

Fribley Hardware and Implement Co. for 1899.

Successor to J. J. FRIBLEY, With a largely increased stock of

HARDWARE, STOVES and STEEL RANGES, WOOD and IRON PUMPS, all kinds of FENCING AND A BIG VARIETY of IMPLEMENTS, including MOLINE RIDING AND WALKING PLOWS, STUDEBAKER WAGONS AND SPRING WORK, NEW LINE OF HARNESS AND SADDLERY,

and the further fact that we are in better condition to make better prices. We begin the year 1899 determined to sell the goods if quality and low prices will do it.

THE FRIBLEY HARDWARE AND IMPLEMENT CO.

WANTED!

Reliable man for manager of branch office I wish to open in this vicinity. If your record is O. K. here is a good opening. Kindly mention this paper when writing.

A. T. MORRIS, Cincinnati, O. Illustrated catalogue 4 cts. postage.

FOR SALE—A fine farm of 120 acres seven miles north of Seneca, Mo.; good five room house, good barn and all necessary outbuildings; never failing spring; living stream of water; 4 acres of orchard; 300 fine grape vines; this excellent farm can be bought for \$2,000. Address Chas. L. Smith, Baxter Springs, Kansas, or Wm. Bilkey, Seneca, Mo.

Township officers will please remember that the News office prints township blanks of all kinds on short notice and on very reasonable terms.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED

everywhere for "The Story of the Philippines" by Murat Halstead, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written in the army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merrit, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the rear of battle at the fall of Manila. Bonanza for agents. Brimful of original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low prices. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy unofficial war books. Outfit free. Address, F. T. Barber, Sec'y., Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.

CHARLIE GOULD FOR MAYOR.

Chas. R. Gould will, we understand, be a candidate for mayor at the spring election. Mr. Gould is a young man, and of the enterprising progressive sort, and can be elected hands down. Baxter can get to the front this year with the right kind of a city administration, and with Mr. Gould at the head of our city we believe things would move ahead. We are tired of the old rut and must get out of it.

Cheapest lots ever offered by Daniels & Hartley.

Hot chili—the best—at all times at Mrs. Meyerding's.

Bertha DuBois left for her home in Sanborn, Iowa, last Friday night.

If you have one dollar in cash you can buy a lot of Daniels & Hartley.

100-pound and 50-pound sacks of salt at Dent's Cash Grocery.

See Daniels & Hartley's offer of cheap residence lots in another column.

Daniels & Hartley have sold the old Phil Penning residence to J. J. Fribley.

Baxter Springs needs a live, progressive young man for mayor. Who shall he be?

Brewster, the ice man, has plenty of ice now. But the burning question these cold days, is will ice be cheap next summer?

Jess Drago of the Miami Herald was in town Sunday evening en route to Osawatomie to attend the funeral of his brother's wife.

Daniels & Hartley have sold to C. R. Gould three lots on South Military street. Mr. Gould will erect a handsome residence on his lots in the spring.

If you want the very nicest sale bill that can be printed, and at reasonable prices, too, come to this office. We don't lay down to anybody on fine job printing, and especially sale bills.

J. C. Naylor is still on the side of Spain and agin the government. Naylor has been trying for three years to make an Union out of Capt. Eastham, but as it has turned out the conversion was the other way.

G. Nichols, formerly with E. E. Edwards and lately with Ben Crain, has rented the blacksmith shop of A. L. Rehm just east of Garrett's livery barn, where he will be found in future. "Nick" is a good workman.

MARRIED—On Monday, February 6, 1899, Mr. David Beall to Miss Mamie Murphy. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Beall and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy. The News congratulates.

Will Stallsmith of Joplin enjoyed a few hours in Baxter Wednesday morning. Will works for the Anheuser-Busch Company of Joplin, and manages the soda pop part of the business in the capacity of traveling salesman.

Jacob Griffith, familiarly known as "Crazy Jake," has quit us—by request. He was taken to Joplin Monday evening by Marshal Gill and Col. H. M. Bacon. Jake has a sister in Joplin and will make his home with her.

The young men of Baxter Springs should take the offices this spring. Young men are needed at the helm. There is a show, and a good one, too, for Baxter Springs to get to the front this year, and the young men should put their heads in. Old men are too slow, that is, some old men.

