



The Store That Keeps Competition Uneasy and Saves Money for the People.

MICKLE-BURGHER HDW. CO.

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

The Store That Enjoys the Confidence of the People and the Biggest Patronage.

"Sleep That Knits Up a Raveled Sleeve of Care."

But to bring this sweet sleep, you must have a warm bed. We can supply your needs in High Class COMFORTS and BLANKETS. We have the All Wool, Wool and Cotton, and Cotton, and these are ESSENTIAL TO A WARM BED. The prices on these goods are so low and the goods are so low, it will cause people to wonder how Mickle-Burgher Hardware Company can see them so cheap.

A BIG DISCOUNT

on every Overcoat in the house. We are today, and for the next 30 days—offer our entire line of Overcoats at 25 per cent discount. The prices are plain and a small boy can realize the wonderful low prices on these goods. We are taking great pains to show you how much easier and cheaper it is to buy goods from the merchant who buys his goods direct from the manufacturer.

Remember we are showing the most complete and up-to-date line of Men's and Boy's clothing in town. The goods are good and the prices are right.

Sleep on Gentle Sleep.

Shoes For Men Women And Children.

You will find bargains in this department every day. We have just received a big shipment of jobs which we offer to you for the next 30 days at one-fourth less than you will pay for these goods at any store.



OUTINGS

LADIES, why should you worry about the little ones? Mickle-Burgher Hdw. Co., is offering their entire lot of Outings.

Table with 2 columns: Price per item, Quantity. Includes items like 'The 15c quality for 12 1-2c', '12c " " 10c', '10c " " 8 1-3c', '8 1-3 " " 6c'.

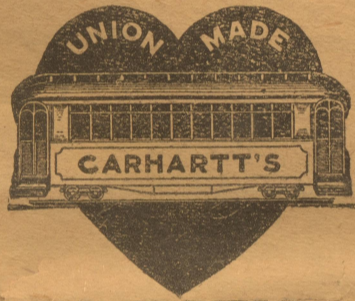
We absolutely guarantee these goods and prices and have no fear of competition, as the prices can not be had anywhere else.



AMERICAN BEAUTY STYLE GOS Kalamazoo Corset Co., Sole Makers

LADIES: We have just received one of the biggest shipment of ready made underwear ever brought to your town. We are offering these goods at wonderful low prices. LADIES and MISSES extra heavy fleeced Union Suits for only 25 cents. Come and see the goods and you will be convinced that we can save you money on your fall purchase.

The Celebrated



Overalls \$1.00

COME TO SEE US.

Fred Finch Dead.

Memphis was shocked Friday morning to learn that Fred Finch was dead. At first the report seemed almost incredible but later telephonic communication with the ranch confirmed the report. It seems that he was taken with a very severe pain in his head at about 8 p. m. Thursday. Fred and Frank Finch, together with their father J. A. Finch, were staying at Finch Bros ranch about ten miles south of Memphis. Dr. Wilson was summoned and went hurriedly to the assistance of the stricken young man. He arrived there about 10 o'clock, but nothing could be done. He was past all help and died about 11 o'clock. The physician announced it bursting blood vessel on the brain. The remains will be taken to Kansas tonight for burial. Fred Leroy Finch was born Jan. 24, 1876, in Osage county, Kansas. He came to Hall county in March, 1890, since which time he has resided on the 96 ranch in this county. He was a popular and exemplary young man, always congenial and companionable. The HERALD man had known him to be a bright and interesting fellow. The deepest sorrow is felt for the father, brothers and sister of the young man. May an abiding faith in an all wise providence sustain and comfort them. It is doubly sad for the young and ambitious to die.

An additional helper has been sent here to help take care of the ranch of business, and began work this Friday morning. They have been "halled up" at the depot for a month add two or three men would be out of place.

We will have a shipment of new cloths next week. See them. DENNY, BIRD & POWELL.

M. Stout was here from Hulver today. He says he will put in his ginsing plant here in the fall and will perhaps become a celebrity of Memphis. He has the two and will do anything he says, and you can depend upon it, he would be delighted to see him in a town of Memphis.

Good Rock Hotel.

A plan is now being hatched to build a big brick and rock hotel for Memphis at once. It is planned to organize a stock company and build a fine structure about 50x100 feet, two stories high and have it equipped for a modern hotel. Large office, dining room, kitchen and sample room would be located on the first floor and the second floor would be cut up into a nice parlor and about twenty good bed rooms. Such an enterprise has long been needed and the local business men are sufficiently awake to the needs to subscribe freely to the enterprise. We are not yet at liberty to relate the details of the plan, but affairs will have advanced in the next few weeks so that the entire details will be given. Suffice it to say that the affair now looks more like ago than we have heretofore known. When once you get rock buildings under way there is no stopping them, and Memphis aint even trying to stop them at present. Every citizen should do his full duty and Memphis will sure have a fine hotel.

Cheated Death.

Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had Kidney Trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." C. M. Montgomery druggist, guarantees them at 50c.

Attention is called to the opening announcement of Lewis & Marshall in this issue. They expect to open in a few days and to have a very bright new stock at prices which will appeal to the trade. They are opening in the Gray block.

A girl baby was born to C. C. Hansard and wife Thursday morning, Dr. Durham in attendance. They are residing in the Cummings house northwest of the school campus.

