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MEMPHIS IS COUNTY SEAT OF THE BEST COUNTY IN TEXAS--HALL COUNTY

CLAUSE NIAGARA ESCAPES WITH LIFE

Clause Larsen Makes Four-Trip From Foot of Cataract Through the Rapids.

Para Falls, N. Y., Sept. 18. Klaus Larsen, in his motorboat, the Ferro, this morning made a trip from the foot of the Cataract to within a mile of Lewiston, a distance of one-half mile. He started from the Maid of the Rock at 4:55 and ran on a course near the American shore at the foot of the rapids. Despite the battering of the whirlpool rapids, Larsen was through safely, but his boat was leaking badly at the time and through the trip. He had intended to start at 4 o'clock, but he was delayed by engine trouble. Besides, the engine threatened to interfere with the ground of attempted. The Ferro swung under the dam bridge, the engine was at top speed, and was in the swift drift, where it begins its rush down the whirlpool rapids. Larsen was in the middle of the change in less than three minutes and the great pool. In the middle of the rapids the boat was lost to sight most time, but at Great Wave shot twenty feet out of the water. The boat landed right in the middle of the pool. Larsen went to the outer edge of the pool and down with the engine stopped working. Just as he left the engine stopped working and Larsen was at the mercy of the waves, hardly less violent than above. The little boat was around stern first and turned completely over, coming up badly battered and injured his leg.

When on Larsen was the engine of the mighty river, to hold the course, the engine was on one side to the other. After getting through the hole, the Ferro swung around and went fast behind two others. Larsen stayed five minutes, forty feet above, working desperately to please the craft. Getting to the bend, with the engine in sight, the boat drifted toward the American shore again and was then grounded again, this time on a rock. The boat was caught by Rockwell of this city, and was pulled into the water and a rope thrown by Larsen.

Larsen wanted to continue the trip, but having accomplished the worst part of the journey, he was persuaded to board a trolley to Lewiston, setting the boat adrift.

"The trip was worse than I thought it would be," said Larsen, "but I am not hurt and I will do it again some time with another boat. My leg was jammed when she tipped over, but that's all. The engine worked fine through the rapids, and I could have made the trip in half an hour if it had not stopped before leaving the whirlpool."

This morning Larsen was summoned to the police office here, because he was to touch on this side. A committee of five was appointed to inspect the boat and see if the hazard could be termed attempted suicide. Larsen flinched with the committee, running his boat back and forth near the dock, but not near enough for a close inspection.

A crowd of 40,000 lined the bridges and banks at the time advertised for the trip, but when he started most of them had gone. Larsen's is the only engine propelled craft to have gone through the rapids.

Peter Nissen, Chicago, 1900, and C. A. Percy, 1887 and 1901, went through the rapids safely in barrels. No one else has ever passed through the rapids and lived.

Teachers Institute.

The teachers of Hall County brought to a close last Friday evening one of the best educational meetings, every held in the Panhandle, a five-day teachers' institute. Of the fifty subjects and subdivisions of subjects on the program only three were passed on account of the absence of the persons to whom they were assigned; one of these three was absent in another county on account of sickness. Every subject on the program was a practical one and all the discussions were live and wide awake. No time was lost in long-winded or idle discussions. On the whole, the purpose for which this educational gathering was called was well served. Almost every phase of school work, such as organization, classification, management, discipline, moral training, and methods of teaching, was up for consideration. The papers read and the talks made all showed the result of previous study and investigation. Any one in this section who contemplates teaching could ill afford to miss this professional gathering.

The last half day session was called "Parents' Session" and

was held at the Methodist church from 2 o'clock to 5 o'clock Friday afternoon. In the main, school relationships were discussed in this meeting before a fair sized audience. Mrs. W. A. Bennett prepared an excellent paper on "Parent's Relation to Teachers" owing to the fact that Mrs. Bennett was away from the city at the time her paper was read by Mrs. C. A. Crozier. Mr. A. J. Kinard followed in a splendid talk on the same subject. "Teacher's Relation to Parents" was presented by Prof. T. A. Taggart. He laid down the fundamental proposition that all school relationships are based upon the welfare of the pupil and urged that parents and teachers understand each other and cooperate to the end that the pupil's welfare be well served. "The Study Hour at Home" was presented in a well written and well read paper by Mrs. D. A. Grundy, another paper on the same subject was read and discussed by L. L. Foreman, an ex-teacher. In both papers it was strongly urged that the larger pupils should have a certain time, and a place provided for the preparation of school work; that the study hour properly observed would tend to keep the pupils at home and would enable them to make much better progress in school.

The last subject on the program, "Parent's Relation to the School," was presented in papers by Mrs. W. L. Wheat and Mr. A. W. Read. Both papers were the result of much thought and were full of good common-sense statements. On the whole this last meeting served a most excellent purpose, and was only the first of the many like kind which it is hoped will be held hereafter. Not only in Memphis but in every school community in Hall county. Be it said to the credit of those on the program not one failed to respond when his or her name was reached on the program.

At the close of this Friday evening session memorial service were held in memory of Miss Maggie Broyles and Mr. Chas. A. Bushong, teachers who have died since the last meeting in September, 1909. Suitable resolutions were read which after a few

appropriate remarks on the character and work of each of the deceased were adopted. A resolution endorsing the holding of the schools, as was done last year and this year, was adopted. Another resolution expressive of the appreciation of the way in which the institute had been conducted was adopted. The Democrat hopes that the present school year in Hall county will be a most successful one. Let's all help. What do you say?

To The Farmers.

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BOOK RECEPTION.

Many Fine Books Received to Start the Library.

The book reception held on the lawn at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thorne Wednesday evening was one of the most pleasant events of the season. About one hundred guests were present each one bringing a book which added quite a nice collection to the library which the club hopes to have open to the public in the near future. The reception was under the auspices of the civic committee of the Woman's Culture Club. Refreshments were served during the evening consisting of punch and cake. Games of various kinds were introduced during the evening and were enjoyed by all taking part.

Now that the library is to be opened it behooves every lover of good books to help supply and maintain this library. This is something every town should have and especially a town the size of Memphis. A well regulated library speaks volumes for a city.

Gone But Not Forgotten.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pool and claimed for its victim little Annie Earl. Their darling babe Annie was born Nov. 2, 1908, departed this life Sept. 15, 1910, nearly two years old and the delight of the home. A pure little spirit has been called to join the angel band of love; but in the home there is a vacant chair. Though carefully watched and attended the little darling has gone. No more will the bright eyes sparkle, no more will the little head rest on mother's arm in sleep, for the little tongue is hushed forever; the little feet have found rest, sweet rest. Grieve not father and mother for this sweet little angel is now waiting and watching for you in the bright beyond. You can join your darling there where the tongue will never cease to woo you and the bright eyes will never grow dim.

The little face from us is gone,
A voice we loved is still
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

I watched the little wasted form
As death crept on so fast
Sweet smiles were on her little face
Before she breathed her last.

I ask my God to let me live
A life as pure as she,
That when my work on earth is done
I might with Annie be.

'Tis hard to break the tender cord
Where love has bound the heart.
'Tis hard, so hard, to speak the word,
We must forever part.

Yet again we hope to meet thee
When days of life are fled
And in heaven with joy to greet thee
Where no farewell tears are shed.

Written By a Friend

EFFIE BRAGG.

AMARILLO TANGLE COMING TO A HEAD

County Court Will on Monday Act on Eight Petitions for as Many Retail Liquor Licenses.

AMARILLO, Sept. 18.—Despite the fact today was Sunday, speculation as to the outcome of the applications for saloon license that are to be heard in the county court tomorrow is dividing attention with the churches. The comptroller of the state, before arriving at the conclusion that it was illegal to issue permits for applications for licenses as a result of the recent local option election, had given out eight of the coveted documents. Application has been made on these and notice of such application has been posted. The hearing on these applications has been set for tomorrow, and Judge Peter of the county court has indicated that unless the estoppel comes from higher up that he will grant licenses upon the applications, leaving the fight with the state officials, with whom it originated.

Millinery Opening at Baldwin's.

Baldwin & Company held their annual fall and winter millinery opening Friday and Saturday at their pretty shop in the rear end of Baldwin & Company store. Several hundred women of Memphis and surrounding territory were in attendance and there were but very few women passing on the east side but what stopped to admire those beautiful hats in the show window. The opening was charge of Miss Humphree assisted by Miss Myrtle Lock, and all the hats on display were made by their nimble fingers and were creations of beauty. The hats are of all prices and suit all purses.

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Rev. T. J. Edwards, Cumberland Presbyterian, will preach at the Union church, corner 13th and Montgomery streets, every 3rd Sunday morning and evening. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

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ing sovereigns welcome. Mrs. Ida Stallings guardian. Mrs. Annie Guinn, clerk.

NEWLIN CAMP, No. 616, W. O. W. meets in Newlin, W. O. W. hall every second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month. Visiting Sovereigns are welcome.

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Springfield, Mo., Sept. 15.—This city boasts of a woman with more names than any other woman in the state, and who also claims to have married as many times as she has lived, or earlier, in life than any other person in Missouri.

The woman has thirteen names and was married when she was thirteen years of age, and says that she has always considered thirteen a very lucky number. She says her present husband was married on May 13, 1901.