We are pleased to note the unity of work and a growing interest in the class in "Patriotic American Character Studies. Since its organization there has been a growing sentiment and a request that the class unite with the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League. An appeal from the Lafayette Memorial Commission, and recommended by President McKinley, and inaugurated by the United States Commissioner-General to the Paris Exposition for erecting a monument in Paris to General Lafayette, the memorial to be a tribute to the memory of one whom the American people shall never cease to venerate—has been sent to the postmasters of the United States, asking them to aid in the great work, by interesting the community. As our postmaster has presented the appeal to us we felt that no subject could be presented of greater interest to the young people than the life and character of Lafayette, and as the class is studying the life and character of Washington we have concluded to weave into that great American character an interesting part of the life of Lafayette, and have invited the three societies, with others, to unite in giving a public entertainment at the M. E. church, Friday evening, Feb. 24, for the benefit of the Lafayette monument, that the name of Baxter Springs may be found in the list of patriotic donors. We ask that date that we may not interfere with exercises of Washington's birthday. Admission, 15 cents for adults; school children 5 cents.

Frequently accidents occur in the household, which cause burns, cuts, sprains and bruises. For use in such cases Ballard's Snow Liniment has for many years been the constant favorite family remedy. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Cooper Drug Co.

There is some satisfaction in wearing a properly laundered shirt. Leave your linen at express office agency and experience this feeling of satisfaction.

Faults of digestion cause disorders of the liver, and the whole system becomes deranged. Herbine perfects the process of digestion and assimilation, and thus makes pure blood. Price 50 cts Cooper Drug Co.

Hay Shippers' Handy Record Book, the best thing out for the convenience of hay shippers, made and for sale at this office.

Children who are troubled with worms are pale in the face, fretful by spells, restless in sleep, have blue rings around their eyes, bad dreams, variable appetite, and pick the nose. White's Cream Vermifuge will kill and expel these parasites. Price 25c. Cooper Drug Co.

WARRANTY DEEDS. The News job department has on hand a large supply of warranty deeds. Remember this.

Recommended for La Grippe. N. Jackson, Danville, Ill., writes: My daughter had a severe attack of the grippe seven years ago and since then whenever she takes cold a terrible cough settles on her lungs. We tried a great many remedies without giving relief. She tried Foley's Honey and Tar which cured her. She has never been troubled with a cough since. 25c. A. R. Kane.

SHOULDER DISLOCATED.

Last Saturday morning Mrs. L. Murray Perkins slipped and fell on her porch and dislocated her right shoulder. Dr. DeWitt was called and reduced the dislocation.

The Surprise of All.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into hasty consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to better from the first dose, and half a dozen bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at A. R. Kane's drug store.

C. R. WATSON

THE Painter, Kalsominer and Decorator.

Call at W. E. Price drug store.

T. C. WEAVER

JUSTICE of the PEACE and NOTARY PUBLIC. Room 8, in Daniels block.

MILLINERY!

A clearing out sale! Goods marked down to half price. Those in need of hats should call and see before buying. Also ribbons, laces, etc.

Mrs. Wm. Stark.

C. W. DANIELS

NOTARY PUBLIC BAXTER SPRINGS, KANSAS.

Territory Mortgages, Leases, Contracts, Deeds and all kinds of papers legally executed at reasonable prices. Territory blanks on hand.

I. E. STRYKER, M. D.

Physician & Surgeon. Office over old Baxter Bank. Residence—Lyman Art Building on Sheridan street. Responsible calls from neighboring towns promptly answered.

DR. A. O. DeWITT,

Physician and surgeon. Office in Daniels block. Residence first house north of Springs hotel.

W. H. HORNOR,

Attorney at law. Office first door north of Oppenheimer's harness store.

KIDNEY DISEASES

are the most fatal of all diseases.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE a GUARANTEED remedy or money refunded. Contains remedies recognized by all eminent physicians as the best for Kidney and Bladder troubles. Price 50c. and \$1.00.

A. MACDONALD,

Attorney at Law,

BAXTER SPRINGS, KAS. Office upstairs, Baxter Bank Bldg.

L. C. JONES,

NOTARY PUBLIC and COLLECTION AGENT.

Room 7 over Dent's grocery store. Collections promptly attended to. Bad accounts a specialty. Out-of-town business solicited.



Warehouse 206 Main st.

RESTAURANT and

Steam Bakery!

Steam Baked Bread,

ROLLER PROCESS,

Wholesale and Retail.

ICE CREAM, wholesale and retail

CAKES MADE TO ORDER.

Tobacco, Cigars and Cold Drinks.

MRS. T. MEYERDING.

CITY AFFAIRS.

Ed. News: I approve of the letter of North Sider in his recommendations for city officials in last week's NEWS, but there are a few minor qualifications which might be considered, and something not therein mentioned which are sadly needed.