A Nice Contribution.

S. H. Boone was the recipient last Saturday of a nice little purse of money from the good people of Memphis, contributed on account of his losing his house and all his household goods by fire last Friday. The subscription is as follows: J. K. Zimmerman \$100, O. B. Burnett 5, J. F. Bradley 5, W. M. Fore 5, Cash 1, J. F. Logan 5, W. L. Wheat 5, Cash 50, J. E. Montgomery 50, Denny, Bird & Powell 25, J. A. Bradford 2, S. S. Montgomery 2, Chas. Drake 5, Mickle-Burgher Hdw. Co 5, Grundy Bros. 2, T. R. Garrett 5, A. J. Kinard 2, L. H. Collie 2, Dr. C. F. Wilson 1, C. R. Thornton 5, Chas. F. Scott 50, J. F. Tomlinson 50, J. H. Estes 5, J. L. Casper & Co. 5, Berry & Hudgins 5, Fred Ritter 25, J. W. Trulove 1, E. Christensen 1, G. F. Dakin 50, Woodridge & Son 10, M. K. Clark 50, J. M. McWhorter 50, D. B. Priddy 50, M. A. Wyatt 50, W. S. McOrory 2, W. A. Johnson 1, I. P. Hollifield 1, R. N. Gillis 2, H. E. Franks 1, W. X. Hazard 2, B. F. Williams 1, G. T. Gates 50, F. A. Hudgins 1, White & Walker 5, E. H. Stanford 1, M. F. Shaw 50, Cicero Smith Lbr. Co. 5, C. A. Crozier 1, W. J. Sanders 1, S. A. Moreman 1, Lee Smith 1, W. D. Roberts 3, S. G. Alexander 1, W. P. Cagle 1, Total \$243 25

Lycium Lecture.

Perhaps the most scholarly lecture that has ever been delivered in Memphis was that of Dr. De Walt Norton of New York, at the Baptist church Saturday night. The crowd attending was not large, and it was evident that the tastes of this community were not sufficiently elevated to fully appreciate the platform lecturer. Dr. Norton's subject was "The Moral Luper." He drew his story from the bible, taking the account of Naman the Syrian general as a basis for his reasoning. By extensive travel and education he is a man well equipped to relate in the choicest language many incidents and anecdotes on the side that kept up a constant interest. Dr. Norton was raised in New York City, was a schoolmate of Theodore Roosevelt, and was the son of a former prosecuting attorney of New York City. For a number of years he was pastor of a New York City Baptist church and retired to go on the platform. It will be a long time before his equal will again lecture in Memphis, as the local committee were compelled to go down in their pockets for more than two-thirds of the amount of the guarantee in cold cash. The local taste will have to be content with Jesse James and similar presentations until they get a fill and are wanting something better.

A Daredevil Ride

often ends in a sad accident. To heal accidental injuries, use Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "A deep wound in my foot, from an accident," writes Theodore Schule, of Columbus, O., "caused me great pain. Physicians were helpless, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly healed it." Soothes and heals burns like magic. 25c at C. M. Montgomery druggist.

Elmore Blade, a boy residing in Collingsworth county, was operated on by Drs. Carroll and Durham, here Thursday morning for a trouble of the foot.

The HERALD wishes to visit you the coming year. If you are a new comer it will be your best way to get acquainted with our people.

School Notes.

Owing to a misunderstanding there has not been any school notes since the sixth of this month. Hereafter we will try to have them every two weeks. Since the last notes from our school we have received our report cards for the first month. Practical exercises of Mr. Thomas' and Miss Hudson's rooms is very interesting. Questions on literature, physiology, physics, history etc, are asked and answered. The Delphian society rendered a right nice programme Friday last. Next week the number 2 society will perform. The larger girls have organized a basket ball team and all enjoy it. The boys also have a game and seem to enjoy theirs equally as well. The seventh and eighth are doing especially good work in history this week. Miss Allen reports work in her room as being much better this month than last month. Miss White has reading exercises to open school with. They are reading Robinson Crusoe now, and all the pupils are delighted. The music class is progressing nicely. There are twenty one members all told. The string band had a meeting and practiced for some time the first of the week. DELPHIAN No. 1. Must Have Settlement. We wish to notify all our friends owing book accounts that we must have settlement on Nov. 1. We cannot carry accounts longer and shall expect to force collections on all alike after the above date. W. M. FORE. The masons are ready for the joint of the second story of the Masonic and Cagle buildings. They will be piling rock upward on the second stories next week.