When asked how she secured her many names, the woman said: "When I was born my parents had eleven sisters and all wanted their names named after them. Father and mother, not being able to decide between them, gave me the name of each."

Her first name is Mrs. Mary Sarah Lavinia Nancy Henrietta Parthenia Aritha Dollie Jones Wilding. At the age of 13 years she was married to a man whose name was Hall. After her separation she married again.

The Girl Held Prisoner 4 Days By Three Negroes.

San Antonio, Sept. 16.—Sensational developments resulted from the arrest of Jesse Thornton, a negro charged with abducting Floy Morarity, 16 years old, a white girl, from her home

in St. Hedwig. Two other negroes named Alex Edmondson and Steve Sledge were arrested, charged with criminal assault.

The girl says the negroes took her away from the house to the home of Sledge in this city, where they kept her locked up for four days and accuses Thornton of committing the assault upon her.

The negroes are in jail here, the officers keeping a close guard to prevent violence. A sad accident in connection with the case happened to the aged father of Floy Morarity. On his way to the city from St. Hedwig he fell from a wagon and fractured his skull and will probably die.

Better Than He Expected.

Not long ago a young lawyer of Baltimore undertook the defense of an old negro who had been arrested for "helpin' hisself with-out askin'," and who in slavery days had once been owned by his father. It was his first case, and his defense was not brilliant, either in construction or delivery. The old darkey received no mercy, his guilt being clearly proved.

"Thank you, sah," the prisoner addressed the judge, cheerfully, after the sentence had been pronounced. "Taint anywhere near's bad as I 'spected, for I thought sartin, sah, 'tween mah character and Marse Frank's speech, dey'd hang me for sure."

—Youth's Companion.

Prof. Paul James and family spent Sunday with relatives at Childress.

ALMOST TO GOOD TO BE TRUE.

Chairman Mack Says Result in Maine Indicates Sweeping Democratic Victory This Year.

New York, Sept. 14.—Norman E. Mack of Buffalo, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, when he heard the last returns from the Maine elections, said:

"All I can say now is that the expressions of sentiment which have been coming into us from all over the country indicated the possibility of such a result. But of course it is almost too good to be true.

"What does it indicate? You know you don't need to ask me that. It indicates a sweeping Democratic victory from coast to coast.

"Chairman Lloyd of the Congressional Campaign Committee was talking with me in Buffalo only last week, after returning from the Pacific Coast, and he told me then that the sentiment he found out there was the same which victoriously manifested itself in Maine."

VERY MUCH ALIVE

Don't Monkey With a Turtle Unless You Are Sure It's Dead.

Paragould, Ark., Sept. 16.—Haddes Adams captured an immense turtle and was exhibiting it to friends. A large crowd be-

came interested and some suggested that the turtle had been out of the water for ten hours, was undoubtedly dead, but Adams said it was living. He started to demonstrate that the creature was living and prodded it with a stick in an attempt to make it poke its head. The turtle paid no attention to the stick, but Adams let his hand careen fall near the turtle's mouth, of his fingers was snapped like it had hit a circular saw. Adams secured his severed finger and went to a physician to have it "welded" back but it could not be done he had to content himself with letting the doctor dress the wound.

We are informed that an old Masonic order has purchased an old iron building and two lots on the southwest corner of the square from W. P. Cagle. This is as fine a piece of business property as there is in Memphis. The Masons are lucky in getting such a desirable location as this. They contemplate building a temple on this property if they can dispose of their property on the north side of the square. We trust this will be done soon as we would like to see a fine three-story building erected on this corner.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21.

A Missouri judge last week granted twenty and dismissed seven divorce suits in court in a little more than two hours. Quite a number of other divorce cases were passed over until later on. This looks like going some to us, and it was not much of a day for divorces either.

Costly pearls are now discovered to be growing on cocoanut trees in Malay Peninsula. They are said to be pure white and bring high prices. Why don't somebody plant some cocoanut trees in Hall county and try raising pearls? Everything else grows prolific in this county.

A man in Oklahoma sent a law firm in Texas a post card last week which cost him \$1.20 to send. The card was as large as the regulations would allow. It measured 26x38 inches and weighed four pounds. The sender of the card had been writing to the law firm and could get no reply. Pretty costly post card.

The government of Mexico in order to encourage the manufacture of beer has granted an exclusive concession to a brewery in the state of Sinaloa, the company being exempted from taxes for fifteen years. The concession was acquired by a company organized under the laws of Arizona. Beer is sold in Sinaloa at \$16 a keg. Bottled beer is sold at 12 cents a pint, which is equivalent at \$32 per barrel.

Mrs. Jack Cudahy was compelled to abandon her intentions the other day of living among the ultra fashionable set in an apartment house in Kansas City. When she made application to the landlady for rooms in the apartment house the feminine protests were many and strong. The landlady finally told Mrs. Cudahy that she was mistaken that she had no rooms to let.

The Jones Buffalo Ranch and Wild West Show which was here last Wednesday night in most respects was a farce. There were some very good features about some of the performances. The Japanese acrobats and tumblers in their performance was the best we have ever seen anywhere, but as for the most of the other part of the show it did not amount to very much.

Woman Who Wanted Pants For Her Son Is Arrested When She Keeps Them.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 16.—The wife of a country postmaster entered a clothing store the other day to buy a suit for her son. After making a selection she told the clerk she would like to try on the trousers herself, because if they would fit her they would fit her son. She was shown to one of the little rooms wherein men try on suits and came forth presently presumably with the trousers on for the clerk failed to find them in the room.

She started for the door without a word. The clerk asked for payment for the trousers. She refused and defied him to take the pants.

She was arrested.

ELECTION IN POTTER IS DECLARED VOID

No Legal Election Possible So Long as This Is Still in Court In Opinion of Attorney General

Austin, Tex., Sept. 14.—Controller Stephens not only declined today to issue retail liquor license permits for Amarillo, but in effect held that the local option election held in Potter County, Aug. 27, 1910, and carried by the antis by sixty-one votes was void. He based his ruling upon an opinion by the Attorney General to the effect that no local option election could be ordered in Potter County until the result of the election held Dec. 3, 1907, had been finally thrashed out in the courts.

It seems that the election of Dec. 3, 1907, which has been declared null and void by the District Court and the Court of Civil Appeals is still pending in the Court of Civil Appeals on motion for rehearing.

Some time ago, prior to the holding of the election of Aug. 27, 1910, the Attorney General's Department advised County Judge Jeter of Potter County that no local option election for Potter County should be ordered until the question as to the validity and result of the election held Dec. 3, 1907, had been finally determined. However, the election was held. In his ruling to H. H. Cooper, declining to issue the permits, the Controller declares that at the time the Aug. 27 election was ordered, the result and validity of the election held Dec. 3, 1907, "was not and has not yet been finally determined."

While in the formal ruling the Controller makes no reference to a second opinion from the Attorney General, it has been learned that Assistant Attorney General R. M. Rowland has also advised the Controller that the election held in Potter County, Aug. 27, 1910, was illegal.

This is another chapter in the history of the Potter County local option troubles. For several years there has been disagreements there as to the outcome of the local option election of Dec. 3, 1907. Rangers have been stationed there to fight "bootlegging" and there have been other troubles. Now the antis have won by sixty-one votes but the Controller has declined to issue liquor license permits.

Wife and Five Kids Run Away With Preacher.

For a tale of pathetic interest and one that is calculated to at once arouse immediate attention and promote a thorough investigation, with sincere hopes of securing results, it is probable that the letter of J. H. Hill, a resident of Pittsburg, Texas, has the most profound merit.

The letter was received yesterday by local officers, and recites a domestic tribulation, a matrimonial tragedy unequalled in fact or fiction.

The communication is as follows, with the spelling and pronunciation partially saved:

"Pittsburg, Tex., R. R. No. 3 B 58, Sept. 2, 1910.—To the County Sheriffs or Constables: I am hunting my wife and 5 children which escaped from Hugo, Okla., about 7 weeks ago. Went off with a man by the name of Richardson. He is 65 or 70 years old.

"He has a family at Detroit, Tex. He is blind in left eye, 3 last fingers of left hand drawn down, keeps rag or handkerchief stuffed under those fingers. He is about 5 feet, 10 or 11 in. high, weight about one hundred and 40 or 50 lbs. He has been a preacher for 35 years.

"The woman is 34 years old, brown eyes, weight 125 lbs., mole on left ear, one under chin. Her name is L. E. Hill. I will give the children's names, beginning at the oldest.

"Clara Hill, 4 years old, blue

eyes, light hair; Maud Hill, 11 years old, dark eyes; Arthur Hill, boy, 8 years old, blue eyes; Isaac Hill, boy, 9 years old, blue eyes; Thelmar Hill, 5 years old, blue eyes, her mouth is badly disfigured.

"This old man left home looking for one of his daughters to die at the time. I want my children and I will give \$25 for the arrest of Richardson and L. E. Hill and hold up of the 5 children, J. H. Hill."

All of which permits the deduction that J. H. Hill believes in being specific in his descriptions. Anyone finding a one-eyed, disjunct, rag-attached antiquated and itinerant preacher, accompanied by a woman of middle age, with a mole on her chin and another on her ear, together with a flock of blue-eyed children, will confer a favor by calling the local sheriff's department. The discoverer may also collect \$25 if he corrals the minister and the unfaithful wife.—Amarillo Daily News.

