston, Colonel Alfred Monton, of Louisiana, Colonel George Manney, of Tennessee, Colonel W. H. Beal, of Arkansas, Brigadier Generals, and Capt. Jack Morgan, of Kentucky, Colonel.

That is, all from Col. Jordan, one of our most gallant and accomplished soldiers who first took the field with Beauregard, in Virginia, down to Beal, of Arkansas, have been appointed Brigadier Generals.

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Liver Diseases,
Locomotor Ataxia,
Leucorrhoea,
Lumbago,
Meningitis,
Neuralgia,
Nervous Debility,
Ovarian Diseases,
Palsy, | Diabete,
Diarrhoea,
Dropsy,
Dyspepsia,
Epilepsy,
Ezema,
Emissions,
Erysipelas,
Female Diseases,
Gall Stones,
Gleet,
Hay Fever,
Heart Disease,
Hysteria, | Paralysis,
Pleurisy,
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I. M. BENSON, Carter, O. T.

Sayre, Okla., Aug. 16, 1908. To Whom it May Concern:

My wife was confined on Dec. 16, 1907, and she did not seem to do well; we tried every medical remedy we could think, but she seemed to slowly grow weaker, had several medical doctors but they could do her no good and on March 12th, 1908, I sent for Prof. Gilbert, Magnetic Healer. I did not believe he could do her any good and told him so, but I wanted to see if he could, and he did do her good, she commenced mending and mended steadily until she was up and able to go where she pleased around the house, when we discontinued the treatment and now Aug. 16, '08, she is doing the most of her work, while she is not as strong as many women, we both firmly believe she would have been as strong as any body. She had an abscess to form in her right side and the medical doctors said it would burst on the inside and kill her, but it came to the outside and burst.

A. R. WILSEY, MRS. UVIAA WILSEY

Basch, Okla., June 22, 1907. R. F. D. No. 2, Box 24
This is to certify that Dr. J. E. Gilbert has treated me and I have been greatly relieved, if not cured of female trouble, headache, constipation and kidney trouble. I was sick and could not do my household work without great pain; could not eat or drink anything that did me any good. I now feel like I have entered a new world. I can do work in the field, and I do all my house work now and I feel like as if I never were sick a day in all my life. Written, and signed by one of his grateful friends.

P. S. I want to say that I have never taken a dose of medicine of any kind while he was treating me nor since.

MRS. C. D. HENDERSON.

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Rev. J. W. Abbott.

Willow, Okla., Dec. 15, '09—Mr. J. E. Gilbert.

Dear sir and friend. I give you this testimonial. You cured my wife of female trouble and also nervous debilitation. I am certainly glad you saved her an operation I would thank you for what you done for her but words fail to express the gratitude I owe to you. I give you this freely and hope it will be the means of making some other home happy. I will answer any inquiry of any one who will write to know of Mr. Gilbert's work in my neighborhood. I will close hoping this will be of use to you.

E. F. UPTERROVE, MRS. AUGUSTA UPTERROVE

R. F. D. No. 1, Willow, Okla.

This certifies that Prof. Gilbert cured me of what two of our best medical doctors pronounced lung trouble or consumption. They gave me all kinds of drugs including coal oil by the bottle full. I was in the bed one month under the treatment and gradually grew worse. I had almost given up hope, when my wife and brother persuaded me to try Prof. Gilbert. He cured me sound and well. I got right up and went to work. So hoping this will help some doubting brother or sister who is sick to try Prof. Gilbert and be cured. I give it freely. My address is

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8, southbound.....	9:26 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are
subject to the Democratic party
less otherwise announced.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

City Marshal—
F. M. TRAPP.

State Senator, 29th District—
W. A. JOHNSON.

COUNTY OFFICERS

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District and County Clerk—
S. G. ALEXANDER

County Attorney—
TOM J. RICH

Sheriff and Tax Collector—
LON BURSON

Tax Assessor—
C. R. WEBSTER

County Treasurer—
F. A. HUDGINS

A BATCH of twenty-five thousand
eggs were ordered destroyed
at Pittsburg, Pa., last week.
They had been kept in the cold
storage until they were declared
fit for use.

