

Baker Hotel, \$5,500,000 Hostelry To Open in Dallas October 8th



The New Baker, South's Finest Has 700 Rooms

Announcement was made last week in this paper of the opening of The Baker—the new 700 room \$5,500,000 hotel that has been built by T. E. Baker, President of The Baker Hotels of Texas, now operating The Texas at Ft. Worth, The Stephen F. Austin of Austin, The Gunter and The Menger of San Antonio, on the site of the old Oriental Hotel of Dallas.

By a queer co-incidence The Baker opens upon the 32nd anniversary of the opening of the famous old Oriental and many of the old-timers of Texas who were present at that early opening of that long popular hotel have declared their intention of being present at the opening of The Baker. But much progress has been made in hotel construction and operation within these thirty-two years.

The Baker Hotel, for example, will have six rapid elevators with a rated speed of 600 feet per minute. Each room will have a bath, circulating ice-water, Valet service, a full Winton carpet—and other luxuries and conveniences not dreamed of even ten or fifteen years ago. The building at the corner of Commerce and Akard is of re-inforced concrete construction, said to be one of the finest of its kind in America, standing eighteen stories in height with a total useful space between the floor of the second basement and the machinery house on the roof of 237 feet. The first four floors are faced with terracotta, the next twelve are faced with a light brick and the balance is finished with terra cotta with the top two floors—where is located the Roof Garden and Radio Studio—almost a solid bank of windows on three sides.

One hundred and sixty car loads of furniture, furnishings and equipment were required to furnish the building. Among some of the items included in this total of more than a \$1,000,000 worth of furnishings are little matters like: 3,100 DOZEN plates, 2,500 PAIRS of window curtains, 33,000 YARDS of carpet, 2900 DOZEN napkins, 43,000 Towels, 9,000 chairs, and so on down thru the list of more than 2400 separate items that were required to furnish the building.

Of particular interest to all of Texas is the Convention Room on the second floor with a seating capacity of 1750 persons and a Roof Garden that seats 2100 persons for Convention Purposes. A Coffee Shop, Cafeteria, Main Dining Room, Seven Private Dining Rooms, and Two Convention Rooms provide dining facilities for 7,500 persons per meal. A staff of 450 persons are required to operate the hotel. And yet—with all of this investment and the countless details of operation the rates—\$5 in each of the other four Baker Hotels in Texas—will be only \$2 per day and up—with the highest priced single room for one person at \$4.

Don Bestor's Orchestra from Chicago—known from the more than 60 Victor Records and many radio programs broadcasted, has been engaged for the Winter Season. The orchestra will arrive for the Opening night and in addition to the full program being broadcasted on October 9th from 9 until morning—will broadcast a Dinner Hour Program each evening from 6:30 to 7:30 over WFAA—whose studio is being moved to the seventh and eighteenth floor of the new hotel.

The Baker has been selected headquarters of The State Teachers Association in November, The Southwestern Life Insurance Conference in October, and more than a dozen other conventions in Dallas already. More than fifteen of the luncheon clubs of Dallas have selected The Baker for their regular weekly meeting place.

A NAUTICAL MILE

A nautical mile is called a knot. Originally a knot was an actual knot on a ship's "log-line." The log line was a long line attached to a log which was thrown over the ship's bow. The log remained practically stationary and the time required for the vessel to pass by the log from bow to stern determined the rate the ship was going. This practice was known as "heaving the log." Upon this log line, at intervals of 1-120 of a geographical mile, were tied knots.

The distance between any two knots was the distance the ship would move if traveling at the rate of one sea mile per hour, during, say, half a minute. One man counted the knots in the rapidly passing line while another stood turning a sandglass, somewhat similar to an hourglass, measuring the time. When the sandglass was emptied the log line was stopped and the knots counted. Thus was the ship's speed determined. If fifteen knots had run out, the ship had been doing fifteen sea miles per hour, or, as a seaman would express it, she was "doing fifteen knots." The rate at which a vessel sails, or can sail, is usually given in knots per hour, the admiral's knot or measured mile being 6,080 feet.

No long waits when you order groceries from Womack's—we deliver the goods on time. 10-4c

See Clayton & Hugh at McKelvey & Reed's Furniture Store for Picture Framing. 14-3c

Fresh Hostess Cakes at all times at Womack's Grocery. Phones 262-600. 10-1fc

Local and Personal

T. D. Gee of Estelline was here Monday on business.

Novelty Goods at the Proctor & Co., Variety Store. 15-4c

Mrs. T. J. Cope of Parnell was a visitor in Memphis Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sid Wells, a girl, Sunday morning October 4th.

The War is Over—Haircuts 40 cents at Mack's Barber Shop. 15-2c

T. R. Fuston of Turkey was a business visitor here Monday.

Garnett, the Radiator Man, 10th, and Main. 13-1c

G. A. Wimberly of Amarillo was here Saturday on business.

J. O. Colquitt made a trip to Amarillo Saturday.

See Clayton & Hugh at McKelvey & Reed's Furniture Store for Picture Framing. 14-3c

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison made a trip over the South Plains last week.

Miss Versa Odom went to Snyder Thursday where she will teach her school beginning last Monday.

No long waits when you order groceries from Womack's—we deliver the goods on time. 10-1fc

J. W. Caraway arrived Saturday from Florida. He was on his way to Amarillo.

Will Riggs of Estelline was in town Monday transacting business and attending court.

Remember our motto, A Square Deal, and the highest prices possible for your chickens, eggs and cream. Try us and be convinced. Farmers Produce. 9-1fc

L. G. Kendall of Pauls Valley, Okla., has accepted a position with A. Womack Grocery. He has moved his family here.



The man who tells people that drink is as hard as times should beware of the dry agent—because he is the scenter of the population. The center of desirable strong things is at our hardware store.

Harrison-Clower Hardware Co. MEMPHIS TEXAS 20 years in Memphis.

NOTICE

On account of having to return to the office at Fort Worth, I will not accept any new cases for treatment after October 18th. This is an opportunity of getting your PILES cured at home without the added expense of having to go away to have it done. We guarantee to cure every case we treat, or it will cost you nothing, no Cutting, Tying or burning, and no detention from business while being cured.

DR. P. M. WALTRIP

Memphis Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, Kennedy Hotel. Hedley, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, O'Neal & Cooper Hotel. 15-2c

Cotton Storage



In connection with our gin we have ample storage room enabling the farmers to store their cotton when the gin is crowded and not have to wait. By storing cotton under shelter will make a better grade by one point at least. So bring your cotton to us and get a full turnout as well as accommodations when the gin is crowded.

We will buy cotton at the highest market price. Give us a trial and become our regular customer.

Nail & Beaty Gin



October Sale of Smart New HATS

FROM the standpoint of value and attractiveness of these hats, this sale is one of the most important and significant we have ever held.

The assemblage includes models in the newest designs, embodying the season's smartest fabrics and trimmings; and faultless workmanship.

Fashioned of velvet, velour, panne, hatter's plush, bengaline and felt, in dove, sea-shallow, pencil blue, exquisite tints of purple and black.

In all cases the prices are so low that their equal is rarely found in view of the excellent quality maintained.

FAIN & CO.