Teacher's Daily Register.

September 14, 1910.—Supt. T. A. Taggart, Memphis, Texas.—My dear Mr. Taggart: I had hoped to be able to visit your county institute this week but find that it is practically impossible for me to do so. The vast volume of work which demands my personal attention during the present week compels me to forego the pleasure and the profit of spending a day with you and your teachers.

Kindly express to your teachers my deep interest in their welfare and my best wishes for a successful year's work.

I am sending to you under separate cover one copy of the new Daily Register. A shipment by express will be sent to your county judge in a day or two.

We believe that this Register is a marked improvement over the old one.

With the very best of wishes I beg to remain,

Your friend,
F. M. BRALLY,
State Superintendent.

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M. M. LAWERY

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ALMA LODGE, No. 182, K. of P., Memphis, Texas, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday nights in each month.
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FLORA LODGE, No. 346, D. of R., meets every 1st and 3rd Monday night in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting members are welcome.
MRS. W. F. GAMMAGE, N. G.
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MEMPHIS COMMANDER No. 50, K. T., meets in Masonic Hall on the fourth Monday night of each month. Visiting Sir Knights welcome.
A. G. POWELL, Em. Com.
D. H. ARNOLD, Recorder

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D. A. GRUNDY, Th. Ill
D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No. 220, R. A. M., meets in Masonic Hall on the Friday night after full moon. Visiting Companions are welcome.
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D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

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C. L. SLOAN, W. M.
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ESTELLINE LODGE, No. 823, A. F. & A. M., meets in Masonic Hall on Saturday nights on or before the full moon. Visiting brothers are welcome.
CROSS RANDLE, W. M.
T. C. DELANEY, Secretary

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

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MRS. LILLIE DELANEY, W. M.
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MEMPHIS CAMP, No. 12624, M. W. A., meets in M. W. A. Hall second and fourth Friday nights. Visiting Neighbors are welcome.
L. McMILLAN, Consul.
A. P. BUNCH, Clerk.

M. W. of A., ESTELLINE meets in W. O. W. Hall every First and Third Saturday nights in each month. Visiting brothers are welcome.
J. A. EDWARDS, Con.
D. M. WRIGHT, Clerk.

MEMPHIS COUNCIL, No. 396, Modern Order Practitioners, meets every Thursday night in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting Practitioners are welcome.
R. A. BOSTON, Sublime Augustus.
D. H. ARNOLD, Recorder.

MEMPHIS LOCAL, No. 4497, Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of America, meets in the court house on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month at 2 p. m. Visiting members are welcome.
H. H. SMITH, President
EDGAR EWING, Secretary.

M. W. A. Newlin meet every Saturday night.
C. N. WARD, Consul,
VENUS DAVIS, Clerk.

MEMPHIS CAMP, No. 1, meets every Saturday nights of each month in Woodman Hall. Visiting Sovereigns are welcome.
L. L. FOREMAN, C. C.
D. H. ARNOLD, Clerk.

Memphis grove No. 803 Woodman circle meets second and third Fridays at 8 p. m. in Woodman hall. Visiting sovereigns welcome. Mrs. Ida Stallings guardian, Mrs. Annie Guinn, clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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F. A. HUDGINS, N. G.
T. P. DRAKE, Secretary.

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

NEWLIN LODGE, No. 673, I. O. O. F., meets in Newlin I. O. O. F. hall every Thursday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.
G. W. HELM, N. G.
J. H. PIERCE, Secretary.

ESTELLINE LODGE, No. 625, I. O. O. F., meets in W. O. W. Hall every Monday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.
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It has been our aim this season to get the strongest line of goods for all kinds of men that we have ever shown, and we believe that we have succeeded. All we ask of the Men of Memphis and surrounding country is that when they are ready to buy anything they give us a look before buying. Not only are our prices the lowest but our selection of goods cannot be surpassed.

Men's Shirts

Ferguson-McKinney Shirts. Conceded by every body to be the best popular priced shirt on the market. Dress shirts range in price from 50c to \$1.50

Just received a big new line of mens wool shirts at \$1.00 to \$3.00 each. Ask about them.

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Good ribbed garments, the best we ever sold for the money 50c
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Cooper's heavy ribbed underwear at per garment \$1.00
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If it is a shoe you want, and a good one we know that we can please you. Ask our customers, how they wear



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Men's Odd Pants

"Pennant Pants"
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Good black, tan, wine and green hosiery at 10c, 3 for 25c
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Big line of nearly anything you could want in solids, or fancies, good quality lises with linen heels and toes-socks that will wear at 25c pr.
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DIVORCED AT THIRTEEN

so Has Thirteen Names and Thinks the Number Lucky.

Springfield, Mo., Sept. 15.—This city boasts of a woman with more names than any other woman in the state, and who also claims to have married as many times as any other person in Missouri.

The woman has thirteen names and was married when she was thirteen years of age, and says that she has always considered thirteen a very lucky number. She says her present husband was married on May 13, 1901.

When asked how she secured her many names, the woman said: "When I was born my parents had eleven sisters and all wanted to be named after them. Father and mother, not being able to agree between them, gave me the name of each."

Her name is Mrs. Mary Sarah Lavinia Nancy Henrietta Parthenia Arbitha Dollie Jones Wilding. At the age of 13 years she was married to a man whose name was Hall. After her separation she married again.

Girl Held Prisoner 4 Days by Three Negroes.

San Antonio, Sept. 16.—Sensational developments resulted in the arrest of Jesse Thornton, a negro charged with abducting Floy Morarity, 16 years old, a white girl, from her home

in St. Hedwig. Two other negroes named Alex Edmondson and Steve Sledge were arrested, charged with criminal assault.

The girl says the negroes took her away from the house to the home of Sledge in this city, where they kept her locked up for four days and accuses Thornton of committing the assault upon her.

The negroes are in jail here, the officers keeping a close guard to prevent violence. A sad accident in connection with the case happened to the aged father of Floy Morarity. On his way to the city from St. Hedwig he fell from a wagon and fractured his skull and will probably die.

Better Than He Expected.

Not long ago a young lawyer of Baltimore undertook the defense of an old negro who had been arrested for "helpin' hisself with out askin'," and who in slavery days had once been owned by his father. It was his first case, and his defense was not brilliant, either in construction or delivery. The old darkey received no mercy, his guilt being clearly proved.

"Thank you, sah," the prisoner addressed the judge, cheerfully, after the sentence had been pronounced. "Taint anywhere near's bad as I 'spected, for I thought sartin, sah, 'tween mah character and Marse Frank's speech, dey'd hang me for sure." —Youth's Companion.

Prof. Paul James and family spent Sunday with relatives at Childress.

ALMOST TO GOOD TO BE TRUE.

Chairman Mack Says Result in Maine Indicates Sweeping Democratic Victory This Year.

New York, Sept. 14.—Norman E. Mack of Buffalo, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, when he heard the last returns from the Maine elections, said:

"All I can say now is that the expressions of sentiment which have been coming into us from all over the country indicated the possibility of such a result. But of course it is almost too good to be true.

"What does it indicate? You know you don't need to ask me that. It indicates a sweeping Democratic victory from coast to coast.

"Chairman Lloyd of the Congressional Campaign Committee was talking with me in Buffalo only last week, after returning from the Pacific Coast, and he told me then that the sentiment he found out there was the same which victoriously manifested itself in Maine."

VERY MUCH ALIVE

Don't Monkey With a Turtle Unless You Are Sure It's Dead.

Paragould, Ark., Sept. 16.—Haddes Adams captured an immense turtle and was exhibiting it to friends. A large crowd be-

came interested, and some suggested that the turtle had been out of the water for about ten hours, was undoubtedly dead, but Adams said it was living. He started to demonstrate that the creature was living and prodded it with a stick in an attempt to make it poke its head. The turtle paid no attention to the stick, but when Adams let his hand carelessly fall near the turtle's mouth one of his fingers was snapped like it had hit a circular saw. Adams secured his severed finger and went to a physician to have it "welded" back but as it could not be done he had to content himself with letting the doctor dress the wound.

We are informed that the Masonic order has purchased an old iron building and two lots the southwest corner of the square from W. P. Cagle. This is as fine a piece of business property as there is in Memphis and the Masons are lucky in getting such a desirable location as this. They contemplate building a temple on this property if they can dispose of their property on the north side of the square. We trust this will be something soon as we would like to see a fine three-story building erected on this corner.

For Sale or Trade.

I have some 10, 20 & 40 acre block just the thing for game and chicken ranch, this property is close in and some of it can be irrigated. W. P. CAGLE, Owner.



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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21.

A Missouri judge last week granted twenty and dismissed seven divorce suits in court in a little more than two hours. Quite a number of other divorce cases were passed over until later on. This looks like going some to us, and it was not much of a day for divorces either.

Costly pearls are now discovered to be growing on coconut trees in Malay Peninsula. They are said to be pure white and bring high prices. Why don't somebody plant some coconut trees in Hall county and try raising pearls? Everything else grows prolific in this county.

A man in Oklahoma sent a law firm in Texas a post card last week which cost him \$1.20 to send. The card was as large as the regulations would allow. It measured 25x35 inches and weighed four pounds. The sender of the card had been writing to the law firm and could get no reply. Pretty costly post card.