HARRY THAW's last attempt to
be discharged from the hospital
for the criminal insane was turned
down by the judge hearing
the application and an attorney
has been appointed referee to
take evidence on Thaw's applica-

tion for a transfer to some other
institution.

AN employment agent at Fort
Worth has asked the city com-
mission to place a license of \$500
on each firm conducting an em-
ployment agency as there had
been a great amount of fraud per-
petrated on unsuspecting people
and that the only way to get rid
of the "fakes" was to place a
license of \$500 on them. This is
a good move and will no doubt
be backed up by the city com-
mission of Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. W. Messer departed
Thursday night for Archadel-
phia, Arkansas, after a pleasant
visit with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. M. C. Glasco three miles
south of El.

W. A. Walker made a business
trip to Clarkton Thursday of
last week.

Hopeful Signs Of Cross Road.

The following letter from the
engineering department of the
Altus, Roswell & El Paso Rail-
way furnishes light on the sub-
ject of cross roads through
Lockney.

Altus, Okla., Jan. 28, '10.
Mr. Geo. W. Brewster,
Lockney, Texas.

My Dear Sir:—How are you
Lockney people coming on?
Have heard that the road from
Plainview was laying track
through to Floydada. If this be
true you must be enjoying a
boom. Mr. Kennedy has sold
his road from this place to Hol-
lis, or rather to the West Okla-
homa state line, the deal to be
concluded Feb. 1. This will en-
able him to build his line from
Memphis south, Kansas City
parties are going to take up his
line and build the first 50 miles
south from Memphis, which
will bring it above the cap rock
I expect to stay with them in
my present capacity, and will be
down in your part of the country
before long. Drop me a line
and let me know how your town
is prospering. I dont think you
will ever have cause to regret
what you have done for Mr. Ken-
nedy and the A. R. & E. P. Ry.
It's going to be put through.

Yours truly,
A. B. THRUSTON, C. E.
—Lockney Beacon.

SIX YEARS IN PRISON.

**Williams, Charged with Killing Arm-
strong, Tried at Amarillo.**

Amarillo, Tex., Feb. 9.—Six
years in the penitentiary was
the verdict of the jury in the
case of the State vs. John W.
Williams, in which the defendant
is charged with having killed
John R. Armstrong, foreman of
the X I T ranch at Bovina, Nov.
17, 1908.

The case began Jan. 31 and has
been witnessed by crowds in the
courtroom daily. Shortly after
the killing of Armstrong Wil-
liams was arrested at Farwell,
from which point he was removed
to Hereford. Later the case
was removed from Palmer Coun-
ty, on a change of venue, to Can-
yon City and there resulted in a
mistrial. The change of venue
to Amarillo was the next step in
the case. Hundreds of wit-
nesses attended the hearing
from out of the city, and wit-
nesses were called from Cali-
fornia, New Mexico and Okla-
homa, as well as from various
parts of Texas.

Take it Home.

We presume that many people
think the newspaper men are
persistent duns as they keep
reiterating "look at the label on
your paper" "move up the
date" "you are back on your
subscription" "pay what you
owe" "pay up" "pay us." Now
let a farmer or any business man
place himself in a similar busi-
ness position and see if he would
not do the same. Suppose the
farmer raises a crop of one
thousand bushels of wheat, and
his neighbor should buy a bushel,
and the price was two dollars, or
less, and the neighbor says "I
will pay you the sum in a few
days." As the farmer don't
want to be small in the matter of
small things he says "all right."
Another comes in the same way
until the whole of the one thou-
sand bushels are gone out to one
thousand different persons. No
one purchaser concerns himself
about it, and, of course, that
could not help him any. He does
not realize that the farmer has
frittered away his crop of wheat
in little, dribs and that he is
seriously embarrassed in his
business because his debtors
treat it as a small matter. But
if all would pay him promptly,
which they could do as well as
not, it would be a large amount
to the farmer and enable him to
carry on his business without
difficulty. The above compari-
son is too true of the difficulties
that a newspaper man has to con-
tend with.

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News having filtered through
that the co-eds of the University
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on men who wear mustaches,
even including professors and
instructors, the great question
of the hairless upper lip is again
raised. One does not need to be
of doleful nature to predict that
the matter will never be satisfac-
torily settled, no matter how
widespread may become the
crusade against the lip decora-
tion, and it is more than likely,
in these days of organized effort,
that the boycott started by these
Chicago girls will divaricate, like
the measles.

