

THERE IS MORE PLEASURE IN "GIVING THAN IN RECEIVING,"
AND THERE IS NOW
NO EXCUSE FOR SAYING
"I CANNOT AFFORD TO GIVE;"
Everybody Can Now Afford it,
— BECAUSE —

SANGER BROTHERS

ARE GOING TO
DO THEIR PART

24 MONDAY 24

GIVING :: THEIR :: PATRONS

The Advantages of a

Cost, Clearance

SALE

**HOLIDAY
GOODS!**

We have sold thousands of Presents,
but have thousands more to sell, and
these must be Closed Out Monday.
Come Early and avoid the rush. Our
store will remain open until 10 p. m.

Sanger Brothers.

RETAIL DEPARTMENT Lessing, Solomon & Rosenthal,

Our Sales prove that Moderate Prices will
eventually bring trade, and we
propose keeping the prices
down to the lowest limit.

This week you who are in
need of a good Suit of
Clothes can save from
\$2.50 to \$10 on a
Suit by visiting
our Clothing
Department

A Good Suit for \$5.00,
A Better Suit for \$7.50.
An all-wool Stylish Suit
for \$10 that's worth \$15

Just Examine our line of Stylish
Garments at

\$12.50, \$15.50, \$18.50, and \$20.

This Stock is entirely too large,
and we must reduce same, no mat-
ter what this sacrifice may be.

We are showing the most elean-
gant line of TROUSERS ever
brought to this city.

Lessing, Solomon & Rosenthal,
Cor. 5th and Austin Streets.

We are still selling the best
40 Cent Kid Gloves.

We are still selling the best
60c. Kid Gloves.

We are still selling the best
90c. KID GLOVES.

We are still selling the best
10c. Hose.

We are still selling the best
12 1-2c. Hose.

We are still selling the best
20c. Hose.

We are still selling the remainder
of our Cloaks and Wraps at
Sixty Cents

On the Dollar.

In fact, we are still Selling and will
Continue to sell our goods at the
Lowest Prices,

Which will always be found just a little
Lower Than Other Houses.

Lessing, Solomon & Rosenthal,
Cor. 5th and Austin Streets.

JAPANESE ARTISANS.

*Carpenters Who Work in Crude Ways, but
Achieve Superior Results.*

The Japanese artisan has four hands
and twelve fingers. He uses his feet as
an extra pair of hands, and his two great
toes can wrap themselves around the
articles with which he works like an
American's thumb. I saw a cooper at
work mending a bucket. He held the
bucket between his feet while he sat
down to his work and put on the hoops
with a hammer and wedge. His legs
were bare and his cue was tied in the
old Japanese fashion, while his almond
eyes closely watched the work he had
before him. After ten minutes of pound-
ing he laid down his tools and took a
smoke, and during the hour that I sat
near him he smoked four times. The
Japanese pipe only holds a pinch of
tobacco, and he could do this cheaply,
but the time consumed was at least
twenty minutes. This perpetual work
is one of the features of Japanese labor.

I am told by old American residents that
a Japanese workman will not do one-
third as much a day as an American
workman, and in every case they seem
to do their work in the hardest of ways.
The methods of labor in Japan are the
direct opposite of those in America. The
carpenters, for instance, pull their planes
the other way, and when they use the
drawing knife they push it from them
instead of pulling it towards them. They
do most of their work sitting and they
stand on the board as a rule at an angle of 45 degs.
against something rather than lay it on
a bench or sawhorse as we do. They do
their marking, not with chalk, but with
a red and an inked string when they
wish to saw in a straight line, and the
whole of the work of turning the rough
logs into the finest of cabinet work is
done by hand.

There are no planing mills in Japan,
and the sawmills can be counted on the
fingers of one hand. The usual method
of sawing logs into boards is to stand the
log at an angle against the support and
saw it by hand. The saw used is not the
powerful cross cut saw of America, but
a wide short Japanese instrument, which
has a handle about two feet long, and
which looks like a butcher's cleaver, filed
into a saw.