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Topic, Christ's Expectation, Matt. 5:13-6. The Message to Ephesus, Rev. 2:1-7, Will Gammage. The Message to Smyrna, Rev. 2:8-11, Homer Salter. The Message to Pergamos Rev. 2:12-17, Almond Kinard. The Message to Thyntia, Rev. 2:18-29, Jessie Whitman. The Message to Sardis, Rev. 3:1-6, Lena Powell. The Message to Philadelphia, Rev. 3:7-13, Dora Read. The Message to Laodicea, Rev. 3:14-22, Fannie Smith. Select Reading. Leader, Charlie Webster. To the Ladies. I am now prepared to make picture frames, make any kind or size you want. I can make you a frame one-third cheaper than you can buy one ready made. I guarantee my work. When in need of a picture frame it will pay you to see me before you purchase. C. E. THORNTON Junior League Programme for Sunday, Oct. 29. Song. Topic, "A Later Apostle," Acts 9:22-26. Prayer. Song. The Continued Story, verses from the Bible, Dorris Tomlinson, Ruth Arnold and Mildred Montgomery. The Faith of Billy, Mae Neal. Selected reading, Texas McMicken. Application, Mrs. Arnold. Song. Benediction. Leader, Mary Gray. M. D. Forgy is growing steadily weaker and seems to be nearing the end. Herbert Forgy and family came up from Estelline again last night. The HERALD has several hundred old exchanges which will be closed out as long as they last at 15 cents per hundred. They are just the thing to put under carpets, an house cleaning is here.

W. D. Bentley of the government experiment agricultural bureau, was here Tuesday. He is desirous of establishing a demonstration farm at this point, and we believe that it is the proper move for the advancement of this country. It will be the means of developing farming here more than any other one influence. Our town should take it up and push the matter to a successful culmination.

J. H. Howard is having a new house built just north of J. L. Casper in north Memphis. He will move here from Erath county with his family, one married son and two married daughters in a week or so. This will make four families and they are going to need several houses.

At the meeting of the Baptist church last Sunday a call was made to Rev. S. R. Carruth of Midlothian Texas, to serve this church the coming year. He has the matter now under consideration, and will perhaps accept, if the church will provide for the salary of \$1000 etc.

Mrs. D. Browder is in a critical condition. She has been unable to speak for several days, and her powers of speech appear paralyzed. It is hoped this may be temporary. Her friends are very anxious about her.

Dr. T. B. Miller of Wellington has decided to move to Goodnight and has bought a 70 acre block just west of that village and is building on it. He will there have advantage of the college, and at the same time a nice home.

Miss Ammie King came home Monday morning from Farmersville accompanied by Dr. Yeary and wife and Mrs. Horton. They were all called to the bedside of John King who was very low with typhoid fever. Mrs. Yeary and Mrs. Horton are both aunts of John.

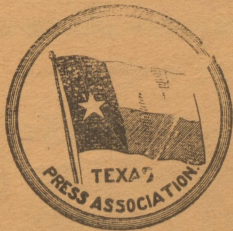
Harle & McCatne have been opening up holiday goods and they have the largest line ever carried in this city. They figured on a big trade this year and have prepared for it. You will have to see the goods to appreciate them.

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MEMPHIS, TEXAS, OCT. 28, 1905

HEARST is making a whirlwind campaign for mayor of Greater New York. He is surprising the old parties both, and many workingmen predict his election.

We have received a copy of the Ada Star, published by John W. Dale, at Ada, Chickasaw Nation. Glad to know that John Dale is again in the harness and doing service for his country.

It is an ill wind that blows nobody good. The breeze and the rain are blowing toward our farmers are wallowing in greenbacks.

ROOSEVELT now has the opportunity of his life to bring order out of the life insurance mess that has been laid bare before the world. His initiative will in a great measure control along this line.

TEDDY "took in" the Booker Washington school while in Alabama. It is about the proper thing to do. When you have a friend at lunch with you, it is but proper to return the compliment. Teddy is a man of peculiar traits.

THE president has been swinging around the circle in the south this week on a visit to restore confidence in New Orleans and the fever infected points. The fever has subsided and the work of re-habilitating the southern cities is now in progress.

TALK the Upper Red River valley in season and out of season until you will impart your enthusiasm to all about you. Keeping everlastingly at a thing always brings success. The country will bear out your best claims. No doubt in the world about that.

FOLK fights fire in the executive mansion at Jefferson city. The damage done to the building is about ten thousand dollars. Even the elements seen determined to put Folk out of business. The blaze was discovered by the governor at 3 a. m. A narrow escape.

"If I Were Governor" will be the toast which will be responded to by Hon. C. K. Bell at the representative banquet in Dallas next week. Thus the honorable gentleman will have a chance to tell the people something about what he proposes to do if elected as chief executive.

THREE democrats are candidates for mayor of New York. McClellan is trying to succeed himself as the democratic candidate. Hearst, democrat, is running on the municipal ownership ticket and Ivins, democrat, is running on the republican ticket. They do get things mixed in New York.

MEXICO has adopted the gold standard. It became an impossible thing for so weak a nation to sustain free silver against the giant influence of ever powerful nation on the globe, and they have capitulated. Silver is going like iron and copper, to be merely for use it the mechanics and arts.

LOCAL talent assisted in a circus at Port Worth Tuesday and Wednesday for the benefit of the auditorium fund. Substantial business men did stunts as clowns, cake walkers, skirt dancers and other funny performances. Local men sold peanuts, lemonade and concert tickets and on the whole it was a howling success.

JERRY SIMPSON is dead. The death removes from the stage of human action the most unique and picturesque character who has walked in the halls of congress in recent times. He was several times elected to congress and was always an interesting and able servant of his people. For ten years he had posed as a democrat, but his political services in congress were always as a populist.