The suspicion lurks, however,
that these Chicago girls have
been purchased by the allied
manufacturers of safety razors.
The only odd thing about the
whole matter is that such a cra-
sade should have had its origin
in Chicago. Up to this time we
had believed the winds were so
strong in that town that no per-
son could keep a mustache on.—
Pittsburg Post.

R. C. Dial, financial agent of
Clarendon college was in Mem-
phis last Wednesday on his way
to Paducah and other points in
the interest of the college. Bro.
Dial is a hustler and no doubt
the college will be greatly bene-
fitted by his services.

To Our Subscribers.

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when money is plentiful and this
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that you would like to read and
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are quite a number who are be-
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there are quite a large number
who have their subscription paid
up one and two years ahead.
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we would like for all knowing
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Justice court meets First Saturday
in each month.

Commissioners court every three
months beginning 2nd, Monday in Feb.

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Harry Mason, District Attorney.
S. G. Alexander, District Clerk.

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T. J. Rich, County Attorney.
Lon Burson, Sheriff and Tax Co-
lector.

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S. H. Lacy, No. 4, Turkey.

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F. M. Trapp, City Marshal.
J. H. Read, Secretary.
J. W. Noel, Treasurer.

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W. T. Reed.

Ward 2—W. H. Wallace,
A. L. Thrasher.

Ward 3—A. W. Read,
A. Baldwin.

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John Dennis.

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Ladies' Aid meets on Thursday
after the third Sunday of each month
at 3:30 p. m. Ladies' Missionary
Society meets on Thursday after
the first Sunday at 3:30 p. m. Choir
meets for practice every Friday night.

METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. Robt. B.
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day at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sun-
day school at 9:45 a. m. Joe J. Mickle,
superintendent; Home Department,
Mr. T. B. Norwood, Superintendent;
Cradle roll, Mrs. W. D. Morgan,
superintendent. Junior Epworth
League meets Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m.
Senior Epworth League meets at 5 p. m.,
W. D. Morgan, president. Business
meeting and social gathering every
4th Friday night. Woman's
Home Mission Society meets at 3 p. m.
every second and fourth Monday;
Woman's Foreign Mission Society at
4 p. m. every first Monday.

The Free Methodist class at Union
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Prayer meeting Friday nights, Sun-
day school at 3 o'clock.
M. M. LOWRY, Pastor, Memphis,
Texas.

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Head, pastor. Services each Sunday
at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday
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Supt. B. Y. P. U. each Sunday at 4
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Sunday night. Special music for
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to all.

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Humphries, pastor. Services every
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p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.,
Wm. Fore, superintendent. Teachers'
training class and prayer
meeting every Wednesday evening at
8:30. J. M. Elliott, president, and
L. H. Humphries, teacher. Ladies'
Aid Society meets every Monday at
the church at 2 p. m., Mrs. L. H.
Humphries, President. Official Board
meets on the first Sunday of each
month. Everybody made cordially
welcome to these services.

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and 3rd Sundays. Prayer meeting
every Thursday night at 7:30 p. m.
You are cordially invited to attend
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pastor. Sunday School every Sunday
morning at 10 a. m. You are cordially
invited to be present. A. E. Johnson,
Superintendent.

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Regular preaching services at 11 a. m.
and 7:30 p. m. on the 2nd and 4th Sun-
days. Prayer meeting every Wednes-
day night at 7:30. Choir practice
every Friday night at 7:30. Sunday
school teachers meeting each Thursday
evening at 8:30 p. m. You are wel-
come at our church. J. W. Smith,
pastor. Woman's Home Mission So-
ciety meets on Wednesday evenings
at 3:30 p. m., after 1st and 3rd Sun-
days. Would be glad to have all the
ladies attend these services. Mrs. J.
A. Johnston, President. Sunday
School every Sunday morning at 10
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Superintendent.

Rev. T. J. Edwards, Cumberland
Presbyterian, will preach at the
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Lodge Directory.