The government of Mexico in order to encourage the manufacture of beer has granted an exclusive concession to a brewery in the state of Sinaloa, the company being exempted from taxes for fifteen years. The concession was acquired by a company organized under the laws of Arizona. Beer is sold in Sinaloa at \$16 a keg. Bottled beer is sold at 12 1/2 cents a pint, which is equivalent at \$32 per barrel.

Mrs. Jack Cudahy was compelled to abandon her intentions the other day of living among the ultra fashionable set in an apartment house in Kansas City. When she made application to the landlady for rooms in the apartment house the feminine protests were many and strong. The landlady finally told Mrs. Cudahy that she was mistaken that she had no rooms to let.

The Jones Buffalo Ranch and Wild West Show which was here last Wednesday night in most respects was a farce. There were some very good features about some of the performances. The Japanese acrobats and tumblers in their performance was the best we have ever seen anywhere, but as for the most of the other part of the show it did not amount to very much.

Woman Who Wanted Pants For Her Son Is Arrested When She Keeps Them.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 16.—The wife of a country postmaster entered a clothing store the other day to buy a suit for her son. After making a selection she told the clerk she would like to try on the trousers herself, because if they would fit her they would fit her son. She was shown to one of the little rooms wherein men try on suits and came forth presently presumably with the trousers on for the clerk failed to find them in the room.

She started for the door without a word. The clerk asked for payment for the trousers. She refused and defied him to take the pants. She was arrested.

ELECTION IN POTTER IS DECLARED VOID

No Legal Election Possible So Long as This Is Still in Court In Opinion of Attorney General

Austin, Tex., Sept. 14.—Controller Stephens not only declined today to issue retail liquor license permits for Amarillo, but in effect held that the local option election held in Potter County, Aug. 27, 1910, and carried by the anti by sixty-one votes was void. He based his ruling upon an opinion by the Attorney General to the effect that no local option election could be ordered in Potter County until the result of the election held Dec. 3, 1907, had been finally thrashed out in the courts.

It seems that the election of Dec. 3, 1907, which has been declared null and void by the District Court and the Court of Civil Appeals is still pending in the Court of Civil Appeals on motion for rehearing.

Some time ago, prior to the holding of the election of Aug. 27, 1910, the Attorney General's Department advised County Judge Jeter of Potter County that no local option election for Potter County should be ordered until the question as to the validity and result of the election held Dec. 3, 1907, had been finally determined. However, the election was held. In his ruling to H. H. Cooper, declining to issue the permits, the Controller declares that at the time the Aug. 27 election was ordered, the result and validity of the election held Dec. 3, 1907, "was not and has not yet been finally determined."

While in the formal ruling the Controller makes no reference to a second opinion from the Attorney General, it has been learned that Assistant Attorney General R. M. Rowland has also advised the Controller that the election held in Potter County, Aug. 27, 1910, was illegal.

This is another chapter in the history of the Potter County local option troubles. For several years there has been disagreements there as to the outcome of the local option election of Dec. 3, 1907. Rangers have been stationed there to fight "bootlegging" and there have been other troubles. Now the anti have won by sixty-one votes but the Controller has declined to issue liquor license permits.

Wife and Five Kids Run Away With Preacher.

For a tale of pathetic interest and one that is calculated to at once arouse immediate attention and promote a thorough investigation, with sincere hopes of securing results, it is probable that the letter of J. H. Hill, a resident of Pittsburg, Texas, has the most profound merit.

The letter was received yesterday by local officers, and recites a domestic tribulation, a matrimonial tragedy unequalled in fact or fiction.

The communication is as follows, with the spelling and pronunciation partially saved: "Pittsburg, Tex., R. R. No. 3 B 58, Sept. 2, 1910.—To the County Sheriffs or Constables: I am hunting my wife and 5 children which escaped from Hugo, Okla., about 7 weeks ago. Went off with a man by the name of Richardson. He is 65 or 70 years old.

"He has a family at Detroit, Tex. He is blind in left eye, 3 last fingers of left hand drawn down, keeps rag or handkerchief stuffed under those fingers. He is about 5 feet, 10 or 11 in. high, weight about one hundred and 40 or 50 lbs. He has been a preacher for 35 years.

"The woman is 34 years old, brown eyes, weight 125 lbs., mole on left ear, one under chin. Her name is L. E. Hill. I will give the children's names, beginning at the oldest. "Clara Hill, 4 years old, blue

eyes, light hair; Maud Hill, 11 years old, dark eyes; Arthur Hill, boy, 8 years old, blue eyes; Isaac Hill, boy, 9 years old, blue eyes; Thelmar Hill, 5 years old, blue eyes, her mouth is badly disfigured.

"This old man left home looking for one of his daughters to die at the time. I want my children and I will give \$25 for the arrest of Richardson and L. E. Hill and hold up of the 5 children, J. H. Hill."

All of which permits the deduction that J. H. Hill believes in being specific in his descriptions. Anyone finding a one-eyed, disjoined, rag-attached antiquated and itinerant preacher, accompanied by a woman of middle age, with a mole on her chin and another on her ear, together with a flock of blue-eyed children, will confer a favor by calling the local sheriff's department. The discoverer may also collect \$25 if he corrals the minister and the unfaithful wife.—Amarillo Daily News.

Teacher's Daily Register.

September 14, 1910.—Supt. T. A. Taggart, Memphis, Texas.—My dear Mr. Taggart: I had hoped to be able to visit your county institute this week but find that it is practically impossible for me to do so. The vast volume of work which demands my personal attention during the present week compels me to forego the pleasure and the profit of spending a day with you and your teachers.

Kindly express to your teachers my deep interest in their welfare and my best wishes for a successful year's work.

I am sending to you under separate cover one copy of the new Daily Register. A shipment by express will be sent to your county judge in a day or two.

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BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. R. B. Morgan, pastor. Services each Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m., Bro. T. R. Garrott, Supt. B. Y. P. U. each Sunday at 4 p. m. Evangelistic services each Sunday night. Special music for these services. A cordial welcome to all.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Elder L. H. Humphries, pastor. Services every Lord's Day at 11 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m., Wm. Fore, superintendent. Teachers' training class and prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:30, J. M. Elliott, president, and L. H. Humphries, teacher. Ladies' Aid Society meets every Monday at the church at 2 p. m., Mrs. L. H. Humphries, President. Official Board meets on the first Sunday of each month. Everybody made cordially welcome to these services.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH, ESTELLINE—Regular preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on the 1st and 3rd Sundays. Prayer meeting every Thursday night at 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend these services. G. W. Harrington, pastor. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 a. m. You are cordially invited to be present. A. E. Johnson, Superintendent.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, ESTELLINE—Regular preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on the 2nd and 4th Sundays. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30. Choir practice every Friday night at 7:30. Sunday school teachers meeting each Thursday evening at 3:30 p. m. You are welcome at our church. J. W. Smith, pastor. Woman's Home Mission Society meets on Wednesday evenings at 3:30 p. m., after 1st and 3rd Sundays. Would be glad to have all the ladies attend these services. Mrs. J. A. Johnson, President. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 a. m. We invite all strangers to be with us at this hour. Dr. P. L. Vardy, Superintendent.

Rev. T. J. Edwards, Cumberland Presbyterian, will preach at the Union church, corner 13th and Montgomery streets, every 3rd Sunday morning and evening. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

FREE METHODIST Will hold services at Union Church first and fourth Sunday of Each Month. Prayer meeting Friday nights Sunday School 3 d. m. you are invited to attend.

M. M. LAWERY

Lodge Directory.

LAUREL WREATH LODGE No. 168, D. of R. meets every Friday night in the I. O. O. F. Hall at Newlin. Visiting brothers and sisters welcome.

MISS MARY GRADY N. G., Mrs. Will Keister, Sec.

ALMA LODGE, No. 182, K. of P., Memphis, Texas, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday nights in each month.

J. M. ELLIOTT, C. C.
R. L. MADDEN, SEC.
FLORA LODGE, No. 346, D. of R., meets every 1st and 3rd Monday night in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting members are welcome.
Mrs. W. F. GAMMAGE, N. G.
MISS HATTIE LOU CUNNINGHAM, Sec.

MEMPHIS COMMANDER No. 50, K. T., meets in Masonic Hall on the fourth Monday night of each month. Visiting S. P. Knights welcome.
A. G. POWELL, Em. Com.
D. H. ARNOLD, Recorder

MEMPHIS COUNCIL, No. 156, R. & S. M., meets in Masonic Hall on the Saturday night after full moon. Visiting Companions are welcome.
D. A. GRUNDY, Th. Ill
D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No. 220, R. A. M., meets in Masonic Hall on the Friday night after full moon. Visiting Companions are welcome.
C. F. DUNBAR, High Priest
D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

MEMPHIS LODGE, No. 729, A. F. & A. M., meets in the Masonic Hall on the Saturday night occurring on or before the full moon. Visiting brothers are welcome.
C. L. SLOAN, W. M.
D. H. ARNOLD, Sec.

