

## A HOME IN HALL COUNTY--THE RECOGNIZED GARDEN SPOT OF TEXAS

### BIG DAY IN MEMPHIS.

People From Other Camp Entertained by the Camp 1091.

Publicly announced... Camp 1091... The degree team... The Childress Camp...

unveiling was carried out and the hospitable way in which the visitors has been treated while in Memphis amply repays us for all expenses incurred on this occasion.

#### Gun Club Shoot.

The local gun club and Messrs. O. E. Sorels and L. I. Wade, representing the Peters Cartridge Co., gave an exhibition shoot Tuesday afternoon.

Sorels... shot at 125... broke 109
Kennedy... 100... 77
Parker... 50... 40
Wade... 125... 114
Slaton... 50... 30
Gamble... 50... 27
Brown... 50... 29
Scruggs... 25... 10
Baskerville... 50... 34
Bost... 50... 25
Fields... 50... 25
Massey... 25... 14
Rawlins... 25... 1
L. Thompson... 25... 17
E. Thompson... 25... 21

#### Famous Show Coming.

Billy Bennett's big famous shows, all new. Bigger and better than ever. Tenfold their former size, numbering some seventy of the world's greatest performers, traveling in their own special train of palace cars and stupendous, spectacular productions of the famous historical western drama, "Daniel Boone," on the trail with many wonderfully trained horses.

J. F. and J. M. Craig returned Saturday from a trip up in the plains country. They report everything dry. Their cousin, J. L. Francis, living west of Silverton in Brisco county returned home with them for a few days visit.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church will have a business and social meeting next Friday night at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thorne.

The brick work on the new Baptist church was started this week and it will now be rushed to completion at an early date.

Mrs. Pierce and son of Hill county are visiting the family of Walter Pierce. They are prospecting in this community.

Mrs. E. E. Ballard and son of Oklahoma are in the city visiting Mrs. Ballard's daughter, Mrs. D. P. Webster.

#### City Street Improvements.

At a meeting of the city council last week it was ordered that concrete crossings be put at all the street crossings at each corner of the square. Mayor Browder with a large force of men is now busily engaged putting in the cross walks.

#### School Bonds Sold.

The school board after some delay and trouble has succeeded in selling the school bonds for the purpose of erecting a brick school building in the east ward.

The bids for the erection of the building will be opened next Friday, Oct. 1. The building will be a one-story brick with five rooms. The work on the building will be pushed along as fast as possible to relieve the congested state of affairs now existing in most of the rooms.

#### Leg Broken.

The little six-year-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McIntush fell from the brake of a wagon which was heavily loaded with corn.

### When Crops Are Marketed



don't keep the money about your person or in your home, or both money and life will be endangered. Put the money into a good bank and pay your bills by check from it.

### The First National Bank

### TO THE FARMERS

We thank you for any patronage you have heretofore given us, and we beg to say that you will find us at the same old stand doing business as before.

We claim several advantages to the farmer over any other ginning system in existence--

- First--A Better Sample
- Second--A Larger Turnout

Then too we are now so fixed that we give every pound of each bale and none is left in the feeders so that every bale samples correctly. We want to buy seed cotton and will give you a long price for any you will sell us.

Very truly yours,

... WHITE & WALKER ...

### ABSTRACT OF TITLE

A complete abstract of Hall County and Memphis. RUSH WORK A SPECIALTY. DUNBAR BROTHERS Phone 206 Office Citizens State Bank

the little fellow was given every possible attention. He was getting along as well as possible at last reports.

#### Edwards-Davis.

Last Friday night at the home of G. L. Tipton in West Memphis occurred the marriage of Mr. John Edwards and Miss Vernie Davis.

The groom is a young man of sterling worth and who will make a loving husband. The bride is one of Memphis' popular young ladies and has practically been reared in Memphis and is loved by all who know her.

#### Goldsmith-Fisher.

Russell Goldsmith and Miss Lou Fisher on last Wednesday evening drove to the home of Rev. H. M. Frank where they were quietly married.

#### Card of Thanks.

Memphis Camp No. 1091 W. O. W. desire to thank all who participated in any way towards making the successful unveiling we had the 26th inst. We thank one and all, the visiting teams, Camps and Sovereigns, also the Childress band, the speakers and the singers.

L. L. FORMAN, C. C. D. H. ARNOLD, Clerk.

J. H. Brumley and Judge R. J. Thorne returned Wednesday of last week from Eastland county where they had been attending court. They lost the case of Brumley vs. Gray and an appeal has been taken.

The local railroad committee have employed H. T. Trigg of Amarillo, to go over the railroad right of way and re-estimate the present grade.

Holes have been dug at the southwest corner of the square for the purpose of putting in an arelight at that corner.

Mrs. J. A. Thompson and daughter, Lenora, left for their home Tuesday in Fort Worth after spending several days in Memphis with her son, W. A. Thompson.

### BRICK SANITARIUM FOR MEMPHIS

Fine Handsome Structure Will Soon Adorn Our Fair City Will be Completed Within Sixty Days.

On last Saturday a deal was closed whereby Dr. C. F. Wilson becomes owner of the quarter block owned by D. H. Arnold and on which stood his old home.

It has been one of Dr. Wilson's chief thoughts for a long time to build a first class institution of this kind for the benefit of the public and to be used by any physician in good standing in the medical profession. The building will have a concrete foundation which is now being put in.

#### Memphis Best Cotton Market in Texas.

Bring your cotton to Memphis where you can get better prices than any place in the Panhandle. You can also dispose of your seed at \$20 per ton right at the gins and save trouble of handling them.

#### Local Market Report.

Butter, per pound	25c
Eggs, per dozen	15c
Chickens, per dozen	\$3.00
Cotton, per hundred	\$13.25
Cotton, Seed per ton	\$20.00

Emmet Mangum of Garza stopped off Saturday on his way home from Amarillo with his friend Marvin Ross.

J. A. BRADFORD, President C. A. CROZIER, Vice-Pres.  
W. B. QUIGLEY, Cashier

### Citizens State Bank

Capital and Surplus \$55,000.00

After January 1, 1910, the deposits of this Bank will be secured by the law governing the State Guarantee Fund. In every respect we are equipped to give our customers thorough, reliable and courteous service. Remember our new location :: :: SOUTHWEST CORNER PUBLIC SQUARE

Citizens State Bank :: Memphis, Texas

### CAPITAL AND CREDIT

are always good friends to the hustler. It lies with you to what extent your capital and credit shall grow. The man with a bank account is paving the way to a solid business system, building his capital and establishing his credit.

### HALL COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

**GREENE**  
HAS IT FOR LESS  
One Price to All

# NEW FALL GOODS

**GREENE**  
HAS IT FOR LESS  
One Price to All

**W**E have just received one of the biggest and best assorted stocks of new fall goods ever shown in Hall county. These goods were bought by our buyer a short time ago in connection with the Perkins Brothers chain of eighteen stores. This combination of stores buys immense quantities of goods for cash at one time, and the savings made by them as well as ourselves is something tremendous.

We are able and in position to take care of your every want in our line. We sell strictly for cash at one price. To do this successfully we realize that we must make the very closest price on every article in our store that we can make. You won't find one article at our store that is marked cheaply and then several that are marked high. You won't have to go through our store for articles that are cheap and then go to some other store to finish your bill on articles on which the price is too high. You will find uniform low prices throughout the store. If you come to Memphis contemplating making a fall bill it will be a pleasure to price you through our store before you buy. We don't fear competition and we know a comparison of our prices with other stores will only be the better for us. If you have been buying your fall goods in other towns because Memphis is a little far distant, it will pay you to come to our store this year even though it takes a day longer to make the trip. We can save you enough money on your purchase to more than repay you for the extra day it will take. Memphis is a good town in which to buy any line of goods and you can't find one in the state that is now better than Memphis in which to buy dry goods, or a better store in Memphis, than ours in which to buy them.

On Bills of \$10 or Over We Will Pay the Freight or Express Charges to Neighboring Railroad

## Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

63 Ladies' Tailored Suits ranging in price from \$10 to... **\$30.00**

Everyone pronounces this line of suits the best fitting, best styles and best values by odds that they have seen. These suits were bought with the Perkins Bros. combination of stores in New York, direct from the manufacturer. The amount of suits bought by these eighteen stores, some of them being city stores, was something enormous and the saving in price a great deal. We are offering for sale ladies suits at as low a price as some merchants can buy them for. We will take pleasure in showing you these suits, we can save you money on them.

Our line of ladies' skirts at from \$3.00 to \$12.50 is very complete. All new styles. We closed out almost completely on summer skirts, nothing to select from but new fall styles.

Our black voile skirts at \$7.50 and \$8.50 are beauties.

10 dozen ladies heatherbloom and imitation heatherbloom petticoats at from 75c to \$3.00. Both plain and embroidered bottoms. We consider this line of petticoats as one of the best values we are showing.

Big line of silk petticoats with plain or embroidered bottoms in blacks and all colors at from \$4.00 to... **\$7.50**



## Men's Clothing Section

Our stock of Men's Clothing is now complete. We carry the following brands:

Kuppenheimer clothing at from \$20 to... **\$30.00**

B. Kuppenheimer & Co. use nothing but guaranteed all wool fabrics of the better grade. If you want the best suit you can buy at any price, buy a Kuppenheimer.

The Heldman "Pile of Style" Clothing at from \$12.50 to \$22.50. This is a popular priced line of clothing and is all that the name implies. The style of these garments are good. The tailoring is perfect and the quality of the goods the best to be had at the prices.

Faller's line of clothing at from \$5.00 to... **\$10.00**

These are undoubtedly the best clothing that money can buy at the price. Our worsted suits at \$7.50 in this grade look like the ones other stores sell you at \$12.50.

12 dozen ladies' tailored waists in silks, nets, and wash fabrics in blacks and all colors, nearly any color you can ask for. The prices range from 75c to... **\$6.50**



## Hosiery Values that Are Good Ones

If there is a better hose on the market retail at 25c than the Pony Knit Hose, we have never seen it. They are knit to fit and fit to wear.

- Ladies' heavy and light weight black and colors at... 25 and 50c
- Men's medium weight fancies black and solid colors at... 25c
- Children's extra heavy ribbed and fine ribbed at... 25c
- Good grade of ladies', children's, infant's and men's hose in the well known Dixie brand at pr... 8c and 12c
- Men's light weight gray sox at, pr... 5c

## Staple Goods

All kinds of staple cotton goods have advanced in price very materially within the past sixty days, but we anticipated our want along this line sometime before the advance and as a consequence we have a big stock of all kinds of domestics, gingham, cotton checks etc., that were bought at the low prices. We are going to sell them at the same price as before the advance. On some articles on cotton goods we are making you the same price as we would have to pay to replace them.