Gov. HOGG is now having the fight of his life. He has whipped many an adversary in his time, but this time he is pitted in a contest with the grim reaper and the chances in his favor are hardly at a premium. Still there is no telling, with his indomitable will and vitality he may stand off the ghostly visitor for a long time. At all events he don't propose to give up without a fight.

ATTORNEY WARREN W. MOORE of Austin, who cut such a dash in the Kirby sink case, is again to the front. He is in the jurisdiction of the attorney general of the state, as it did in seeing the Kirby Lumber Co., but Moore don't care. Somebody held Kirby up for \$10,000 of hush money, and now it looks like somebody was fixing to hold up the oil and railway companies for a good round sum. Moore is never so happy as when he is attending to some work of this character.

SAY! Editor Will H. Mayes is a brick, a red brick at that. He is the power on the throne of the Brownwood Bulletin and he has just issued one of the handsomest country illustrated editions we have ever seen in Texas. It is 32 pages and a cover, all six column size, and contains a world nice and interesting facts about Brownwood and its environments. He has called into service a great many Texas editors, who attended the last spring meeting of the Texas Press Association at that place, and on returning home said many nice things of the city. Numerous cuts of interest are also used and, on the whole the edition is a winner. Will Mayes is always a live wire and never overlooks a chance to put in a good lick for Brownwood, and that's why they stand so firmly behind him. He deserves the success he has made.

Talking about your hard luck tales, we have got the worst yet. On account of our stand agin licker, we pasted the word "Ink" in big letters on our office jug, and last week we hired a new pressman. The fool nigger didn't do a thing but empty all the good licker on the roller, thinking it was ink. As soon as we seen what had been done, we reached for our gun, but the nigger jumped out of the window and run like a skinned deer. We tried to organize a mob to lynch him, but the town is full of prohibitionists and they refused to go us cause it wasn't none of their liquor that was split no low. How we air going to pull through the winter, we don't know.—Hardean Free Press,

Wellington is to have a school building that will be the pride of the town and county. Our citizens always come through nobly on any worthy proposition when you can get them worked up. The Courier has talked incessantly along this line for the past six months, and when the services of those noble ladies, Mesdames Camp and Stall, were enlisted in the cause, the people had already through the columns of the Courier, seen the need of a commodious school building, and the ladies met few discouraging obstacles to their efforts. To say that we are glad the people have responded so liberally in this matter is expressing it mildly. We are simply overjoyed. Now watch the school, the town, the county and every interest grow by leaps and bounds.—Collingsworth Courier.

And now comes Prof. W. D. Miller of the University of Berlin and says that the bite of a girl "would often bring a more horrible death than the bite of a serpent." This learned professor has made a special study of the bacteria of the mouth and experimenting on girls in Germany has discovered that "an arrow dipped in saliva from their mouths would send its victim in death throes more terrible than one dipped in the venom of the most deadly snake." Goodness gracious!—Canyon City News.

Rev. J. B. Cole writes the Index from Floresville, Texas, and states that matters over which he has no control will keep him at that place another year. He says the call to Memphis, where he had served the church four years, he esteemed as the greatest compliment of his life. He also received a call from the Mangum church at the largest salary ever offered him, but had to decline.—Childress Index.

J. T. Phillips, of Jericho, was here last Saturday with a load of broom corn which he shipped to Wichita Falls. He received \$50 a ton for the straw and shipped five tons. He has about twelve more tons at home, and says his corn averaged about a half ton to the acre. This shows up to be a profitable crop, and there is no doubt about this soil being entirely suited to its culture.—Banner-Stockman.

How to Cure Corns and Bunions.

First, soak the corn or bunion in warm water to soften it; then pare it with a sharp knife. Rub on the Pain Balm twice daily, rubbing vigorously for five minutes at each application. A corn plaster should be worn a few days to protect it from the shoe. As a general liniment for sprains, bruises, lameness and rheumatism, Pain Balm is unequalled. For sale by Harle & McCanne.

Mr. J. P. Nelson, of San Antonio, the gentleman who has the contract to build the extension of the Wichita Valley railroad from Seymour to Stamford, arrived in the city Tuesday evening accompanied by Col. Jones, and remained in town several days arranging his plans to begin the work of construction. Mr. Nelson was not talking for publication, but stated that it was his intention to get his men, teams, scrapers, etc., here as quickly as possible, and that as far as he could see now, there was nothing in the way of beginning active work on the extension by the first day of November. In fact he has fixed this date to break dirt. Just what length of time will be required to complete the road to its destination is not known, but the contract calls for June 1st, next year, and after going over the ground, Mr. Nelson thinks he has time to spare to his credit. He has every facility for the rapid prosecution of the work and unless hindered by unavoidable delay in receiving material he will perhaps have the work completed from thirty to sixty days earlier than the contract calls for.—Seymour Banner.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

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We have \$4,000 we would like to let out on patented Real Estate for a year at 10 per cent.

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THE FIRST THING IS THE RIGHT KIND OF GOODS TO ADVERTISE—the kind of goods that will back up any proposition made.

Next, it should never make a MISREPRESENTATION in its advertising, but do just as they advertise. These SO-CALLED SALES which a lot of merchants put on from time to time, and advertise this and that worth \$1.00 and sell it to you for 50cts—YOU HAD BETTER LOOK OUT. He has PULLED YOUR LEG wonderfully hard when he sold you the same goods at \$1.00 that he now asks you 50cts. for, or his goods are NOTORIOUSLY WRONG AND ROTTEN and costly at any price.