The human sawmill stands on top of
the log or under it, and pulls away for
ten hours a day for about thirty cents.
Skilled carpenters in cities get about
forty American cents a day, and the best
men in the business do not get over forty-
five. Still, you will find no better work-
men in the world than here. Their work
is done with the use of very few nails,
and they have to be cabinetmakers as
well as carpenters. Every Japanese house
has walls which must move in grooves
in and out every day, and the ordinary
home is as finely put together as a bureau.
The joining of everything is by dovetail-
ing, and the Japanese could teach our
American workmen much in the polish-
ing and joining of fine woods.

Speaking of house building, the Japa-
nese begin their work at the top. The
roof goes on first, and then they begin to
build the walls and to construct the interior.
— Frank G. Carpenter.

A Princely Guest.

One of the most lovely of Alpine
health resorts is Bad-Kreuth, a hamlet
of some half dozen houses built by the
side of a spring of mineral water. The
charm of the resort is not, however, due
to its loveliness, nor to its healing
waters, but to the fact that its landlord
is Prince Ludwig of Bavaria, a courteous
lord, who in his management of the
place combines a lucrative business with
a most generous charity.

The prince, the eldest son of Duke
Maximilian and the brother of the em-
press of Austria, surrendered to his
younger brother, Karl Theodor, all his
rights as the head of the family, because
he wished to marry a lady of inferior
social position, with whom he had fallen
in love.

The marriage proved to be a happy
one, and to this day, though more than
thirty years have passed since they were
united, the prince's manner to his wife
is more that of a lover than a middle-
aged married man. They have no chil-
dren, and live for the greater part of the
year in a simple suite of apartments at
Bad-Kreuth, where, according to a
writer in The Cornhill Magazine, she dis-
fuses brightness and happiness around
her, and he shows how a prince may
earn an honest livelihood, and be the
first, not to receive, but to render aid.

The whole of the health resort belongs
to the ducal family. The servants are
there, and the entire management of
the place is under Prince Ludwig's su-
perintendence. He is his own butcher,
brewer, dairyman and baker.

During June, July and August Kreuth
is filled with southern Germans, who
pay liberally for their rooms and board,
and make these months the prince's
harvest time. During May and Septem-
ber the prince receives no paying guests,
but fills the house with those he calls his
"friends." They are those who are too
proud to ask for charity, but need a little
help—officers depending upon their pay,
university students, poor professors,
struggling literary men and artists.

Two or three hundred of these
"friends" are housed, fed and tended at
the hotel during May and September as
carefully as the wealthiest guests, and
that, too, without its costing them one
penny. If at the height of the paying
season a room is left vacant, some poor
invalid is invited to occupy it, and no
one can tell from the manner of the host
or his servants that the new arrival is
not a millionaire.

Prince Ludwig never forgets a face or
a name, and his is a pleasant word for
every one, whether a paying guest or a
"friend." His manner is the same to all,
the sympathetic greeting of a courteous
host and the kindly greeting of a well
bred man.

Marrying for Beauty.

Marrying for beauty is getting as pop-
ular in this country as it has long been
among Englishmen. Within a few years
the number of men of wealth and estab-
lished position who have married store
girls, factory girls, and others poor in
circumstances, but with beauty to re-
commend them, has been extraordinary.
— Philadelphia Times.

Get Mitchell's prices on diamonds.

CALLED MEETING.

**SOMETHING IMPORTANT—FULL
ATTENDANCE DESIRED.**

Turn Out! Turn Out! Turn Out!

Mayor Hineman received this
morning the following telegram:

TAYLOR, TEX., Dec. 28, '88.

To the Mayor of Waco—

Can I have an interview with you
and the enterprising citizens of your
city at ten o'clock sharp to-morrow
(Saturday)?

[Signed] R. J. SLEDGE.

The mayor replied to the telegram
at once appointing an interview for to-
morrow at ten a. m., at the parlors of
the McClelland hotel, and asks,
through the News, with the request
that the Day publish the invitation in
the morning, that the city council, the
citizens' committee of fifteen and all
citizens who feel an interest in the wel-
fare of the city meet at the McClelland
hotel parlors to meet Mr. Sledge as
per request.