- Good yard wide heavy C canvas at... 4c
- Good yard wide LL brown domestic at... 5c
- Good Sea Island brown domestic, very smooth finish, yd... 6c
- Good yard wide bleached domestic... 6c
- Hope, Gold Medal and Lonsdale Green Ticket domestics at... 10c
- Knights Cambric, yd... 10c
- Red Seal Book-fold Zephyr Gingham at... 10c
- Good heavy grade of Shirting, yd... 7c
- Black Spanish Hickory Shirting in brown or blue... 10c
- Dependon Outing—the best and heaviest on the market, yd... 10c
- Lighter weight outings in all colors at... 8c, 7c and 6c
- Heavy Battle Ax Canton Flannel... 10c
- Good Cotton Checks and Good Apron Check Gingham at... 5c

## Values in Boys' Clothing Department

Phil Walcoffs & Company's line of Indestructible boy's knee clothing at from \$1.50 to \$3.00 is the neatest, best made and the best selling line in America. The full suit is made with linen taped seams, best linings, and lined with linen. The patterns, which bought early when the line was complete, are very tasty.

If your boy is hard on clothing, buy an "INDESTRUCTIBLE," they are all the name implies.

## Notions

- Good Hair Pins roll... 1c
- Good safety pins, 2 papers for... 5c
- Beats all lead pencils, 3 for... 5c
- Good rubber tipped lead pencils at... 1c
- Big thick Jumbo school tablets at... 5c
- Good Talcum Powder, can... 5c
- Men's violet and borated Talcum powder at... 15c
- Boss Ball thread, ball... 1c
- Good pearl buttons, 2 doz. for... 5c
- Good Iron Pins, per paper... 1c
- Good Duck Gloves, 3 pair for... 25c
- Dust Goggles, per pair... 10c

## Shoes for the Whole Family

We handle the following lines of shoes:

Duttenhofer Ladies' Fine Shoes, Packard Men's Fine Shoes, Barley and Stephens' Boys' "Tuf-Nut" Shoes and our general line is the well known Star Brand.

We don't handle a shoe of any kind that is not made of solid leather throughout. A comparison of our shoes quality and prices is all that we ask. We have good shoes and the prices are low. We can fit you in any style you want, from the cheapest to the highest priced.



## Hats

Buckskin Felt Hats at popular price **\$1.00 to \$3.00**

hasn't a superior. We have a big stock of them in all shapes. Our Young Men's Buckskin Felt Special novelty hats in all styles, colors and colors at \$1.95 are as good as other hats charge you \$3.00 for.

A full line of Stetson's at **\$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00**

## New Fall Dress Goods

**\$1.00** At this price we are showing a big line of wool taffetas, chiffon, panamas, novelty stripes and checks in all colors. We have a strong line of these goods at this price and it will pay you to look at it before buying. We will sell you goods at \$1.00 that you often pay \$1.25 for and sometimes \$1.50.

**50c** We are especially strong in wool goods in 36-inch widths at this price. We can supply almost any want you may have in this price woolen goods.

At **35c, 25c, 20c and 15c** we are showing all of the creations in novelty cotton goods. Some of them can hardly be distinguished from the woolen goods, they are just as serviceable. If you want a cheap, neat looking dress let us show you this line.

Remember our goods are all marked in plain figures, we have one price to all, our prices are the lowest—don't take our word for it—come and see for yourself. Our goods are all new—we haven't a lot of old plunder to show you. We want your business and if good goods and low prices are any inducement, we will get it.

# GREENE DRY GOODS COMPANY

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

"ONE PRICE TO ALL"

MEMPHIS, TEXA

**THE DEMOCRAT**  
Every Wednesday at  
HALL CO., TEXAS

**HERD & BRUMLEY**  
PUBLISHERS

Editor  
Associate

**D. C. TIME TABLE**

Abound.....	7:15 p. m.
Abound.....	8:20 a. m.
Abound.....	9:05 a. m.
Abound.....	8:53 p. m.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**

Intellectual storms of last night passed over the East and Lower Mississippi doing great damage and loss of lives.

Reports are true it will not long until the people of the country can see their loved ones by the telephone while talking to them. A convict has discovered a wonderful invention. It is simple in mechanism, will not make the mechanic until he has obtained the same which he has ap-

**JOHN A. JOHNSON**, three elected democratic governor of Minnesota, passed peacefully Tuesday of last week a brave fight with death following an operation a few days ago. Gov. Johnson was one of the nation's most brainy men and had made a strong record as president of the United States in 1912.

Randall County News hands last Friday. Edrell Bellie, the paper to Needham of Washington. A Mr. Christman of Washington will assume the management. Mr. Terrell is not sure as to whether he will enter newspaper business again.

**THE INCOME TAX.**

Income Tax is necessary in the present time, and has been for the past twenty years, one of our national systems of taxation, because through the income tax is afforded the best means of reaching the property which, in part, escapes under the present system of Government financing.

There are numerous objections to the methods of enforcing the income tax, which methods necessarily disagreeable to the taxpayer. It is also true that the forms and methods of paying taxes are attended with disagreeable circumstances.

Man with an income of five hundred or one hundred thousand dollars per annum ought to favor of the income tax, and perfectly willing to pay to the government in a most cheerful manner, a percentage of an income, which he only secures through the protection of a wise and beneficent government.

Of the ill-feeling and the feeling which exists in this country, is due to the popular belief that the burden of Government falls in unfair proportions on the backs of the poor, of all men, least able to bear the burden.

The Income Tax is not so easily understood as are taxes on mortgages, real estate and other forms of personal property. It is a tax far more than most taxes, because it proposes to tax the individual in accordance with his ability to bear the cost of government, and in that sense is intended to be equitable. Personally, I am in favor of a graduated income tax, and I go so far as to believe that fully ten or fifteen percent, of large incomes should be paid over to the Commonwealth and the Government, thus greatly reducing the burden of taxation now borne by people of small incomes. The so-called "middle class" consumer, who finds himself outraged by the Aldrich bill, must not forget that the principal excuse for the Aldrich Bill rested in the cry that the Government must have more revenue. Now, that we have reached the point of a billion dollar Congress, it follows that when tariff taxes on imports are almost prohibitory against certain lines of goods, the importers fall off; and the revenues are reduced and thus the Government is driven to adopt other

means of raising national revenues. There is no denying the fact that the Income Tax aims to tax those best able to bear the burdens of Government.

A curious, yet a not entirely unusual circumstance in politics, was the act of a Republican Congress, taking out of the National Democratic Platform of 1909, the Income Tax Plank, and adopting that plank actually as its own, and the reading of that plank is peculiarly interesting at this time. "We favor an income tax as part of our revenue system, and we urge the submission of a constitutional amendment specifically authorizing Congress to levy and collect a tax upon individual and corporate incomes to the end that wealth may bear its proportionate share of the burdens of the Federal Government."

There is little doubt, but that all of the Southern States will adopt the amendment. At the present time the Democracy of Georgia is reactionary, but our opinion is that there is much popular discussion relative to the action of the Legislature in postponing the vote on the amendment, and the real Democrats of Georgia are contrasting the betrayal of the National Platform with the unanimous resolution of both Houses of the adjoining State of Alabama, voting for the amendment of the Constitution. The twelve Pacific Coast and Intermountain States will vote almost unanimously for the amendment. The battle will be lively in such States as Illinois, Indiana and Ohio, where special interests are very well entrenched, but the fight will be the hardest and severest for friends of the income tax, in the State of New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey and in the New England States as well. But, I believe that a growing popular sentiment will within two or three years, at the outside, bring the State Legislatures of the East into line with the progressive Democratic sentiment of the West and the South.

By Ex-Mayor James K. McGuire of Syracuse, N. Y.

**Beaty Willis.**

On Wednesday evening at 5:30 Dr. S. E. Burkhead, in his usual impressive manner, spoke the solemn words which joined the lives of Mr. Alex Beaty and Miss Ollie Virginia Willis, only a few of the bride's most intimate friends being present. After the ceremony a two-course luncheon was served, after which those present spent some time in wishing the newly married couple God's speed on their journey through life.

Mr. Beaty is a young man, who by his straight forward honesty of purpose wins friends easily and, although hardly any of those present knew him before the ceremony, all felt after they had become acquainted with him that he was worthy of the sweet christian girl he had won for a life companion.

Miss Willis has lived in Clarendon a number of years, having taught in the public school here, and is so well known that it is hardly necessary to say anything further about her other than that she deserves all the pleasure that life can possibly hold for her.

The Times is joined by a host of Miss Willis' friends in wishing for she and her husband every joy of married life. May their barque of life ever drift on a placid sea, whose waves break upon a land of pleasure the rippling waves of wedded life being to them the one grand chord—perfect love—in the symphony of bliss.

The newly wedded couple left Wednesday night for their new home at Dallas.—Clarendon Times.

**Hall County Boost.**

Miles, Texas, Sept. 25, 09.  
Mr. W. A. Walker, Memphis Texas.

Kind sir and friend we have just got back home. Traveled over sixteen counties and truthfully say we like Hall county better than any thing we saw. Our land is on the market and if we can sell we will ship to Memphis. Say I would like very much for you to send me your county paper for about three months and I will make it all right with you. Hoping to receive papersoon.  
Your friend,  
J. D. Perkins.

Drop in our store during our Majestic Demonstration Week, beginning Oct. 4 and let us show you why the Great and Grand Majestic Range is the best on earth. A Souvenir Set of Ware, worth \$5.00, given with every Majestic Range sold.  
HARRISON-HEADRICK HDW. CO.

**Wertheimer Swarts Shoes**

These shoes have proven satisfactory in every respect. We have a full line of them at reasonable prices.

**HEADLIGHT OVERALLS**

This Overall is made full size, of the very best grade of Demin and Guaranteed Not to Rip. Get you a pair

We have just received an assortment of Gingham, Percals, Prints, etc. Come in we can fix you up.

**GROCERIES**

Are arriving daily. This makes our stock new and fresh. We handle nothing but the best

Silver Crescent Coffee 3 lb Bucket	\$1.10
African Java per pound	25c
Peaberry Coffee per pound	25c
Good Bulk Coffee per pound	20c

**FLOUR**

Anchor Flour per sack	\$1.60
Maude Muller per sack	\$1.75
Wapco per sack	\$2.00

A car of Excellence and White Swan Flour coming. We can meet any price out.

Respectfully,  
**Memphis Supply Co.**

**Memphis Land Co.**

Can sell you  
**Farms, Ranches**  
or **City Property**

On Easy Terms  
**CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED**  
**BRUMLEY BROTHERS, Managers**

G. M. Bush John A. Bush  
**G. M. BUSH & SON**  
Memphis, Texas  
**REAL ESTATE and LOAN AGENTS**  
Fire and Tornado Insurance  
Money loaned on farms and ranches.  
Office up stairs in Mickle Building MEMPHIS, TEXAS

**UPPER RED RIVER VALLEY LANDS IN HALL COUNTY**

180,000 acres Shoe-Bar Ranch Land, selling rapidly, in any size tracts to suit purchaser, at from \$12.50 to \$25 per acre. Two-fifths cash, balance in five equal annual payments, at 8 per cent

Office in Hall County National Bank  
**GRUNDY BROS., Memphis, Texas**

**Brumley & Sons**

This is the style of the firm now doing business in the old stand of Brumley & Lofland on the east side of the square, and they wish to announce to their old customers and the public that they will always keep the freshest and brightest stock of groceries that is possible to keep. Courteous treatment to all, and prompt delivery will be made of goods to all parts of the city. Fresh vegetables will be handled at all times. They solicit a share of your trade. Give them a trial. Phone 281. Respectfully

**Brumley & Sons**

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.