It has always been our aim to keep the quality up and prices reasonable. Our ONE PRICE is usually lower than the cut price of others, for we put the price low to begin with, and do not price the goods at twice their worth with the intention of selling them at one-half price to make you believe you are getting a bargain.

Our goods are better than these SALES stores carry, for we will not sacrifice our reputation and the quality of our goods for **PRICE.**

We will not fire a shot into the enem's camp. It costs too much for powder just to hear a ROAR. We will save the price of powder, schrapnel, shot and guns, and put the extra money into GOOD GOODS and give the amount to our customers. Anyway we are busy just now studying our business, our customer's needs, selling goods, taking in the long green, etc.

When you come to town for your fall bill of goods, go all over town—price everything, everywhere, then come to our store and we will sell you more good goods for your money, treat you better, give you a bigger stock to pick from and you will go home better satisfied by having traded with us.

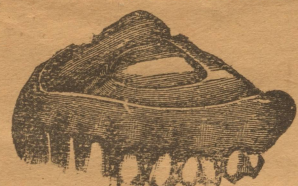
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Nice, new and clean shop on West side of Public square. Hot and cold baths in connection.
MEMPHIS, TEXAS.

W. A. JOHNSON,
NOTARY PUBLIC.
Will take acknowledgements, write deeds, contracts, leases, and other notarial work; also pay taxes for non-residents.
Office in Herald Building,
MEMPHIS, TEXAS.

DR. J. F. TOMLINSON,

RESIDENT DENTIST.
MEMPHIS, TEXAS.

MEMPHIS TIME TABLE.

FT. W. & D. C. RAIL ROAD.

SOUTH BOUND	
No. 2, Passenger	8:10 A. M.
No. 8, " "	10:25 P. M.
NORTH BOUND	
No. 4, Passenger	7:35 P. M.
No. 7, " "	5:22 A. M.

[Local trains carry no passengers under any circumstances.]

MEMPHIS & ABERDEEN STAGE.
Leave Memphis.....7:30 a. m.
Arrive Memphis.....6 p. m.

Coal! Of course we have plenty of it, and we will sell you the best you can find in the market, at low prices. Give us a chance at your coal bill and we will make you close figures.
WOOD BRIDGE & SON

BEST IN RATES

BEST IN TIME

BEST IN SERVING
The Wants of the Traveling Public.



Low round trip rates to northern points during the fall. Write for information.

C. W. STRAIN, G. P. A.,
FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

HALL COUNTY BANK

PAID UP CAPITAL - - - - \$25,000.00

J. P. DRAKE, President,
J. A. GRUNDY, Vice President,
CHAS. DRAKE, Cashier.

W. M. Fore, J. P. Drake, J. A. Grundy, Chas. Drake,
H. E. Deaver, R. L. Henderson, Directors.

Transact a General Banking Business.

We invite investigation into our responsibility. Every courtesy extended consistent with safe, conservative banking. Exchange bought and on all principal points.

Northwest Corner of Square. Memphis, Texas.

Our Increased Business,

The past year over all previous years, and the manner in which we hold our trade and gain new customers, testify to popularity of our store.

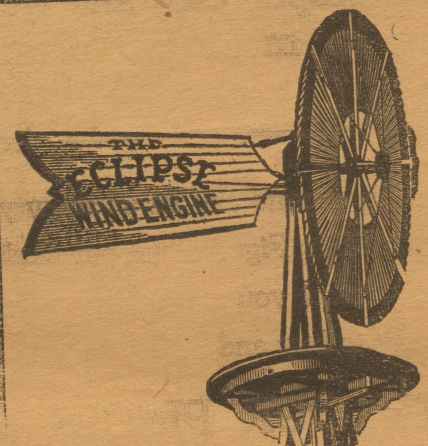
We keep only the best class of goods and have sufficient capital to help our patrons with the coming crop in an economical way. If you have not done so before see us and we will treat you right. Our prices are always as close as first-class goods can be bought for.

Our ambition is to Sell Goods and profits are only a secondary consideration. Watch the drift of the grocery trade and join the popular procession at our store.

DELANEY & GRUNDY Real Estate, Town Property

Special bargains in Farm and Ranch Land. Let us list your property. Estelline town property for sale or trade, cheap.

Office in Bank Building
ESTELLINE, Hall County, TEXAS



This is the Mill that is attracting more attention than any Mill on earth. It is simple, is strong, perfect in governing and runs light. Repair bills reduced to minimum.

Write to or Call on
R. H. NORRIS, Childress, Tx.

CITY TRANSFER LINE.

A. D. ARNOLD, Proprietor.

All Draying entrusted to us will be promptly and carefully done, and our prices will be found as low as any reliable drayman. We will call and get baggage for any train and will not get you left. Give us a trial. Call telephone No. 35 or hail our draymen.

MEMPHIS, TEXAS.

To Cotton Farmers.

At last after several misfortunes of sickness, etc., we are now prepared with double crews to Memphis with your cotton where you can get a good price for your cotton and also your seed. No sense of a double haul. We are now prepared to gin with the least possible wait and want you to get the best prices for your crop. Don't haul away and then return here at a later date with your bales when the price has dropped down. Give us a chance and we will do the rest.