5, 10, 25 and \$1.00
Department Stores

Firestone

Safety and Mileage For All Roads and Seasons

OPERATORS of large truck, bus and cab fleets must have rugged, long-mileage tires if they are to make money. That is why so many of them have standardized on Firestone. Experienced race drivers, almost to a man, equip with Firestone. Car owners can have this same extra safety and economy—by using Gum-Dipped Cords.

Gum-Dipping, the Firestone extra process, impregnates and insulates every fiber of every cord with rubber—insures greater safety and comfort over rough and sandy roads—builds extra strength and flexibility into the sidewalls—an exclusive feature that adds thousands of miles to the life of a tire.

Come in—let us save you money by equipping your car with a set of these wonderful tires—prices are still low.



MOST MILES PER DOLLAR

TRAVIS & POWELL Memphis, Texas

AMERICANS SHOULD PRODUCE THEIR OWN RUBBER... *Firestone*

Personal and Local Paragraphs

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Gloves, Handkerchiefs,
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from Memphis. While
ranberry visited in Geor-
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as good old Hall county

Memphis Girl
Is Making Good

Miss Lenoma Rogers, daughter of
Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Rogers of this
city, who is teacher of home econom-
ics in the high school at Brecken-
ridge, won first prize in the Oil Belt
District Fair, which is a signal honor.
She has also been offered a posi-
tion in the State Department at a
thousand dollars increase in salary;
but she would not consider it as she
had signed up and had already begun
teaching in the Breckenridge school.

CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF
TEMPORARY GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Hall County—Greeting:
You Are Hereby Commanded to
cause the following notice to be pub-
lished in a newspaper of general cir-
culation 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 ten days exclusive of the first
day of publication before the return
day hereof:
Notice of Appointment of Temporary
Guardian.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To All Persons interested in the
welfare of the estate of Earley Gal-
loway, a Minor: Sam J. Hamilton
was, by the County Court of Hall
County, Texas, duly appointed Tem-

porary Guardian of the estate of said
Minor, which appointment will be
made permanent, unless the same
shall be successfully contested at the
next term of said Court, commencing
on the third Monday in October
A. D. 1925, the same being the 19th
day of October A. D. 1925, at the
Court House, thereof, in Memphis,
Texas, at which time all persons in-
terested in the welfare of said Minor
may appear and contest such ap-
pointment, if they see proper to
do so.

Herein Fail Not, But have you be-
fore said Court, on the said first day
of the next term thereof, this Writ,
with your return thereon, showing
how you have executed the same.

Witness, EDNA BRYAN, Clerk of
the County Court of Hall County.
Given under my hand and the seal
of said Court, at office in Memphis
this 26th day of September A.
D. 1925.
(Seal) EDNA BRYAN,
Clerk County Court, Hall County,
Texas. 14-2c

BLUE BUGS?

Feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE
to your chickens and paint your Hen
House with MARTIN'S ROOST
PAINT to kill and keep away all in-
sects. Money back. Guaranteed by
City Feed Store. 13-8c

MR. COTTON FARMER

You said you would not mind signing up for one year but did
not want to be tied for five years.

Did you mean it or were you "JESS A JOKIN"?

This is the only chance you will have again in five years to sign
a one year's contract.

If you want to try it on your 1925 crop you can try it and then
exercise your option to go on or stay out.

The Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association.

HALL COUNTY FARM BUREAU

GARNETT'S FILLING STATION
OPENS FOR BUSINESS

Our new filling station at 10th and Main is now open
with a full line of tires and accessories, American Products
of Gas and Oils. We have the exclusive right on Diamond
Casings. Vulcanizing work at all times.

We continue doing Radiator Work in the new loca-
tion. Will appreciate your business.

G. W. GARNETT, Manager

GARNETT'S FILLING STATION

GEM THEATRE

Opens Monday, Oct. 12

WITH REGINALD DENNY IN

"I'll Show You the Town"



A play that young and old will enjoy from beginning to end
—ALSO A GOOD COMEDY—

FOLLOWED WEDNESDAY

With another good picture—a thundering melodrama that roars through a
storm of sizzling thrills

Monte Blue in "THE LIMITED MAIL"
Also "FOX NEWS"



A Scene from "THE LIMITED MAIL" A WARNER PICTURE.

Release of pictures for the balance of the week to be announced later.

—SHOWS 2:30 AND 7:30 EACH DAY—

The management has spared no expense in making this one of the best the-
aters in the Panhandle, providing the very latest in equipment for the com-
fort and entertainment of all the people of this city and county. Come and
see for yourself—If you like it tell others; if not, tell us. We are here to
please you by providing you with good wholesome pictures—the best ob-
tainable. Visit the New Gem Theatre, Monday.



IS YOUR
BOY HAPPY
and Contented on the Farm?

You know that boys like new and efficient machinery and
the American all-purpose 3-1 Farm body, through its ef-
ficiency appeals to the boys as well as the grown-ups
who can realize how much this body will save for them in
their hauling costs.

All panels are removable and are constructed of oak. Well
framed so that they will render lifetime service. End gate
operates separately from rest of the panels.

Thousands are now being used by farmers everywhere.
Every body backed by our guarantee and our ten years of
knowing how to build the best body for the least money.

Go to your dealer and insist on the Genuine American 3-1
farm body and do not accept a cheap substitute. If your
dealer cannot supply you write us direct.

We Build 27 Different Models.
A Body for Every Business

American Body Company

Dallas—Fort Worth—El Paso—Oklahoma City—Shreveport

October Sale of
SILK DRESSES

Offering You a Remarkably Complete Dress
Selection for Street, Afternoon and Sport Wear.

\$14.75 \$18.75 \$29.75

—Flat Crepe, Satin Crepes, Newest Bro-
cades. The new version of the fashion-
able plain and circular skirt styles;
Boleros, the new and very smart two-
piece effect.

—Fur and the newest developments of
smart Narrowgold Braid Trimmings and
border effect.

The new colors innumerable boasting the new tans, wood tones
and very smart black and Black Prince in smartest of contrasts.

Announcing The Opening of Our Marcel
Shop

For the remainder of this week we will give MarceIs for 75c,
after that the price will be \$1.00. We have an operator who has
had four years' experience, and you will appreciate the high
grade of work you will receive in this shop.

Phone 264 for appointment.

Elliott Fashion Shop

"Exclusive But Not Expensive"



The Memphis Democrat

October 8, 1925

Newlin News

Mrs. W. L. Kellison entertained the Baptist Ladies at her home in Newlin last Wednesday with a quilting. Dinner was served to a large number of women.

Mrs. Ida Smith of California visited last week at the home of her brother, Mrs. T. J. Smith, Sr., of Newlin.

A short, but interesting program was presented in the Newlin School Auditorium, Friday by Mrs. A. H. Glasco's expression class.

Mr. and Mrs. Eastwood of Amarillo visited last week at the home of their daughter Mrs. Bill Prater of Newlin.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church have adopted an orphan at the Methodist orphans' home. A lunch was prepared by each of the Methodist Ladies and brought to Newlin where plate lunches were sold Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Mullins and family of Turkey spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his brother, Geo. B. Mullins.

