

# BAXTER SPRINGS NEWS.

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## NEW GROCERY

I desire to inform the people of Baxter and vicinity that I have opened a Grocery in the Horner building opposite the Capt. Price hotel. I shall endeavor to keep on hand a clean, fresh stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries which I will sell at prices as low as the lowest, and I respectfully solicit a share of your patronage. Give me a call.

### DRY GOODS, Etc.

I also keep on hand at the same place a full and complete stock of Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, etc. I treat all alike. I have no favorites and guarantee all a square deal.

### PRODUCE.

I desire the farmers' produce and for such will pay the highest market price.

Respectfully yours,

**C. W. PAYNE.**

### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Dr. Reynolds has just received a fine stock of new special Medicines for his winter practice.

We are making very low prices on Cook and Heating Stoves. We never fail to sell when people have the money to pay cash. Any family needing a Cook Stove can save from three to ten dollars by buying of me and no man in Cherokee county can show you better stoves than I am offering at these panic prices.

J. J. FRIBLEY.

Oh, ladies, have you been to Mrs. Stark's store to see those lovely hats? Any lady wearing one of those hats will certainly be in style this season. They are most all sold. Ladies, be sure and get one of them before it is too late. This grand array of hats will be renewed for three weeks.

I have some goods to sell that are so cheap you will not believe that I can afford to sell them at the price. Think of door knobs with nice porcelain knobs for fifteen cents. Loose pin butts with screws for five cents a pair. I have lots of them at these prices.

J. J. FRIBLEY.

### TO THE PUBLIC.

We are buying and selling Groceries for cash, and are selling on very small margins. Our stock is FRESH and complete. Try us.

Yours truly, CHAS. F. NOBLE.

G. G. GREGG, The Wholesale and Retail Druggist, will supply you with all the medicines known in the catalogue. Every species of Drugs and Chemicals will be of a quality guaranteed and he will sell you nothing but goods of merit.

75 pairs men's fall and winter boots slightly damaged. If you want a bargain call on J. M. COOPER.

Sheet Steel Stove Pipe at McELHINEY & SON'S.

## \$ MONEY \$

\* SAVED IS MONEY EARNED. \*  
5 lbs. good coffee.....\$1.00  
4 lbs. Rio coffee.....1.00  
3 1/2 lbs. pea berry coffee.....1.00  
3 1/2 lbs. Java blonde coffee.....1.00  
3 lbs. pure Java coffee.....1.00  
5 lbs. dried peaches......25  
1 basket of grapes......20  
1 quart of cranberries......05  
1 lb. can baking powder......10

### BALDWIN'S LOW PRICE CASH HOUSE

School Tablets—lots of them—and cheaper than ever.

McFADDEN & PRICE.

Hats and Hosiery cheap at G. W. Payne's new store.

Buy your School Tablets of McFadden & Price. They have the largest line ever carried in Baxter.

The cheapest place in town for Boots and Shoes is G. W. Payne's.

Sheet Steel Stove Pipe at McELHINEY & SON'S.

A full line of Men's, Youth's and Boy's Clothing at Cooper's.

### THE NEWS NEXT WEEK.

Next week the News will issue a trade edition of 3,000 copies. It will consist of sixteen pages, will be printed from new type in a new form and all at home. The papers will be circulated all over Cherokee county, in the Indian territory and to our readers in all parts of the United States. Baxter Springs is the best trading point in Southeast Kansas and her merchants have decided to let the people know it through the columns of the News the best advertising medium in the Southeast. Every merchant, mechanic and tradesman in Baxter Springs should be represented in the News trade edition next week. The merchants of Baxter Springs sell goods as cheap, and in many instances cheaper, than do the merchants of Chetopa, Columbus, Galena, Joplin, Seneca and other points and it is but fitting that they should "show their horns" and reach out for more trade. The News trade edition will reach every home in Cherokee county and for twenty miles south in the Indian territory and money spent for advertising space in its columns will not be wasted. Hand in your ads. by Tuesday evening of next week if possible. Advertisers wishing copies of the News trade edition sent to their friends are invited to hand in their names and addresses at once and the papers will be mailed from this office free of charge.