MEMPHIS COTTON GIN,
WHITE & WALKER, Proprietors.

What! Another Crop Failure?

A Failure is Unheard of in this Country. With the practical irrigation systems that are now installed and being installed, we are enabled to raise any temperate crop. If you are interested drop me a postal card and I will send you literature. Cheap rates are now in effect and now is a good time for you to come and see for yourself. Ask your agent for rates or address,

A. L. CONRAD, Traffic Manager,
Pecos Valley Lines,
AMARILLO, TEXAS.

PURE WHISKY FOR MEDICINAL PURPOSES Our Special Offer

To Introduce Our Own Special Brand we will send for \$4.00 One Gallon by Express, Prepaid, in plain package, a Rye Whisky which we guarantee 7 Years Old. Medicinally Pure, Mild and Mellow—something you can drink without calling out the fire department.

E. R. ROACH DRUG COMPANY
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS
AMARILLO, TEXAS

Gov. Folk Fights Fire.
Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 23.—The governor's mansion at Jefferson City was damaged to the extent of \$10,000 by fire this morning at 3 o'clock. Governor Folk, his wife and guests had to seek quarters at a nearby hotel. Governor Folk, who was aroused by the crackling flames, called the fire department and then attempted to extinguish the fire, burning in the second story hall, with two fire extinguishers. This proved ineffective and after seeing his wife and several guests safely out of the mansion the governor devoted himself to saving the portraits of his predecessors in office, pending the arrival of the firemen.

Some Seasonable Advice.
It may be a piece of superfluous advice to urge people at this season of the year to lay in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost sure to be needed before winter is over, and much more prompt and satisfactory results are obtained when taken as soon as a cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system, which can only be done by keeping the remedy at hand. This remedy is so widely known and so altogether good that no one should hesitate about buying it in preference to any other. It is for sale by Harle & McCanne.

The McCurdy's Salaries.
The McCurdys hold strenuously that life insurance as a philanthropic rather than a speculative line. McCurdy later began as president of the company in 1884 with a salary of \$30,000 which was increased in 1886 to \$50,000; in 1893 to \$75,000; in 1896 to \$100,000; in 1901 to \$129,000; in 1902 to \$150,000. The total amount of salary received by him up to date is \$1,841,000. But McCurdy, whose salary is not far behind his partner, H. has received from the company in salary and perquisites \$1,739,000, and Theobald, the son-in-law, has been paid \$932,800. This makes a total of over \$4,500,000 received by the McCurdy family in twenty years, or about \$215,000 a year. This notwithstanding the fact that the McCurdys have gone to brother-in-law, cousins and nephews—News.

There are as much difference in towns as there are in people. For instance the people are two and three families deep in the houses of Memphis and the demand is quite great for more, so that carpenters are being brought in from all directions and many new houses are being built. Not all Panhandle towns give nearly vacant houses and some are pulling houses to the country. The following regarding a couple of good Hall county farmers is taken from the Childress Index: "Alva Hawkins and Charley Carson were moving houses from the town to farms this week. If the country builds up, the town will be alright."

Last Hope Vanished.
When leading physicians said that W. M. Smithart, of Pekin, Ia., had incurable consumption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 10 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure." Strictly scientific cure for Coughs, Sore Throats or Colds; sure preventive of Pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c and \$1.00 bottles at C. M. Montgomery's drug store. Trial bottle free.

Send them to Memphis.
An employment agency of Chicago seems to have learned at some previous time that men were wanted on the grade between this place and Glazier and in accordance shipped sixty five men into Canadian last Friday. When these men arrived there was work for but few of them on the grade and they were fed and housed by the citizens of Canadian until employment has been found for the most of them.—Canadian Record.

Hall county will perhaps have another cotton gin the coming year, thus making seven in all. The following from the Childress Index bears on the subject: "A farmer of the Bell neighborhood informs the Index that a move is now under way for the erection of a gin at Bell next year. The farmers there need a gin and the patronage of that neighborhood would make it a paying investment."

See J. Drake for horse collars. He can fit your horse, prices at bed rock.

Citation by Publication.
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County. Greeting.
You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hall, at there be a (and if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published) for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you Summon C. H. Menafee whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Hall at the Court House thereof, in Memphis on the 4th day of December A. D. 1905. File number being 171, then and there to answer the Petition of R. T. Menafee, filed in said Court, on the 17th day of October A. D. 1905, against the said C. H. Menafee and alleging in substance as follows to-wit:

That she is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and has resided in Hall County for at least six months preceding the filing of this suit, that on or about the 4th day of October, 1891 she was lawfully married to said C. H. Menafee defendant, that they continued to live together as man and wife, until on or about the 13th day of May 1897, when without fault on her part or without any just cause whatever, and when she had always been a good and dutiful wife, he left this plaintiff and has been permanently separated from her ever since, that 2 children were born to them, Harry Menafee a boy 12 years old and Laura Menafee a girl 7 years old. That said marriage relations still exist and that said defendant has been permanently separated from her for more than three years next preceding the filing of this suit, and that they have not lived together as man and wife since the above mentioned date. That the above judgment dissolving the marriage relations, for cause of desertion, was of suit and for general purposes.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, in Memphis, this 17 day of October, 1905.
Attest: S. G. ALEXANDER,
Clerk District Court Hall Co., Texas.
[SEAL.]
Trees! Trees! Trees! Gainesville Nursery, Gainesville, Texas.