Webster Warblings

The farmers of this community are very busy gathering their cotton most of them are badly in need of help.

Rev. M. E. Hawkins will preach at Webster Sunday afternoon at the usual hour, 4 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

Uncle John Robertson is on the sick list at the present.

Misses Maeve and Verda Loftin and brother visited their sister, Mrs. D. Turner Sunday.

Miss Irene Reid spent Saturday night with Nannie and May Scoggins.

Mrs. Fisher and son Leon spent Sunday on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berry is the proud parents of a baby boy born September 20th.

O. J. Davis left Saturday morning for Davidson, Okla., to be with his brother in business there.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Martin visited J. A. Stanford and family Sunday afternoon, also Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Green visited the Stamford home Sunday afternoon and night.

T. B. O'Brien of Amarillo, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Rock Island, was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

Simple Mixture Best For Constipation

Simple buckthorn bark, magnesium sulph. c. p., glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, is excellent for constipation. It often works in one hour or less and never gripes.

THE MODERN MOTHER CONTRASTED WITH THE INDIAN MOTHER

That motherhood is the highest and noblest of all professions and is one to which much concentrated effort should be devoted, is the opinion of Dr. H. O. Sappington, state health officer, who stated:

"It is interesting to contrast the care given babies by the Indian mothers and the modern mothers of today. The papoose was kept continually with his mother, both night and day, gong everywhere the mother went. While it might have suffered some inconveniences from such an arrangement, still it enjoyed many advantages also, as being with its mother, insured the watchful care of someone interested in its welfare, preventing the many accidents so common to children of modern times.

"The modern mother is too prone to leave her baby or children with servants, an obliging neighbor, or older children, who oftentimes are not careful enough with their charge and through carelessness, allow it to happen to some serious or fatal accident. While not advocating that the mothers of today should emulate the Indian mother of early days, still it would be well for every mother to give as much of her personal time to her children as possible.

"Motherhood is a God-given profession, and is not only the oldest but the highest that has ever been recorded, and to make a success in any profession takes much time and work. A little personal sacrifice does not amount to much, when the results obtained from such sacrifice show well, sturdy and happy children who look upon mother as a pal and confidante.

"Fortunate, indeed, is the baby who is breast fed, as his chances for life are perhaps twice that of a bottle fed baby. Every mother, unless her physician orders otherwise, should nurse her baby, as a mother's milk has no substitute of equal value. Healthy, happy children are the greatest happiness and asset that any home can have."

Auto supplies at Garnett's. 15-1c

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Hall County, on the 25th day of September, 1925, by S. G. Alexander, Clerk of said District Court of Hall County, Texas, for the sum of EIGHTY-TWO THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED FORTY-THREE AND 73-100 (\$82,143.73) DOLLARS, and costs of suit, under a judgment therein rendered in favor of Wesley Knorpp in a certain cause No. 1321 and styled Wesley Knorpp vs. M. C. Williams, T. M. Gay, A. A. Stewart (or Stuart), A. B. Stewart (or Stuart), B. L. Spear (or Spear), Dan England, Jesus Pisenio, J. P. Lindley, K. T. Martin & Company, and Arthur R. Letts, placed in my hands for service, I, Joe Merrick, as Sheriff of Hall County, Texas, did on the 25th day of September, 1925, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Hall County, Texas, and described as follows, to-wit:

First tract: A part of section No. 3 in Block 1, surveyed by virtue of certificate No. 2-170 issued to J. Poitevent and bounded as follows: Beginners 1149 vrs. North from the S. W. corner of said Section No. 3, Block 1, a point in the West line of said Section and in the center of Little Red River; Thence North 122 vrs. to a point in the center of the Memphis and Turkey public road; Thence North 38 East 200 vrs. to a point in the center of said road; Thence North 32 East 1291 vrs. to a point in the center of said road; Thence N. 68 1-2 E. 154 vrs. to a point in the center of said road; and in the East line of said Section No. 3, Block 1, and 1282 vrs. South of its N. E. corner; Thence South 1864 vrs. to a point in the East line of

said Section 3, Block 1, and in the center of Little Red River; Thence with the meanders of the center of Little Red River N. 60 1-2 W. 257 vrs.; Thence North 71 West 698 vrs. with the center of said Little Red River; Thence North 40 West 104 vrs. with the center of said river to the place of beginning and containing 176 acres.

Second tract: A part of Section No. 4, in Block 1, surveyed for the school fund by virtue of Certificate No. 2-170 issued to J. Poitevent and bounded as follows:

Beginning at the S. E. corner of said Section No. 4, Blk. 1; Thence West 716 vrs. to a point in the South line of said Section No. 4, Blk. 1, and in the center of Little Red River; Thence North with the meanders of the center of said river 819 vrs.; Thence N. 60 1-2 W. with the meanders of the center of said river 269 vrs. to a point in the West line of said Section No. 4, Block 1; Thence North 1864 vrs. to a point in the West line of said Section and in the center of the Memphis and Turkey public road; Thence N. 68 1-2 E. with the center of said road 246 vrs.; Thence N. 53 E. with the center of said road 903 vrs. to a point in the East line of said Section No. 4, and 54 vrs. South of its N. E. corner; Thence South 3445 vrs. to the beginning and containing 485 4-10 acres.

Third tract: A part of Section No. 5, in Block 1, by virtue of certificate No. 2-171 issued to J. Poitevent and bounded as follows:

Beginning 218 vrs. North of the S. W. corner of said Section No. 5, Blk. 1 a point in the West line of said Section and on the South bank of Little Red River; Thence North 3880 vrs. to the N. W. corner of said Section No. 5, Blk. 1; Thence South 58 East 1121 vrs. to its N. E. corner; Thence South 3076 1-2 vrs. to a point in the East line of said Section No. 5, Blk. 1, and on the South bank of Little Red River; Thence South 78 1-2 West with the meanders of the South bank of said river 851 1-2 vrs.; Thence South 73 deg. 40' W. with the meanders of the South bank of said river 121 vrs. to the beginning, containing 585 acres.

Fourth tract: A part of Section No. 6 in Block 1, surveyed for the school fund by virtue of certificate No. 2-171 issued to J. Poitevent and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point on the South bank of Little Red River and in the West line of said Section 6, Blk. 1, and 1021 1-2 vrs. North of its S. W. corner; Thence North 3075 1-2 vrs. to its N. W. corner; Thence S. 58 E. 1121 vrs. to its N. E. corner; Thence South 2283 vrs. to a point on the South bank of Little Red River and the East line of said Section No. 6, Blk. 1; Thence S. 78 1-4 W. with the meanders of the South bank of said river 970 vrs. to the beginning, containing 451 acres.

