

THE HOTTEST BARGAINS

Of the hot season are obtainable where the greatest desire is to dispose of Merchandise. Having decided to dispose of the entire lines of Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishings, the most economical way is to move them quickly. To do so the best way is to underprice, and here is where you benefit. The entire lines must go and go quickly. There are no ifs and ands about it; the edict has gone forth and they are on the way. YOU SHOULD GET YOUR PART WHILE THE GETTING IS GOOD.

Our Special Effort Now is to Sell Every Yard of

Summer Dress Goods and every piece of Summer Underwear--

IF BEAUTY of STYLES, QUALITY of FABRICS and a BIG SAVING in PRICE TO YOU WILL DO IT WE WILL ACCOMPLISH IT.

AMONG the MANY TIMELY ITEMS THAT SHOULD INTEREST YOU are

Fancy Parasols, Fabric and Kid Gloves, Silk and Lisle Hosiery, Neckwear and Ribbons

The Golden Rule Closing Sale affords as great an opportunity for Men to underbuy as Ladies.—Here are a few of the many interesting items:

SUITS AND PANTS	HATS AND CAPS	UNDERWEAR	MEN'S AND BOYS' SHIRTS
Men's wool Suits, \$4.98, \$5.98, \$6.98, \$7.98.....\$9.98	Men's \$3.50 Hats\$2.19	Men's bleached athletic Union Suits50c	Men's Sport Shirts, 79c to\$1.19
Men's Coats and Vests, choice of lot for\$3.98	Men's \$2.50 Hats\$1.49	Men's Nainsook athletic Union-Suits, B. V. D. style69c	Boys' Sport Shirts67c
Boy's wool Serge and novelty two-piece Suits.....\$3.08	Men's wool cloth Hats48c	Men's balbriggan Union Suits, 75c to\$1.19	Men's Dress Shirts, 59c, 69c to\$1.59
Boys' wool knickerbocker Pants, 39c to98c	Men's silk and light weight Hats39c	Men's balbriggan Under Shirts25c	Our line of Men's Shirts runs from 14 to 19 in size.
Men's wash Pants\$1.19	Men's dress Straw Hats, 25c to98c	Boys' balbriggan Union Suits, 24 to 3435c	
Men's heavy corduroy Pants\$3.48	Men's common Straw Hats, 19c to39c	Boys' Nainsook Union Suits, 24 to 3435c	
Boys' Overalls, 59c and75c	Boys' Hats and Caps, 15c to59c		

SHOES	MISCELLANEOUS
Shoes are moving rapidly and sizes somewhat broken, but a big saving is made on every pair purchased. Our Shoes are all leather and made by skilled labor.	Ties, Collars, Collar Buttons, Tie Clasps, Stick Pins, Cuff Buttons, Arm Bands Suspenders, Belts, Gloves, Socks, Garters, etc., all for less while they last.
Work Shoes, \$1.98 to\$6.19	
Dress Shoes, \$1.98 to\$4.48	
Tennis Shoes for children, ladies and men, 69c to\$1.29	
We have already sold fifty per cent of our Tennis shoes, which tells the story of the quality and the price.	

Our Lines Are Comprehensive, including--

Wash Goods, White Goods, Wool Goods, Silks, Ginghams, Percales, Prints, Muslins, Sheetings, Blankets, Pillow Slips, Curtain Goods, Silklines, Linings, Embroideries, Laces, Braids, Buttons, Gloves, Ladies' Waists and Skirts.

Muslin and Knit Underwear, Cotton Batts, Notions, Trunks, Suit Cases, Telescopes, Shirts, Men's and Boys' Underwear, Boys' Waists and Wash Suits, Men's and Boys' Suits and Pants, Hosiery, Overalls, Tennis Shoes, Oxfords, Men's and Ladies' Shoes, Rubbers, Hats, Caps, etc.

Hit the Ball While it is Rolling

STORE OPEN SATURDAY as LATE as NECESSARY to ACCOMMODATE the BUYERS--THIS SALE WILL CONTINUE until goods are all disposed of--This is no fake closing sale but the simon pure article

THE GOLDEN RULE

The Store That Does as it Advertises

Social and Personal

News of the Activities of the Societies, Churches, Lodges and People of Baxter Springs and Vicinity

Raymond Laird of this city visited friends in Ft. Scott Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. W. Wilson and Miss Grace Perkins are Joplin visitors today.

D. E. O'Connell, of Oswego, was in Baxter Monday in consultation with his business partner, H. H. McGuire.

Don't forget the July Clearance Sale at the Globe Clothing store. "One block south on Military."

Miss Kathleen Crabtree, of Pryor, Okla., who has been in this city visiting her friend, Mrs. J. H. Hannah, returned to her home Monday.

