

The Messenger

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Ayer's

Bald? Scalp shiny and thin? Then it's probably too late. You neglected dandruff. If you had only taken our advice, you would have cured

Hair Vigor

the dandruff, saved your hair, and added much to it. If not entirely bald, now is your opportunity. Improve it.

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for over 40 years. I am now 81 years old and have a heavy growth of rich brown hair, due, I think, entirely to Ayer's Hair Vigor."

Mrs. M. A. KEITH, Belleville, Ill.

50¢ a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Good Hair

ASK YOUR BARBER

about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." You'll think Santa Claus is here when you see all the things at

WALTER SMITH. Baby Rings for \$1.00 at RICHARD & CO.

Present for the baby up to grand father at BEARDEN & KING.

Time eliminated by the gins of the Okolona Cotton Oil Co.

Get your Christmas candies at J. Dahmer's. They are made by the Blank-Wenneker Co., and are the finest you ever tasted.

ASK YOUR MILKMAN

about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." For Rent.

Choice business rooms, corner of Main and Center streets in the Keeney building. Also living rooms on second floor. Apply to

T. J. KEENEY. Books, Medallions, Toilet Sets, Toys, Shaving Sets—everything for every member of the family and to suit everyone's pocketbook at

BEARDEN & KING. W. P. Conner killed two young hogs last week each 11 month old, which weighed 623 pounds. Thinks they are record breakers.

Capt. Joe Reid, of Thelma, was in town last week, visiting friends and kindred for the first time in twenty years. He is one of the oldest inhabitants of Chickasaw county.

"Do you want to earn \$100.00 in the next 30 days? If so, drop us a card for particulars. We are publishers of the fastest selling line of Red Letter Bibles and popular subscription books on the market. One of agents earned \$500.00 clear in the past 30 days. Do not delay but write today. The Ellis Martin Co., Dep't 22, Jackson, Tenn."

ASK YOUR LAWYER

about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." D. D. Dendy, of Vidalia, is the guest this week of his brother S. T. Dendy.

The highest grade of Christmas goods we have ever bought. BEARDEN & KING.

Rev. Broghan, lately of Carrollton, has been assigned to the M. E. church here.

You'll think Santa Claus is here when you see all the things at WALTER SMITH.

Mrs. M. E. Boone, of Ladonia, Texas is visiting her son-in-law, G. W. Anglin.

You can rely upon the quality of the rag you get at G. F. Richards & Co's for a Christmas present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Steinberger and sons visited in Tupelo Saturday and Sunday.

Every desire of the little ones can be fulfilled at WALTER SMITH.

Our line of ladies watches is complete. G. F. RICHARD & CO.

Don't say you can't think of anything to buy for a man you can at BEARDEN & KING.

Miss Buela Turner has returned from Aberdeen.

Rev. N. G. Augustus left for Pontotoc last week.

Mr. Van Kincannon was in the city this week.

The best selection of Christmas goods I have ever had. WALTER SMITH.

Miss Sallie B. King will be home Friday from Mobile.

Beautiful yet inexpensive Christmas gifts at BEARDEN & KING.

Miss Lula Furr will spend the holidays with her relatives.

Brooches and stick pins of all varieties at Richard & Co.

Mrs. A. Saddler, of Little Rock, Ark., is the guest of Mrs. Tom Buchanan.

Everything for the little ones at BEARDEN & KING.

ASK YOUR DRUGGIST

about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." The bale numbers at the Dendy cotton yard are running far into the 4,000 now. Mr. Dendy is a hustler and will get his share of all the cotton that comes to town.

Miss Minnie Frazee was the hostess to the Social and Card Club Wednesday. A most delightful afternoon was enjoyed by each guest. The Club prize was awarded Miss Walton, and the guests prize presented Mrs. S. D. Murphree.

The Bazaar given by the W. F. Tucker chapter was a great success—being liberally patronized. The neat sum of fifty dollars and seventy cents was realized. Two lace handkerchiefs were voted to the most popular married and single lady in the Chapter. Mrs. John Davis and Miss Lotta Rabel being the fortunate winners.

Notice! Notice! Notice! I hereby order a Special Election to be held at the Mayor's office in the City of Okolona, Mississippi, on Thursday, January 4th, 1906, to fill a vacancy in the City Council from the Second ward, occasioned by the resignation of E. J. Ezell.

The polls will be opened at 5 o'clock a. m. and closed 5 p. m.

H. L. MORRISON, Mayor of the City of Okolona. Dated this Dec. 18, 1905.

ASK YOUR DOCTOR

about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." It will pay you to look at our odd lot of Silver pieces. RICHARD & CO.

Don't miss our display. WALTER SMITH.

Fine line Christmas Candies—the famous Nunnally in boxes. BEARDEN & KING.

Miss Sophia Sadler, of Penelope, Texas, is visiting relatives and friends.

All we ask is that you look over our display of Christmas goods, they'll sell themselves. BEARDEN & KING.