**COURT DIRECTORY.**

**COURT MEETING.**  
District court meets First Mondays in May and December.  
County court convenes on Third Mondays in January, April, July and October.  
Justice court meets First Saturday in each month.  
Commissioners court every three months beginning 2nd, Monday in Feb.

**DISTRICT OFFICERS.**  
S. P. Huff, District Judge.  
Harry Mason, District Attorney.  
S. G. Alexander, District Clerk.

**COUNTY OFFICERS**  
T. R. Phillips, County Judge.  
T. J. Rich, County Attorney.  
Lon Burson, Sheriff and Tax Collector.

S. G. Alexander, County Clerk.  
C. R. Webster, Tax Assessor.  
F. A. Hudgins, Treasurer.  
W. A. Thompson, County Surveyor

**COMMISSIONERS.**  
C. W. Broome, No. 1, Memphis  
T. N. Baker, No. 2, Lakeview.  
Joe McIntyre, No. 3, Estelline.  
S. H. Lacy, No. 4, Turkey.

**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.**  
B. F. King, Precinct No. 1.  
**CITY OFFICERS.**  
D. Browder, Mayor.  
F. M. Trapp, City Marshal.  
J. H. Read, Secretary.  
J. W. Noel, Treasurer.

**ALDERMEN.**  
Ward 1 { J. G. Brown,  
W. T. Reed.  
Ward 2 { W. H. Wallace,  
A. L. Thrasher.  
Ward 3 { A. W. Read,  
A. Baldwin.  
Ward 4 { F. J. Goffinet,  
John Dennis.

**Church Directory.**  
**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**—Rev Howard M. Frank, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m., and 7:00 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Ladies' Aid meets on Thursday after the third Sunday of each month at 3:30 p. m. Ladies' Missionary Society meets on Thursday after the first Sunday at 3:30 p. m. Choir meets for practice every Friday night.

**METHODIST CHURCH**—Rev. Robt. B. Bonner, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Joe J. Mickle, superintendent; Home Department, Mr. T. B. Norwood, Superintendent; Cradle roll, Mrs. W. D. Morgan, superintendent. Junior Epworth League meets Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m., Mrs. R. B. Bonner, superintendent; Senior Epworth League meets at 5 p. m., W. D. Morgan, president. Business meeting and social gathering every 4th Friday night. Woman's Home Mission Society meets at 3 p. m. every second and fourth Monday; Woman's Foreign Mission Society at 4 p. m. every first Monday.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**—Rev. W. L. Head, 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.

**Lodge Directory.**

**MEMPHIS COMMANDRY**  
No. 50, K. T., meets in Masonic Hall on the fourth Monday night of each month. Visiting Sir Knights welcome.  
D. H. ARNOLD, Em. Com.  
J. HENRY READ, Secretary.

**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. III  
D. H. ARNOLD, Secretary.

**MEMPHIS CHAPTER**, No. 220, R. A. M., meets in Masonic Hall on the Saturday night after full moon. Visiting Companions are welcome.  
J. M. ELLIOTT, H. P.  
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. F. DUNBAR, W. M.  
CHAS. WEBSTER, Secretary.

**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.  
C. L. SLOAN, W. M.  
P. M. BENNETT, Secretary.

**MEMPHIS CHAPTER**, No. 351, O. E. S., meets in Masonic Hall on the second Friday night in each month. Visiting brothers and sisters are welcome.  
Mrs. ETHEL E. TAGGART, W. M.  
MISS FRANKIE TAYLOR, 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 first and third Friday nights. Visiting Neighbors are welcome.  
C. T. PALMER, Consul.  
A. P. BUNCH, Clerk.

M. W. 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 Praetorians, meets every Thursday night in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting Praetorians 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. 1091, meets on the second and fourth Saturday nights of each month in Woodman Hall. Visiting Sovereigns are welcome.  
L. L. FOREMAN, C. C.  
C. N. HEADRICK, 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.  
W. T. CROW, 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.  
W. H. YOUNGBLOOD, C. C.  
J. E. DAWSON, Clerk.

**MEMPHIS LODGE**, No. 444, I. O. O. F., meets in I. O. O. F. Hall every Tuesday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.  
W. F. CUNNINGHAM, N. G.  
W. D. ORR, Secretary.

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

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

**NEWLIN LODGE**, No. 673, I. O. O. F., meets in Newlin I. O. O. F. hall every Thursday night. Visiting brothers are welcome.  
C. N. WARD, N. G.  
L. M. CARDWELL, Secretary

**ESTELLINE LODGE**, No. 497, I. O. O. F., meets in Estelline I. O. O. F. hall every 2nd and 4th Monday night in Estelline I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting members are welcome.  
C. N. WARD, N. G.  
L. M. CARDWELL, Secretary

\$50,000

# Big Bankrupt Sale

\$50,000

## At Memphis, Texas



### A Fifty Thousand Dollar Stock

of Fall and Winter Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Furnishing Goods, Ladies' and Children's Cloaks, Ladies' Suits, Dresses, Skirts, Blankets, Comforts and in fact everything that is carried in a general stock of Dry Goods, was bought by us for 35 cents on the dollar at the Great Bankrupt Sale of Levi Strause & Co., and we have shipped it to this place to close out at half-price as soon as possible. Note a few prices below and bear in mind that this entire stock must be closed out regardless of price and that it will pay you to come for miles to buy your Fall and Winter needs.

#### Men's Clothing Department

In this stock will be found nothing but the best brands, consisting of Stein-Bloch and Alco, and at the prices you can buy them will astonish you.

- Our \$7.50 line of Men's Suits at **\$3.98**
- Our \$10.00 line of Men's Suits at **\$5.98**
- Our \$12.50 line of Men's Suits at **\$7.38**
- Our \$15.00 line of Men's Suits at **\$9.98**
- Our \$20.00 line of Men's Suits at **\$11.98**
- Our \$25.00 line of Men's Suits at **\$13.98**

and all other Clothing at same rate.

#### Shoes for Men, Women and Children

We must say that this is the largest and best stock of Shoes ever bought at a bankrupt sale, consisting of the very best brands and the largest part of them this season's styles. Some of the cases have never been opened. Such brands as the Beacon and J. P. Smith's for Men; Utz & Dunn, Selby & Friedman and Shelby for Women and Children. And if we can't suit you and fit you out of this stock, it will be useless for others to try. Bear in mind they must be sold regardless of price.

#### Staples

All Calicos at 4c yard ten yards to a customer.  
 Bleached Domestic, 7-8 yd. wide, worth 8 1-3c, at 5c, 10 yd. to a Customer.  
 Bleached Domestic, full yd., worth 10c, at 7 1-2c, 10 yd. to a Customer.  
 L L Unbleached Domestic, worth 7 1-2c, at 5c yd., 10 yd. to a Customer.  
 Standard C Domestic, worth 5c, at 3 1-2c yard, as much as you want.  
 Full line of Fall Dress Gingham, worth 10 and 12 1-2c, at 7 1-2c yard.  
 A good, heavy Unbleached Cotton Flannel, worth 10c, at 7 1-2c yard.

#### Ladies' Woolen Dress Goods

In this line we are unusually strong in all the latest fabrics, weaves, shades, etc.

- Our entire line of \$1.25 and \$1.50 grades go at **85c**
- Our entire line of 90c and \$1.00 grades go at **60c**
- Our entire line of 65 and 75c grades go at **45c**
- Our entire line of 40 and 50c grades go at **30c**

and others in proportion.

Sale begins **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1st.**  
**First Come, First Served**



SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

This Sale will positively commence **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1st**, on the south side of the square at Memphis, Texas, and will continue until this entire stock is closed out.

WATCH FOR THE BIG SIGN OF CHEAP TIMES

**J. W. Hill Dry Goods Co.**

South Side Square, Memphis, Texas

\$50,000



## \$50 Local Happenings

### Items of Interest About Town and County

Read the Democrat.

Attorney H. E. Deaver is attending court in Amarillo this week.

Just in, a fresh shipment of Queen of the Pantry flour at W. K. Hollifields. 51-tf.

I make a specialty of hurry-up repairs. V. R. Jones, the Watchmaker and Engraver. 51-tf.

FARMERS, don't forget to bring in your farm products to be put on display during carnival week.

Everything for the "Exclusive dressers" at Stallings Bros. Let us show you. West side square.

R. G. Alexander is now employed at Wheat & Jones feed store where he will be glad to greet his many friends.

Read the large bankrupt ad of J. W. Hill Dry Goods Co., in this issue. They are just opening up this week on the south side.

W. L. Risch has bought the interest of W. C. Morris in the blacksmith shop and will here after conduct the business in his own name.

The Pioneer Mercantile Company are making exceptionally low prices on ladies and gents summer underwear. Quality the best and prices the lowest.

### Johnsey & Foreman

Contractors and Builders

Estimates and Plans furnished. Shop located on West Noel street, one-half block west of Public Square. Give us a trial.

### PLUMBING

C. C. Herd can do the work. Sanitary Plumbing and Heating a specialty. Estimates furnished free. All work guaranteed. Call on me

Dr. J. W. Greenwood came in Tuesday morning from Itasca and other points down in Texas. He will probably leave today for the upper plains country on business.

If you want a good cigar, try some of the fresh line of pure Havana cigars at the Randal Drug Co. They will suit your taste and you will be a regular patron always.

The price of cotton reached the very high price of 14 cents per pound at Coleman, Texas, last Saturday. It would not surprise us if the 15 cent mark was reached within the next few days.

Dr. C. M. Mickle of Childress, made a brief business trip in Memphis Friday with his brothers, J. J. and J. W. Mickle. Mrs. Mickle, mother of these gentlemen, returned to Childress with the doctor.

W. W. Thomas who has been visiting with C. M. Buttrill for a few days, departed Friday for Tulsa and the upper plains country on a prospecting trip with a view of locating somewhere in the printing business.

Rev. J. T. Upchurch of Arlington, with his band of singers representing the Berachah home at Arlington was in Memphis Saturday night and Sunday preaching and selling literature in the interest of the rescue home at Arlington.

A bale of cotton was marketed Friday by Mr. Day living on the W. H. Wallace farm which topped the market at \$13.15. Memphis is paying the full market price for cotton this year and in several instances they have paid more than the limit.

The cottage prayer meeting held on Monday night at the home of R. Y. Long was an inspiring service, a goodly number were present. The response were enthusiastic and there were two requests for prayer. The east side praymeeting has been running for several weeks. It meets next Tuesday night with Mrs. Hawkins.

# COOK AND PEARY



Cook and Peary each claim equal honors, so far as discovering the North Pole is concerned; but there is no dispute that we are in a position to offer you better merchandise for less money than you can get elsewhere.