Attorney C. B. Rogers, a prominent lawyer of Tulsa, Okla., was transacting business in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. Maud Moore, of Mt. Vernon, Mo., is in this city the guest of Miss Stella Greer.

Dr. L. D. Gray spent Sunday evening in Columbus.

Dr. Cannon reports a boy born last week to Mrs. Doan Redeagle. Mr. Redeagle is in training at Camp Travis. The baby has been named Johnny Redeagle. Also born to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Maglauffin, Sunday, July 14, a boy, name, Benjamin Alonso, and born to Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Ator at W. J. Wells, a 9-pound girl, Monday, July 15. Name Martha Jane. All doing well.

Fifteen young ladies from Galena came over Saturday evening and enjoyed themselves swimming in Spring river. The crowd was chaperoned by Mrs. W. B. Scott of this city.

Mrs. Thomas Puckett of this city will entertain with a swimming party Thursday afternoon for a number of Galena young people.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Scott spent Monday in Pittsburg transacting business.

Mrs. M. E. Mullen is spending the week in Columbus, the guest of her granddaughters, Mrs. Harold Scammon and Mrs. Otvin Cooper.

Atty. Bowersock, of Galena, was in this city on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stone of this city have gone to Sarcoxie, Mo., to spend the summer on their farm.

The Christian congregation who have been holding their services in the tabernacle built by them for the big Hamilton-Brock revival meeting, have moved back to the church and from now on all the meetings will be held in the church.

Mrs. J. Sawyer Cannon and little niece of Kansas City, who has been spending the summer in this city, visited friends in Joplin Tuesday afternoon.

Ray Harmon was transacting business in Joplin Tuesday for L. A. Smith.

M. B. Rich is making a business trip this week to Northwestern Arkansas. He will return tomorrow.

Mrs. Fred Armstrong and Mrs. Lightfoot, of Miami, visited Mrs. Jim Harmon in this city Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Popplewell who is visiting friends in different points in Missouri, writes her parents that she has arrived safely in Sedalia and is enjoying her visit very much.

The city engineer has not yet prepared a report for the establishing of the street grade along the Rogers line in Baxter Springs.

Harold Godfrey, of Cripple Creek, Colo., has arrived in this city to take charge of the Hercules Powder Co., formerly managed by Mr. Scoville. Mr. Scoville has been called into service.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hale are moving today into their new home in the southwest part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stephens, of East River street returned home Monday after having spent the week end with Mr. Stephens' sister in Mt. Vernon, Mo.

Messrs. Easley, Wm. Emmett and Childer Hall, all of this city, and who are employees of the Blue Mound Mining Co., enlisted in the Engineering Corps, under Captain Franklin, in Joplin Monday.

Miss Beatrice Titus, of the Jackson drug store were the Sunday guests of Misses Helen Scoville and Lucile Kayser, of Joplin.

Mrs. Howard Sandford, of Joplin, was in this city Monday visiting friends.

W. M. Martin, formerly an employe of the Frisco in this city, but who for the past three months has been employed by the road in Quapaw, is moving back to Baxter and will be with the Frisco again. He will take Mr. Schneider's place as third trick operator.

Friends in this city have received letters from Harrison Thomas who is at Camp Funston in service. He says he is enjoying life at camp and that they have all kinds of sports there and are getting plenty to eat. He has a brother in service at some other camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Confer, of this city, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Manning.

Frank Schneider who is called to report for duty on the 22nd, left Monday for Webb City where he will visit for a few days after which he will go to Lamar for a visit with relatives there.

Mrs. Ford, Misses Mersch and Donahue, cashiers of the Jackson drug store, of Joplin, were the guests Sunday of the cashiers of the Jackson drug store of this city.

Mrs. Claude Peters, of Muskogee, Okla., who was killed here by the death of her father, Joe Darnell, will return soon to her home. Mrs. Darnell, the widow, is selling off the stock and personal property on the farm and will come to Baxter to live.

Mr. A. Thomas, who bought the Mrs. Arthur Johnson residences in the northwest part of town some time ago, is building six new homes in the south part of town.

Mrs. G. W. Musgrove of Ash Grove, Mo., visited here last week. Mrs. C. W. Day and Mrs. Cora Hobbs, in this city, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Cook and Mrs. Martha Reynolds, of Seneca, Mo., spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. E. H. Matthews, at her home on Washington avenue.

J. A. Anderson, of Orlton, Okla., is in this city visiting his aunt, Mrs. P. L. Williams.

Miss Edna Williams, of Miami, is spending her vacation in this city with home folks.

W. H. Nelson, of Joplin, a veterinarian, will make Baxter Springs three days each week.

Messrs. and Mesdames Jim and Ray Harmon motored to Riverton Sunday in their Ford car.