Ashley, the dentist, will be at the National hotel next Wednesday.

Frank R. McGregor was elected constable of Springvalley township last Tuesday.

Don't fail to attend the library entertainment at city hall next Tuesday evening.

Tom Weaver thinks Baxter Springs is a better place to do business in than Columbus, anyhow.

Dr. E. D. Ashley, the popular dentist, will be at the National Hotel in Baxter next Wednesday.

A nice home entertainment for the benefit of a nice home enterprise at the city hall next Tuesday evening.

G. W. White of Boston, Mass., has rented the Mary V. Miller property on River street for a term of three years.

The Elm Tree Literary Society will give a corn social at Elm Tree school house this (Saturday) evening. Everybody invited.

For Constipation, Indigestion, Headache, Liver Complaint, and for all purgative purposes, take Ayer's Pills—the best for family use.

A party of young people met at Ed. Covey's residence on Grant street Monday evening and made merry until a late hour. Refreshments were served.

A. L. Harvey and wife, Mrs. J. P. Holomon and Benj. Talbot left yesterday for a hunting and nutting trip on Grand river. They will remain four or five days.

Springvalley and Lyon townships went populist by 83 majority last fall. The populist majority in those townships Tuesday was three. Springvalley and Lyon are waking up.

In next week's News will appear the opening chapters of a story entitled "In Dixie's Land Before the War." It will be the aim of the News hereafter to keep running a series of stories.

Dr. E. D. Ashley, the dentist, needs no introduction here. He is well known throughout the county and those for whom he has done work are ever ready and willing to testify to his ability as a workman. See him at the National hotel in this city next Wednesday.

Will McElhiney was the victim of a birthday surprise party Wednesday night. His wife invited a large number of our young people to make a raid on the McElhiney mansion which they did, arriving there about 9 o'clock. Will went home about 8 o'clock and made the best of it, though he was completely surprised. The evening was very pleasantly spent, in games, music and social conversation until about 11 o'clock when refreshments were served. The party dispersed about 12 o'clock wishing Will many happy returns of the day. It was Will's twenty-fourth birthday anniversary.

### REGARDLESS OF COST.

Until Nov. 15, Cooper & Stough of Galena will sell FURNITURE regardless of cost, for cash. Parties in need of such goods give us a call and we will convince you that we mean what we say. We will deliver goods at your house. COOPER & STOUGH, Galena, Kansas.

Remember our Women's \$2 dongola button Shoe is the best fitting and neatest shoe in the market and we fully warrant every pair sold and make the warrant good in every instance. J. M. COOPER.

## BAXTER SPRINGS PLANING MILL.

This enterprise will be reopened for business on next Wednesday, November 15, by the undersigned, who has for several years been in charge of three leading planing mills at Denver, Col. It will be conducted much on the same plan as heretofore excepting that the work done will be guaranteed in every particular and done when it is contracted to be done.

If you want anything in the house finishing line give me a trial. That is all I ask.

Respectfully,

L. M. TOBIAS.

Dry Goods, Notions, etc., new stock at Payne's.

I have a lot of cut steel nails which I will close out beginning Monday, Oct. 23; will give 8 to 10 pounds for 25 cents. They won't last long.

J. J. FRIBLEY.

We carry the largest and most complete line of Patent Medicines in Cherokee county. McFADDEN & PRICE.

Don't fail to see the beautiful line of Meek's Cassimeres and Pants at Cooper's.

See McElhiney & Son for Stoves and Stove Pipe.

We can save you money on your Paints and Oils. McFADDEN & PRICE.

## See Here!

Our stock is all new and fresh, our prices are right and WE WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD. We mean just what we say. Look to your interest and patronize the RACKET STORE. BRUNER & REDDIN.

We carry the celebrated Woods overalls, pants and shirts. Best for the money. J. J. OSBORN.

GLOVES! GLOVES! GLOVES! For Farmers, For Driving, For Hay Men, For Everybody. CHEAP AT OSBORN'S.

## FRESH BREAD

every day at  
**Capito's City Bakery.**

Overalls, Shirts & Pants at Osborn's.