Fifth tract: A part of Section No. 7, Block 1, by virtue of Certificate 2-172 issued to J. Poitevent and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point 1999 4-10 vrs. North of the S. W. corner of said Section No. 7, Block 1, said point being in the West line of this Section No. 7; Thence East 52 vrs. to a point on the present South bank of Little Red River; Thence N. 48 E. with the South bank of Little Red River 195 vrs.; Thence N. 68 E with the South bank of Little Red River 100 vrs.; Thence East with the South bank of Little Red River 200 vrs.; Thence South 69 1-4 East with the South bank of Little Red River 138 vrs.; Thence South 13 1-4 East with the South bank of Little Red River 230 vrs. to a point on the South bank of the said river and in the East line of said Section No. 7, Blk. 1; Thence North 1587 6-10 vrs. to the Northeast corner of said Section No. 7, Blk. 1; Thence North 66 1-2 West 1036 vrs. to the Northwest corner of said Section No. 7; Thence South 2006 6-10 vrs. to the beginning, containing 271 acres.

Sixth tract: A part of Section No. 8, in Block 1, surveyed for the school fund by virtue of certificate No. 2-172 issued to J. Poitevent and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point on the South bank of Little Red River, and in the West line of said Section No. 8; Block 1, and 2392 vrs. North of its S. W. corner; Thence North 1648

defendant M. C. Williams; and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1925, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Hall County, in the city of Memphis, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said judgment and said order of sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public Vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said M. C. Williams, defendant.

\$1,000.00 FOR \$3.00 HEDLEY PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

The Hedley Protective Association is a local Life Insurance Association and is composed of friends and neighbors.

It was organized in 1913, at Hedley, Texas. We now pay \$1,000.00 on death claims. We have over 1100 members, and still growing. We are also accumulating a surplus fund, and when this fund amounts to \$1000 we will waive the next death call and pay it out of the surplus fund, and still have \$1000 left to pay another call. Our assessments are only \$1.00 per member for death calls and \$1.00 a year for annual dues.

This is a straight life policy association. No accident or any other kind of claims attached to it, and will not be. We are under bond, and bond is filed with the Commissioner of Insurance at Austin, Texas. We also have a permit from the State of Texas to write local life insurance. So, don't you think you'll be safe in taking a policy with us for \$1000?

Up to date, Oct. 1st, we have had 49 deaths, so, including our annual dues, you can see our average cost annually has been about \$5.00 per member. Of course we haven't had our association full all of this time or else we would have had many deaths. But, if I am correct, statistics show out of every one that lives and people living we will have annually ten death. So, you can see we will have cheap insurance.

Our membership fee is \$3.00, our annual dues are due December 1st of each year. As it is only 10 months till our annual dues are due we are going to give you a \$1000 Dollar Policy in The Hedley Protective Association with your annual dues paid up to December 1st, 1926. And this policy is worth \$1000 to your family the day you die.

We carry some old line insurance because we think it is good, but we believe our home insurance is just as good, as far as it goes, and know that it comes cheaper.

Life is uncertain. Death is sure. So take a policy with us today, and protect your family while you can.

Zeb Moore, at the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., Memphis, Texas, or Herman Horschler, at the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., Newlin, Texas, will take your application for membership.

D. C. MOORE

Secretary of the Association HEDLEY, TEXAS

Moved to New Quarters

I have moved to my new location on Main street in the stand where the White Mountain Creamery was formerly located. The building has been remodeled and the front will be used for display of my plumbing fixtures, etc.

Come and see our display of Oilomatic Heaters, Tanks, Bath Tubs, Water Softeners, Lavatories, Sinks, etc.

Jobbing work promptly attended to. Prices reasonable. All work guaranteed.

CALL 561

L. HOLT PLUMBING AND HEATING

IF YOU GET UP NIGHTS YOU'RE OLD BEFORE YOUR TIME

Prostate and Bladder Trouble Makes Many Men Feel Twenty Years Older Than They Are.

It is said that fifty per cent of men past forty and many younger ones are victims of prostate trouble. One of the commonest symptoms of this dangerous disease which saps vitality and makes you old before your time is the necessity of getting up several times a night.

Other symptoms are dull, draggy, aching at the base of the spine, pain in groin, burning sensation of organs, lack of vigor and frequent attacks of the blues.

But there is hope for you, no matter how old your case, from a wonderful new formula. It seemingly brings new health, vigor and freedom from these troubles to both old and young.

This wonderful treatment is known as Walker's Prostate Specific, and is prepared in convenient, pleasant tablet form. All you need do is take one tablet after each meal and the symptoms seem to vanish like magic.

To prove these statements the Walker Institute, 1388 Gateway Station, Kansas City, Mo., generously offers to send a \$1 treatment under plain wrapper, postpaid and free of charge to any sufferer who will write for it. If it cures you tell your friends and pay whatever you think is fair, otherwise the box is yours.

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SATURDAY SPECIALS---One Day Only

The Cross Dry Goods store will close out all Velvet Hats at a Reduced price Saturday. All of the long sleeve Silk Dresses from the cheapest up to and including the \$21.75 line will be Reduced.

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Cross Dry Goods Store



Vacation Time With Its Pleasures

By T. R. GARROTT

Park is well provided with boarding houses and furnished. Not having time to attend school of instruction or learn at the feet of any of the finished professors, we simply viewing the grand panoramas nesting like beds of at the base of high hills and cliffs, there being overshadowed by the range of mighty mountains stretching out to the limit of distant horizon. Having gone to Estes Park by way of one gorge, we turned south west another canyon and then followed the winding road up into the gorges until we reached a small named Ward. This had once a mining town and the terminus of a road, but in 1918 the track was removed, and the town and people were left to decay or move off. In lay-out of the main street, evidently the inhabitants must have followed a trail, as it seemed every house on a different level and no two seemed to be in line, either down or sideways.

A visiting automobile stopped on the Main street, it was ready to set brakes or chock the wheels, to insure finding the car the occupants returned. To the store the customer went steps to a platform and to reach the house the guest had to take two long flights of steps about 20 feet to get where he could sit to rest until he was able to take his journey to the dining room. A tourist map "showed" that Ward was camping Park, and upon asking where it was we were instructed to go back up the "plain," where the rail once ended in a "Y" as there been no turntable for the engine around. When we found the "Y," which was indicated by pieces of charred fire wood and blackened near a little mountain stream, as a joke to realize that the "Y" turned out to be about 30 by 70 feet wide including the stream. Night was closing down and air was cold, so that a fire was needed to be comfortable. The altitude was about 10,500 feet and was not far off as we had seen patches of white on the mountainsides, and the water in the stream was cold. As the morning sun raised his cheerful face over the rim of the range, strange birds to flit about the bushes of wild berries and Red Raspberries, soon the aroma of fried bacon led with the program of boiling. The "Plain" was too small permit the Special Six to turn and so we "doodle bugged" until led in the right direction. The of the gorge were pitted with "diggings" and deserted wells and mines, and although was gold, galena and copper it 30 dollars a ton to get the ore smelter. This cost and the difficulty of transportation prohibited working of the mines which seemed to be left to revert back to original wilderness, until the tide of opportunity turns in their favor. It surprising to see so many cottages, and small ranches offered for rent. Colorado is indeed the "son's playground", and it is no exaggeration to say that hundreds of can be rented by tourists who to spend a vacation with their families in the mountains. You can in a car or castle, or get a house

Local Pastor Holds Revival at Olton

Rev. Kennedy of Memphis, Tex. is holding a revival in the Christain church. The attendance has been good except two nights it rained. There have been several additions to the church so far. The meeting will close this week.—Olton News in Amherst Argus.