Joseph Leslie Haley, the 22 months old child of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Haley of this city, died at their home on Twenty-second street and Choteau avenue Sunday. The child had been suffering for some time from summer complaint and later contracted whooping cough which caused his death. The body was taken to Anderson, Mo., Monday for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewis, of this city, are in receipt of a letter from their son, Clarence, who is stationed at Fort Totten, New York, saying they are expecting daily to get word that they are going overseas. They are getting new supplies and equipments so it looks like that they may sail just any time.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Waggoner transacted business in Joplin Tuesday.

The Baxter colored boys who left Monday for Camp Funston were accompanied as far as Columbus by a large number of their friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hodson gave a six o'clock dinner in honor of the boys, after which they were escorted to the Ebenstein building for an evening of patriotic music and merry making. The Chamber of Commerce provided a piano, electric fans and plenty of ice water for the occasion. The Red Cross of Columbus presented each boy with a comfort kit. The boys left Columbus Tuesday morning for Camp were Frank McDowell, Chas. Clay, John Watson, Ray and Wm. Estes, Monroe Lawrence, Ernest and Nathaniel Kitchen.

Attorney E. B. Morgan, of Galena, was in this city on business Tuesday.

Friends of Arthur Youse in this city have received word that he is soon to be transferred from Philadelphia to a camp in New Jersey.

A little child about two years old was taken to the office of Dr. Cannon Tuesday afternoon to be examined. The child had gotten hurt in some way by the street car on Twentieth street. The doctor examined the child and could find nothing seriously wrong, it had a few scratches but that was all that he could find. It might develop later to have some internal injuries, but the doctor hardly thinks anything like that will happen.

Miss Lottie Smith, who with her mother has been in Kansas City the past week visiting her sister, Miss Jessie Smith, returned to her home in this city the first of the week. Her mother remained in the city for an extended visit.

Sup. and Mrs. O. M. Rhine left Wednesday for Oskaloosa, Kas., to visit home folks. Mr. Rhine will spend a week in special educational work at the state university.

MELROSE.

A fine rain fell in this vicinity last week and corn and grass is revived but stock water is still scarce and a number of farmers haul water for home use.

Thom Horned has been assisting Pierson and sons in haying and was taken quite sick one night last week and called on Dr. Walker, of Melrose, for medical aid last Thursday. He is able to be at work again.

O. W. Brown and family visited his brother-in-law, Will Welch, and family last Sunday.

D. S. Stebbins is visiting home folks at Columbus and attending to business for a few days.

S. Sartin, who is working at Picher, was at home at Stebbins Sunday and visited his sister, Mrs. G. H. Filby, and husband, Sunday morning.

Francis Pierson called at the Filby shop Sunday morning to repair his auto before starting for his brother-in-law's at Hallowell, who came home with him.

Virgil Horned, of near Melrose, was a business caller at Cardin and Picher

or last Thursday.

Mrs. Ed Garrett has been quite sick the past spring and somewhat improved at times, was stricken with paralysis one day last week.

U. S. Sartin, in the Real Estate business at Miami enjoyed a visit from his wife and daughter of Kansas City, also his sister, Mrs. F. H. Barnett, husband and three daughters, all of Kansas City; and motored through the mining towns of Commerce, Picher and Cardin enroute to visit their cousin Mrs. G. H. Filby and husband last Tuesday evening and returned to Miami after supper.

Dr. Walker of Melrose was calling on a patient in this vicinity last Tuesday evening.

Gus Willard and wife in company with her sister were calling on G. H. Filby and wife Friday evening.

Mrs. Wieland took her sister to Baxter Sunday to return to Springfield, Mo., after a few days visit.

THOMAS BOWERS.

Hardin Thomas Bowers, son of Gilge and Sarah Bowers, was born May 19, 1855, and died April 27, 1918, aged 62 years, 11 months and 8 days. He had resided in Cherokee county 17 years, coming here from Baxton County, Mo. He had been in poor health for two years and was confined to his bed for almost nine weeks during the last sickness. He bore his sickness patiently, never complaining, but always looking on the bright side of life. He was converted in October, 1908, and united with the Free Will Baptist church of which he remained a faithful member until his death. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sarah Bowers, and two sons, Irvin and Elmer Bowers, and one daughter, Mrs. Jennie Thomas and six grand children, four brothers, J. F. Bowers, Nettleton, Mo.; Charles Bowers, Mount Hope, Kas.; William Bowers, Carthage, Mo., and Emanuel Bowers, of Oklahoma City, Okla., and one sister, Mrs. Nancy Clampit, of Iowa. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. John C. Booe, at the Shilo church, with interment in the Pleasant View cemetery.

He has gone to that bright City To abide for ever more. He has left this world of sorrow He has reached a brighter shore. Contributed.

Mrs. C. T. Morgan is spending a few days with Mrs. Frankie Edington, of this city.