Our store is devoted solely to Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Goods and we can save you from \$1.50 to \$5.00 on your suit, and \$1.50 to \$2.50 on your hat, so come here for your suit and hat.

For this week only, we are going to make special prices on Silk Petticoats, prices that will make them all stop and take notice.

\$10.00 Silk Petticoats	\$8.00
9.50 Silk Petticoats	7.50
8.50 Silk Petticoats	6.50
7.50 Silk Petticoats	5.50
7.00 Silk Petticoats	5.00
5.00 Silk Petticoats	3.50

We advertise what we can do, and do what we advertise. Come and let us make you some prices on Fall Goods.



## NEAL & IGLEHART

"THE STORE WITH THE GOODS"

## If Its Stylish, We Have It



Stylish Clothes always to be found at our store. Best prices, best fits and the largest assortment of samples to select from. Call in and let us show you. Courteous treatment to all.

We keep your suit or overcoat looking nice by pressing them once a week absolutely free if you order from us. Give us a trial and you will be convinced.

We also carry the latest shapes and style in Hats, Ties, Shirts and Hosiery.



## STALLINGS BROS.

EXCLUSIVE GENT'S FURNISHERS AND TAILORS West Side of Square, Memphis, Texas

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

Brumley & Sons want all your eggs and will pay 20 cents per dozen for same.

See our new line of fall and winter dress goods just arriving. PIONEER MERCANTILE CO.

Sox of all kind from 10c to 50c at Stallings Bros. west side square.

If you want pure and fresh groceries phone 281. Brumley & Sons.

38 for Dalmatian

Subscribe for the Democrat for 1909.

Go to White & Walker for good sample, good turnout and close ginning. 12-2

Mr.

## LADIES' COAT SUITS

A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF THESE UP-TO-DATE GARMENTS, ALSO A NICE LINE OF MILLINERY CALL AND SEE US

LEWIS & MARSHALL NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE MEMPHIS : : TEXAS

6060



# Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

G. A. CROZIER, Manager

It Pays to See Us

-- before --

You Place Your Bill

Nigger Head Coal

**Lumber, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Lath, Shingles**

## The Home Circle Column

PLEASANT EVENING REVERIES

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

Crude Thoughts From The Editorial Pen

Remember no thought, no word, no act ever dies.

There is sunshine enough in the world to warm all.

The way to help people is not so much being good to them as being good with them, a sort of co-operative kindness.

There are some men who make it a point to treat every other man's wife well but their own have smiles to all but their kindred.

The influence which you start today in the home, the neighborhood, or the social circle, be it ever so small, will roll forward through the ages, growing wider and deeper and stronger with every passing hour, and blighting or blessing as it rolls.

In unity there is strength. This is never more true than in the home. A home strong to meet adversity and the most adverse circumstances in life is where there is union of hearts and union of hands. There will be joy in such a home despite dark days and peace despite the turmoils of life.

### INDOLENCE AND HOME.

Indolence is an enemy to home. Some men are too lazy to provide decent conveniences at home. It is a crime against the happiness of the home for a man to neglect to provide the little conveniences that will add to the beauty and comfort of the home. Say, brother, take out that old mildewed pillow and put in a pane of glass, it is too painful as it is. Climb up then and put the bricks on the chimney where the storm of last winter blew them off. Put a carpet on the floor and a few pictures on the wall. Put some good books on the shelves, and give your family a paper or two to read. Study to make yourself useful, and to rob home of its bleakness, by providing things that add to its comfort and brightness. Make the children feel that home is a Paradise in which the thrushes of love ever sing high up in the clear blue sky of the humble heart and you will have no fear of turning out thieves and harlots in years to come.

### KEEPING HOUSE FOR ONE'S OWN COMFORT.

He was wise who wrote: "Half the sting of poverty or of small means is gone when one keeps house for one's own neighbors." Deny it as we will, few of us have the moral force to set up a standard of our own, based upon our own incomes and our own particular home environments. We commit the folly of regulating our expenses by the income of some one else. If the Browns across the street hang up expensive lace curtains, we are discontented until lace curtains have gone up to our windows, no matter how much smaller our income may be than that of the Browns. If the Smiths put down a velvet carpet, our neat and pretty ingrain becomes an eye sore to us. We are extremely mindful of what our neighbors will think about many things that ought not to concern them in the least. We have no standard of our own. Our dress and even our tables must be regulated by the standard of others. We have not the courage nor the independence to be indifferent to the comment of our neighbors. This form of moral cowardice is causing many families to live beyond their incomes. They can face debt and forfeit their self-respect easier than they can face the comment of their neighbors. The ex-

much happiness in its train. It is frequently the direct cause of the discord and discontent and debt that have driven happiness from the family hearth-stone. Let us have a standard of our own, based upon our own tastes, our own incomes, our own needs and let us cheerfully and bravely adhere to this standard, heedless of that dreadful bugbear: "What will the neighbor say?"

### THE BENEFIT OF CHANGE.

One of the worst foes of human life is monotony. The whole human being, body and soul, rebels against it. After long residence in one place the blood begins to run sluggishly; the appetite fails, the mind becomes dull and the feelings stupefied. Mind and body act and react upon one another. Every physician recognizes the value of change, not only the change of air and diet, but change of surroundings, as a medicine for the sick. Change of scene stimulates the mind and heart to activity, and these reacting on the body rouse it to greater vitality and effort, until the whole system is renovated.

It is the mother of a household whose life is chiefly threatened by monotony. She stays at home. She is always in the house seeing the same things, hearing the same voices, doing the same work day after day, with endless regularity. The demands upon her time and strength and love and patience are increasing, and the wonder is that she does not break down more frequently than is actually the case. The fact occurs too often, and in such cases an ounce of prevention is worth many pounds of cure.

When mother begins to look hollowed and weary; when she wakes in the morning unrefreshed to drag through a weary day, then is the time to send her away, if only for a short while. Of course she will object. There is the sewing to be done, the preserves to attend to, and besides it is impossible to leave the children and equally impossible to take them with her. Don't listen to her objections. She has reached the point where she is too exhausted to plan and carry out such an undertaking herself. If she could plan it she would not need it. But let her husband, whom she has served so faithfully, or the oldest daughter, to whom she has given her life, arrange all matters, so she can leave home with her heart at ease about the children. Call in some relative or friend to help to stay with the little ones, and send the dear, tired mother as far away from home as it is possible to get her, and keep her away until she is strong again in nerves and body.

### LAKEVIEW LEAKLETS.

Cotton picking is the order of the day now.

Bro. Upton left Sunday for Brice where he will conduct a meeting this week.

Mr. Beck has gone to his old home in Arkansas.

Messrs. George and Woodson White are prospecting in Wheeler county.

Quite a crowd from here attended the unveiling at Memphis Sunday.

Misses Cora Beck and Effie Bragg were shopping in Memphis Tuesday.

There is a new Baptist parsonage under construction now. Our town is growing nicely.

Misses Tesse and Ella Durham have returned from a visit with relatives at Goodnight.

Mrs. Beulah Crossing of Hewitt, Okla. is visiting her mother, Mrs. Weber, at this place.

## BRYAN REFUSES TO DEBATE

Telegram States Bryan Will Not Consider Debate Unless Bailey Asks It.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 25.—A telegram from W. J. Bryan, who was at Vail's Station, Ariz., today, stated:

"I am endeavoring to secure a Democratic majority in the next Congress, and I propose a tentative platform which I ask Democratic candidates to accept, reject or amend. Believing that a debate would tend to turn attention from the issue to individuals, I prefer separate meetings and shall not consider a joint meeting unless Senator Bailey makes a personal request for it."

This telegram was sent by telegraph to Senator J. W. Bailey this evening. A reply had not been received late tonight.

Early this morning Mr. Bryan's message was forwarded to Senator Bailey, who replied from Gainesville:

"Your telegram received. While I believe a joint debate would promote a better understanding of the free raw material question, I am not willing to put myself in the attitude of insisting upon Mr. Bryan engaging in one when he says it would tend to defeat the election of a Democratic majority to the next Congress. I can not forbear, however, from saying that Mr. Bryan's demand that the Democratic party of Texas shall reverse its position on the tariff will tend to divide rather than harmonize the party in this State, and if it produces any effect in Texas, it will result in a Democratic loss rather than in a Democratic gain."

Senator Bailey was invited to address a separate meeting here on Monday, but answered that since the joint debate had been declined, he would defer coming to El Paso.

### Notice.

I want two large families to cultivate 250 or 300 acres each. They must have good teams and implements. I have 4 room houses, cisterns, wells, storm houses and barns, good land and grass for all work stock and milch cow. Address me at Memphis, Texas, tf.

J. Q. DURHAM.

Come and see the great cooking wonder at our store all next week. You have a chance to get a Souvenir Set of Ware Free. See large advertisement in this paper.

HARRISON HEADRICK HDW. CO.

Sam Houston has resigned his position with the A. R. & E. P. Ry. and left Friday night for A. & M. college where he will take up his studies in Civil Engineering.

## W. T. REED DRAYMAN

All kinds of hauling and transferring. Special attention given to the moving of pianos and safes. This is the man for you to get if you want good service, phone 114. I will appreciate anything you may do for me.

I handle the best Maitland coal.

W. T. Reed, Drayman

## J. B. JENKINS

Successors to A. L. Thrasher

We now have charge of the old shop of A. L. Thrasher and want the public to come in and give us a call. We do any and all kinds of blacksmith and woodwork and have competent help in each department. Each and every piece of our work guaranteed. We also have with us Mr. H. H. Wilkins, a first class horse-shoer, who will work on your horses feet and keep them in their natural shape and fit the shoes to the natural foot and not draw the hoof to suit the shoe. His work is guaranteed by us. Give us a trial and be convinced.

Respectfully

.. J. B. JENKINS ..

## DELICIOUS FOOD FOR CHILDREN



that are either sick or well you will find pure and delicately flavored ice cream to be. For the dyspeptic, the dainty appetite, or for entertaining at dinner or in the evening our ice cream is both food and refreshment. Better phone us your order today. Prompt delivery.

TELEPHONE NO. 240

## The MEMPHIS BOTTLING WORKS

## Bradford Grocery Co.

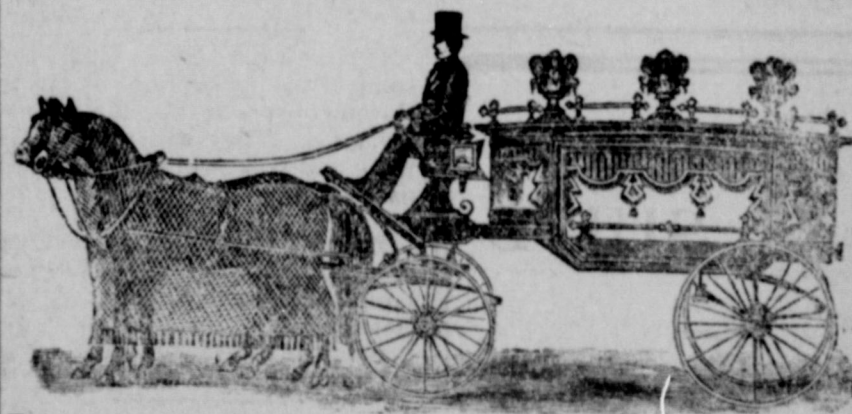
We wish to announce to the public and our old customers that we have disposed of our entire interest in the Pioneer Mercantile Co., and we now have charge of the grocery department and will be glad to meet all our old customers and the public general in our same old stand on north side of square next to First National Bank. We will keep a new and fresh stock of groceries on hand at all times and we can accommodate responsible customers on thirty days accounts. We have the high-grade Belle of Wichita Flour and Golden Gate Coffees and Spices. Give us a trial. We are yours to please.