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Baptist Minister Has Successful Meeting

Rev. Chas. T. Whaley, pastor of the Baptist church at Memphis, Texas, closed the revival at Amherst Wednesday night after nearly two weeks continuance, part of the time under unfavorable weather conditions. There were fifty-five to unite with the Baptist church, over half being for baptism. Several came forward expecting to unite with other churches. Rev. Whaley is an able and eloquent preacher and is without the sensationalism that many of the exangalists indulge. He is earnest and sincere, so makes a deep impression on his hearers.—Amherst Argus.

STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County—Greeting:

Whereas, on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1925, S. S. Montgomery, administrator of the estate of H. J. Galloway, deceased, filed in the County Court of Hall County his application for the partition and distribution of said estate, and alleging that Mrs. Mollie Galloway, E. J. Galloway, Annie Boone, wife of B. A. Isom, and Earlie Galloway are each entitled to a share of said estate; and further alleging that the said Mrs. Mollie Galloway, Annie Boone and husband Fred Boone, A. Isom and husband B. A. Isom, and Earlie Galloway reside in Tulare County, California:

Therefore you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for four consecutive weeks in a Newspaper of general circulation published in Hall County, Texas, to summon and require the said Mrs. Mollie Galloway, E. J. Galloway, Annie Boone and husband Fred Boone; A. Isom and husband B. A. Isom, and Earlie Galloway, and all persons interested in said estate, to be and appear before said County Court at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said Hall County, in Memphis, Texas, on the third Monday in October, A. D. 1925, the same being the 19th day of October, A. D. 1925, then and there to show cause why such partition and distribution should not be made.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there 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.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in Memphis, Texas, this 24th day of September, A. D. 1925.

(Seal) EDNA BRYAN, Clerk County Court, Hall County, Texas.

By GLADYS HAMMOND, Deputy Clerk. 13-4c

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NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

A tremendous disaster occurred today, in which forty-one people lost their lives and property valued at \$1,466,744.44 was destroyed by fire. The destruction proceeded continuously through the entire 24 hours; every hour \$61,115.60—every minute \$1,018.59—every second \$16.97 was wiped out.

This is just another way of stating what the highest authority tells us. The authority is none other than the National Board of Fire Underwriters, and this board is in position to know that our annual fire loss in \$535,372,722.

What this means may be comprehended from a few comparisons. Our annual production of gold and silver is \$103,119,741—less than one fifth of our annual fire loss. As a people, we produced wealth of \$1,900,287,000 in our 1922 corn crop; but we wasted more than 28 per cent of that amount by fire. Our 1922 cotton crop amounted to \$1,192,461,000; our fire loss was 44 per cent of that sum. In 1923 we paid our Government internal revenues, excluding income and inheritance taxes totaling \$309,015,050. We wasted by fire the same year more than half again as much as Uncle Sam collected in these revenues.

What is the cause of this loss? Fire department chiefs, insurance actuaries and other experts tell us that 75 per cent of our fires are partly or wholly preventable, the results of one form or another of carelessness. Carelessness is certainly to be denounced. But it is a delusion to think that the time ever will come when it will not be necessary to forestall the results of carelessness.

To build "fire-safe" is one way of overcoming or forestalling many fires. Modern building material can be secured and put into buildings to make them practically fire-safe. Building properly and exercising greater care in the use of fire, lights, and combustibles, the fire loss may be reduced a great lot.

Prevention of fires mean not only a reduction of our \$535,372,782 annual fire loss; it means fundamental and economical insurance to the life and property of the home owner and home builder.

Let's make our buildings safe, and build the new buildings as near fire-safe as possible. Watch the flues, stove-pipes, clean out the rubbish, and eliminate all chances for combustion as far as possible.

HISTORY OF COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY

The Wellington Leader force has just published a history of Collingsworth County, which is very interesting and valuable too. It was written by H. Deskins Wells, who was assisted in gathering data by others. This history is well written and carefully prepared, and is finding a ready sale outright. It is also being offered with a subscription to the Leader at a price that the people are anxious to accept.

Each county should have a history written before all the old-timers are gone. If not, then it is a hard task to get correct data in after years for a history. The Leader is to be congratulated upon making this pioneer move in history making.

NATURE AN ARTIST

A drive over Hall County last Sunday afternoon was a treat for sore eyes. Leaving Memphis and driving to Lakeview, then from there to Leslie and Brice, presented a painting of nature that is far ahead of any work of art; no hand painting is comparable to that of Nature at this time of year. The ever changing picture as one rides along the nice highways, glowing with green fields, spotted with autumnal colors here and there, waving heads of grain, some blackened by the recent rains, some dead ripe and some yet in bloom or green and heavy—but still to ripen: cotton squatly and tall, full of forms, or still young and still showing blooms and squares. Here and there a field where the leaf worm has punctured holes in the leaves making them look like a fantastic spider web or valenciennes lace, giving a color of autumn to the field, and letting sunlight in where the stalks are so rank that for weeks the sun's rays have not touched the earth.

Field after field of cotton that will yield from a fourth to more than a bale of cotton per acre; maize fields that will yield from one-half to two tons per acre; kaffir the same; and cane, corn and other feed plants; turnip patches; small stretches of meadow land with grass green and luxuriant; all these form a kaleidoscopic panorama never to be forgotten.

Some fields of cotton are becoming white with open bolls, and pickers ready to begin work when Monday morning arrived; feed ripening and some ready to be cut and hauled to the barns, fat horses in the meadows kicking up their heels or standing knee-deep in grass and grazing with a lazy air; people gathered about their own doorstep or that of their neighbors, gossiping over the news of the day, or laying plans for active work in their fields on the morrow. What better evidence would one want than that the great work of harvest is at hand. And such a harvest it will be cannot be estimated. If all the rest of the country produces like from Memphis west to Brice, (and it is reported to be equally as good), Hall County will produce fifty to sixty thousand bales of cotton and enough feed to furnish the entire county.

Truly, Old Man Prosperity is making Hall County his home this fall.

COATLESS MEN

Lon Montgomery, Chevrolet Distributor, Memphis, Texas.

Dear Monty: Women have a good deal on us men, but not much on themselves. What I mean, Monty, is why should they go around so cool looking and nice looking, while us poor he folks has to wear coats.

Some men may have to wear a coat to hide their shirt, but honest, Monty, I have mine washed every two weeks.

Let's get up The Men's Coatless Association and come out in force instead of in coats.

We'll lead the parade, Monty, in our Chevrolets, and of course before you pass your house you can put up your side curtains in case your wife is home.

Yours everlastly,
Rich Smithwit
P. S. Will write again next week.

NOTICE OF SALE

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Hall County Sweet Potato Curing and Canning plant an order was passed for the sale of real property of this corporation, consisting of curing plant and two lots. Bids will be received at the office of Sam J. Hamilton, Memphis, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, October the 24th, 1925. Bids will be accepted on building and lots, or building and lots separate.

Any person wishing to bid on this property will mail sealed bids to the Hall County Sweet Potato Curing and Canning plant in care of Sam J. Hamilton, Memphis, Texas.

The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any or all bids in case the bids are not satisfactory.