Mr. Sledge is the president of the
committee of twenty-five which has the
entire management of the State Alli-
ance, and a motion looking to Waco as
a great distributing point for the Alli-
ance has been entertained at Alliance
headquarters for some time. The mo-
tion should be fostered if it is the ob-
ject in the interview, and there
should be a big attendance at the in-
terview to-morrow.

CITY COUNCIL.

**Called Meeting to Fix Salaries of
City Officials.**

The meeting of the city council last
night was to act upon the ordinance
fixing the salaries of city officials for
the year 1889. The ordinance was
taken up at once on a motion that the
city attorney be paid \$100 per annum.
It was discussed pro and con, and the
salary of city attorney, finally fixed at
\$1000 per annum.

After a full discussion the pay of as-
sessor and collector of taxes was fixed
as follows: Three-fourths of one per
cent. on the first \$50,000 collected,
and one-half of one per cent. on the
remainder collected. For taking the
scholastic census five cents each for
the first 2000; 10 cents each for the
next 1000; 15 cents each for the next
500, and twenty-five cents each for all
above 3500.

The salary of city marshal was fixed
at \$1200 per year, and that of the city
physician at \$200 per year.

After a protracted discussion of the
salaries of policemen the salary of
mounted officers was agreed upon at
\$75 per month; the unmounted at \$60
per month; the salary of city engi-
neer at \$800 per annum; of city secre-
tary at \$1200; superintendent of free
schools \$1500. At those figures the
salary ordinance was read the third
time and passed, and after talking over
one or two minor matters the council
adjourned to regular meeting, which
takes place next Thursday.

The Dallas News of yesterday notes
the McLean-Prescott combination at
Dallas, in the following complimentary
way: The play was "Virgilius,"

with Mr. E. D. McLean in the title
role and Miss Marie Prescott as Vir-
ginia. Some of the greatest tra-
gedians have made part of their fame in
Virgilius, and a new actor in taking
up that role has not only to have the
ability, but he must overcome a great
deal of prejudice and suffer in com-
parisons instituted by hasty critics
between himself and the great lumina-
ries that have gone before and set.
With a full knowledge of the obsta-
cles to be met and overcome Mr. Mc-
Lean is starring in "Virgilius." He
is well equipped physically and
vocally for the part he assumes. This,
coupled with the ability to delineate
the sturdy rugged Roman characters, in
which honor stood first and patriot-
ism next.

Miss Prescott makes as tender, sweet,
loving a Virginia as one would want
to see. She has all the charms of per-
son and refinements of art to present
the purity, innocents, modesty and the
rest of the angelic attributes that make
up the character of the Roman maiden.

The support is good, and the per-
formance as a whole was received with
every demonstration of satisfaction by
the audience.

Whipped by White Caps.

CHICAGO, December 27.—A dispatch
from Martin's Ferry, O., says at Hope-
dale, Harrison county, Christmas
night, White Caps visited Dr. John
Parkhill, a leading physician, and gave
him a terrible thrashing. His errand
boy had been intoxicated and the
White Caps accused Parkhill of drug-
ging him. Charles Gamble a merchant,
hearing that they contemplated regu-
lating him, associated two men whom he
had reason to believe were members of
the organization and threatened to
shoot them in case any demonstration
was made against him. There is the
utmost excitement here and the White
Caps will probably be regulated.

THE BANKRUPT JEWELERS, LEVINSKI & LEWINE,

WILL BE SOLD OUT IN THE NEXT

FORTY-FIVE DAYS

THE ENTIRE STOCK OF

Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Silverware.

Optical Goods, etc., Must go at SACRIFICE PRICES. Come Early
and Bring Your Cash.

F. O. ROGERS, Trustee.

TO THE PEOPLE OF WACO:

MAYFIELD'S BANK

SUPPLIES THE LONG FELT WANT.

On deposit of TEN DOLLARS or more
12 per cent interest is allowed. Per-
sons desiring to borrow money on
bankable paper should call.

R. H. Gray CHEAP CASH MARKET,
J. J. RIDDLE

Keeps the Cheapest and Fattest Meats

In the City. South Side Public Sq.

PRICES.

Choice Porterhouse, 10c (whole roast).....
Choice loin.....
Choice round.....
Choice rib.....
Chuck steak.....
Sausage.....
Spice ribs.....