## Bradford Grocery Comp'y MEMPHIS, TEXAS

## MORIS & RISCH General Blacksmiths and Woodworkers

We guarantee all our work to be satisfactory or no pay required. All we ask is a trial

Horseshoeing and Carriage Repairing a Specialty



## FURNITURE, COFFINS and CASKETS

## WELCH BROS. South Side Square.....

Day Phone 158 Night Phone 218

## AS YOU EMPTY THE BASKET



of groceries we send you, your housewife's heart will glow with pleasure and pride. Pride in the high quality of our groceries, pleasure in our low prices which enable you to afford the best. TRY US ON GROCERIES you know most about. That will be a test of our ability to serve you better at less cost than others. We are confident that your first order will prove so satisfactory that you'll rely on us for all your groceries hereafter.

## W. K. Hollifield & Co. The Exclusive Grocer Phone No. 147

LET THE DEMOCRAT DO YOUR JOB PRINTING WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

## PROFESSIONAL

DR. J. W. ... PHYSICIAN AND ... Office northeast corner ... Phone: Office 187, MEMPHIS, TENN.

Dr. C. F. Wilson, DRS. WILSON ... PHYSICIANS AND ... Office West Side of ... MEMPHIS

DR. J. M. B. ... PHYSICIAN AND ... Residence Phone ... OFFICE NORTH SIDE OF ... Memphis

NEWTON H. BOW ... Practice limited ... Eye, Ear, Nose and ... Telephone No. ... MEMPHIS

DR. H. N. W. ... PHYSICIAN AND ... RESIDENCE PHONE ... OFFICE PHONE ... OFFICE OVER C. M. ... DRUG STORE ... MEMPHIS

DR. W. S. G. ... Physician and Surgeon ... Office with Dr. J. D. ... Office Phone 76 ... MEMPHIS

DR. T. H. E. ... Phys.ian and Surgeon ... Phone No. 58 ... Office over Randal ... Memphis, Tenn.

DR. J. Q. DUR ... Physician and Surgeon ... Office West Side Square ... Office Telephone 70-2 ... Memphis, Tenn.

DR. J. F. TOML ... DENTIST ... Office over Citizens State ... Phone No. 228 ... Memphis

DR. M. McNEE ... Dentist ... Office over Hardwick's ... Store ... Memphis

H. D. Spencer, J. V. P. SPENCER & PATTERSON ... Attorneys-at-Law ... Up stairs in Cagle ... Practice in all courts ... Memphis

Tom J. Rich, Robt. L. RICH & THORNTON ... Attorneys-at-Law ... Will practice in all courts in Court House ... Memphis

STOVALL JOHNSON ... LAWYER ... Will practice in all the Courts located permanently. Office in house ... MEMPHIS, TEXAS

J. M. Elliott, S. A. ELLIOTT & BRYANT ... ATTORNEYS AT LAW ... Do a general legal and consulting business. Notary in office. Up stairs in First Nat. Bank ... MEMPHIS, TEXAS

## WHEAT & SP

Dealers in Corn Chops Bran Baled Oats Feedstuffs Alfalfa and Prairie

Phone 213 South Side Square

J. R. Killingsworth ... Want's your country produce. Chickens especially. See him. West Side Square. MEMPHIS TEXAS

# SUPPLEMENT

# MEMPHIS DEMOCRAT

VOL. NO. 2

MEMPHIS, TEXAS, SEPTEMBER 29, 1909

NO. 13

### Week of Prayer.

The Woman's Home Mission Society of the Methodist church will observe the Annual Week of Prayer beginning, Tuesday, Oct. 5, 8 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend. Especially do we urge all the ladies who are members of the church to be with us in these meetings.

Following is the program.

Tuesday, October 5.

General Topic—Christian Education.

Special Topic—"The Consecrated Life" and "Our Mountain Schools."

Hymn.

Prayer of Consecration.

Bible lesson; John 15 and Deuteronomy 11:18-25.

Hymn.

1. The need of Christian Schools in the Mountains—Mrs. J. W. Wallace.

2. A sketch of the Sue Bennett School, its history, results and needs—Mrs. C. A. Crozier.

3. A sketch of Brevard Industrial School, its history and progress—Miss Headrick.

Offerings for the Sue Bennett Memorial school and call for new members.

Leader—Mrs. R. B. Bonner.

Wednesday, October 6.

Special Topic, "Our Educational work for Foreigners."

Hymn.

Prayer for the strangers within our gates.

Bible lesson; Matt. 25-34-40 and Luke 10:30-37.

1. "Our schools for Cubans"—Mrs. W. H. Wallace.

2. "Our schools for Orientals"—Mrs. W. B. Quigley.

3. "Our Gulf Coast work"—Mrs. J. H. McNeil.

4. "The value of Christian Education as a preparation for citizenship"—A discussion.

Offering for Sue Bennett School.

Leader—Miss Headrick.

Thursday, October 7.

Special Topic; "Education in Rescue and Preventive work."

Hymn No. 12.

Prayer for the ignorant, homeless and erring girls in our land.

Bible lesson; Luke 14:16-23 and John 8:1-11.

Vocal solo—Miss Clara Arnold.

1. "The preventive work at Vashti Home and school"—Miss Headrick.

2. The rescue work at "Ann Browder's Home and School"—Mrs. D. H. Arnold.

Duet.

Offerings for Sue Bennett school.

Song 70.

Leader—Mrs. C. F. Wilson.

Friday Oct. 8.

Special Topic. Parsonages, Supplies and local work.

Hymn.

Prayer for our Preachers and their families.

Bible lesson; 2 Crinthians 4:1-18

1. "Our Parsonage depart-

ment." Its history and Results—Mrs. Joe J. Mickle.

Leaflet—Mrs. W. H. Wallace.

Duet—Mrs. J. F. Tomlinson and Mrs. Norwood.

2. "Our Supply department"—Mrs. Bonner.

3. Local work, what is being done by the auxiliary in your community to earn and train for christ? Discussion by Mrs. Crozier, Mrs. Norwood and Mrs. Rhodes.

Offerings for Sue Bennett school.

Leader—Mrs. S. E. Major.

Bro. Bonner will preach the Annual Sermon on Sunday morning following week of Prayer.

The Auxliary will have an open meeting at night.

Press Reporter.

### Junior B. Y. P. U.

Subject Ruth.

Song.

Roll call

1 Ruth's Love for Naoma—Beatrice Swafford.

2 Ruth's Love for God's people—Byron Baldwin.

3 Rruh's decision—Blanche Gist.

5 Ruth's place in Bible History

Select reading—Tom Ballew, Willie Ben Baldwin.

Recitation—Blanch Speer, Marcus Gist and Bessie Corley.

Leader—Albert Reed.

FOR SALE—Will take your work stock as first payment on farm or unimproved land. Two-fifths in stock, balance to suit the purchaser at 8 per cent. Any agent can sell. Mrs. H. Bassett, Memphis, Texas. 1-tp.

B. F. King has been in doors for several days with rheumatism.

Go to White & Walker for good sample, good turnout and close ginning. 13 2t

Try a box of that pure fresh candy just received at the Randal Drug Co.

C. R. Hardy returned Tuesday morning from Altus from a short visit with his wife.

Go to White & Walker for good sample, good turnout and close ginning. 13 2t

Marvin Ross who has been quite sick with fever for several days is reported some better.

Call at the Pioneer Mercantile Co. if you want new, fresh and up to date dry goods in all departments.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Lesley are the proud parents of a fine baby girl born last Saturday morning. All doing well.

If you want the best grade of flour, phone 281. Prices are right and flour the best.

J. H. Brumley & Sons,

Get a Majestic Souvenir Set of Ware at Harrison-Headrick Hardware Co. during demonstration week, beginning Oct. 4.

A new and up to date line of men's pants are now being received at the Pioneer Mercantile Co. They are made up in style and will please the cost exacting. Call and see them.

### For Trade.

Some nice rental property in Memphis to trade for unincumbered land. See W. P. Cagle.

Go to White & Walker for good sample, good turnout and close ginning. 13 2t

For first-class watch repairing go to the Panhandle Jewelry Store. 30tf

Be sure and get the supplement this week, it has some interesting reading.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harle is reported sick this week with fever.

Peace Maker, the Best grade of flour can be found at J. H. Brumley & Sons. Phone 281.

Misses Mabel Anthony and Edith Broome spent Sunday in Kirkland with Miss Anthony's parents.

Don't forget to attend the Majestic Range Demonstration at our store, one week, beginning Oct. 4.

HARRISON-HEADRICK HDW. Co.

One light bay mare, left hind leg been badly cut, branded with figure 8 on each side of withers, hardly any mane, strayed or stolen the 16th of Sept. 1909. If you see or hear anything of her please notify A. A. Stewart, Memphis, Texas. 12-3t p.

Good sandy land farm near Quail, 320 acres very good improvements all tillable. Will trade for residence property as first payment. Write me at Boyd, Texas. Box 72. 1-tp.

### For Sale or Trade.

Good sandy land farm near Quail, 320 acres very good improvements all tillable. Will trade for residence property as first payment. Write me at Boyd, Texas. Box 72. 1-tp.

## Clubbing Offer

The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News makes a specialty of

### TEXAS

news. Outside of this, it is unquestionably the best semi-weekly publication in the world. It gives new facts all over the world, but particularly an unsurpassed

### NEWS SERVICE

of the great Southwest in general. Specially live and useful features are the FARMERS' FORUM. A page for the LITTLE MEN AND WOMEN. The WOMAN'S CENTURY. And particular attention is given to MARKET REPORTS. YOU CAN GET The Semi-Weekly Farm News in connection with The MEMPHIS DEMOCRAT for only \$1.75 a year cash for both papers.

SUBSCRIBE NOW and get the local news and the news of the world at remarkably small cost.

AN AD IN THE

## Memphis Democrat

GETS RESULTS

## Letter Heads

## Statements

## Bill Heads

## Envelopes

## Cards

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.

**Cards**  
**Envelopes**  
**Bill Heads**  
**Statements**  
**Letter Heads**

jestic many t and t the ful an advert f the ae bea e piece y purc f the FREE v ion w  
 G ild  
 he b  
 the b f you a (ma erial t ted to r ent t wor ce of boils de, v  
 A  
 erm  
 L. H ing fer church' rch at the ay evening he best se delivered s y. Heaven Spirit of th pon the peopl s though the oved. Befor tarted after delivered the preacher at streaming eye s sermon del the obsce n the s show. of our petit kin p suc ca  
 me  
 " hi on mi ak roj fill rs  
 B. Y lect; hat ur W ar  
 .05, 1

# Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

G. A. CROZIER, Manager

It Pays to See Us

before

You Place Your Bill

Nigger Head Coal

## Lumber, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Lath, Shingles

### The Home Circle Column

PLEASANT EVENING REVERIES

Remember no thought, no word, no act ever dies.