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No. 50, K. T., meets in
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MEMPHIS COUNCIL, No. 156, R. &
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iting Companions are welcome.
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D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

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after full moon. Visiting
Companions are welcome.
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D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

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sonic Hall on the Saturday
night occurring on or before the full
moon. Visiting brothers are welcome.
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CHAS. WEBSTER, Secretary.

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moon. Visiting brothers are welcome.
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P. M. BENNETT, Secretary.

MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No.
351, O. E. S., meets in
Masonic Hall on the
second Friday night in
each month. Visiting
brothers and sisters are
welcome.

Mrs. EFFIE L. HOUGHTON, W. M.
MISS NORA HEADRICK, Secretary.

ESTELLINE CHAPTER, No. 235 O. E.
S., meets in the Masonic Hall on
Saturdays at 2 p. m., on or before the
full moon. Visiting brothers and
sisters are welcome.
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MEMPHIS CAMP, No.
12624, M. W. A., Hall meets
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and third Friday
nights. Visiting Neigh-
bors are welcome.
C. T. PALMER, Consul.

A. P. BUNCH, Clerk.

M. W. of A., ESTELLINE meets in
W. O. W. Hall every First and Third
Saturday nights in each month. Vis-
iting brothers are welcome.
J. A. EDWARDS, Con.

D. M. WRIGHT, Clerk.

MEMPHIS COUNCIL, No. 396, Mod-
ern Order Praetorians, meets every
Thursday night in I. O. O. F. Hall.
Visiting Praetorians are welcome.
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MEMPHIS LOCAL, No. 4497, Farm-
ers' Educational and Co-Operative
Union of America, meets in the court
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urdays of each month at 2 p. m.
Visiting members are welcome.
H. H. SMITH, President.
EDGAR EWING, Secretary.

M. W. A. Newlin meet every Satur-
day night.
C. N. WARD, Counsel,
VENUS DAVIS, Clerk.

MEMPHIS CAMP, No. 1091, meets every
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Woodman Hall. Visiting Sovereigns
are welcome.
L. L. FOREMAN, C. C.
D. H. ARNOLD, Clerk.

NEWLIN CAMP, No. 616, W. O. W.,
meets in Newlin, W. O. W. hall every
second and fourth Tuesday nights in
each month. Visiting sovereigns are
welcome.
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J. H. PIERCE, Clerk.

HEDLEY CAMP, No. 2318, W. O. W.,
meets on second and fourth Saturday
nights of each month in the Hedley
Woodman Hall. Visiting Sovereigns
are welcome.
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S. A. MCCARROLL, CLERK.

ESTELLINE CAMP, No. 2157, W. O.
W., meets in W. O. W. Hall on the
first and fourth Friday nights in each
month. Visiting Sovereigns are wel-
come.
P. M. BENNETT, C. C.
IRA SMITH, Clerk.

ELI CAMP, No. 2179, W. O. W.,
meets in the Eli W. O. W. Hall on the
second and fourth Saturday nights of
each month. Visiting Sovereigns are
made welcome.
T. R. PHILLIPS, C. C.
J. E. GLASS, Clerk.

LAKEVIEW CAMP, No. 2353, W. O.
W., meets in the Lakeview W. O. W.
Hall on the first and third Saturday
nights. Visiting Sovereigns are made
welcome.
J. B. WAGNER, Con. Com.
MARVIN SMITH, Clerk.

MEMPHIS LODGE, No. 444,
I. O. O. F., meets in I. O.
O. F. Hall every Tuesday
night. Visiting brothers
are welcome.
F. A. HUDGINS, N. G.
J. G. HAYS, Secretary.

MEMPHIS ENCAMPMENT, I. O. O. F.,
meets in Odd Fellows hall on first and
third Wednesday nights in each
month.
W. P. CAGLE, CHIEF PATRIARCH.
J. H. IGLEHART, GRAND SCRIBE.

FLORA LODGE, No. 346, D. of R.,
meets every 2nd and 4th Monday night
in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting members
are welcome.
MRS. ANNIE HOUGHTON, N. G.
MISS LEONA JOHNSON, Secretary.

NEWLIN LODGE, No. 673, I. O. O. F.,
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Presbyterian Midwinter Lawn Carnival

The young men of Mr. Finch's class decided to give a midwinter carnival on the lawn next Friday night but owing to the fact that there will be services every night this week at the Presbyterian church they will postpone the date until later. Watch these columns for "something doing" on the lawn in the near future.

