

Forker Items

M. Fall left Monday for Iowa to be gone a few days.

Miss Lois Welsh visited relatives at Meadville over Sunday.

C. A. Welsh returned to his home at Kansas City last Thursday.

Walter Andrews returned home from Oshkosh, Neb., Tuesday.

A. T. Middleton made a business trip up in Iowa this week.

S. D. Edwards has just completed a fine new barn on his farm south of Forker.

Chas. Frakes is the proud owner of a new Buick car, purchased the first of this week.

Neil McCaskey of Kansas City spent Thanksgiving with A. T. Middleton and family.

E. K. Welsh and N. B. Cross made a business trip to Kansas City the first of this week.

Mr. Ba'lew of Oakland, Cal., visited at the home of E. K. Welsh and family part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Yates of Linden Kans., visited Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Brenner and family last week.

Mrs. Lottie Cole is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. D. Smith at Sumner who is quite poorly.

Miss Nannie Dowell who is teaching school near Marceline spent the latter of last week with home folk, Mr. and Mrs. B. Dowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lomax and family, Mrs. Bertha Prewitt and son Buster and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Yates of Kansas, spent Thanksgiving with E. F. Brenner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Read and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Humphres and little daughter Claire, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones and family of LaClede spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Welsh and family.

Last Wednesday evening about seventy-five relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Allie Welsh gathered at their home to help celebrate the former's birthday, as has been the custom for several years. The table was prettily decorated with pink and white carnations and oysters, celery, pickles, cranberries and cake were served. All enjoyed themselves throughout the evening making the occasion a very memorable one.

About thirty-five young folks of this neighborhood enjoyed a very pleasant time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Dowell last Friday evening when a party was given in honor of their daughter, Miss Nannie who was home for a short vacation and Mr. Cash, who was here visiting from Arkansas. Many different games were played throughout the evening and dainty refreshments were served. All report a splendid time.

Death of S. J. Hardy

Last week THE BLADE made brief mention of the death of S. J. Hardy, a former well known citizen of this place. Since then we have learned the following facts concerning his death: He lived near Sweetwater, Okla., and on Monday, November 9, was driving to Sayre with a load of baled broom corn and was within a mile of town when his team became frightened at a motorcycle and ran away. At the time of the accident he was sitting on a bale of broom corn on top of a large load and in an effort to control his team he pulled himself forward on the bale, falling at the heels of the team, which then ran away, the wheel of the wagon passing over him breaking one arm and mangling one leg and his head was badly cut.

He was taken to town and the

best medical aid possible rendered but he never returned to consciousness, dying Tuesday morning, November 10, the accident occurring the day before. The funeral was held the following day, the remains being buried at Sweetwater.

Deceased came to LaClede from Noble county, Ohio, in 1865, and resided on a farm two miles south of town until 1895 when he removed to South Missouri and later to Oklahoma. He was 68 years of age the 18th of last September. His children, Mrs. Bessie Grider of West Plains, Mo., and Mrs. Lena Witt and Mrs. Nettie Page of Sweetwater, Okla., and Charley Hardy of Rosedale, Kansas, were at the funeral, as was also two of his sisters, Mrs. Melissa Loomis and Mrs. Alma Sidebottom of Meadville, Mo. Another sister, Mrs. Ida Twiggs of Canton, Ohio, was unable to be present.

During his residence here Mr. Hardy was considered one of this county's best citizens. He was a kind, christian gentleman and had a splendid family and his tragic death is deeply mourned by their many friends here.

Modern Business Proposition.

Lady (returning her husband's portrait after five years)—"Would you mind exchanging this portrait for a landscape? I am going to divorce my husband."—Munich Fliegende Blaetter.

Not the Right Reputation.

Magazine Editor—"No, we cannot accept this story." Agent—"But the author is a man who has acquired a great reputation." M. E.—"Yes, but only in literature."—Boston Transcript.

Natural Thing to Do.

"Say, Chimmie, what yer suppose dat guy Aladdin did when he rubbed his lamp and er' palace sprung up?" "He rubbed his lamps ter se if he wasn't dreamin', o' course."—Boston Transcript.

Marauder Put to Death.

At Sutterton, England, a hen was in a garden with her newly-hatched brood when a jackdaw pounced upon a chick. The hen gave battle at once, and a sharp encounter ended in the jackdaw being killed.

A Good Record.

"Harold Percy doesn't seem to have any difficulty in getting engaged." "Of course not," replied Miss Cayenne. "All the girls to whom he has previously been engaged wear such stunning collections of jewelry."