There is sunshine enough in the world to warm all.

The way to help people is not so much being good to them as being good with them, a sort of co-operative kindness.

There are some men who make it a point to treat every other man's wife well but their own—have smiles to all but their kindred.

The influence which you start today in the home, the neighborhood, or the social circle, be it ever so small, will roll forward through the ages, growing wider and deeper and stronger with every passing hour, and blighting or blessing as it rolls.

In unity there is strength. This is never more true than in the home. A home strong to meet adversity and the most adverse circumstances in life is where there is union of hearts and union of hands. There will be joy in such a home despite dark days and peace despite the turmoils of life.

#### INDOLENCE AND HOME.

Indolence is an enemy to home. Some men are too lazy to provide decent conveniences at home. It is a crime against the happiness of the home for a man to neglect to provide the little conveniences that will add to the beauty and comfort of the home. Say, brother, take out that old mildewed pillow and put in a pane of glass, it is too painful as it is. Climb up then and put the bricks on the chimney where the storm of last winter blew them off. Put a carpet on the floor and a few pictures on the wall. Put some good books on the shelves, and give your family a paper or two to read. Study to make yourself useful, and to rob home of its bleakness, by providing things that add to its comfort and brightness. Make the children feel that home is a Paradise in which the thrushes of love ever sing high up in the clear blue sky of the humble heart and you will have no fear of turning out thieves and harlots in years to come.

#### KEEPING HOUSE FOR ONE'S OWN COMFORT.

He was wise who wrote: "Half the sting of poverty or of small means is gone when one keeps house for one's own neighbors." Deny it as we will, few of us have the moral force to set up a standard of our own, based upon our own incomes and our own particular home environments. We commit the folly of regulating our expenses by the income of some one else. If the Browns across the street hang up expensive lace curtains, we are discontented until lace curtains have gone up to our windows, no matter how much smaller our income may be than that of the Browns. If the Smiths put down a velvet carpet, our neat and pretty ingrain becomes an eye sore to us. We are extremely mindful of what our neighbors will think about many things that ought not to concern them in the least. We have no standard of our own. Our dress and even our tables must be regulated by the standard of others. We have not the courage nor the independence to be indifferent to the comment of our neighbors. This form of moral cowardice is causing many families to live beyond their incomes. They can face debt and forfeit their self-respect easier than they can face the comment of their neighbors.

#### LAKEVIEW LEAKLETS.

Cotton picking is the order of the day now. Bro. Upton left Sunday for Brice where he will conduct a meeting this week. Mr. Beck has gone to his old home in Arkansas. Messrs. George and Woodson White are prospecting in Wheeler county. Quite a crowd from here attended the unveiling at Memphis Sunday. Misses Cora Beck and Effie Bragg were shopping in Memphis Tuesday. There is a new Baptist parsonage under construction now. Our town is growing nicely. Misses Tesse and Ella Durham have returned from a visit with relatives at Goodnight. Mrs. Beulah Crossing of Hewitt, Okla. is visiting her mother, Mrs. Weber, at this place.

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE MAY FLOWERS

Crude Thoughts From The Editorial Pen

### BRYAN REFUSES TO DEBATE

Telegram States Bryan Will Not Consider Debate Unless Bailey Asks It.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 25.—A telegram from W. J. Bryan, who was at Vail's Station, Ariz., today, stated:

"I am endeavoring to secure a Democratic majority in the next Congress, and I propose a tentative platform which I ask Democratic candidates to accept, reject or amend. Believing that a debate would tend to turn attention from the issue to individuals, I prefer separate meetings and shall not consider a joint meeting unless Senator Bailey makes a personal request for it."

This telegram was sent by telegraph to Senator J. W. Bailey this evening. A reply had not been received late tonight.

Early this morning Mr. Bryan's message was forwarded to Senator Bailey, who replied from Gainesville:

"Your telegram received. While I believe a joint debate would promote a better understanding of the free raw material question, I am not willing to put myself in the attitude of insisting upon Mr. Bryan engaging in one when he says it would tend to defeat the election of a Democratic majority to the next Congress. I can not forbear, however, from saying that Mr. Bryan's demand that the Democratic party of Texas shall reverse its position on the tariff will tend to divide rather than harmonize the party in this State, and if it produces any effect in Texas, it will result in a Democratic loss rather than in a Democratic gain."

Senator Bailey was invited to address a separate meeting here on Monday, but answered that since the joint debate had been declined, he would defer coming to El Paso.

#### Notice.

I want two large families to cultivate 250 or 300 acres each. They must have good teams and implements. I have 4-room houses, cisterns, wells, storm houses and barns, good land and grass for all work stock and milk cow. Address me at Memphis, Texas. J. Q. DURHAM.

Come and see the great cooking wonder at our store all next week. You have a chance to get a Souvenir Set of Ware Free. See large advertisement in this paper. HARRISON HEADRICK HDW. CO.

Sam Houston has resigned his position with the A. R. & E. P. Ry. and left Friday night for A. & M. college where he will take up his studies in Civil Engineering.

### W. T. REED DRAYMAN

All kinds of hauling and transferring. Special attention given to the moving of pianos and safes. This is the man for you to get if you want good service, phone 114. I will appreciate anything you may do for me. I handle the best Maitland coal.

### W. T. Reed, Drayman

### J. B. JENKINS

Successors to A. L. Thrasher

We now have charge of the old shop of A. L. Thrasher and want the public to come in and give us a call. We do any and all kinds of blacksmith and woodwork and have competent help in each department. Each and every piece of our work guaranteed. We also have with us Mr. H. H. Wilkins, a first class horse-shoer, who will work on your horses feet and keep them in their natural shape and fit the shoes to the natural foot and not draw the hoof to suit the shoe. His work is guaranteed by us. Give us a trial and be convinced.

Respectfully .. J. B. JENKINS ..

### DELICIOUS FOOD FOR CHILDREN



that are either sick or well you will find pure and delicately flavored ice cream to be. For the dyspeptic, the dainty appetite, or for entertaining at dinner or in the evening our ice cream is both food and refreshment. Better phone us your order today. Prompt delivery. TELEPHONE NO. 240

### The MEMPHIS BOTTLING WORKS

### Bradford Grocery Co.

We wish to announce to the public and our old customers that we have disposed of our entire interest in the Pioneer Mercantile Co., and we now have charge of the grocery department and will be glad to meet all our old customers and the public general in our same old stand on north side of square next to First National Bank. We will keep a new and fresh stock of groceries on hand at all times and we can accommodate responsible customers on thirty days accounts. We have the high-grade Belle of Wichita Flour and Golden Gate Coffees and Spices. Give us a trial. We are yours to please,

### Bradford Grocery Comp'y

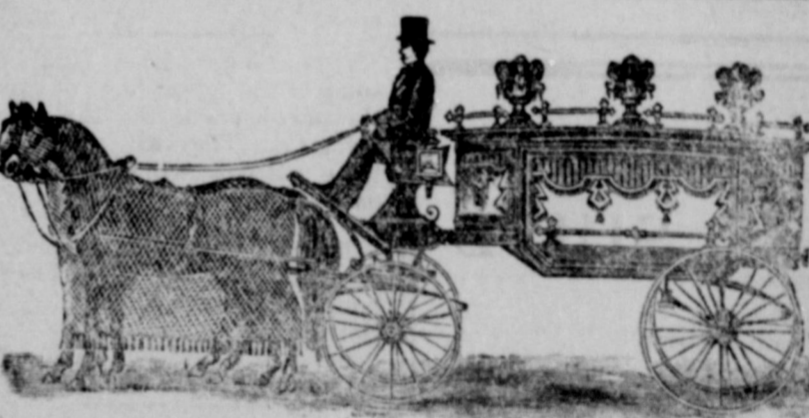
MEMPHIS, TEXAS

### MORIS & RISCH

General Blacksmiths and Woodworkers

We guarantee all our work to be satisfactory or no pay required. All we ask is a trial

#### Horseshoeing and Carriage Repairing a Specialty



### FURNITURE, COFFINS and CASKETS

### WELCH BROS.

South Side Square.....  
Day Phone 158 Night Phone 218

### AS YOU EMPTY THE BASKET



of groceries we send you, your housewife's heart will glow with pleasure and pride. Pride in the high quality of our groceries, pleasure in our low prices which enable you to afford the best. TRY US ON GROCERIES you know most about. That will be a test of our ability to serve you better at less cost than others. We are confident that your first order will prove so satisfactory that you'll rely on us for all your groceries hereafter.

### W. K. Hollifield & Co.

The Exclusive Grocer :: Phone No. 147

### LET THE DEMOCRAT DO YOUR JOB PRINTING

WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

**PROFESSIONAL**

DR. J. W. ... PHYSICIAN AND ... Office northeast corner ... Phone: Office 137, ... MEMPHIS, TENN.

DR. C. F. Wilson, ... DRS. WILSON & ... PHYSICIANS AND ... Office West Side of ... Office Phone ... MEMPHIS

DR. J. M. BAILEY ... PHYSICIAN AND ... Residence Phone ... Office Phone ... OFFICE NORTH SIDE OF ... Memphis

NEWTON H. BOWMAN ... Practice limited to ... Eye, Ear, Nose and ... Telephone No. ... MEMPHIS

DR. H. N. WILSON ... PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON ... RESIDENCE PHONE ... OFFICE PHONE ... OFFICE OVER C. M. ... DRUG STORE ... MEMPHIS

DR. W. S. GOSWELL ... Physician and Surgeon ... Office with Dr. J. ... Office Phone 76 ... MEMPHIS

DR. T. H. ELLIOTT ... Physician and Surgeon ... Phone No. 51 ... Office over Randall ... Memphis, Tenn.

DR. J. Q. DURHAM ... Physician and Surgeon ... Office West Side Square ... Office Telephone 76-2 ... Memphis, Tenn.