ESTELLINE LODGE, No. 823, A. F. & A. M., meets in Masonic Hall on Saturday nights on or before the full moon. Visiting brothers are welcome.
CROSS RANDLE, W. M.
T. C. DELANEY, Secretary

MEMPHIS CHAPTER, No. 351, O. E. S., meets in Masonic Hall on the second Friday night in each month. Visiting brothers and sisters are welcome.
C. R. WEBSTER, W. M.
MISS NORA HEADRICK, Secretary

ESTELLINE CHAPTER, No. 235, O. E. S., meets in the Masonic Hall on Saturdays at 2 p. m., on or before the full moon. Visiting brothers and sisters are welcome.
MRS. LILLIE DELANEY, W. M.
MRS. ETHEL PREWITT, Sec'y

MEMPHIS CAMP, No. 12624, M. W. A., meets in M. W. A. Hall second and fourth Friday nights. Visiting Neighbors are welcome.
L. McMILLAN, Consul.
A. P. BUNCH, Clerk.

M. W. of A., ESTELLINE meets in W. O. W. Hall every First and Third Saturday nights in each month. Visiting brothers are welcome.
J. A. EDWARDS, Con.
D. M. WRIGHT, Clerk.

MEMPHIS COUNCIL, No. 396, Modern Order Practorians, meets every Thursday night in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting Practorians are welcome.
R. A. BOSTON, Sublime Augustus.
D. H. ARNOLD, Recorder.

MEMPHIS LOCAL, No. 4497, Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of America, meets in the court house on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month at 2 p. m. Visiting members are welcome.
H. H. SMITH, President
EDGAR EWING, Secretary.

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

MEMPHIS CAMP, No. 11, meets every Saturday night of each month in Woodman Hall. Visiting Sovereigns are welcome.
L. L. FOREMAN, C. C.
D. H. ARNOLD, Clerk.

Memphis grove No. 803 Woodman circle meets second and third Fridays at 8 p. m. in Woodman hall. Visiting sovereigns welcome. Mrs. Ida Stallings guardian, Mrs. Annie Guinn, clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NEWLIN LODGE, No. 673, I. O. O. F., meets in Newlin I. O. O. F. hall every Thursday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.
G. W. HELM, N. G.
J. H. PIERCE, Secretary.

ESTELLINE LODGE, No. 625, I. O. O. F., meets in W. O. W. Hall every Monday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.
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FALL ANNOUNCEMENT

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Are now ready to show to their friends and the public one of the most complete Fall and Winter lines of **MILLINERY, LADIES SUITS, WAISTS, CAPS, COATS, ETC.,** ever Shown in Memphis.

Our line of waists and Millinery are exceptionally fine and our prices in accordance with

the times.

We invite close inspection and guarantee satisfaction.

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LAKEVIEW LEAKLETS.

Well I will try to write a few words.

Marvin Smith who has been real sick is able to be up again.

Little Will Pool is real sick with typhoid fever.

John Davis has just returned from a trip to Miss.

Mr. Stine and two daughters, Misses Emma and Georgie, are enjoying a pleasant trip to Claud.

People out west of Lakeview are busy picking cotton.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pool was laid to rest at Union Hill Cemetery yesterday afternoon.

I will try to come again soon I have been sick is the reason I have not written.

MAY FLOWER.

ODGEN RANCH ITEMS.

I was raised in a cotton field, but the strangest thing happened this year that I ever witnessed. Cotton that was planted on the 7th of June, there was open bolls on it the 7th of Sept. Just think only ninety days.

A. M. Wyatt departed Wednesday for some springs for the purpose of watering his rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrison spent Sunday evening of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Sweeten Hulsley of this place.

B. L. Knowels of the Friendship community killed the fated calf last Thursday and peddled it out Friday. It was the first beef wagon of the year.

One of the old ranch boys, Geo. Grooms has accepted a five months job on the Oxbow crossing pilating cotton wagons across.

A number of people from this place went to the show last Wednesday. They report a good time.

Robert Reynolds and family of Memphis were visiting in the home of J. D. Harrison Sunday of last week.

Mr. Bomines was the guest of J. D. Harrison Sunday evening.

The Friendship church baptized at what is known as the Finch tank on Odgen ranch Sunday afternoon.

Miss Zella Rambo was the guest of Miss Dorothy Ogden Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ogden and family called on J. D. Harrison and family at a late hour Monday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kilgore Saturday, a boy. All doing nicely.

BILLY THE WISE.

Farmers Attention!

Commencing with this week, we shall maintain a bulletin board showing the price quotations on cotton, by telegraph, marked in plain figures so you will know what your cotton is worth. We will also keep a list, free of charge, of any thing you wish to see or buy thus bringing the buyer and seller together without cost to either.

If you have any thing to store see us.

We are still weighing cotton at the old stand giving you FULL WEIGHT.

We charge you 15c per month or fractional part thereof for insurance, 10c per month or fractional part for storage in Warehouse.

We urge all who intend holding cotton to read bulletin No. 106, Department of Commerce and Labor page 15. The world is beginning to realize the importance of scientific handling of cotton and as soon as the producer realizes its importance we'll be on the "high road to prosperity."

Thanking you for your very

generous patronage during the past season we ask a like share the coming season, promising to stand by those who stand by us and be friends with all, we are, Yours for the freedom of the farmers, Hall Co. Farmers Union Ware House Co.

E. M. EWEN, Manager.

TEXAS I. O. O. F. BAND

Attracts Much Attention in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Sept. 15.—Several thousand Odd Fellows spent part of today in New Orleans on their way to the annual grand lodge at Atlanta. Features of the Texas delegation was the Odd Fellows' orphan band of Corsicana, composed of boys whose ages range from 8 to 16 years.

The concert given by the Memphis band last Saturday night has been the cause of much favorable comment. The rendition of "Meet Me Tonight in Dreamland" by Miss Beatrice Swafford was enjoyed very much. There were some six or seven hundred people on the square to listen to this sweet music. Another nice program is being arranged for this coming Saturday night and everybody is invited to come out and enjoy the evening and listen to the music.

The whistling of the gins and oil mill and ice plant these days are music to our ears and only make us wish that we had several more manufacturing plants in our midst to mingle their tones with the ones already here. A broom factory would be a great thing for Memphis as that product is now beginning to be grown in these parts and would be a success from the start. What is the matter with Memphis landing one?

Killing at Vernon Sunday.

Visitors who spent Sunday in Vernon from Memphis informs us that a very sad killing occurred at that place Sunday morning in the postoffice lobby.

The man who did the killing was a doctor by the name of Howard and the unfortunate man was a plumber whose name we could not get. It seems that the doctor had been treating the eyes of the daughter of the plumber and that the child had lost both eyes from the treatment. There was but one eye witness to the horrible tragedy and that was an old negro about eighty years old. He stated that the plumber was in the postoffice and was stooped over working the combination to his postoffice box at the time the doctor entered, and that the doctor engaged the man in conversation at once and all he could understand of the conversation was, he heard the plumber say, doctor I never said any such a thing and did not even think of such a thing, whereupon the doctor began cursing and calling the man very vile names and pulled a pistol from his pocket and shot him. The negro stepped between them, but too late as the fatal shot had plowed its way through the man's body causing instant death. It is said that the plumber is a well respected man in Vernon and that feeling is very strong against the doctor.

Mrs. J. A. Whaley departed Friday night for Floydada where she will join her husband who will buy cotton there this season. They will return to Memphis when the cotton season is over.

Tom Parker spent last Thursday night and Friday and Friday night in Memphis with friends. He says that the railroad will reach Wellington about next week.

Southern Drama Postponed.

It has been decided by the management to postpone the Southern drama, "Under The Southern Cross," which was to have given at the Arnwood opera house, Friday night, September 23, and instead present the play Tuesday night, September 27.

Remember that this is one of the best plays you have ever witnessed, and will be presented in a manner that will compel your admiration. It is an exclusive Daughters of the Confederacy play, they holding the exclusive copyright, and it has met with great success wherever shown. Speaking of its production in Oklahoma City, the Daily Oklahoman says: "It was one of the best plays presented to the play-loving public this year, and was enjoyed to the uttermost by those fortunate enough to attend."

Special costumes and scenery will be used and you are assured the best play you have seen in a long time. Tickets will be placed on sale at the Jot Montgomery Drug Company on Monday morning. Get your tickets early as a full house is expected and many have already been spoken for. Admission 25c, 35c and 50c.

The band boys enjoyed a watermelon feast Tuesday night at the home of C. W. Adair. They had intended going down on the branch in Sunnyside addition, but the cloudy weather prevented. There were about fifty present including the band boys and their families. The band played several nice selections after which the big chewing match took place. About one dozen large melons were devoured during the feast.

THE DUEL.

"Why are you men trembling?"
"I'm so afraid of killing my opponent."

Will Move to Memphis.

J. V. Mauldin was in the city last Thursday from Lakeview and informs us that he had made arrangements to again live in Memphis. Mr. Mauldin will have a position with the J. B. Jenkins blacksmith shop. He is an experienced workman and has worked in Memphis before.

The Democrat editor and family are indebted to Mr. J. T. Speer for as fine a watermelon as we have seen this year. It is about 27 inches long and will weigh about 75 pounds. He has a great many of this fine variety and quite a few of them would make prize winners at the fair this fall.

ARE PEOPLE WITHOUT THRIFT?

Zanzibar a Veritable Paradise for the Conscienceless Money Lender.