When you want bargains in Groceries and Provisions call on W. E. TYNER.

For the best make of Ladies' Shoes go to Cooper's. All styles and prices and the largest stock ever shown in Baxter.

Hard times made easy by hard cash at Baldwin's.

Meek's Pants made to order at COOPER'S.

CHICKENS } Highest cash prices  
DUCKS } paid at all times by  
GEESE } J. A. SOUR,  
TURKEYS } The Popular Butcher.

We now have the largest and best assorted stock of goods we have ever carried in Baxter Springs, and we are selling more goods at closer margins than ever before. J. J. OSBORN.

Hats and Hosiery cheap at G. W. Payne's new store.

Sheet Steel Stove Pipe at McELHINEY & SON'S.

Dry Goods, Notions, etc., new stock at Payne's.

The "Satin Slipper," "Blue Tag," "El Reclamo," "Dramatic Boquet," "Nickel Queen," "Spanish Bull," "Key West," and the "El Merito" are all choice nickel smokers, for sale only at the Capt. Price hotel. Also a fine line of '90 goods.

### THE ELECTION.

Cherokee County Will be Under Calamity Rule a While Longer.

The Populists Carry the County by Majorities Ranging from 42 to 500.

The election held last Tuesday was a very quiet affair, only a light vote being polled. Many voters kept away from the polls and seemingly took no interest in the election at all. The republicans made heavy gains throughout the county, the populist majorities being only about one-half what they were last fall. The democrats were "not in it" in Cherokee county Tuesday. The populists elected their entire county ticket by majorities ranging from 42 to 500.

The Australian system of voting was tried for the first time and worked like a charm. The election in Baxter Springs was quiet, awful quiet, owing to the new method of voting, no one being allowed to hang around or electioneer about the polls. The ticket peddler was conspicuous by his absence, as were also the carriages which used to be run to haul voters to the polling places. No disturbance of any kind occurred.

Following is the vote in Baxter Springs:

#### FIRST WARD.

For Treasurer—J. K. Barney, 26; T. F. Wilson, 2; C. A. Gibbs, 48; A. D. Watts, 26

For Sheriff—Wm. Smith, 77; H. H. Hitchcock, 1; W. H. Coman, 4; C. D. Arnold, 33.

For County Clerk—Robert Miles, 79; Elwood Harvey, 1; J. M. Biddle, 6; P. M. Humphrey, 29.

For Register of Deeds—Thos. C. Weaver, 93; Susie H. Perkins, 1; W. E. Haskins, 2; J. C. Hubbard, 21.

For Surveyor—E. W. Coater, 75; V. Z. Ball, 1; J. B. Hodgdon, 9; Wm. H. Dugger, 26.

For Coroner—Dr. C. S. Huffman, 76; L. D. Washburn, 1; Dr. C. W. Hoag, 9; Dr. E. W. Doan, 25.

#### SECOND WARD.

For Treasurer—J. K. Barney, 44; T. F. Williams, 7; C. A. Gibbs, 30; A. D. Watts, 18.

For Sheriff—Wm. Smith, 77; H. H. Hitchcock, 5; W. H. Coman, 3; C. D. Arnold, 19.

For County Clerk—Robt. P. Miles, 72; Elwood Harvey, 6; J. M. Biddle, 5; P. M. Humphrey, 19.

For Register of Deeds—Thos. C. Weaver, 81; Susie H. Perkins, 3; W. E. Haskins, 2; J. C. Hubbard, 20.

For Surveyor—E. W. Coater, 73; V. Z. Ball, 4; J. B. Hodgdon, 8; Wm. D. Dugger, 17.

For Coroner—Dr. C. S. Huffman, 75; L. D. Washburn, 3; Dr. C. W. Hoag, 5; Dr. E. W. Doan, 18.

### JOE CHUBB'S LOSS.

On Tuesday morning about 4 o'clock J. W. Chubb, living about six miles northwest of Baxter Springs, heard a noise in his barn. He took a lamp and went to the barn to see what was the matter and discovered that two of his stallions were fighting and had knocked down the partition between them. When he opened the door one of the stallions turned on him and knocked him down. The lamp was broken and the oil ignited and before Mr. Chubb could regain his feet the barn was in flames and it was with difficulty that he escaped with his life which he did by crawling through a hole in the side of the barn. Two of his stallions were burned to death in the barn, one of them being "John" which made the season in this city last spring.