L. C. Beverley of Clarendon was here Friday.

Cr. on apples, all kinds, from \$1.50 up at Fore's.

Price's last day this Saturday. Have your photos at once.

Argo salmon, served in seventy seven different ways at Fore's.

Ladies over gaiters both long and short, at Denny, Bird & Powell's.

T. R. Garrett went to Hulver Friday to attend the Baptist association.

Last day for pictures this Saturday. Have Price do your work today.

J. J. Mickle made a business trip to Estelline Tuesday and spent the day.

Miss Maude Glenn of Wellington was here several days the first of the week.

The cold sport this Friday is quite pinching and begins to look like winter is upon us.

The gentle zephyr from the north Tuesday evening was about as fresh as any we have so far had.

R. C. Walker went to Childress Friday with a broken piece of his cotton press, to have it repaired.

W. H. Neely has bought a half interest in the meat market and it will be Franks & Neely in future.

A gentleman was here last Saturday looking for a location for a clothing and gents furnishing goods store.

John King seems to have passed the danger line in his fever and is now doing as well as could be expected.

We learn that J. F. Lockney and family have become reconciled and are living on a claim out in New Mexico.

Dr. Wands has a neat office fitted up in the rear of C. M. Montgomery's drug store and may be found there in future.

Rev. Hamby will begin a meeting at Albany next Wednesday. Rev. Irwin of Amarillo will lead the singing for him.

Mrs. Minnie McDonald of Quanah will come up tonight to visit her parents, D. R. Priddy and wife, and her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hall, who will depart Monday for Bisbee, Arizona.

A car load of apples was received from Colorado by local merchants this week. They are fine and pretty.

The HERALD is just a little crowded this week but will arrange by another week to give the full quota of reading matter again.

While you have money plenty pay your taxes and your newspaper bill. They will go off like they were greased if you have money to spare.

Mrs. E. N. Hudgins left Monday for Dallas and will remain there for several weeks in hopes that the change may benefit her health.

The high price of cotton on this market this week has been 10.35. It has gone off a little from that, but is still bringing above ten cents.

Rev. Ben Hardy will preach Sunday morning and night at the Methodist church. It is the fifth Sunday but he will preach just the same.

The freeze of the last part of last week was not detrimental to cotton, as it merely made it open well and it has since been popping open rapidly.

Reports from Fort Worth are to the effect that Miss Maggie McMicken continues to improve and expects to be able to return home in a few days.

A. G. Moores says he has been out at the ranch cooking for his feed gatherers the past two weeks. He is getting to be an expert French cook.

J. C. Price came up from Quanah Sunday night and is here this week taking pictures. He is one of the really first class photographers of Texas.

John Browder received a large bunch of Spur steers this week. He is stocking his ranch with steers, while Jim Browder will keep the cows and calves.

Dr. J. L. Guest of Rowe spent last Sunday here visiting his cousin and family. While here Monday he left a nice order of printing at the HERALD office.

Will Noel has rented the old Tip ton house and will move his family thereto in a few days. He has to give possession of the place he sold by Nov. 1.

Mrs. Hardy will entertain the little Leaguers with a haloween party Saturday afternoon from four to six o'clock. A nice time is no doubt in store for them.

John Jackson shipped out his calves to Kansas City last Saturday. He always tops the market with his calves because they are the finest in this country.

S. H. Boone began last Saturday to hauling out lumber for a new house on his farm, to take the place of the one burned. He will build a right substantial home.

The press at the gin was broken Tuesday and the machinery stood still for several days this week. These things cannot be avoided in working big machinery.

A fine son was born to Turner Hudgins and wife Wednesday morning. Dr. Wands was in attendance and reports all doing well. May he be as good a man as his father.

F. T. Denson, formerly Christian preacher at Amarillo and other points was here several days this week selling novelties. He is not working at the preaching business any more.

Cotton went to 10.15 Monday and the way farmers did smile was quite interesting. The buyers are always bulls in Memphis, and this is the best cotton market in the Panhandle.

Have you seen the fine cut glass ware at Harle & McCann's. It is the prettiest thing you ever laid your eyes on. Why should you not have it for your dining room. Nothing nicer.

Lost.—A Masonic square and compass charm, somewhere between the school house and blacksmith shops. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to C. E. Thronton.

Mrs. T. L. Franks came in Monday night from San Marcos where she has been visiting for some weeks. She returned to be ready to move next week to the new residence now being finished on south Sixth street.

C. M. Montgomery was presented with a fine boy baby by his wife Sunday night. Dr. Wands was in attendance and reports all getting along nicely. It being the first child is the finest in the land. Long life to the youngster.

J. W. Morrison of Clarendon was in town for the first time in some time last Wednesday. He was impressed with the air of push to be observed on every hand. He says he is making a good crop on his place near Lakeview.

The Cash Store.

NEW
GOODS
ARE
HERE
AND
WILL
HAVE
SIX
CLERKS
TO
WAIT
ON
YOU
SATURDAY.