Mr. and Mrs. McConnell spent Friday and Saturday in Tupelo.

Miss Minnie Black will be the guest of Mrs. E. J. Ezell during the holidays. The best lot of Christmas toys and presents ever brought to Okolona at WALTER SMITH.

Anything you want in the Jewery line at RICHARD & CO.

T. L. Bramlett was shaking hands with his many friends here Tuesday.

Mr. McCormack, of St. Louis, was the guest of Mr. J. E. Edens last Friday.

Mrs. M. Mecklenburger has returned from a pleasant visit to her daughter in Columbus.

We can help you make the happiest Christmas you have ever experienced. Come and see us. BEARDEN & KING.

ASK THE POLICE

about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." Rev. T. M. Brownlee, the bright young circuit rider of the M. E. Church from Okolona, has been assigned to Shannon by the late conference.

You won't want to send away for a present after seeing those at WALTER SMITH.

Your cotton ginned in up to date fashion and time, is what you want. That is the service the Okolona Cotton Oil Mill gives.

Good music at Methodist church Sunday. Everybody invited to come members as well, and hear the new preacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Walker formerly of Okolona moved to Houston last Tuesday and will make this their permanent home. They are occupying the Walker home on Washington street.—Houston Post.

ASK THE ICEMAN

about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." Not only Toys but presents for each and every one in the family. WALTER SMITH.

A nice Phaeton, Surrey, Cart and fine Jersey Cow for sale by E. J. Ezell; also a number of city lots very cheap. Every thing must be sold.

Choir practice at the M. E. church promptly at 7 o'clock p. m. Wednesday. Be sure and be on hand, all ye singers.

ASK YOUR MINISTER about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." Now is time to buy a beautiful Sideboard, Dining table, lovely Bedroom sets, Book Case and a lot of other goods also a good large fire proof iron safe, at a big sacrifice, at E. J. Ezell as he has sold his home and will now leave in a few more days for Palestine, Texas, to live.

ASK CLARENCE PARCHMAN about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." L. B. Thompson, of Buena Vista, one of Chickasaw's best posted and most influential citizens, made this office a pleasant call this morning.

ASK YOUR GROCER

about "Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer." To Miss Bernhardt: If you think the Okolonians are a lot of farmers and Indians, you ought to see Uncle Joe Cannon and his bunch down in Washington.

The thousands of friends of Judge W. D. Frazee all over the state will be glad to hear that he has been appointed United States District Attorney for this district. Judge Frazee is one of the best lawyers in Mississippi, has always been a Republican since the end of the war, facing some difficult and trying times with a courage and manliness that surmounted all obstacles, finally proving to his friends and neighbors that he was a man among men. He will fill his new position with credit and ability. We join with the rest of his many friends in offering congratulations for his well deserved Christmas present from Uncle Sam.

Mr. Mat Hill, the popular conductor on the M. and O. local, between Okolona and Corinth, who has been seriously sick for several weeks, and was reported to have made his last run and crossed the dark river, to the delight of his many friends has fully recovered and is back at his old post of duty. He is one of the few who has some idea of what the newspapers would have to say about him after death. His obituary was published in the Okolona and Corinth papers, when the report was sent out from Jackson that he was dead. Mat says he feels all right about it, except that he rather hesitates to go walking about the streets lest some one might take him for a ghost and take a shot at him, under the spell of fright.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Imparts that peculiar lightness, sweetness and flavor noticed in the finest cake, biscuit, rolls, crusts, etc., which expert pastry cooks declare is unobtainable by the use of any other leavening agent.

Made from Pure, Grape Cream of Tartar.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

If President Roosevelt is going to be on that committee to help reorganize life insurance it may as well throw up its hands and tell the reorganizers to do their worst.

I. Morris made a trip to Tupelo Saturday.

Mrs. E. M. Cusher is visiting friend and relatives in Meridian this week.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN Hair Renewer

A high-class preparation for the hair. Keeps the hair soft and glossy and prevents splitting at the ends. Cures dandruff and always restores color to gray hair.

A Merry Christmas

of course we wish you all, and are anxious to help you make it so. That is possible by buying your

Fruits, Fruit Cakes, Candies and Fireworks

at this store. Besides every Staple Grocery



Suggestions for a Christmas Present

- Solid Silver, in Tea and Table Spoons, Souvenir Spoons, Fancy Pieces, Etc.
- Cut Glass, Imported China, from Single Pieces up to Haviland Dinner Sets
- Solid Nickel Ware in Great Variety, from Chaffing Dishes, Baking Dishes.
- Down to the smallest pieces and you will find nothing more appropriate, serviceable or beautiful.
- Electroliers, Italian Marble Statuary, Japanese Trays, Etc.

We are opening up our entire line this week and invite you to call in to see our goods and you will not find it necessary to send away for your presents

HARDWARE

W. PARCHMAN, E. L. PARCHMAN,

Parchman Bros.,

SUCCESSORS TO J. O. PARCHMAN.

COMPANY