A curious light is thrown on the character of the Zanzibaris in a recent report of the consul general of the protectorate: "There is no country in the world where the habit of borrowing money is more confirmed than it is in Zanzibar. Neither the Arab nor the Swahili has the slightest idea of thrift. The former, when he has sold his clove, immediately spends the proceeds in entertaining or in the purchase of European articles for which he has little or no use; he then mortgages his property at a ridiculous rate of interest or sells his next year's crop in advance, with the inevitable result that he is always up to the eyes in debt. The Swahili, if he happens to be out of debt at the beginning of the month, spends all his pay within a few days in food or native dances, and has to beg, borrow, or steal sufficient to maintain himself for the rest of the month. The money lender is in both cases the Indian and the interest which he charges varies from 30 to anything up to 300 per cent. Steps have been taken to check the system as far as it is possible amongst government employes."

BALDWIN & COMPANY



To our many patrons who season after season have bought shoes from us, our shoes need no introduction, they know that we give value received, or in other words we **Make Price and Quality meet in every sale**

To those who have never bought their shoes of us or examined our stock, we wish to say, that, we make it a business to buy our shoes from **SPECIALTY HOUSES** and not from General Line Manufacturers. Twenty years business experience has taught us that the General Line one step higher than the now almost extinct jobbing house line, while the Specialty Manufacturer is but **MUST** and **DOES** reach the summit in shoe Manufacturing.

We have said, that the specialty man **MUST**. Why is this a fact? The reason is simple. The cause is plain. He has only his specialties with which to get business, therefore in each instant he is compelled to employ only **First Class Workmen** and use the best of materials, his shoes must have **DURABILITY, COMFORT, STYLE** and **FIT** embodied in each and every pair. He can not make the man's shoe good and the woman's bad and make the good shoe advertise and sell the bad one, for, he does not make shoes for both men and women.

Now you know why we sell specialty line shoes and, **WE KNOW** that each pair we get is the embodiment of **ALL** that goes to make the shoe first class in every respect.

We sell **WALK-OVER** for men. The **DREW** shoe for women, and **EISEN HUTH & COMPANY'S** for children.

Come Inspect Our Line

BALDWIN & COMPANY



Local Happenings

Items of Interest About Town and County

Cakes and pies always at the City Bakery.

Mr. Baker made a business Lakeview Monday.

Save money by buying Red-crow flour. Dial. tf.

Mr. Henderson of Amarillo, visiting the Loyhe Piano as a business visitor in this Monday.

Perhead Pea Coal \$5.50 per low Coal \$6.00, at the City this Coal.

W. P. DIAL. tf.

Bertha Carter of White is in the city visiting her Mr. and Mrs. Geo. and other relatives.

Our lands with McMillan. We have good residence in Memphis to trade for Hall, Donley or Collings-county.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Drake are parents of a fine baby on Sunday night. All do.

Will carry the Celebrated power shoe for general they are a neat substantial shoes and will give good THE FAMOUS.

Mr. Wells of Claude, down Sunday night to few days visiting his. He reports the crops in Armstrong county.

Dial's Coal and Grain Yard. Phone 125. tf.

Have you seen those beautiful Navajo Blankets at Adair Bros.?

A fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams last Saturday.

Gist & Son wants your eggs 15c cash or trade.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bain on last Sunday night a fine baby boy.

Dial's Coal and Grain Yard. Phone 125. tf.

Mayor Browder departed Saturday morning for Mineral Wells where he expects to be for ten or twelve days recuperating his health.

Get the City Bakery to bake your pies, cakes and rolls. They can please you.

Try Chas. Oren for watch, clock and jewelry repairing and engraving. 50-tf.

Bring your eggs to Gist & Son and get money or trade.

Benton Moreman came Friday from Midway and will remain here for the present.

FOR RENT—Good 7-room house with plenty of water, conveniently located for boarders during the school months. See J. H. Brumley.

Gist & Son buys country produce see them.

Ask to see the silk broche corsets at the Famous.

Save money by buying Red-crow flour. Dial. tf.

Rev. Lowrey and wife are the proud parents of a fine baby girl born to them on last Wednesday night.

PERFECTION CLOTHING for BOYS. They are superior to all others.

Wanted 500 Doz. eggs at 15c cash or trade at Gist & Son's

Howard Finch is now employed at the Citizens State Bank and will remain during the fall and winter months.

We handle a full line of Boiled Hams, Winneworsts and Full Cream Cheese.

HUCHTON & CRUMP.

R. S. Greene made a business trip to Estelline last Thursday to see after his store at that point.

Bring your watch, clock and jewelry repairing to Chas. Oren. Work guaranteed.

20 lb Blackeyed Peas for \$1.00 at Gist & Son.

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G. R. Dickson was a business visitor in Memphis Tuesday. He had the address of his paper changed from Gipaw to Brice on account of more regular service.

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Gist & Son wants chickens see them.

The Memphis Bottling Works has been moved out to the place of J. R. Brumley and stored for the winter months.

Mrs. Emma Brown departed last Thursday for Shawnee, Okla. where she will spend sometime visiting her daughter.

See Gist & Son for Brand and Chops.

Charlie VanMeeter of Clarendon, spent Sunday in Memphis visiting his old friends, F. L. and C. W. Adair and A. L. Alland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett of Seymour, father and mother of W. A. Bennett of this city came in Monday morning and will remain in Memphis for some time visiting their son.

F. J. Goffinet reports the sale of three cars of fine cattle in Kansas City last week. One car of calves receiving the highest price ever paid for a car of calves from Memphis.

Mrs. Alf Bailey of Fort Worth, an old friend of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kinard has been in the city several days the past week visiting. She departed Monday morning for a visit at Pampa, Texas.

Mr. Holland, superintendent at the oil mill informs us that they expect to start the mill grinding about Tuesday of next week. There is quite a pile of seed on hand now and it is expected that it will begin to come in pretty rapidly from now on.

Read the Democrat

Bewleys Best flour none better at Gist & Son at \$3.25

LOST—Bunch of keys, finders please leave at this office.

Messrs. John Hancock and J. J. Redwine of Lesley, were in Memphis last Friday with some cotton and called on the Democrat.

To Water Consumers.

Water rent will be due October 1, all water rent should be paid to J. W. Noel at First National bank before the 10th of October or water will be cut off.

MEMPHIS WATER WORKS. 12-2tc

Dr. C. F. Wilson and wife accompanied their little boy to Kansas City several days ago where they had an operation performed on the little fellow for a deformed leg. The Doctor returned home and reports the operation successful and the young man getting along nicely. Mrs. Wilson remained with her son.

W. T. Hays came up from Childress and spent Sunday and Monday with his old friend, J. R. Brumley. He was also prospecting. He did not hesitate to say that we had better land and crops than Childress county.

J. S. Smith and family who have been away from Memphis for the past three years and making their home in New Mexico returned to Memphis Friday and will remain through the winter months. Mr. Smith notes many changes during his absence and says that the town did not look like the Memphis he knew three years ago.

Read the Democrat

A Card of Thanks.

Mrs. T. B. Norwood and Miss Bessie wish to thank Brumley & Thrasher and Jot Montgomery for the many nice things given by them as prizes for the cake in last week's cake contest.

A deal was closed last week in which R. W. Moore living in North Memphis sells his place to Mr. G. M. Bass who lives four miles south of Memphis. Mr. Bass will move to town as soon as possible to get the benefit of the schools. The deal was made through the McMillan Land Co.

S. S. Montgomery, Will Noel and Winston Montgomery returned Saturday from the bankers convention at Amarillo. They returned via Plainview and Silvertown and did not have a mishap to their automobile. They report a fine trip.

W. L. Thurman of Derwood, Okla., will speak here in the interest of the socialist party on the afternoon of Sept. 30, at 3 p. m. The lecture will be delivered on the court house lawn. Every one invited to attend. He will also speak on the evening of Sept. 30, at Eli, and on the morning of Oct. 1, at Lakeview.

Christian Church.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning theme, "Faith, What It Is And Does," evening theme, "Davy Crockett's Motto." Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. Fred Adair leader. Bible school Sunday 9:45 a. m. Wm. Fore supt. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

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VERNON BANK ROBBERS PLEADED GUILTY

Looters of Harrold Institution Sentenced to Eleven and Eight Years Each.

Vernon, Texas, Sept. 14.—Allen Hindglass and H. A. Warner, pleading guilty to three charges in connection with the Harrold bank robbery which occurred last April, were sentenced to eleven and one-half and eight years respectively in the district court here.

Frank Holloway, who is charged with the same offense and is out on bond, failed to make his appearance in court and his bond was forfeited.

DR. N. F. TATE

Veterinarian

Of Quanah, Texas, will be in Memphis, Saturday, October 15 and remain until Friday, October 21. Bring your afflicted stock early in the week. All examinations free.

Mrs. C. B. McLain of Troy, Bell Co., is visiting her brother, E. M. Ewen, this week. Her daughter, Miss Carmen, will teach in our public school this year.

Parents! We are daily fitting up the little folks with shoes for school from the Sun Flower stock. Don't you want a pair? THE FAMOUS.

The Home Circle Column

PLEASANT EVENING REVERIES

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide

BOYS, DON'T.

Don't forget that you are to be men and husbands.