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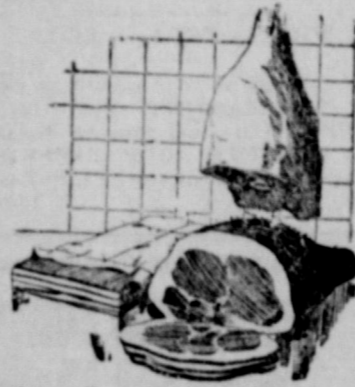
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CANNON BALL STAGE NOTICE

Have added another schedule from Memphis to Lubbock.

One car leaves Memphis	9:00 a. m.
Arrive Plainview	2:30 p. m.
Arrive Lubbock	4:00 p. m.
Arrive Littlefield	5:00 p. m.
Arrive Muleshoe	7:00 p. m.
Leave Muleshoe	10:00 a. m.
Arrive Memphis	9:00 p. m.
Car leave Memphis	9:30 a. m.
Arrive Floydada	2:00 p. m.
Leave Lubbock	8:30 a. m.
Leave Plainview	11:00 a. m.
Arrive Memphis	8:00 p. m.

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Dr. H. F. Schoolfield	Memphis
Dr. D. C. Hyder	Memphis
Dr. J. A. Odom	Memphis
Dr. C. Z. Stidham	Memphis
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Dr. P. L. Vardy	Estelline
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Dr. W. N. Wardlow	Childress
Dr. G. C. Fox	Childress
Dr. J. W. Snyder	Childress
Dr. J. E. Garner	Turkey
Dr. H. Gilmore	Turkey
Dr. H. L. Wilder	Clarendon
Dr. O. L. Jenkins	Clarendon
Dr. B. L. Jenkins	Clarendon
Dr. E. W. Jones	Wellington
Dr. E. W. Moss	Wellington
Dr. D. D. Cross	Wellington
Dr. J. W. Harper	Wellington
Dr. S. A. Street	Wellington
Dr. J. F. Hurarell	Kirkland
Dr. W. I. Jass	Wheeler
Dr. H. E. Nicholson	Wheeler
Dr. J. W. Gouch	Shamrock
Dr. B. A. Harris	Mobette

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ballew a boy Tuesday night. The infant lived but a few hours and was buried in Fairview cemetery Wednesday.

T. H. Nelson, Scout Executive for the Panhandle Area, spent Monday and Tuesday in this city assisting the local Boy Scout Council in getting ready for some active Scouting.

Let's all patronize the Legion Auxiliary Tea October 17th and help the boys who gained us our freedom.

J. L. Munn of Home Garden, California, came Wednesday to visit friends. He was on his way home from Boyd, Texas, where he buried his father last week. He was a barber in this city a few years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Billington of this city left Tuesday for Floydada where they will visit his parents a few days.

Rev. A. D. Rogers is attending the National Convention of Christian Churches of the United States in Oklahoma City this week as a delegate.

R. A. Boston underwent an operation at Clarendon Hospital last Friday and is reported doing nicely. He and his family had been on a trip to the Northwest, having covered a distance of some seven thousand miles, and before reaching Clarendon on their way home Mr. Boston gave completely out and had to be taken into Clarendon in an ambulance. His many friends in Memphis hope for his speedy recovery.

Coy Lee Odom went on Quitaque first of the week to open the new Odom Drug Store there. He will be manager of the company and his many friends wish him success.

Wholesome, humorous and tremendously human "Old Home Week" at Palace, Monday and Tuesday.

J. P. Watson made a fine address Tuesday at the Rotary Luncheon on Fire Prevention Week. He told of the great loss to life and property that is preventable, and how Memphis people can help in prevention by using common-sense and paying closer attention to conditions of flues, furnaces, stoves, and the disposition of rubbish and inflammable material. It was an address that all citizens could have profited by hearing.

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SHOWER GIVEN FOR MRS. IKE BRYAN

Margaret Wright surprised Mrs. Ike Bryan, who was recently married, with a miscellaneous shower evening, at the home of her Mrs. Carrie Lee, Mrs. Bryan and Miss Lulu Lee. The delightful program was rendered by the following numbers: "An Old Sweetheart" of Mrs. Ila Bass; Piano Solo—Mlyn McNeely; Reading—Mrs. B. Merrick; Vocal Solo—Ma Lee Hattenbach; Reading—Esta McElrath; Violin and Piano—Miss Margaret Milam; Miss Meryl Esco. Marie McQueen presented with the many beautiful which Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie toast to the bride. The ice course served to the guests.

HARMONY CLUB

Mesdames Kinard, Denny and Pierce were hostesses to the Harmony Club, Wednesday of last week and Miss Hazel Delaney and Mrs. R. B. Morgan, Jr., were added to the membership. The following program was rendered: History of the Opera—Mrs. McNeely; Voice—Love and Music, These Have I Lived For, from "La Tosca"—Puccini—Mrs. Hasie; Piano—Selected Melodies from William Tell—Rossini—Mrs. Ward; Voice—My Heart At Thy Sweet Voice, from Sampson and Delilah—Saint Saens—Mrs. Earl Johnson; Music Memory Contest arranged and conducted by Mrs. Elmer Shelly. The hostesses served a lovely ice course and the club adjourned to meet in November.

The Friday Bridge Club met last week with Miss Verna Crump. A delightful salad course was served.

TEXAS' MOST TRAGIC WASTE IS CAUSED BY FIRE

(By Phebe K. Warner.)

We are going to compare our fire losses in Texas and the United States with the cost of our public schools because we believe the school is the most important public institution in this nation and that FIRE, just FIRE, is the most needless and cruel waste of human life and property that can be imagined. Of what earthly use is a big fire going to waste in midair?

Oh, some folks say that fires are a good thing for a town because the people will get busy and build something better in the place of the old buildings. But fire is no respecter of property and is just as likely to take the best as the poorest buildings in town once it gets hold of it. It is like disease. But even though every building and every piece of property that is destroyed by fire could be replaced the next day by something better, how about the innocent men, women and children that suffered the death penalty for somebody's carelessness last year. A human life can never be replaced. Every one of us is entitled to just one life in this world and when that life is snuffed out like a candle in the darkness how can it ever be replaced? It can't. It's GONE and gone forever in this world.

Last year in the United States 15,000 people lost their lives just that way. Innocent happy children were burned to death for no reason of their own. Think of robbing a happy, innocent little child of all the joys of youth and manhood or womanhood and robbing the world of a useful man or woman by fire!

Right here in Texas, 228 men, women and children lost their lives by FIRE in 124. Who is guilty of those murders? That's what it means. They were murdered by fire. And murdered, most of them, by the people who loved them best. Think of the Babbs Switch School.

Happy little rural school. It was Christmas Eve. Everything set for the happiest Christmas ever known in the community. The teacher and pupils had planned the program and all the fathers and mothers and little folks in the country around about were there. The school house was a frame building, 20x36 feet, with two doors, one in the east end of the building that opened into the coal bin, and one in the west end which was the only exit and swung inside and scraped on the floor. The seating capacity was about 100 but for the Christmas Tree chairs had been added and the floor space was crowded to the door. There were seven windows in the little school house but every one closed and wired on the outside. The building had been lighted by two gasoline lamps but on this night both were out of commission and had been removed from the building, and in their place three glass bowl kerosene lamps and two lanterns had been added to the school house. Two of the lamps and the lanterns had been hung on the side walls while the third lamp was placed on a small table beside the Christmas Tree.