Groceries,

Hay, Corn, Oats, Bran, Etc.

Country Produce Bought and Sold.

TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

New Birmingham.

Lots in this growing city are selling
rapidly. In certain blocks they have
advanced one hundred per cent in one
month. J. B. Baker, Mrs. E. Lyn-
ham, Mr. A. Berkshire, Mr. C. C.
Cook and others, who have just re-
turned from there, speak in the high-
est terms of the prosperity and rapid
advance of the city. We have maps
and price list of lots in our office,
which you are invited to call and in-
spect. The following is a specimen
of prices:

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

13 lots block 1 Austin St.	\$ 500 00
6 " " 1 Galveston "	750 00
7 " " 2 " "	750 00
5 " " 2 Dallas "	1,000 00
3 " " 3 " "	1,000 00
17 " " 5 Houston "	500 00

RESIDENCE PROPERTY.
Lots from \$150 to \$500, according to
location.
By using our maps and price list
you can make a judicious selection
and save the time and expense of a
trip to Birmingham.

J. B. GILMER & CO,
Waco, Texas.

Waco coal yards, northeast corner
square, convenient for prompt deliv-
ery. Hard and soft coal and coke.
J. M. E. HARRIGAN.

CHEAP COLUMN.

LOST—Memorandum book with the daily and
monthly account of the Waco Bridge Co.—
between the bridge and E. D. Russell's on
Austin street—finder will please return to this
office, or to Mr. Russell at the bridge.

WANTED—To trade a good five room house,
with fine orchard, good well of water
and 1 1/2 acres of land on 14th street, for land or
live-stock. Address, T. N. McMillan Jr.,
Box 29, Waco, Texas.

FOR SALE—Chambers' Encyclopedia, latest
edition, new, at half its value. For par-
ticulars call at or address this office.

PAPERS—We have old papers con-
stantly on hand and
parties wanting them can get them at a bargain
by applying at the Evening News office, No.
512 Austin Avenue.

FOUND—A copy of "Daniel's Chancery
Pleading and Practice," on south 5th street.
The book can be had by calling at the News of-
fice and paying for this advertisement.

STOLEN—A white and black spotted pointer
dog, 40 reward, to be paid for his return
to Jim Crowder, on the square, at his store.

LOST—A pair of gold spectacles. The finder
will please return to Stolte Bros. and be
suitably rewarded.

FOR SALE—At a bargain 15 feet of shelving
15 feet upright wall showcase, one fine
drug showcase, 15 feet counter. Call and ex-
amine at D. H. Spencer's Music store, No. 704
Austin street.

WANTED—A white girl cook. Apply to
Ben Alexander.

WANTED—A room-mate for an excellently
furnished room in the neighborhood of
postoffice. Moderate terms. Call at or address
this office.

Stolte - Brothers,

FRESH - BREAD

GROCERIES AND PRODUCE.
Delivered in any part of the city. Increased
trade assures all of our groceries to be fresh.

STOLTE BROTHERS,
Corner Fifth and Franklin Sts.

MEN

WHO ARE WEAK, NERVOUS AND
DEBILITATED AND SUFFERING FROM
NERVOUS DEBILITY, BRUI-
NED WEAKNESS, NIGHTLY EMISSIONS
and all the effects of early evil
habits, which lead to PREMA-
TURE DEATH, CONSUMPTION,
INSANITY, send for POPE'S TREATISE
ON DEBILITY OF MAN, with particulars for
MORE CURE.

Cure guaranteed. No cure no pay. 3 FRANK-
LIN and 4th Church St. Nashville, Tenn.

New Enterprise.

Call and see Edgar & Co.'s new
Cider Mill in Stone's new hotel block,
on 5th street, between Austin Avenue
and Franklin streets. Come and get
some fresh cider from the apples as
they are ground and pressed. Cider
by the glass, pint, quart, gallon or
barrel at rock prices. Come one, come
all.
J. R. Edgar & Co. 1204

Curlies.

The most attractive feature of Mor-
rison, Blaser, & Co.'s holiday stock is
the wonderful line of imported
Curlies.

Go to the Silver Moon to-morrow and
get a fine turkey dinner.