Don't smoke in the presence of ladies. It is never respectful.

Don't measure your respect to a person by the clothes he wears.

Don't try to make your fortune by easier means than hard work.

Don't speak carelessly of a lady's character. It is her only anchor.

Don't forget that the best and greatest man that ever walked the earth was a boy.

Don't haunt the lady of your choice at a ball, party or picnic. She has certain civilities to pay elsewhere.

Don't fix your stare on the fair ones who pass along the streets. To stare at anyone is not manly at all.

Don't neglect your business. Take pains to do your work well. Good workmen are always in demand.

Don't sneer at the opinions of others. You may learn wisdom from those far less pretentious than yourself.

Don't swear. It is not necessary and does no good. It is neither wise, manly nor polite, nor agreeable to others.

Don't grow up to be a soured old bachelor, when there are so many true and lovely girls that will make such excellent wives.

Don't flirt with a young lady to whom you are a perfect stranger. It looks most ridiculous; and you may get thrashed for it some day.

Don't unnecessarily make enemies. The good will of a dog is better than his ill will. But don't cripple your independence and your individuality to please friends.

Keep up with the wagon. Change your old views and habits for new and better ones when you find them and be always on the lookout for them.

JEALOUSY.

How fortunate it is that there is not a jealous person among our large family of readers. We do not know of one; do you? Such being the case we can severely censure these jealous people that are to be found in most all other communities. The first boy ever born was jealous. If you remember Cain took a rough stick and killed his brother Abel because he was jealous. The sacrifice of Abel had been accepted while Cain's was rejected. Jealousy is simply a grief we experience on account of the superiority of others. Their superiority in talent, wealth, beauty, virtue or social or political recognition. It is the shadow of other people's success which clouds our lives. It is the thunder of our neighbor's popularity which sours the milk of human kindness in us. It is the father and mother of half the woes and crimes of the human race.

When you hear a man or woman abused, drive in on the defendant's side. Watch for excellences in others rather than for defects, morning glories instead of night-shades. If some one is more beautiful than you, thank God that you have not so many perils of vanity to contend with. If some one has more wealth than you, thank God that you have not so great a stewardship to answer for. If some one gets a higher office in church or

state you can thank God there are not so many to wish for the hastening of your obsequies. If you are assailed by jealousy take it as a compliment, for people are never jealous of a failure. Substitute for jealousy an elevating emulation. Seeing others industrious let us work more hours. Life is short at the longest; let it all be filled up with helpfulness for others work and sympathy for each others misfortunes, and our arms full of white mantles to cover up the mistakes and failures of others. Surely this world is large enough for you and all your rivals. God has given you a work to do. Go ahead and do it. Mind your own business. In all circles, in all kinds of business, in all professions there is room for straight-forward success.

WHAT TO TEACH GIRLS.

Teach her that 100 cents make a dollar.

Teach her to arrange the parlor and library.

Teach her to say "No" and mean it or "Yes," and stick to it.

Teach her how to wear a calico dress and to wear it like a queen.

Teach her how to sew on buttons, darn stockings and mend gloves.

Teach her to dress for health and comfort as well as appearance.

Teach her to cultivate flowers and to keep the kitchen garden.

Teach her to make the neatest room in the house.

Teach her to have nothing to do with intemperate or dissolute young men.

Teach her that tight lacing is uncomely, as well as injurious to health.

Teach her to regard the morals and habits, and not money, in selecting her associates.

Teach her to observe the old rule: "A place for everything and everything in its place."

Teach her that music, drawing and painting are real accomplishments in the home, and are not to be neglected if there be time and money for their use.

Teach her the important truism: "That the more she lives within her income the more she will save and the further she will get away from the poor-house."

Teach her that a good, steady, church-going mechanic, farmer, clerk or teacher without a cent, is worth more than forty loafers or non-producers in broadcloth.

When most people are not taking medicine to cure them, they are eating something to make them sick.

Farmer's Limbs Ossify Had Hookworm Disease.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 16.—M. L. Peaden, a farmer of Pitt county, North Carolina, is threatened with entire ossification of the limbs and body at the Retreat for the Sick, where he has been under treatment for a week.

Peaden's condition is regarded by many physicians who have viewed the remarkable case to be due to an attack of hookworm disease which he suffered some two years ago. Six months ago Peaden noticed the hardening of the muscles of his feet.

Pure seed wheat clear of Johnson grass for sale. J. P. Montgomery, Lesley, Texas. 2c.

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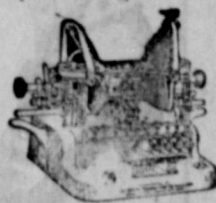
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Kitchen Queen baking powder 25c seller..... at 15c	
Dr. Hughes baking powder 25c seller..... at 15c	
Health Club baking powders 25c seller..... at 20c	
1 dollar bucket coffee for.....	85c
7 bars standard brand soap.....	25c

7 bars fancy toilet soap 25c at.....	15c
4 pkgs. starch.....	25c
7 pkgs. borax washing powder for.....	25c
3 5c sacks salt for.....	10c
Potatoes nice and fine per bushel.....	\$1.60
Best High Patent flour.....	\$3.00
Best vinegar at.....	30c gal.
All syrups at reduced prices.	
18 pounds Navy beans for.....	\$1.00
16 pounds Pinks beans for.....	\$1.00
15 pounds Butter beans for.....	\$1.00
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A. H. Willborn Memphis Texas

PHONE NO. 143

Experiences of a New Daddy.

Thirteen years ago I became a father. Since I entered the list of fathers I have been through great money panics, five fought presidential campaigns, and have seen the popularity with its whiskers and pendulum rise for a brief moment above the horizon and then faded on an air line into oblivion.

On a fatherly look immediately after I became a father and try as hard as I could, I did not hide the fact. I have attempted to disguise my fatherly appearance on several occasions, by trying to enter quietly and modestly into the society of unmarried people, but none of my sex larger and younger than I, would catch on to my fatherly attributes, and I led me in a fox-trot to the back door and then and there I was in a rude, harsh manner that no fathers need apply.

What it is that stamps me as a fatherly look of a full-grown daddy, I have never known, unless it is that kneeled condition of my "breech" and the sad droop of my jaw, which I have unconsciously assumed since becoming a father.

The life of a father is not all filled with sunshine and happiness, and there are times when he wishes for the days of youth when he was as free as a bird that flit from tree to tree.

My first experience as a father was very discouraging, as our baby had the colic every night for two months after it came to our home and it devolved upon me, as its father, to relieve the suffering, by tenderly holding

it in my fatherly arms and walking the floor every night until the morning stars sang together, just like they sang in Job's day. In the six months that our baby suffered from colic I am reasonably sure that I walked the floor in the dark hours of the night at least 1700 miles, and sang "Down Went McGinty" and that other vocal gem, "Cradle In The Tree Top," 8000 times. I don't believe there is a man today on the North American continent that knows as much about colicky babies as I do. One of the strangest things about our baby was that it had the colic only at night. It would sleep like a log or a tired angel all through the day while I was working like a slave to support it and its mother, but just about the time I would put the cat out of the house for the night and stretch out my tired limbs upon the bed for much needed slumber, it would take the colic and yell till I would come forth in my night gown and walk it till I would exhaust my repertoire of profane and sacred songs. My wife seemed to think that I had a constitution equal to a work mule, and would make me walk the floor, sing and whistle to our baby every night, but finally my proud spirit rebelled against such tyranny and one night after I had carried our first born on its stomach some thirty odd miles and had sung and whistled myself down, all at once it occurred to me that the baby had no colic but just wanted to be "toted" around and whistled and sang to.

Just as soon as that idea got into my head, I lost no time in depositing it in its mother's arms, who was fast asleep and had been for the past eight

hours. It lay quiet just long enough for me to get to bed and then let out a yell that awoke my wife with a start. She commanded me to arise in all haste and walk and sing to it; but the worm had at last turned and I informed her that it could squall its head off as far as I was concerned, and if there was any more walking and singing done that night she would do it herself. She took it under her arms and talked to it and told it that its father had a heart of stone and cared nothing for it nor her either.

Just how long she was in quieting the baby I never knew, as I was almost dead for the want of sleep and never awoke till sun-up that morning.

The next day my wife wept softly, every time I came near her, and said I no longer loved her and our poor little baby. I told her that I loved her and the baby with all my heart, but I did not propose to make a pack mule of myself for the baby another night and that I didn't believe it had the colic anyhow, and slept all day in order to make me walk and sing to it of nights.

That wound up our baby's colic and I proceeded to catch up with my sleep.—Pick Ups.

Last of Mabray Gang.

San Antonio, Sept. 15.—Charged with conspiracy in violation of United States postal laws, federal officers tonight arrested in New Braunfels a man named in the warrant as A. L. Whitney, alias Boone Kid, alias Greene B. Morris. He was brought to San Antonio and lodged in the county jail and will have a hearing Friday before the United States commissioner. Whitney is charged with being

one of the Mabray gang which through operating a fake foot-race swindle, secured nearly \$1,000,000 from dupes in various portions of the United States. He is under indictment at Council Bluffs, Iowa, in connection with the swindle. The officers have been searching for him for more than two years.

The federal officers here have been on the trail of Whitney for more than two weeks, but it was not until Thursday that they had him definitely located.