DR. J. F. TOMLINSON ... DENTIST ... Office over Citizens State ... Phone No. 220 ... Memphis

DR. M. McNEEL ... Dentist ... Office over Hardwick's ... Store ... Memphis

H. D. Spencer & J. V. ... SPENCER & PATTERSON ... Attorneys-at-Law ... Up stairs in Cagle ... Practice in all courts ... Memphis

Tom J. Rich & Robt. L. ... RICH & THORNTON ... Attorneys-at-Law ... Will practice in all courts ... in Court House ... Memphis

STOVALL JOHNSON ... LAWYER ... Will practice in all the Courts ... located permanently. Office ... house ... MEMPHIS, TEXAS

J. M. Elliott & S. A. ... ELLIOTT & BRYAN ... ATTORNEYS AT LAW ... Do a general legal and ... ing business. Notary in ... Up stairs in First Nat. Bank ... MEMPHIS, TEXAS

WHEAT & SPENCER ... Dealers in ... Corn Chops ... Bran Oats ... Baled Oats ... Feedstuffs ... Alfalfa and Prairie ... Phone 213 South Side Square

J. R. Killingsworth ... Want's your country ... produce. Chickens ... pecially. See him. West ... Side Square. ... MEMPHIS TEXAS



# MAJESTIC DEMONSTRATION

For One Week Beginning Monday, October 4th

## FREE

## SOUVENIR

### Set of Majestic Ware FREE

If you will call at our store during our Majestic Demonstration Week and allow us to show you the many advantages and superior qualities of the Great and Grand Majestic Range, and will purchase one at the regular price, we will give you FREE the beautiful and useful Souvenir Set of Ware illustrated in this advertisement. This ware is made to match the quality of the Majestic Ranges, and we know all ladies will see the beauty and utility of this Set, especially the first three pieces, which are entirely new and cannot be had alone by purchase except at a very high price. The prices of the Majestic Ranges are the same, but we give this set FREE with each Majestic Range bought during demonstration week only.

### Reasons Why the Great Majestic You Should Buy

- 1st. It has the reputation of being the best range money can buy.
- 2nd. It not only has the reputation, but is the best range made, and we will prove this to you if you will let us.
- 3rd. It is constructed of Malleable iron (material you can't beat) and of Charcoal Iron (material that resists rust 300% greater than steel), is riveted together airtight. No heat escapes or cold air enters range, thus uses very little fuel to do perfect work.
- 4th. The reservoir alone is worth the price of the range over any other reservoir made. It boils 15 gallons of water; is heated like a tea kettle, with pocket



THE GREAT AND GRAND MAJESTIC RANGE  
 RANGE WITH A REPUTATION  
 IN ALL SIZES AND STYLES.



THE MAJESTIC NEVER-BURN COOKER, STEAMER, CULLENDER AND DRAINER—The Perforated Cooker, shown in center, has small feet which admit water at the bottom. Nothing can burn. Food can be lifted out of main vessel (shown on left), at the same time draining off all the water. The Steamer or Cullender shown on right can be used as an ordinary Cullender. It also fits on top of main vessel, and is used as a steamer.

THE MAJESTIC Extra Heavy Stamped Iron Marbleized Kettle, complete with cover and handle that locks on cover.

THE MAJESTIC 15-oz. All Copper Nickel-plated Tea Kettle. Handsomely nickel-plated on outside, tinned on inside.

THE MAJESTIC 11-oz. All Copper Nickel-plated Coffee Pot. Handsomely nickel-plated on outside and tinned on inside.

THE MAJESTIC Marbleized Enamelled Baking Pan. Made specially fine for the Majestic Set.

THE MAJESTIC Patent Never-Burn Wire Dripping Pan—size of pan 14 1/2 in. x 20 in. Made specially for the Majestic Set.

TWO MAJESTIC Patent Never-Burn Wire Dripping Pans. Size of pan 9 in. x 12 in. Made specially for the Majestic Set.

MAJESTIC RANGES use less fuel; heat more water—and heat it hotter; costs practically nothing for repairs; last three times as long; bake better; easier to keep clean and give better satisfaction than any other range on the market. If you knew positively that the above statements were true, wouldn't you buy a Majestic at once? Come in during Demonstration Week and we will prove it to you.

## HARRISON - HEADRICK HARDWARE COMPANY

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

#### Supper and Entertainment.

Some of Mr. W. H. Blanks' new, was thrown open on last week to quite a number of invited guests to partake of a bounteous supper, it being Blanks' birthday. The relatives began gathering about one o'clock, and by eight had grown to about a hundred. The event spent in different ways, and so delightfully that each moment seemed to fly by on fast fleeting wings. Supper was announced and the guests were ushered to the dining room where was spread a bounteous supper, which it seemed prepared by experts. We shall give Mrs. Blanks and her two lovely daughters the honor) and to say the least, justice was done. After supper had been served to the parlor where two or three were spent in listening to some splendid music, after which refreshments were served. Those present were W. J. P. Dunn, brothers of Blanks, Mrs. Mayo, of Bossard, sister of Mrs. Blanks, Armstrong, brother-in-law of Mrs. Chambers from Memphis, Mr. F. L. Adair and others. When the crowd began to thin, wishing the family a happy return. And they can truthfully say never had a few hours more pleasant in life than were those spent in the realms of this splendor amid the smiles and jests of this family. A few hours rest in the city to be with such sweet spirits as they, and may they live and may each of life be as happy to them as a few hours were to us as we were being so royally entertained by them. And yet a pleasant evening was not to be close of our pleasures for the week, as we were cordially invited to dine with W. S. Dunn family the following day, which we gladly accepted. We now count this day one of the most pleasant days in our lives, but it could be otherwise, surrounded by an excellent and noble family.

#### Senior League Program.

Topic: Obedience and Abundance, Malachi 3:10, Prov. 11:24-25.  
 Song.  
 Prayer.  
 Responsive reading, Luke 16:1-17.  
 Sentence prayer closed by Lord's Prayer.  
 Song.  
 Questions asked by the leader to be answered by leaguers in Bible language. Let all study this topic as given in the Era so that the answers may be quoted.  
 Testimonies from those who have been tithing. Suggestive thoughts and illustrations.  
 Leader—Miss Lena McElreath.

#### The Junior Christian Endeavor.

Song.  
 Bible lesson read by the leader.  
 Lesson explained by the Superintendent.  
 Sentence Prayer.  
 Song.  
 Lesson story—Lucille Craft.  
 Bible story—Alvis Moreman.  
 Song.  
 Mission story.—Luke Hart.  
 National Superintendent's letter read by Beulah Bradley.  
 Song.  
 Mizpah.  
 Leader—Frank Fore.

#### L. C. L. Duvall of 20.

Special Deputy Grand Master of the Odd Fellows of Texas gave the local Odd Fellows a very interesting and instructive lecture Monday night at the hall on Odd Fellowship and special instructions in the secret work.  
 It's worth \$8.00 to you to read our advertisement in this paper, so don't overlook it.  
 HARRISON-HEADRICK HDW. CO.

#### Read the Democrat and be happy.

#### Junior League Program.

Song.  
 Prayer.  
 Responsive reading: Psalms CXVIII.  
 Watch word, "Give."  
 Key Text—Lon Montgomery.  
 Central Thought—Byron Lewis.  
 Truth to be applied—Vena Allen.  
 Lesson—Mrs. Bonner.  
 Bible Illustrations.  
 Story—Joe Mickle.  
 Bible verses—Tessie May Alexander, Ina May Lewis and Allie Crozier.  
 Leader—Josie McMickin.

#### Christian Church Announcement.

The theme at the morning service will be "The Old Paths." This is the beginning of series of sermons along this line and it is desired that a fine attendance be present and get the full benefit of these fine sermons. The evening theme will be "Soul Winning." Everybody cordially invited.  
 L. H. HUMPHREYS, Pastor.

#### Bought Sheep Ranch.

W. C. Moris returned from New Mexico a few days since and informs us that while out there he purchased a large sheep ranch and 1750 head of fine sheep. Mr. Moris has sold his interest in the blacksmith shop to his partner W. L. Risch and will move to his ranch in Mexico as soon as he can get everything in readiness. We regret to lose this good family and hope they will decide to return to Memphis some time in the future.  
 FOR SALE—Good gentle work mare. See W. L. Fore. 12-11.

#### The Lyceum and entertainment course secured for the town by the Pastor's help of the Presbyterian church comprises six numbers. The first one will be given on the night of November 9th by the Chicago Symphony Trio. This Trio consists of three women, all artists in their line. Their program will consist of instrumental and vocal music, solos and trios. The cellist is the finest in the land. The other musical numbers of the course are the Lady Washington Quartette and the renowned Illinois Glee Club and Swiss Bell Ringers. The entire course will be given in the opera house. Further announcement and advertisement will be made from time to time. Season tickets at reasonable prices will soon be on sale.

#### Enthusiastic Sermon at Baptist Church.

Rev. W. L. Head delivered a most striking sermon on "A Model Church" at the Baptist church at the regular services Sunday evening. This is possibly the best sermon Bro. Head has delivered since coming to our city. Heaven came down and the Spirit of the Holy Ghost was upon the people and it appeared as though the entire audience was moved. Before a song could be started after the message was delivered the audience met the preacher at the pulpit with streaming eyes. Bro. Head in his sermon delivered illustrations of the obscene pictures displayed on the street advertising a vulgar show. He said the good women of our town should circulate a petition among the city council asking that an ordinance be passed prohibiting the display of such obscene vulgar placards carrying the crowd with him. Next Sunday night his subject will be the "Model Home." Do not miss this sermon if you want to hear something good. Bro. Head promises to do his very best to make this a good sermon and it is hoped that several poor sinners will be directed in the right course and led to Jesus.  
 (CONTINUED.)

#### Clarence Powell will begin the erection of a nice home today on his lots at corner of 8th and Robertson streets. Tom Parker has the contract. This will be a nice home and we are glad to see this part of town building up so rapidly. It will not be very long until all the vacant lots in that part of town will be covered by nice homes.

#### Wylie Stuart, who was formerly with the Memphis Supply Co., but who has been in Childress for the past few weeks arrived in the city Saturday morning and will hereafter be found with J. W. Hill Dry Goods Co., on the south side of square.

#### Memphis had a large number of visitors in her borders Sunday that we failed to get their personals.

#### B. Y. P. U. Program.

Subject: Prove all things; Hold fast to that which is good.  
 Scripture Reading, Psalms 19:7-14—W. A. Douglass.  
 Scripture Reading, Psalms 119:105, 111:9, 18:27, 32:73 by members.  
 Special music—Miss Ina May Thrasher.  
 Paper, Regulating conduct according to God's word—Miss Cecil Raney.  
 Song.  
 Scripture reading, Exodus 20:3-17—Miss Emma Wheat.  
 Scripture reading, Thes. 5:12-25—Miss Dora Read.  
 Song.  
 Benediction.  
 Our B. Y. P. U. is on an upward bound. Come and bring your literature and any other good helps. Just one hour from 4 to 5 o'clock.



## J. C. WOOLDRIDGE

FOR

## LUMBER and COAL

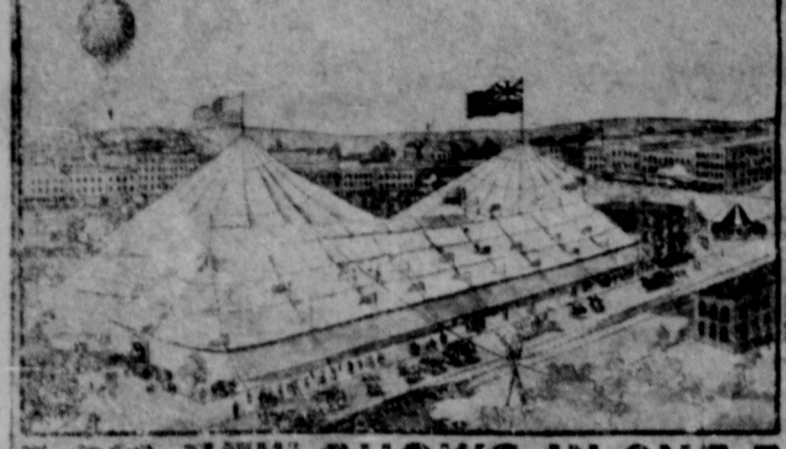
See Us First

ONE WHO WAS PRESENT.