We need a new colored Methodist church. We need a new Presbyterian church. We need a small school house in the south part of the city for small children. We need some repairs on the streets. We need a city council that is much closer to God than the present. We need more brains and less muscle in our public school and school board. We need more muscle and less brains in our street commissioner. We need a city attorney who will pay more attention to his private business and less attention to city business. We need aldermen who do not have to go to Joplin to get their legs pulled. We need fire escapes at all opera houses, public or private. We need a small volunteer fire department with ladders, buckets, etc. We need a good, stiff occupation tax from drug stores where liquor is sold for irrigating purposes. We need a small occupation tax from bootleggers. We need regular and legitimate meetings of the city council in the proper and legitimate place for holding such meetings. We need a city council who are not too cowardly to vote as their conscience dictates, and cannot be bulldozed. We need the Missouri Pacific railroad. We need an assessor who has some idea of the value of property and will discharge his duty fearlessly. We need less fervency and more religion in our churches. We need more christianity and less politics in our prominent citizens.

Expansion, or even imperialism, is better than infidelity and embalm'd dry rot. SOUTH SIDER.

OBITUARY.

Died, at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hartley, one mile west of town, on Monday, Feb. 6, 1899, Glenn, Hartley Covey, son of Mrs. Rebecca Covey, aged three years, one month and eleven days.

Little Glenn was ill about three weeks and although medical skill did all that was possible, yet it was in vain. He was an exceedingly bright little fellow, being the sunshine of the home, and his smiling face and prattling voice will be sadly missed.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday of this week conducted by Rev. L. W. Foster, and the remains were interred in the Baxter cemetery.

BOLD HOLD UP.

Last Saturday morning just after the 5 o'clock train had left the night agent for the Memphis at this place, and Claude Fenton, express agent, were held up and robbed of about \$100. The robbers were two tramps whom the agent had allowed to stay in the depot the night before. Agent and Fenton were tied to their chairs and told not to be in a hurry about getting away. After doing their work, the robbers babe agent and Fenton a merry good morning and departed. They soon succeeded in freeing themselves, but the bold, highwaymen had made a successful "get away." No clue.

NOTICE.

I have disposed of my stock of hardware and implements to The Fribley Hardware and Implement Company, and earnestly request all persons knowing themselves indebted to me on notes due and past due to call and settle. If it is impossible for you to pay cash, please settle by note and square up your book account; or if a past due note, renew it. I trust you will give this matter your early attention and greatly oblige. Yours truly, J. J. FRIBLEY.

STOCK SALE.

At the lease of Geo. Girten one and one-half miles west of the Quapaw mission and seven miles southwest of Baxter, on Thursday, Feb. 16, Geo. Girten and John Dougan will sell 7 horses, 5 mules, 80 head of cattle, 35 hogs farm implements, household and kitchen furniture, etc., on 10 months' time.

The sale will be conducted by the boss auctioneer, J. P. Hartley. The big bills announcing the sale were printed at this office.

FOR SALE.

A farm of 300 acres situated two miles north of Baxter Springs, Kan. Said farm has a three-room frame dwelling house, an excellent well of never-failing water; also never-failing water for stock; coal for fuel and timber for farm purposes. For further particulars inquire of or address, A. F. STILLSON, Baxter Springs, Kansas.

Having sold my dwelling, I now occupy room No. 5 over Dent's grocery. All calls promptly answered, day or night. R. E. ENOLLS, M. D.

Dr. Sawyer's Little White Ankle Pills give purity of blood and vigor of thought by purifying the bowels, and care biliousness, inactive liver and constipation. W. E. Price drug store.

VERY, Very, Very Low Prices on SHOES!

200 pairs of Ladies' Fine Shoes below cost, mostly small sizes, from 2s to 4s—have a larger sizes—cost from \$1.50 to \$2.00 a pair, and we offer them at \$1 to \$1.50 a pair.

75 pairs Misses' Shoes, sizes from 13 1/4, that sold at \$1.25 to \$1.50 a pair, now all at \$1 a pair. Also

SHIRTS!

100 Men's all wool work shirts at one-third off. No old shop worn goods in the lot; all handsome, desirable goods, of which by inventory we found we had too many, and make these extra low prices to get rid of them. They are cheaper than any merchant can buy and sell at these prices without loss.

John M. Cooper.

OUR BIG SIX.

