

TWO FINE PIANOS

A "WAGNER"

AND

"JANSSEN"

TO BE

Given Away

ABSOLUTELY FREE.

One to the person holding the lucky number that will be given with every 50-cent purchase.

The other to the lady or girl who sells the greatest number of \$1.00 Coupon Books.

Beginning Saturday, March 4,

we will give a number, or ticket, to each person making a 50-cent purchase, and the person holding the lucky number will get one of these fine instruments FREE.

Girls, here's your opportunity to get an elegant Piano for very little work. We have 5,000 Coupon books, and to the lady or girl who sells the greatest number of these books, this amount, will get one of these Pianos as a present. These Coupon Books are worth \$1 in trade, and can be used at our store at any time. Four tickets or numbers will be given with each book.

Our reputation of five years' successful giving backs these propositions, and the quality of the goods offered.

To the casual reader it may seem strange that we can afford to give away such Valuable Premiums. Here is the way we figure the proposition on a plain business principle:

FIRST: It will be worth a good deal as an advertisement.

SECOND: The sale of the 5,000 Coupon Books at \$1.00 means so much to us at this time of year.

THIRD: The many new customers and increased business will offset the cost of the Instruments.

This you will see is all perfectly in accord with sound business principles and a perfectly legitimate advertisement. These Pianos can be seen at our store. They are standard Pianos and are sold by Murphy & Sons of this city, and are guaranteed by the manufacturers for 10 years.

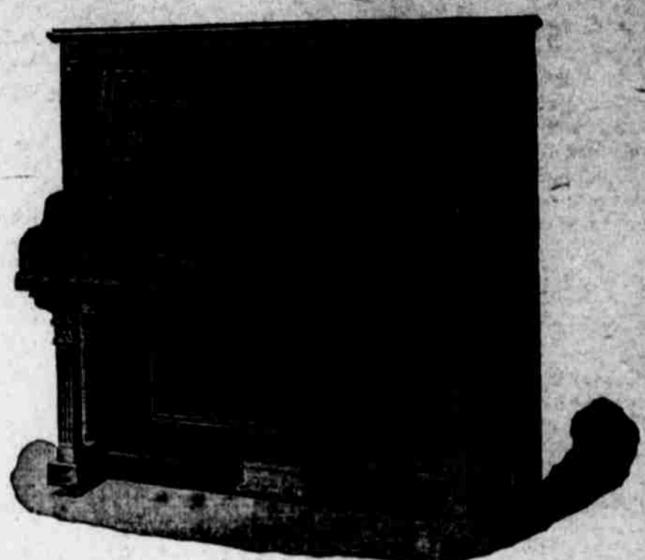
Ladies and Girls, come in and get a number of the Coupon Books. The earlier you start the greater advantage you'll have. Conditions explained fully at store.

Hunter's Bargain Store

Salisbury, Missouri

New spring goods arriving daily and being put on display.

One of the largest and best stocks we ever had.



friend; but as his friend was not here he did not tarry long.

Miss Katie Sharp was the guest of Mrs. Sue Bebes Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Lawson spent several days last week with their sister-in-law, Mrs. Libbie Elohman and family of Laclede.

Mr. Summer's daughter and family arrived here Monday on No. 8. We did not learn the name or where they were from.

Jim and Louie Clark were visitors of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nick at Marceline from Saturday till Monday.

Geo. Rhymer of Sumner and Mrs. Alfred Clark of Kansas City spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Clark, Sunday.

Charley McCullough and daughter, Lela, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Patsy McCullough of near Triplett.

Quite a number gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Summers Sunday evening to listen to the music of the graphophone.

Mrs. Joe Grimsley of near Armstrong returned home Saturday after a month's visit with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mr. Gus Sharp and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Witt and son of Oklahoma visited at the home of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Goldie Isle, from Saturday till Wednesday.

Elize Sells, our auction foreman, and family were at Medill Saturday night to visit relatives. While there they will have their children's graves filled up.

Mrs. Alfred Clark of Kansas City came on Sunday to spend a week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson of near Triplett and other relatives here and in this vicinity.

Ed Kistler, the good old time fiddler, of Bosworth, cried red Hunt's sale Thursday and took dinner with his cousin, Mrs. Chas. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Underwood and Mrs. Cynthia Crow also dined there.

Dr. Gord Brown of Triplett had his brother Boss Brown of Bosworth to call and see his little sick patient, Anna Belle Clark, Thursday. They both decided in regard to what was wrong with her. Boss said that Gord was doing all any one could do for her. We are glad to say help on the mend.

Edd Shannon bought the property and household goods of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Clay, consideration \$550. Mr. Clay and wife will leave for Washington about Mar. 10. They have lived in Washington several months, but returned here to spend the winter and dispose of their property. We hate to see them leave, but what is our loss is our loss is another's gain. Mr. Clay's son, Ollie Black, will go with them.

Glendon Walker of Carrollton was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lawson Sunday, and shaking hands with his old friends and pupils. It will be remembered that Glendon taught two terms of school here and gave good success, and could have had the third term, but as he wanted to visit another state, he did not take the school. We wish he would get our school again as he gives splendid success, not only as a teacher, but as a gentleman.

John Pate received a message Saturday that his sister in Indiana was dead. She has been sick for many months and as Mr. Pate had recently been there to see her he did not go. He did all he could for her while living and could do her no good after she was gone, only to put his faith in our Savior to meet her on the other shore. We were sorry to hear the sad news and extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mr. Pate and family in this sad hour of their bereavement in the loss of his sister.