A hundred and fifty people had crowded into that little school house. The program had been finished and everybody happy and filled with the Christmas spirit. The excitement was tense because Santa Claus had arrived in his cotton suit and wearing long, white cotton whiskers. The little folks had received their candy and the gifts laid about the foot of the tree. And then Santa reached too far for a gift and pulled a limb

of the tree down to where it touched one of the little lighted candles. A flash of light shot toward the top of the tree. Santa grabbed a little toy chair and tried to put the blaze out but in so doing the lamp on the table was upset and immediately exploded. Instantly the crowd stampeded for the door, while Santa Claus tried to smother the flame with a coat, but in his excitement knocked the tree over. In an instant his cotton trimmed suit was on fire and Santa Claus was a mass of flames.

Twelve Minutes Later.

Twelve minutes later the building collapsed and when the fire had died away thirty-three men, women and children, including Santa Claus and the brave little teacher who fought to the last to save her children were among those who had perished in that tragic Christmas fire. Three others died later in the hospital.

Texas' Quota to the Crime.

Besides burning to death 228 of our citizens last year, Texas destroyed by FIRE \$25,000,000—Yes, TWENTY-FIVE MILLION DOLLARS worth of property, while she spent only \$6,000,000 more than that on the education of all her 1,345,000 school children. \$31,000,000 for public schools in Texas in 1924, \$25,000,000 for FIRE, which means the most to Texas? Which is the best investment? And who paid the bill? The self same people who build the schools paid all that fire insurance for when you pay fire insurance you never expect to get anything. You pay for the loss of all the others. Then if you happen to lose yours, too, you get something back. It is the fellow who has something to pay tax on that builds the schools. And it is the fellow who has something to insure who pays all the insurance.

So Weak Couldn't Stand

"My wife's health broke down and for years she was just a physical wreck," says Mr. Thomas Glynn, of Gibson, La. "We did everything we knew, yet she seemed to get worse and worse. She was so weak till she couldn't stand, and had to be carried like a baby. It looked like nothing would save her that had been done."

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A \$50,000 STOCK OF NEW FALL MERCHANDISE GOES INTO THIS BIG SALE!

Starting Thursday, October 8th, 9:00 a. m.

Hop into your faithful "Tin Lizzie," hitch up your teams, and come into town with your neighbors. Get here any way you can, but get here by all means, for if you value money, as we are sure you do, you'll find that by making your fall bill with us during this sale, you will save money on every item in this tremendous stock.

FREE—\$30.00 IN CASH—FREE

In our window you will see a clock with its face covered. It will be wound tightly and started to running Thursday, 9 a. m. What time will it stop? You get a free guess with every \$1.00 worth of merchandise you buy during this sale. Look in our windows for complete details on this free cash offer.

Space Prohibits Mentioning Prices—But All We Ask is That You Come See For Yourself Just How Much You Will Save at This Sale.

LOOK FOR THE BIG RED SIGN OVER OUR STORE—IT IS THE ENTRANCE TO A BARGAIN CARNIVAL.

MEMPHIS THE FAMOUS TEXAS

BUY IT IN MEMPHIS

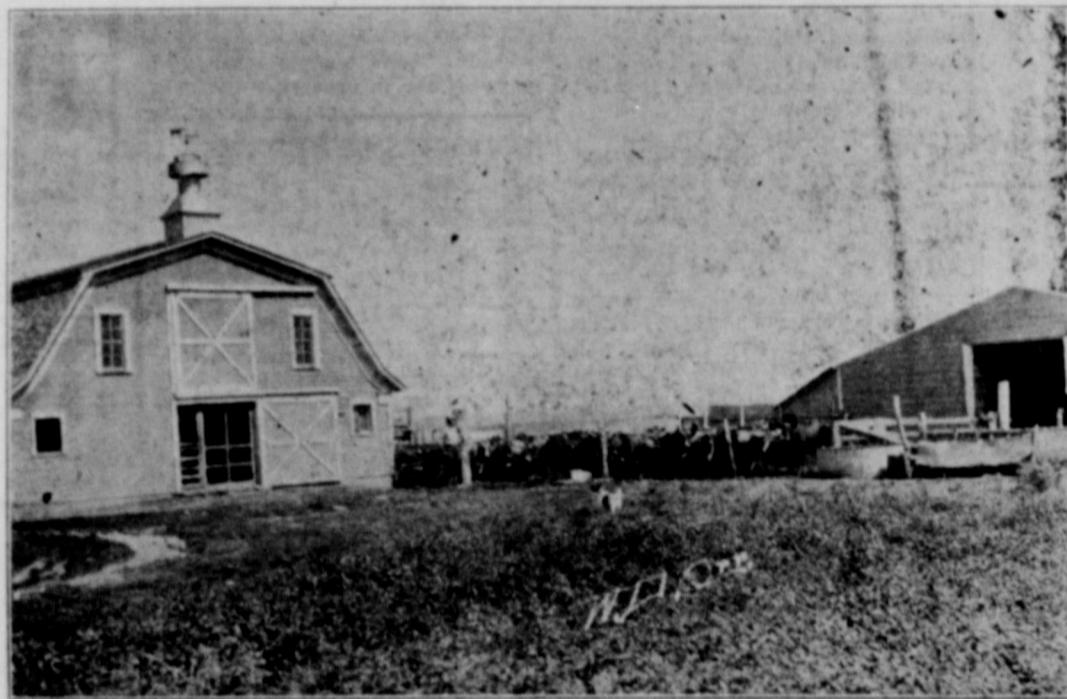
Trade at home and you see what you are getting. Trade by mail and the only man that sells you the merchandise sees what you are getting, and he frequently SEES TO IT that he gets a lot of your

money for a little of his stuff. The Mail order house stuff looks good, AND IT OFTEN IS GOOD, but you take a chance. You take no chance in buying at home "WHERE YOU SEE WHAT YOU GET."

THE FLYNT DAIRY

The Flynt Dairy, located in the Northeast portion of Memphis, was formerly the Bradley dairy and was first put in operation by J. F. Bradley some fifteen or eighteen years ago. Mr. Flynt purchased the dairy interests from Mr. Bradley three years ago. At that time the dairy business was in a flourishing condition. Mr. Flynt has added to the dairy herd and improved and enlarged every department of the dairy business, and with all that, he cannot handle the great demand for his products. In order to try to fill all orders, Mr. Flynt is now milking sixty-two cows, and has something over one hundred in the herd.

Mr. Flynt is complying with every state law in regard to have his cows tested for infectious diseases and has his cows tested regularly and they have always been found one hundred per cent healthy. No disease has ever been among this herd and the patrons have the assurance that they are getting good, clean and sanitary products when purchased from this dairy. This is one of the best dairy herds in Texas and is so rated by the State Health and Sanitation Department. Mr. Flynt



—PHOTO BY ORR.

takes a special pride in keeping his barns and milk houses in perfect sanitary condition.