# MEMPHIS

2 Big Nights Only **Mon., Oct. 4**  
STARTING.....

## BILLY BENNETT'S BIG NEW SHOWS



3 BIG NEW SHOWS IN ONE 5



Presenting Big Spectacular Productions  
**"Daniel Boone" and "Escaped from the Harem"**  
**HALF A HUNDRED PERFORMERS SPECIAL TRAINS OF CARS!!**  
America's Greatest and Largest Tented Dramatic Shows  
**10--Big Feature Circus and Vaudeville Acts--10**  
Grand Free Street Parade and Band Concerts Daily  
POPULAR PRICES  
**WAIT FOR THE BEST**

**Eat at the ORIENTAL CAFE**  
:: REGULAR MEALS AND SHORT ORDERS ::  
Your Patronage Respectfully Solicited  
**Mrs. R. E. Williams and T. T. Bell :: Props.**



### A Wireless Message.

That's what Henry up there is certainly getting, and that's what we have for you. Not a brick, but a message of splendid bargains in lumber and building material of every kind.

Look around a bit and see if the barn, or the granary, or the corn crib, or—well! no matter what; just see if something about the place doesn't need fixing up. If you need lumber of any kind, or are likely to need it in the near future, it will pay you to buy it right now, as we can give you especially favorable prices.

**Wm. Cameron & Co.**  
W. M. Wallace, Manager  
**SOUTH SIDE SQUARE**

## FRESH APPLES

Fancy California Stock, box	\$2.00
Potatoes	
Colorado Pearls, peck	30c
Nectarines	
Bright and Juicy, Fresh Packed, per pound	12½c
Canned Goods	
Lye Hominy Large Cans, 2 dozen cans	\$2.00
Tomatoes Family Size, 2 dozen cans	\$2.00
Lamps	
Glass Lamps, No. 1 Burner and Chimney for	25c
Glass Lamps, No. 2 Burner and Chimney for	50c
Opal Lamps, Decorated Bowl for	75c
Large Fancy Bowl for	\$1.00
Nickel Plated Center Draft, Argand Burner, with extra shade for	\$1.50
Dishes	
White Stone Decorated Vegetable Dishes, Bowls and Meat Platters only	25c
Boys' Pants	
Boys' woolen mixture long Pants, warmer and better than overalls for cold weather, regular prices \$1.25 and \$1.50, close out	75c
Millinery	
Some new Hats received by express every few days, and our sales pleasantly continue to increase.	
Clothing	
Boys' Two Piece Suits for School	\$3.00 to \$5.00
Men's Work Suits for service	\$5.00 to \$10.00
Boys' Dressy Styles, for wear	\$8.00 to \$12.00
Young Men's Classy School Style	\$10.00 to \$20.00
Hats	
Boys' School Hats, neat and natty for	\$1.00
Boys' Stylish Vogue in blue, green or gray for	\$1.50
Men's Classy Clever Shapes for	\$2.50
Staple Styles for Strong Wear for	\$3.00

## T. R. GARROTT COMP'Y

Phone 65, Memphis Milling Co., when you want good coal.  
Fresh car of Quana Flour at Hollifield's. Every sack guaranteed.  
Tents, wagons, sheets and cotton picking sacks at Gist-Ellis Implement Co.  
Come and examine our line of Boy's Perfection clothing at the Pioneer Mercantile Co.  
Gist-Ellis Implement Co. are agents for the celebrated New Moline Wagon see them before you buy.  
School children don't fail to get your tablets, pencils, ink, rules, etc., at Jot Montgomery Drug Store.  
If you are looking for good values in fall and winter dry goods and clothing go to the Pioneer Mercantile Co.  
Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Davis of Newlin, spent Sunday in Memphis with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stephens.  
We are making reduced prices on all of our Ladies, Misses, and Men's summer foot wear while they last. Pioneer Mercantile Company.  
The entertainment at the opera house Friday night given by the Woman's Culture Club was well attended and the audience was more than pleased with the entertainment.  
Buy a range with a reputation, and take advantage of our Free Offer during our Demonstration Week, beginning Oct. 4. Come in and let us show you.  
HARRISON-HEADRICK HDW. CO.  
J. L. Bain brought in a fine sample of German millet Saturday from his place and it is now on exhibition in the Hall County National Bank. He says he has several acres of this fine product.  
S. S. Montgomery and R. A. Dunbar returned Saturday night from an extended trip in Southwest Texas. They had let their beard grow out while away which so completely disguised them that their intimate friends had to take the second look before they could recognize them. They report a most enjoyable trip. They said they understood that Mr. Denny was going to put in a large hardware establishment at Kerrville in time soon.  
Percy Wells of Wellington was in Memphis several days last week.  
Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Brooks at Giles Monday, a fine baby girl.  
School supplies and school books can be found at The Wright Drug Store.  
Solid Gold cuff buttons \$1.50 per pair.  
V. R. JONES, Jeweler.  
Bring your hat work to L. McMillan the O. K. Tailor he does the work here and gives quick service.  
Dr. N. F. Tate, Veterinarian of Quana, Texas, will be in Memphis the first Monday and Tuesday of each month.  
Blue Jay writing tablets, pens, pencils, rules and all other school supplies can be found at Jot Montgomery Drug Store.  
Don't fail to go to the Pioneer Mercantile Co. and inspect the new line of fancy pants for men. They are of the celebrated Jack Rabbit brand and they are guaranteed.  
Our stock of dry goods are new and fresh. Call and examine them. Prices right and courteous treatment to all.  
PIONEER MERCANTILE CO.  
The advertisements of our merchants this week makes fine reading matter. Don't fail to read them. Our merchants are very much alive to their business and is soliciting patronage through the newspaper columns which is the best advertising medium known to the business world.  
FOR LEASE—My farm one mile west of Giles, Donley county. The farm contains 640 acres, part in cultivation, balance good grass land. Good 7-room house, storm horse, cribs, horse, cow and hog lots. For particulars address Mrs. W. J. Thaxton, Giles, Texas. 12-4tp.  
To the Public.  
I am still handling the best grade of fresh meat in Memphis and will deliver to any part of the city. We handle high grade cured meats of all kinds at reasonable prices. Give us a trial and you will be a satisfied customer. Prompt attention given all orders no matter how small. Phone No. 12.  
F. P. NEELEY.

### The Opening of a Great Educational Institution.

Wednesday, September 22nd, marked the opening of one of the South's greatest educational institutions. On this date the University of Texas began the 25th annual session. The University of Texas is the head of the public school system of Texas. Graduates of the state normals and of approved high schools, and teachers holding permanent certificates pass into it without examination.

The aim of the University is to provide the highest training for the youth of Texas.

The University has five departments: The college of Arts, the department of Education, the department of Engineering, the department of Law, all of which are located at the main University at Austin, and medical department at Galveston. There is no preparatory department.

In the college of arts three degrees are offered; the B. A., the M. A., and the Ph. D. Three degrees are also offered in the engineering department; the C. E., the M. E. and the E. E. The law department offers the S. S. B. and the S. S. M. degrees. The medical department has three schools; the school of medicine, the school of pharmacy, and the school of nursing.

It usually takes four years to complete a course in the college of arts, medical, educational, or engineering departments. The law and school of nursing offers a three years, course, and the school of pharmacy a two years course.

The University will begin this fall an extension or correspondence department. This will, it is thought, greatly aid those students and teachers who do not find it convenient to become resident students. At the present courses are offered in English, Latin, Greek, German, Spanish, History, Math., education, science and a few other subjects. This department will also prove beneficial to those who have not sufficient requirements for entrance to the main University, as no entrance examinations are required in this department. A course in the extension work may be taken for the nominal cost of seven dollars.

Tuition is free in all departments of the University. The total cost of attending a regular session is \$180 and upward. This depends on individual.

The University faculty is the strongest in the country. It is composed of 154 officers and teachers, the best Universities in America and Europe.

In all departments of the University last session there were 2572 students, which is the largest enrollment of any institution in the state. The enrollment increased a hundred per cent over the previous year.

The University has four societies and several law societies and a debating society held each year. The debating year will be with Tulane University. The University of M. O. annually in prizes to the best debaters.

The Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. are the strongest organizations of their kind in the state, aggregating enrollment of over eight thousand students. Their purpose is to develop in them habits of moral sentiment among the people attending the University to develop in them habits of service.

The University has always great interest in athletics, and not allowed to interfere with school work. In order to take part in a match game, the student must be of good standing. At present the University has the following organizations: A football team, basketball team, a track team, a tennis team, a hand ball association.

Below is the schedule for the football team, Oct. 9, S. W. Austin; Oct. 16, Haskell Indian; Oct. 26 Louisiana State; Oct. 30, T. C. U. at Austin; Nov. 8, A. and M. at Houston; Nov. 19, Okla. State at Austin; Nov. 25, Texas A. and M. at Austin.

Anyone desiring a catalogue of the University may obtain one by addressing Wilson Williams, Registrar, Austin, J. C. Wilkerson.

Gordie King and Stephens is in Amarillo this week attending Federal conference.

## Special Attraction for the Grand Opening of the ... OPERA HOUSE.

Three Nights Commencing **Thursday, September 30**  
**The Cameron Opera Co**  
The Big Whirlie Pearlie Girlie Show  
Opening with the big New York comedy success **Little Dollie Dimple**  
Change of bill nightly  
**MUSIC! FUN! GIRLS! 30 PEOPLE!**  
Two cars of magnificent scenery and electrical effects \$10,000 worth of gorgeous costumes  
**SPECIAL PRICES 25, 35 and 50c**  
Sent sale will open Wed. Sept. 29th at Randal Drug Company  
A positively guaranteed attraction.  
J. F. TOMLINSON, Opera House Manager.

## Lakeview

Lakeview is the newest town in Hall county. Lakeview is situated on the A., R. & E. P. R. R. Lakeview is in the center of the most fertile region of Hall county, Texas.  
Lakeview has four general stores.  
Lakeview has one drug store.  
Lakeview has two gins.  
Lakeview has a new telephone system.  
Lakeview has two churches.  
Lakeview has a nice new school building.  
Lakeview has in sight the following new enterprises: A bank, a lumber yard, a good hotel and a livery barn.  
Lakeview lots are now on sale cheap, but the price will be advanced in a few days.

Buy now and get in on these low prices. We have some special inducements to offer to those who will improve lots at once. Call on or address  
**C. R. HARDY, Townsite Agent**  
for the A., R. & E. P. R. R. MEMPHIS, TEXAS  
or  
**D. H. Davenport, LAKEVIEW, TEXAS**