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Mrs. S. F. Parker has been real sick the past few days but we are glad to report her very much improved at this writing.

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Formula For a Boy
Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 11.—The average boy is made up of 50 per cent fun, 20 per cent fight, 10 per cent fidget, 10 per cent feeling and 10 per cent folly, declared Rev. H. C. Trailie of Carthage, Mo., in an address here at the First Baptist Church last night. Another speaker said:

"I believe in the theater as an educational factor in the life of every boy."

Read the Democrat.

Mrs. Dr. N. S. West and son, of Hopkinsville, Ky., is spending several days in Memphis with Mrs. West's cousin, Mrs. R. J. Thorne.

Fine exhibition Barred Rock, as good as they grow, great layers. Write or see H. L. Buchanan, Memphis, Tex. 33-4tc.

E. M. Leutwyler of Vernon, was in Memphis Saturday with the expectation of buying the bankrupt stock of the Panhan Jewelry Store.

FOR RENT—Nice 4-room house corner of Dover and Fifteenth streets. See W. E. Hansard. 32-4tc.

S. Baldwin of Teneba, cousin of A. and H. Baldwin, is in the city visiting, and will probably remain for several months.

Mr. Barden Lifferts of Chicago, Illinois, arrived in town on Saturday night in the interest of the Memphis Band. He will present the beautiful four act Society Melo Drama entitled, Her Father's Crime, with the local talent of Memphis at the Arnwood Opera House, Friday and Saturday nights, March 4 and 5, 1910. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

CUT PRICE SALE

We are steadily reducing stock preparatory to our Semi-Annual Inventory, and we are offering great values in certain lines. Our Sales continue to unload our shelves, and we certainly appreciate the patronage.

We have four extra clerks on rush days and yet we have to apologize for not waiting on all who come in. We will increase our force until we can give the quickest service in town. We thank you for your favors.

COLD WAVE

The Weather Clerk reports a cold wave, and if you should meet it, be prepared with a good warm Overcoat to ward off its chilling grip. We will supply the coats for the lowest prices of the winter.

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Woolen, smooth finished hose, regular 35c value for only **17c**

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See Buchanan's Barred Rock, best in town. East end Main St. 33-4tc. Memphis, Tex.

The Presbyterian people have their annual building fever at present. Who knows but what they will do something worthy of themselves this time.

See or write J. R. Brumley when you want to buy, sell or exchange real estate in Hall county.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wright are rejoicing over the arrival at their home Monday night of a fine baby girl. This is their first and congratulations are in order and the Democrat extends best wishes for the future well fare of the little lady.

For Exchange.

Will exchange 320 acres unimproved all smooth land in Floyd county, 16 miles east of Lockney for improved farm in Hall or adjoining counties. With difference. 32-2tc. M. A. BARRY, Maypearl Texas.

Fresh vegetables every Wednesday and Saturday at J. S. Yowell's grocery store. Phone No. 10.

The Baptist denomination was notified by Rev. R. B. Morgan in a letter from him that he would be here to fill the pulpit next Sunday if nothing prevented. All the members of the church are requested to be present and bring as many others as you can.

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B. Roy Houghton and family have moved back to Memphis from Amarillo. Roy is yet undecided as to what he will do. He will more than likely remain in the employ of Uncle Sam if he can get the position he desires. We are glad to welcome them back to Memphis and trust they will remain.

The Story of the Cherry Tree



Is generally associated with Washington's Birthday. Little George chopped down the Cherry Tree. You know the rest of the story. We have another cherry story that will interest you and we want to tell it to you. It is about



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100th Anniversary Sermon.
Rev. T. J. Edwards of Childress will preach the 100th anniversary of the Cumberland Presbyterian denomination at their church at corner of 13th and Montgomery streets next Sunday, February 20. A full attendance of the Membership is earnestly solicited and as many friends as desires to come out. Everybody invited.

Stallings Bros. Establishment to Sell.
The gents furnishing business of Stallings Brothers will be sold next Saturday, February 19, at two o'clock at their place of business by S. M. Pedigo, assignee. All parties wishing to bid on same must be on hand at the appointed hour.

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