Whitney is last of the gang indicted at Council Bluffs who was still at large. The officers consider the catch of great importance.

A farmer by the name of Higgins living near Mansfield was slugged by a stranger and robbed of \$80. The man had come to the home of the farmer the evening before and asked to pick cotton. The farmer told him that his cotton was short and he had all the pickers he needed. The stranger then was allowed to stay over night. The farmer was going to town early next morning and the stranger started with him. When they came to a convenient place the stranger pulled a pistol and hit Mr. Higgins over the head with it and rendered him unconscious. When he came to himself he saw his team running down the road and noticed that a workman at a dairy had stopped his team. It was also noticed that his purse containing \$80 was also missing. The sheriff and a band of citizens went in pursuit but no clew as to who the guilty party was.

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Bertie Lee Thrasher departed Monday morning for A. & M. College for this coming term.

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The ladies of the Eastern Star held a very interesting meeting last Thursday night in their hall.

Kings fancy and bulk candies at the City Bakery. The best on earth. Give it a trial.

Fred Boswell has sold his crop and with his family have moved to town again. They are living in the A. A. Smith house in North Memphis.

Remember we deliver Chops, Corn, Bran, Dixie Cream, Cotton Seed, Cotton Seed Meal, Alfalfa and Prairie Hay, Chicken-feed Red-cross Flour and Good Coal. Phone Dial's 125. tf.

Edward Kennedy is spending a few days in the city on business. He reports the work on the road on the plains progressing nicely.

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Percy Ware, Tailor
At The Stallings Shop

Fresh shipment of Loos-Wiles candies at City Bakery.

Cotton is dropping into town now at a pretty lively rate.

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Omer Mickle departed Monday for Southwestern University where he will again take up his studies for the term.

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Miss Lula Webster returned home Saturday from Charley, Texas, after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. F. L. Willingham.

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Ask to see the reducing style of corsets at the Famous. We have just received these goods from the New York factory and they are altogether up to date. They have a style and finish not made by any other corset company in America and will be sure to please you.

The Jones & Adams Carriage Works have changed hands this week. Messrs. Sam Massingale and O. K. Webster have purchased the interest of W. A. Henderson and hereafter the firm name will be D. W. Jones Carriage Works.

NEW SILKS

Persian Silks in new designs for waists, 4 yard lengths, at \$4.00
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Felt Hats for little boys 1.50
Bearskin Hats for children 1.50
Fur Turbans for child 1.00
Gray Telescope Hats for boys 1.00
Fancy Wool Hats for child .50
Boys School Hats, various Styles 1.00

SCHOOL SUITS

Boys Knickerbocker Cassimere for \$2.50
Boys School Suits 3.50
Boys Neat Woolen Suits 5.00

SHOES

Men's Dress Shoes, Bench made for \$5.00
Men's Stylish Lasts, Patent Leather 4.00
Men's White House Shoe 3.50
Men's Work Shoes 3.00
Boys Buster Brown Shoes 2.50
Boys School Shoes 2.00
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Ladies \$3.00 Low Shoes choice for 1.75

TRUNKS

Ladies travelling Trunks, made of veneered wood of three thickness, without slats, handsomely bound, \$20.00
Ladies Suit Case, silk lined, with pockets, neat and roomy for \$12.50

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1,000 School Books for all Grades, School supplies and Drawing Paper.

T. R. GARROTT CO.

W. P. Dial has alfalfa and prairie hay for sale.

LOST—Crescent shaped diamond stick pin. \$25 reward will be paid for return of same to R. L. Henderson.

Messrs. Edwin Thompson, C. F. Nelson and C. C. Herd are business visitors in Muscogee, Okla., this week.

WANTED—600 fresh water-melons at once, none to weigh less than 30 pounds 7½ cents on car. BRUMLEY & THRASAER.

Niggerhead Pea Coal \$5.50 per ton, Ludlow Coal \$6.00, at the bin. Try this Coal.

W. P. DIAL. tf.

Miss Jessie Thompson departed Monday night for Trinity University at Waxahachie, where she will enter school for the coming term.

Ladies, Chas. Oren can repair those broken barretts and make them good as new at small cost try him. 50-tf.

DR. COX'S PAINLESS BLISTER

Guaranteed to give satisfaction and blister without pain or your money refunded. For sale by all druggists.

Save money by buying Redross flour. Dial. tf.

F. P. Neeley and family arrived Tuesday night from Olney, Texas, where they have been living several months past. They will go out on the farm of W. H. Neeley near Lesley for the present. Mr. Neeley says prospects looks mighty gloomy down where he has been. He says cotton will make about one bale to every seven acres, and that the feed crop is very short.

Corn meal and chops of the best variety at the Memphis Milling Co. Phone 65. 49-tf.

Band Concert.

The band will give their regular musical concert next Saturday night with a very interesting program made up almost entirely of new music. Following is the program:

- PART I.
1. March, Gloria—Lasey
2. Silver Star Overture—Hazel
3. St. Vitus Dance—Holmes
4. Bohemian Girl—Dalby
PART II.
5. 4th Regt. Band—Morris
6. Sliding Jim—Lasey
7. Medley Overture, (Superba)—Dalby
8. March, The Screamer—Jewell.

Another nice solo has been arranged and will be sang during the evening. Everybody invited. Program begins at 7:45 p. m. Miss Beatrice Swafford will sing "A Bunch of Violets" accompanied by band music arranged by Prof. James.

PROF. PAUL JAMES, Director.

Junior League.

Song, No. 692.
Topic, Pioneers, Matt. 25:34-40
Acts 10:38.
Song 423.
Prayer.
Scripture reference, 1 Corinthians 3:8-10—Maggie Wilson.
James 2:15-16—Hugh Otha French.
Hebrews 6:10—Orvil Headrick.
Thoughts to be emphasized—Joe Mickle.
Talk on the lesson—Fannie Alexander.
Leader—Jerry Mickle.

We are prepared to shoe your horses in the best of style at the D. W. Jones Carriage Works, opposite Cicero Smith Lumber yard. 12-tf.

DR. COX'S BARBED WIRE LINIMENT

D. B. Halcomb and family have just returned from a month's trip down in Taylor county where they went to visit Mrs. Halcomb's parents. They report everything very dry between here and there.

A Talk About Tire Setting.

All over dishd wheel is almost as bad as a loose wheel. We measure all our wheels true to Gauge Insuring accuracy and avoiding too much Dish. The D. W. Jones Carriage Wks. Successor to Jones & Adams

Senior League Program.

Subject Co-operation in the work of the Kingdom of God; 1 Cor. 3.

Prayer.
Responsive Reading. Psalms 47.

Some Privileges to christians by Co-operation—Jet Brumley.

Why it is essential that we first be consecrated to the work—Mr. Smith.

Scripture references—Lenord French.

Information as to the work a Prime Requisite—W. A. Thompson.

Select Reading—Lawrence Richardson.

Quartet.

Leader—D. A. Neely.

The ice cream supper last Saturday night by the Ladies Civic League was fairly well patronized and a nice little sum realized, but they were not patronized as freely as they should have been. These ladies are engaged in one of the most laudible civic enterprises that could be taken up by any civic club, viz, cleaning up the city in every way possible.

They are soon to make another campaign on street cleaning and every cent that they can get hold of is to be expended in this line. Don't forget to lend a helping hand whenever the opportunity presents itself.

B. Y. P. U.

Subject, Jesus as a Preacher. Song.

Prayer.
His first sermon, Mark 6:1-16—Mrs. Spurlin.

His second sermon, Matt. 4:13-17—A. J. Kinard.

His sermon on the Mount, Matt. 5:1-12—Colman Polk.

His sermon on a boat, Luke 5:1-7—Lon Pritchett.

His sermon on the plains, Luke 6:20-31—T. R. Garrott.

His warnings, Matt. 11:20-24—Cecil Raney.

Quotations—Jesus sayings by each one present.

4:30 will be the time of meeting. All come.

Leader—Mrs. Spurlin.

Mrs. A. W. Neal and daughter, Miss Ruby, will return to Memphis between now and the first of October. They will take up a position with the Joe J. Mickle Supply Co. Their many friends will be glad to learn of their return to Memphis.

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



The Rexall Store
The City Drug Store

Coming Home.

Mrs. A. W. Neal and daughter Miss Ruby, have accepted position with the Joe J. Mickle Supply Co. as sales ladies and are returning home. All Memphis and surrounding country rejoice at the return of the good people to our midst, and Miss Mickle Supply Co., are indeed fortunate in securing their services. The high altitude of the Plains country does not agree with Mrs. Neal's health, hence is necessary for her to seek lower climate. Mr. Iglehart and wife will manage the business of Iglehart & Neal Plainview in the future.

Resolutions of Respect in Memory

Mrs. M. L. Raney.

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom called to Her reward our beloved sister Mrs. M. L. Raney September 1, 1910. And whereas, we realize our society has lost one of its most faithful members whose chief delight was in the service of her master.

Be it therefore resolved, That we the Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist church. Trustingly submit to the will of our Heavenly Father and pray that in some way this sorrow shall abound to His glory.

Second, That we extend to the friends and bereaved family our heart felt sympathy.

Resolved third, That a copy of these resolutions be placed in our Aid society's record and a copy be furnished the family.

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