John Reeb of Bosworth was in our midst Thursday. We presume he came to see his

week on business connected with the A. L. & A. association of which he is president.

J. P. Hayward and E. M. Williams are in New Mexico prospecting.

Mrs. Wm. Scherer is slowly recovering from a recent illness. Newton Hollock and family of Moberly are preparing to move to this place.

Martha O. Hill has sold her residence property in Prairie Hill to Benj. E. Hickew.

Bion Fowler has sold his interest in the butcher shop to Joe Baier, and the firm will henceforth be Baier Bros.

A protracted meeting, conducted by Rev. Crowe, is in progress at the new Methodist church and will run indefinitely.

Prairie Hill is preparing to mine coal, and as soon as the company can organize and get things in shape, we look to hear from them in dead earnest.

Why don't some enterprising doctor buy the Salisbury academy building and convert it into a sanitarium? Why go elsewhere for what we might have at home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stookwell left for an extended visit to friends in Brookfield and St. Louis. They will be gone about six weeks.

J. C. Armentrout of Marshall, Mo., who purchased one of the Cliff Jackson farms, north of town, has moved in. We welcome him.

Mrs. A. W. Johnson, who, for four weeks has been paralyzed, remains about the same physically, but mentally seems somewhat improved.

Mrs. Grace Beeselheimer went to Kansas City Sunday to undergo treatment for colic. Her son Ernest, went with her.

The rain Monday night postponed road dragging which just commenced, but they will receive attention as soon as dry enough. Our people realize what good roads mean to local commerce.

Chas. Heister and family leave this week for Chicago where they will reside in the future. They have lived here for several years and made many friends who regret to see them leave.

Dr. Hawkins will leave in a few days for New York City where he will take a post graduate course in medicine. He is right at the top of his profession now, but will try to go higher.

W. A. Henderson, stock man from north of town, attended a jack sale at Moberly Monday, and saw a jack he formerly owned, sell for \$2,075. He kept nothing but the best, and it is gratifying to him to see it bring such fancy prices.

A wagon load of yellow corn, being over 50 bushels, and worth \$20, or more, attracted much attention on our streets Tuesday. It was drawn by a splendid four horse team, driven by Billy Garrett.

For 25 years we have been dishing up items for the Gouman and it has grown brighter and better all the time, and we hope under its new management it will continue to be the Weekly Favorite. Success to the new management and all good wishes for those retiring.

Marl Shoemaker who has been in the Webach hospital at Moberly for some time, receiving treatment for an injury to his right eye, caused by a piece of steel striking him, came home Monday. The sight of this eye was destroyed but the other will not be injured as a result.

The crop of candidates for city officers promises to be large, and so far as we have heard, is as follows: For mayor, T. H. Edwards, T. A. Lettman and W. D. Murphy; for marshal, A. W. Dameron, P. C. Simmons and Fred Hardin; for collector, H. C. Morehead and Edward Peggall; for street commissioner, Chas. Hoop is only one announced, but others may come later.

Home Echoes.

Mrs. Benj. Franklin is improving.

Lafe Perry made a business trip to Salisbury Monday.

Mrs. Lafe Perry, who has been quite sick, is convalescent.

Ulyster Embree visited home-folks last Sunday.

Walter Minor left last Tuesday for Des Moines Iowa.

Bud Pointer and Roy Perkins left last Monday for Iowa.

Mrs. J. V. Pointer and daughter Viola shopped in Salisbury Monday.

Henry Keen and family moved to a farm near Prairie Hill last week.

Gertrude Davis is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. E. Watson, in Marceline this week.

Anderson Harlan of Prairie Hill is visiting his sister, Mrs. I. N. Jaso at present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cox and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.

Lafe Perry and children and Mr. and Mrs. Rude Medlin and children Sundayed at J. C. Medlin's.

Miss Lillian Johnson visited Miss Irene Wilks Saturday night and Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gribble a fine baby girl on Feb. 22, her name is Groyndolyn Pauline.

Mrs. Bertie Johnson and son, Victor, called on Mrs. Will Westcott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Welch spent Saturday night with the latter's parents, S. P. Johnson and wife.

What is the matter Odie? The smile on your face is much brighter this week. I guess she talked to suit you.

John Kinzley who has been visiting his sister in Kansas City for the past two weeks returned home Thursday.

There was a crowd of young folks started to a dance last

Wednesday night and got stuck up (in the mud) and didn't get back until Sunday.

Several from here attended the dance at John Lee's, near Chranville last Thursday night.

Will Kinowid and family moved to W. M. Pfeifer's farm, near Walker school house, last week.

The dance at Mrs. B. R. Ollie's last Tuesday night was well attended and all report a fine time.

Miss Flossie Faudree of near Marceline was the guest of her friend, Miss Nettie Medlin Sunday.

Mrs. John Q. Perkins and little son, Emerson, left last Tuesday for Milan to visit home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Romey Jackson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Collet Sunday and were accompanied home by their little grandson, William Collet.

Don't take DeLong.

Charley Shannon and family

are moving to the Smouce farm this week.

Chester Clark made a business trip to Triplett Monday.

Edd Shannon, wife and baby went to Triplett Monday.

Clifford Stephenson of Kansas City visited friends and relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Georgis Stelle was very sick a few days last week with hemorrhage of the throat.

Misses Goldie and Ida Clark were guests of Alex Crisman and family Sunday and Monday.

David Johnson and son, Clifford, were in our town Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hervey moved into the Mrs. Enoch Stevens property Tuesday.

Leo Taggart was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Cora Plotwood and husband of Carroll county Sunday.

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