The Empire Electric Milker is conceded to be one among the best machines now in use for milking and this dairy is fully equipped with this special make of machinery, which is perfectly sanitary in every respect.

It is Mr. Flynt's intention to keep abreast of the modern times by putting in all the best and advanced improvements in dairying, as well as putting a herd of milk cows sufficiently large to take care of the ever increasing demand for his dairy products. Mr. Flynt has been on the job continuously for the past three years and is looking after the interests of his customers as well as his own, and when there is any adjustments to be made he is always on the job ready and willing to meet every issue more than half way in order to satisfy his patrons.

The general public is extended an urgent invitation to visit his dairy at any time, and especially at milking time when you can see the milking machine in operation and the sanitary way the vessels are all cleaned and handled.

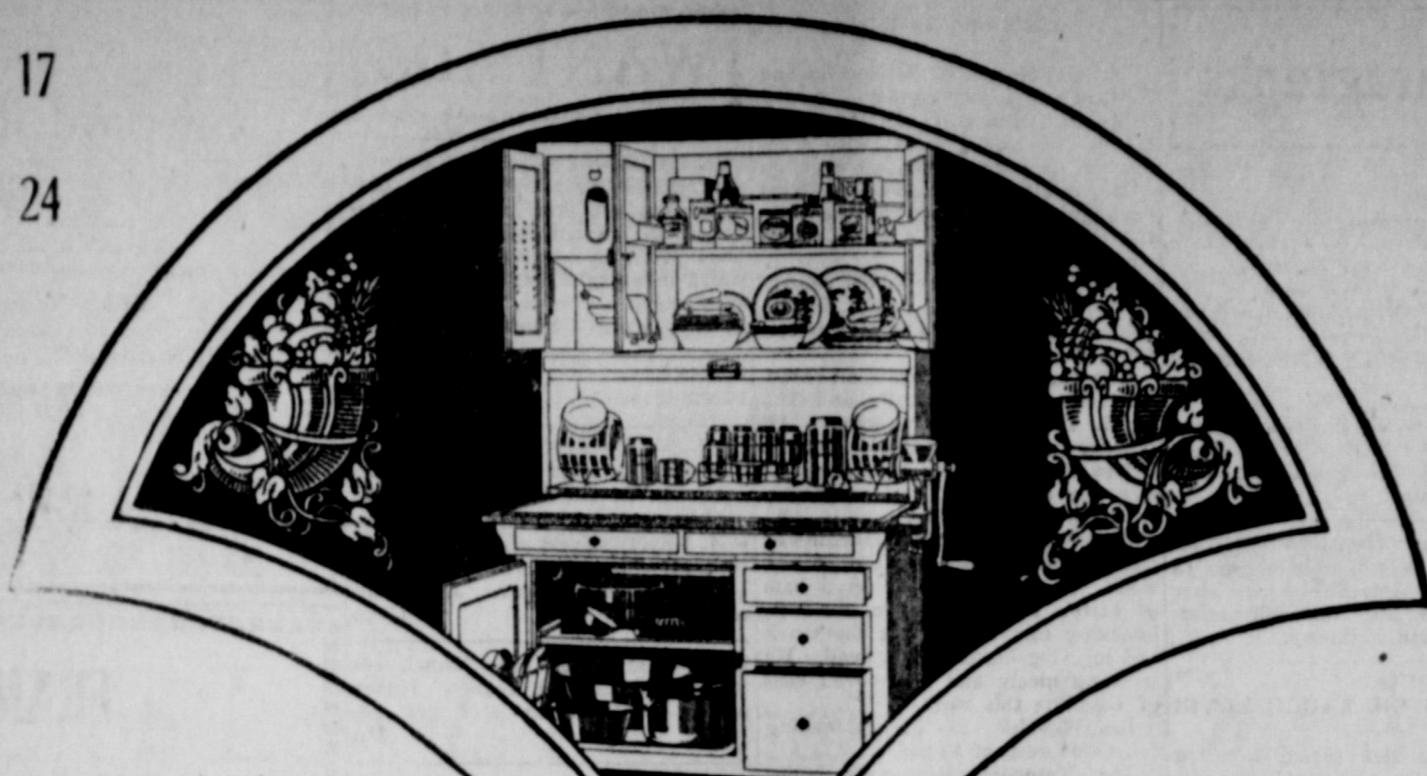
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Sale Begins
Saturday, October 17
Closes
Saturday, October 24

7 day
offer



A wonderful
bargain offer on
Sellers Kitchen Cabinets

Just look over this mighty bargain offer. All these groceries and dishes are yours if you buy your Sellers Kitchen Cabinet now. Check over all the items included. Every grocery package is guaranteed full standard size. The exquisite 32-piece set of dinner china—all firsts—sets table for six. These groceries and dishes do not cost you a single penny. You pay for the cabinet only. This remarkable offer establishes a new record for big values. Think what your dollar buys! Take advantage of this special offer—of the special terms now while you can. Come in tomorrow.

A Sellers
Cabinet will make
your kitchen work so easy

What a joy a Sellers Kitchen Cabinet will be in that kitchen of yours! Can't you just see it there near the range? And how easily and with what speed you'll be able to do your work on its big expanse of snow-white, sanitary, porcelain work table with everything compactly arranged at your finger tips. A Sellers Cabinet is essential to a modern kitchen. It assures you more rest—more recreation. You'll never have a better opportunity to get a Sellers Cabinet than right now. Look at all the extras without extra cost. And our special sale terms make it so simple and easy. Come in and see.

GIVEN WITH SELLERS CABINET

All These Groceries and Dishes

- 1 Can Baker's Coconut
- 1 Lb. Can Crisco
- 1 Can Calumet Baking Powder
- 1 Bottle Johnson's Liquid Wax
- Murphy's Oil Soap
- 1 Can Drano
- 6 Cakes Fleischmann's Yeast
- 1 Package Armour's Oats
- 1 Package Linit
- 1 Tin Hershey's Cocoa
- 1 Bottle Dyanshine
- 1 Package Buckye Washing Soda
- 1 Carton Morton's Salt



32-Piece Set of Dinner China Given With Sellers Kitchen Cabinet

If you buy your Sellers now, you get this 32-piece set of Dinner China without cost. Glenwood China. This set consists of Cups, Saucers, Plates, Bread and Butters, Fruit Dishes, Vegetable Dish and Platter—enough to set the table for six persons.

Take Advantage of
THIS OPPORTUNITY
While This
Wonderful Offer Lasts

All standard size packages

You pay for the cabinet only



10-Piece Cutlery Set
Is Regular Equipment with Sellers Kitchen Cabinet
Tested and approved by Good Housekeeping Institute. Every piece individually inspected. Any piece found defective will be replaced.

FREE
SOUVENIR
Accurate Measuring Spoon, approved by Good Housekeeping, will be given to each woman who visits our kitchen cabinet department. No obligation. It's free.



13-Piece Glassware Set
Is Regular Equipment with SELLERS KITCHEN CABINET
Meal Racks to hold set also included. One set furnished with each Sellers Kitchen Cabinet.

Moore Hardware & Furniture Co.

Next Door to Stone & Lang
Noel Street
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