Mr. Chubb also lost 72 tons of hay, 150 bushels of corn, 100 bushels of oats, harness, all farming implements and a carriage. His total loss is about \$2500. Insurance \$1800.

He was lucky however, in escaping with his life. He was badly bruised up, but was able to be in town Thursday.

### LIBRARY ENTERTAINMENT.

Next Tuesday evening at the city hall will be presented a light drama entitled "Out of His Sphere," the proceeds of which are to be used in procuring some new books for the city library. The play will be given by our best home talent and should be well patronized. The library folks are doing a noble work and deserve much credit for building up in our midst such an elevating and refining institution as the city library has proven to be. The admission to the entertainment will be 25 cents for adults, children 15 cents. Reserved seats may be secured at McFadden & Price's drug store at 35 cents each. Let everybody turn out and give the library a rousing benefit.

### BUSINESS PROPERTY TO TRADE.

I will trade my business property in Baxter Springs for a small farm. If you have anything to offer in this line call and see me. W. E. TYNER.

### TAXES PAID.

We have a copy of the tax roll for 1893. You can pay your taxes here. THE BAXTER BANK.

## CLOSING OUT.

In order to make room for Holiday Goods, I will close out my 5c counter goods at

# 3c

each. The counter contains over 300 useful articles.

F. H. HOOSE,

P. O. Book Store.

P. S.—Don't buy any Holiday Goods until you have seen my line and remarkably low prices.

### WHY

we sell so many of

## OUR GEM OAK

Heating Stoves. Because they are provided with a large ash pan inside the ash box (not on the outside).

Because they are guaranteed to hold fire forty-eight hours.

Because they are the handsomest stove on the market, *excepting none.*

Because we sell them at hard time prices.

Because there is no brand of Stoves in Baxter Springs that can equal them for Beauty, Durability or Workmanship. Call and see us before purchasing. Respectfully,  
McELHINEY & SON.

I sell the original Round Oak heater. You might as well say brass is better than pure gold, as to compare any heating stove sold in Baxter to the Round Oak sold only by me.  
J. J. FRIBLEY.

LIGHTNER'S PERFUMES  
Are the best made. See the grand array of these new goods at  
McFADDEN & PRICE'S.

Some nobby winter suits for young men just opened at Cooper's.

We have a better grade of stove-pipe than is now or ever was carried by anybody in Baxter Springs for the money. McELHINEY & SON.

The best Castor, Machine and Black Oils are at McFadden & Price's Prescription Drug Store, and they give you the best prices.

We are right in the stationery business and don't you never doubt it. Two thousand new tablets just received. We can sell you these cheaper than ever. McFADDEN & PRICE.

## SELZ SHOES

### Awarded FIRST PRIZE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Selz Schwab & Co have captured the highest medal for the best exhibit of shoes at the fair. J. M. Cooper of Baxter Springs is sole agent for this popular brand of boots and shoes. A complete line always on hand. Remember every pair sold is fully warranted.

Take your prescriptions to McFadden & Price's where they will be filled accurately and as cheap as can be done.

### LIGHT DRAYING DONE DAY OR NIGHT BY

## MAC GILL.

The cheapest place in town for Boots and Shoes is G. W. Payne's.

If you want to save money during these panicky times, buy goods from J. M. Cooper. Always in the lead with best goods and lowest prices.

Give G. W. Payne's new store a trial.

DRESSMAKING.  
I have opened a dressmaking shop in the Daniels building just north of Polster's store and invite all in need of such work to call and see me. All work guaranteed.  
MRS. PEARL HIGDON.

We keep the very best Oil, Lead and Paint. Don't buy until you see us. McFADDEN & PRICE.

## J. H. GARRETT,

### LIVERY, FEED and

## THE STABLE,

Half block east of Baxter Bank, BAXTER SPRINGS, KANSAS.  
GOOD WAGON YARD AND SHEDS.