

# Prices Smashed

## BALTZER & DODDS DRY GOODS COMPANY'S CLOSING OUT SALE

Every article in our house must be sold regardless of cost. This is a real, bonafide QUIT BUSINESS SALE. Come quick and get YOUR SHARE of BARGAINS.

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Ladies' Muslin and Silk Underwear  
Gowns  
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**ONE-HALF Regular Price**

94 Bleached Sheeting <b>45c</b>	Book-fold Dress Gingham <b>12c</b>	36-in Bleached Domestic <b>15c</b>
Huck Towels <b>8c</b>	36-inch Percale <b>17c</b>	Boys' Fleece Lined Union Suits <b>69c</b>
Ladies' Knit Union Suits <b>95c</b>	Army & Navy Wool Socks 2 pair for <b>25c</b>	Men's Mixed Work Socks <b>9c</b>
Fleishers Germantown Knitting Yarn <b>25c</b>	Men's Soft Linen Collars <b>12½c</b>	15 and 20c Curtain Scrim <b>10c</b>

Men's \$6.00 and \$6.50 Fur and Velour Hats for — **\$3.00**

Men's "Big Buck" Blue Work Shirts — **85c**

Ladies' \$15 to \$18 Silk Dresses, choice for — **\$8.95**

Choice of any Ladies' Suit in the house for — **\$13.95**

Ladies' \$65.00 Fur Coat for only — **\$27.50**

100 yards Embroidery, regular 15 to 25c quality, slightly soiled, at  
**1c Yard**

**Christmas Gift Sale**--We have a nice line of suitable gifts for Women and Children. Ladies' and Children's Handkerchiefs put up in Holiday Boxes. Ladies' Silk and Silk Wool Hose, Royal Society Stamped Goods, Centerpieces, Scarfs and Underwear.

**BALTZER & DODDS DRY GOODS CO.**

If you have not received one of our Christmas catalogues, call at the store get a copy.—E. R. Ellison.  
Phone 13—The lucky number for un-lucky motors.

**Have Breakfast Room Tidy.**  
Start the day right by having the breakfast room aired and tidy, even though a more thorough sweeping and dusting is done afterwards. If the table is set the night before a light cloth must be thrown over it.

**FLOWERS for any occasion**  
I am in position to furnish you with cut flowers of any design or potted plants. All orders given careful attention.  
Mrs. John Choate

The weather forecaster was double-crossed as Tuesday. On Monday he predicted "cloudy and warmer." Tuesday morning, to the contrary, was clear as a bell, ice had formed, a chill wind was blowing, and the well known wolf was scampering and barking and holding high jinks.

The Trade in Hickman campaign is ended, but trading in Hickman will continue. It's become a habit with many who used to trade here only at intervals.

Gold weighs about twenty times as much as its own bulk of water.

### Harvester King Bringing Bride Home



Harold F. McCormick, the Harvester King, is soon to bring his operatic bride, Ganna Walska, back to America, when the McCormick millions will be spent trying to make her vocal dreams come true. This is an exclusive photo of the honeymooners taken in Paris.

### GOING TO CALIFORNIA

John Sexton, formerly one of the proprietors of The Courier, and who left here several months ago, was in town last week greeting his vast host of friends in this city. Mr. Sexton and family have been for some time living in Clarksdale, Miss., but he informed us that upon his return they would pack up and go to the supposedly perfect climate of California. The Mississippi plantation, owned jointly by Messrs. Speer and Sexton, has been rented at a goodly figure to responsible parties.

The Courier the other day received a card from W. C. Speer, written from Juarez, Old Mexico, across the Rio Grande from El Paso, Tex. Mr. Speer and family are enroute to Riverside, Calif., where they intend to spend the winter and may reside permanently.

The fire department was called to the home of J. T. Stephens Tuesday afternoon to extinguish a blaze in the roof. The firemen got on the roof and chopped their way to the fire, extinguishing it without a great deal of trouble.

After spending 700 years fighting for freedom, the Irish now discover it the worst thing that ever happened to 'em.

Mrs. Carl Zeisner and children left Sunday for Louisville to spend Christmas.

### COLD WAVE.

A cold wave swooped down on this section Tuesday and Tuesday night and many express the belief that Wednesday morning was the lowest temperature we have had since the hard winter of 1917. The thermometer registered 13 above at 6 a. m.

Solve your Christmas problems by giving subscriptions to magazines. This will be a sure hit for the whole family.—Miss Clara McConnell, phone 149.

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We are ready for the Christmas buyer with a selection of suitable articles for gifts. When you buy Furniture for Christmas you get—

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Something that is a pleasure 365 days in the year

Something that is not a waste of money

Something that beautifies your home

Come in and look at our stock of Floor Lamps, Table Lamps, Desks, Phonographs, Records, Suits of Furniture, Chairs, Tables, Rugs, Beds, Kitchen Cabinets, Stoves, and Novelties. You will make your family happy—and that happiness will linger.

Make This A Furniture Christmas

**Barrett & Ledford**

### CRITCHFIELD NOTES.

John Walker had a very severe stroke of paralysis Sunday afternoon. He is reported to be improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Binford entertained the young people with a party Saturday night. A very delightful time was reported by all.

Miss Cathryn Freeman of Clinton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Y. A. Milner, of this city.

Miss Willie Everett of near Clinton, spent several days of last week with her aunt, Mrs. Kelly Moore.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walker on Dec. 11, a fine girl.

Miss Grace McClannahan spent several days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lon McClannahan, near here.

Misses Alma Bellew and Claris Herring were visitors of Miss Sadie Smith Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Elliot and baby of Paducah, are visiting relatives here at this writing.

Bert Hodges, of Los Angeles, Calif., visited at the home of Bob Elliot and family last week.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Webb is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. Ernest Carver and little son, Roy Wade, spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Willie Wade.

Eat at the Busy Bee.

### DEATH OF SAM STORY.

Sam Story, aged 20, died on December 6, at the home of Joe Dockins, on Ash Log Ridge, death resulting from inflammatory rheumatism. His illness covered a period of two weeks. Deceased is survived by one sister and one brother—Mrs. Ada Broode and Johnnie Story. Interment was made at Brownsville Cemetery.

### PROPER SIZE OF HEN FLOCK

Number Which Can Be Kept Most Efficiently Will Depend Upon Space Available.

The size of the flock which can be kept most efficiently will depend upon the space available and upon the amount of table scraps and other waste available for feed. It is a mistake to overstock your land, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Better results will be obtained from a few hens in a small yard than from a large number. The backyard flock rarely should consist of more than 20 or 25 hens, and often of not more than eight or ten. For 20 or 25 hens you should have a yard 25 by 30 feet in size.

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