As our readers are aware, we have secured for them this year a very advantageous clubbing arrangement, which includes The Kansas City Live Stock Indicator, its Special Farmers' Institute editions, The Farmers' Mutual Insurance Journal and The Humane Alliance, together with our own paper, all for the surprisingly low figure of \$1.45. Nothing like this has ever before been offered to our farmer readers. The Indicator with its Special Institute edition for January contains 52 pages of practical farm information, and reading the paper and its Special Institute edition for a year practically amounts to a liberal agricultural education. The Special Farmers' Institute edition for the present month considers four interesting, practical topics relating to farm prosperity, sheep husbandry, winter's work, etc., and on them more than 200 practical farmers and farmers' wives in the West contribute their views and experiences, making it a remarkable collection of the best thought on western farms. The Poultry Farmer, The Poultry Farmer, The Mutual Insurance Journal and The Humane Alliance, the best of their class, should be in every farm home. Take advantage of this great offer. If taken advantage of by Feb. 1, we will give the entire combination for \$1.20.

Yes, 'tis true: Foley's Honey and Tar Is the best Cough Medicine. A. R. Kane.

SOME RARE PANSIES.

To give our readers an opportunity to test their famous pansy seeds, Messrs. May & Co., the well known seed growers of St. Paul, Minnesota will mail their Giant Pansy Collection to any person sending them only ten cents in silver or stamps. This collection consists of the following five rare varieties, put up in five separate packets, (over 500 seeds) enough for a large pansy bed; Improved Snow Queen, white; the Shah, bronze colored, Gorgeons, dark brownish red; Swanley Blue, delicate lavender blue; German Prize Mixed, a superb mixture of choice varieties. Send ten cents for the pansy collection and give them the names and address of four persons who buy seeds, and they will include free a packet of the wonderful Horn Poppy. On each packet will be printed full cultural instructions. They will also send to any gardener or farmer a package of their Extra Early Tree Tomato on receipt of six cents in stamps. Their handsomely illustrated catalogue will be mailed free on application, to any one who intends to purchase seeds this spring. Be sure and mention our paper when writing May & Co.

We have received the "Golden Wedding Edition" of Vicks' seed catalogue, and it is a daisy. 'Tis the finest thing we have ever seen in the way of a seed catalogue. While this catalogue is really too expensive to give away, they give it with a due bill for 25 cents worth of seeds for only 15 cents. Another new feature is the doing away with the old packet of vegetable seeds and sifting the quantity in each case, the buyer getting more for his money. Address James Vicks' Sons, Rochester, N. Y.

Memphis Route Route Homeseekers Excursion.

To points in the North, South, East and West on Jan. 17, Feb. 7 and 21, March 7 and 21, 1899.

Return limit 21 days from date of sale. One fare plus \$2; minimum excursion rate \$9. Return limit 21 days. Call on me for further information. C. E. WELLS, Agt.

Try the House of Lords at Joplin for something to eat.

BORN—On Thursday, Feb. 2, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gibbons at their home in Weir City, Kansas, a ten-pound boy. All parties interested are doing nicely.

FRESH OYSTERS can now be had at Mrs. Meyerding's in any style.

Frost Bites and Chills quickly cured by Banner Salve, the most healing remedy in the world. A. R. Kane.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

One of the prettiest little homes in Baxter; house of six rooms; cistern; barn; fruit; two lots; good neighborhood. Inquire at this office.

An Honest Medicine for La Grippe.

George W. Waitt of South Gardner, Me. says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and gripe and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one 50c bottle and the chills, cold and gripe have left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by Cooper Drug Co.

PUBLIC SALES.

On Tuesday, Feb. 14, at his place one mile east and one mile north of Neutral, and one and one-half miles west and six miles north of Baxter Springs, John M. Kitch will sell 2 mules, 1 mare, 6 fine young hogs, farm implements, etc., on 12 months' time.

On Wednesday, Feb. 22, at his place 9 1/2 miles west of Baxter, T. B. Street will sell a span of work mules, 30 head of cattle, 15 hogs, farm implements, 500 bushels of corn, 150 bushels of oats, 15 tons of baled hay, household goods, etc., on 12 months' time.

J. P. Hartley, the boss auctioneer, will officiate at these sales. The bills announcing these sales were printed at this office.

Cooling and grateful in its effects, you will find Dr. Sawyer's Arnica and Witch Hazel Salve for eczema, piles, hives, burns and cuts. W. E. Price drug store.

The aggregate expenditure for advertising of twenty big department stores is \$1,800,000 a year. Wanamaker heads the list with \$325,000, and the Sibley-Cooper Co. is a good second with \$200,000.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of constipation and sick headaches. For malaria and liver troubles they have proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorates the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by A. R. Kane, druggist.