Nothing Too Sacred.

I am not prepared to admit that there is, or can be, properly speaking, in the world anything that is too sacred to be known.—Browning.

Kidd's Vanished Treasures.

People are still searching for Captain Kidd's buried treasure. This looks like a waste of time, as the captain, having money to burn, probably cremated it.

Really Enlightening.

"Coffee causes stomach trouble and old age," declares a great national advertiser. Hadn't you often wondered what causes old age?

Hooray for Medical Science!

"Children's eyes need care," says the Journal of the American Medical society. That's a fact—they see entirely too much.

NOT A SALE

Merely the Comparison of Cash and Credit Prices.

We can prove to you that we undersell credit stores, and back our statement with the goods and prices. We charge nothing, lose nothing, and when the day's work is done we have either the cash in the bank or the goods in the store.

Mens Overcoats

Regular \$20.00 coats	---\$16.85
" 15.00 coats	--- 12.75
" 11.00 coats	--- 9.25
" 10.09 coats	--- 8.45

Boys Overcoats

Regular \$9.00 coats	----- \$7.75
" 6.50 coats	----- 5.25
" 4.00 coats	----- 3.15
" 3.50 coats	----- 2.65

We have about 30 overcoats carried over from last winter, good styles and patterns, ranging from 6.50 to 12.50 that we will sell for **\$2.98**

Sweaters

Regular \$4.00 sweaters	-- \$3.25
" 2.50 sweaters	-- 2.15
" 1.25 sweaters	-- 1.05
" 1.00 sweaters	-- .90
" .50 sweaters	-- .45

Boys Suits

We Have Too Many

Heavy buying and the warm fall weather has found us with entirely too many boys suits. Its not a question of profit with these, its to get what we can out of them. All styles and patterns

Regular \$6.00 suits	----- \$4.00
" 5.00 suits	----- 3.34
" 4.50 suits	----- 3.00
" 3.50 suits	----- 2.34

Mens Suits

We guarantee you a saving of from \$3.50 to \$5.00 on every Man's Suit in the store.

Flannel Shirts

Regular \$3.00 shirts	----- \$2.65
" 2.90 shirts	----- 1.65
" 1.50 shirts	----- 1.30
" 1.00 shirts	----- .90

Heavy Underwear

Regular \$3.00 wool unions	\$2.65
" 2.00 cotton unions	1.65
" 1.50 cotton unions	1.25
" 1.00 fleece unions	.90
" 1.50 wool shirts and drawers	1.25
" .50 fleece shirts and drawers	.45

Wool Socks

Regular .50 yarn sox	----- .45
" .40 yarn sox	----- .33
" .25 yarn sox	----- .23

Duck Coats

Regular \$7.00 sheep lined	\$5.00
" 5.00 blanket lined	4.45
" 4.00 blanket lined	3.70
" 2.50 blanket lined	2.20
" 2.00 blanket lined	1.80

All new fall goods

Its simply a question, when you are ready to buy, of saving the above differences by paying cash. If you can't pay the cash, its a different proposition, but if you can, we can save you many a dollar on your winter's supplies.

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Public Sale

I will sell at public auction on the R. J. Alexander farm one and a half miles northeast of LaClede, on

Thursday, December 10, 1914

The following described property, to wit:

One grey mare coming 12 years old with foal; bay mare coming 11 years old with foal; bay mare coming 5 years old; bay gelding coming 3 years old; 2 sucking colts draft bred; 5 Jersey cows 4 giving milk; 2 beef type cows with calf; sucking heifer calf; 6 head of shoats weight 100 pounds; 7 head shoats weight 80 pounds; 26 head of bred ewes, all good ages.

Deering grain binder, good as new; Dain mower, good as new; 2 walking cultivators; gang plow in good repair; Deere planter; harrow, 14-inch walking plow, 2 farm wagons, buggy, hay rack, 2 sets work harness, set double buggy harness, about 15 or 20 tons of good timothy and clover hay in barn, 4 or 5 tons in stack, 200 bushels of corn in crib, 41 shocks of fodder, and other things too numerous to mention.

Sale to begin at 10 a. m. Lunch Will Be Served on Grounds

TERMS.—All sums of \$10 and under cash; on sums over \$10 a credit of six months will be given, purchaser to give note with approved security without interest if paid when due; if not paid when due to bear 5 per cent. interest from date. On sums over \$10 a discount of 5 per cent will be given for cash. Purchaser must comply with terms of sale before property is removed.

Chas. J. B. FLEMING, Auct.
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