T. R. Garrett,

When they complete their ware house in the rear of their present quarters Mickle-Burgler Hardware Co. will have the largest floor and ware room space of any concern in the Panhandle. They will then have 22,500 square feet of space besides their galley and upper decks. This business will occupy.

Attention W. O. W.—Pay your dues at once or die.

D. H. ARNOLD, secretary.

It is hardly necessary to call attention this week to the big ads of Mickle-Burgler Hardware Co., and of Denny, Bird & Powell. The splendid showing of goods now being exhibited by all local dealers are now well portrayed by their enterprise in pushing their business, and they want the people to know it. You can get sharper competition in Memphis and better bargains than any place in the Panhandle, and a test of the market will show this absolutely true.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Estelline State Bank,

AT ESTELLINE in the state of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of Sept. 1905.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$3530.22
Loans, real estate	1908.53
Overdrafts	291.14
Bonds and Stocks	1505.00
Real estate (banking house)	1505.00
Other real estate	279.80
Furniture and fixtures	279.80
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	9820.06
Cash items	244.03
Currency	1505.00
Specie	351.15
Other resources as follows	479.82
TOTAL	\$18,099.75

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	100.00
Undivided profits, net	100.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	100.00
Individual deposits subject to check	7,850.12
Time certificates of deposit	100.00
Demand certificates of deposit	100.00
Cashier's checks	100.00
Bills payable and re-discounts	100.00
Other liabilities as follows	249.63
TOTAL	\$18,099.75

State of Texas, County of Hall, ss. We, R. D. Green, as president, and E. L. Biggerstaff as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. D. GREEN, President
E. L. BIGGERSTAFF, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of October, A. D. 1905.
Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.
[SEAL] J. W. NOEL, Notary Public
Correct—Attest: S. S. Montgomery,
J. L. Johnson and N. Harding
Directors.

Just an Introduction.

Winter is here and so are we, with a complete and up-to-date stock of DRY GOODS, MILLINERY, CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS AND READY TO WEAR GARMENTS

for men, women and children. Also a full line of Groceries to meet the demands of the trade.

FOREWARNED IS FOREARMED

WAIT FOR OUR OPENING.

No person needing winter supplies can afford to leave the selection of his winter needs to the "Unholy Trinity of Chance, Accident and Mistake. If ever there was a time or place when good taste should be fortified by foreknowledge, now is the time.

Do not spend a dollar of your money for Dry Goods, Millinery, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and ready to wear garments for men, women and children, until you see our goods and get our prices. we can convince you that our goods are first-class, and our prices are right.

Owing to a month's delay in the completion of the new store building, we find ourselves very badly overstocked, and in order to run them out, we will make some very low prices. WATCH FOR OUR ADD AND DATE OF OPENING IN NEXT ISSUE.

Lewis & Marshall

MEMPHIS, TEXAS.

Know Our Prices.



Men's Ready Made Suits from	\$4.50 to \$20.00
Boy's Ready Made Suits from	4.00 to 10.00
Children's Ready Made Suits	1.50 to 6.00
Ladies' Wraps from	3.00 to 15.00
Misses' Wraps from	2.00 to 6.00
Children's Wraps from	1.75 to 4.00
Ladies' Ready Made Skirts from	1.50 to 7.00
Ladies' Ready Made Waists from	1.25 to 3.50
Blankets from	75c to 12.50
Lap Robes	1.50 to 7.50

Remember we carry a full line of

DRY GOODS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

Also Hats, Boots, Shoes, Slickers, Comforts, Wagon Sheets, Trunks, Valises, Telescopes, etc., and we guarantee our prices to be as GOOD and in most instances BETTER than any competitor's.

When you come to town come around and let us show you our goods. They are ALL marked in Plain Figures and our clerks are always glad to show you through, whether you are ready to buy or not, because when you do get ready to buy and

KNOW OUR PRICES

You are sure to come to us for your Fall Supplies in our line.



REMEMBER

Casper & Company,
Memphis, S. E. Corner Texas

STAVER!



Do you know the name STAVER on a buggy or Carriage means good material, best workmanship, easy riding, no noise, no repairs and full value for your money. Car load of these popular vehicles just received. Car load of the old reliable SCHUTTLE WAGONS to be sold cheaper than ever before. 30 cases of Light and Heavy Harness,

Buck's and Charter Oak Stoves. Full line of the latest and best Heating stoves. All kinds of Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Wind Mills, Casing, Kaffir Corn Headers and all kinds of Farm Implements. Come and See us,



Berry & Hudgins

MEMPHIS, TEXAS



Our Trade Mark

It is the sign of fair dealing and good goods

COTTON!

Yes we will take care of all comers, as we are buying for one of the best houses in the state, and are prepared to pay the highest cash price all the season through. Give me a trial.

CASH!

Yes, we need some of that, too, and will make you prices that will look good to you, as we buy in large quantities as cheap as goods can be bought. Cash over the counter talks with us.

CREDIT!

Of course we will credit you. We have taken care of the best people in this country for 14

years and they will certify to our fair dealing.

NEW AND FRESH!

Nothing like dealing with a house which does a big business as it means that their stock is always changing and is new and fresh. It also means that the public has confidence in their integrity and business methods.

W. M. FORE