"The Daylight Store"

Did you get in on THAT SPECIAL SALE OF

COATS and SUITS

Great for School Wear and for Auto Use. Choice for..... $5.00

WORTH UP TO $25.00

There are a number yet in all sizes which go this week at the special price.

PLUSH COATS

Bought before the raise in price. Every garment guaranteed.

AMERICAN CLOTHING HOUSE

THE GOOD STORE.

One 1917 Ford for sale. See Harry Wyatt.

Shumate razors, guaranteed for life, WeMott & Major. 1-2t

Our good friend, Amos Kaufman, of route five, was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

3 sets 2nd hand work harness for sale; 20 sets single driving harness, WeMott & Major. 1-2t

Mrs. G. G. Gilkerson, of Chicago, is in the city, the guests of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Christy.

Big shipment of mens and boys 50c caps, Black & Sons.

Dr. D. G. Divine, of Appleton City, has been appointed a lieutenant in the medical department of the National army.

We have our full line of horse blankets in. Call and get one or more, from $1.25 to $7.00. Lap robes from $3.50 to $10.00. WeMott & Major. 1-2t

Mrs. T. L. Beach and sons, Jake and George, and Miss Ola Guyton, returned Tuesday from a three days visit with friends at Pilot Grove.

Corduroy pants, duck coats. Prices are right, Black & Sons.

Mrs. D. W. Cooper of Adrian spent the day here Tuesday, the guest of Mrs. J. A. Elgin, and the ladies in company with the former's son, D. W. Cooper, of Kansas City favored us with a brief, though most pleasant visit.

When in Butler go to WeMott & Major's harness and hardware store and examine their Shumate razors. We will exchange without question any Shumate razor which may prove unsatisfactory. The user to be the sole judge. WeMott & Major. 1-2t

Rev. S. J. Starkey, of the M. E. church, South, rented a truck Wednesday and went to Appleton City, returning that evening with the family cow, which was left in that city when he moved to Butler some time ago, loaded on the truck.

Rubbers, boots, overshoes and felts for winter wear, Black & Sons.

A. J. McGuire, of route two, was in the city one day the last of the week and made this office a pleasant call. Mr. McGuire informed us that Mrs. McGuire, who underwent a surgical operation at the Mercy hospital in Kansas City, last Wednesday, was rapidly recovering.

New fall suits, hats, shoes and caps. Black & Sons will please you.

Wm. Groutsch, the south side bakery man, spent Sunday in Nevada visiting relatives.

We carry a full line of buggy tops. We will fit one on your old buggy while you wait. WeMott & Major. 1-2t

Maude Tilsey, of Amoret, and Ira C. Seidelman, of Kansas City, were issued a marriage license in Kansas City Monday.

Remember we always carry a full line of flash lights from 75c to $3.00, and push buttons to fit, WeMott & Major. 1-2t

Drs. Boulware, Lockwood and Newlon spent the first three days of this week in Kansas City attending a medical society meeting.

Mrs. John Yaple, and little daughter, Alice, of Horton, Kansas, are guests at the home of their father, F. C. Smith, on West Dakota street.

The Missouri Pacific railroad company is selling Liberty Loan bonds to their employees. The employees can buy a bond and pay for it at the rate of $5 per month.

The appointment of Dr. C. A. Allen of Rich Hill, to a first lieutenancy in the army medical department, will leave a vacancy in the office of coroner of Bates county.

Wm. Vodry, chief of the Rich Hill fire department and Mrs. Daisy Frazee were united in marriage at the parsonage of the M. E. church in that city Sunday evening, says the Rich Hill Review.

Friday night the high wind caused the Chase-Lister people to abandon their evening show. For a time about 7:30 that evening it looked as though this section might be in for a sure enough cyclone and rather than take a chance on their tent being blown down and perhaps injuring a lot of folks, they called the showw off.

Work was commenced Monday morning on a new front in the building occupied by the gents clothing and shoe department of the Sam Levy Mercantile Company. The old stairway was torn out, which will give them considerable more room. New, up-to-date display windows will be put in and the whole front remodeled and made to match the front of the building on the north, occupied by the ladies department of the same establishment. When completed the Levys will have one of the best display windows in this section of the country.

Lieut. C. A. Lusk, of the Medical Officers Reserve Corps, on duty at Camp Funston, is spending a five days leave of absence. The Doctor likes soldier life and it seems to have agreed with him, but he says that it is no place for a lazy man, as they are kept busy for about twelve or fourteen hours per day. In the forenoon they are first put through thirty minutes of vigorous physical exercise, then a two hour drill is in order followed by lectures. In the afternoon there are more lectures and after retreat two hours are devoted to study and by that time the soldier is ready for bed and a sleep. Of course, he has no idea as to when he will leave Camp Funston. There are 630 doctors in the camp.

While Congressman Dickinson was in town last Wednesday he took up the matter of the inferior brick that are being used in the construction of the new postoffice with a committee of the commercial club. Samples of the brick that are being used were shown Mr. Dickinson and it was proved to his satisfaction that they were soft and porus, and according to the testimony of brick men in a few years the mortar would disintegrate and fall out. Several changes in the building were gone into at the same time and Mr. Dickinson assured the committee that he would at once get into telegraphic communication with the supervising architect of the treasury department and do all in his power to have the suggested changes made.

BARGAINS

A few of our many bargains. We must make room, therefore it is up to you, if you don't get your part, for as soon as we reduce our stock where we will have storage room, we will sell many of these articles higher, because we cannot replace them at these prices.

New Country Sorghum, **clear as honey**.....gal 80c
Loose-Wiles Crackers, salted or plain, fresh from the oven every week, by the box.....14c lb.
A few 1-2 gal. Mason fruit jars, while they last.....70c doz.
A few quart Mason fruit jars, while they last.....60c doz.
No. 2 Sweet Wrinkled Peas, something extra, worth on today's market 20c, our price.....2 for 25c.
No. 2 **Sugar** Corn, 2 for 25c. Worth today wholesale $1.65 doz.
Crystal White Soap, only a matter of time until it will have to sell for 6 1-4c, we will sell for a short time.....5c bar
No. 3 Can Hominy, 10c can, 3 for 25c. Look up any wholesale quotation and see if they all don't ask over $1.00 doz.
Can Tomatoes No. 3, 15c can; $1.80 doz. Good Missouri pack. They are worth today wholesale $2.25 doz.

If you are going to buy a FORD CAR for next spring don't put it off. We are now selling for April delivery.

THE ONLY AUTOMOBILE ON TODAY'S MARKET that has not advanced.

TOURING CAR.....$360.00 RUNABOUT.....$345.00
F. O. B. Detroit.

Adrian Garage

We have recently bought out the Adrian Garage and invite all our patrons when up that way to stop and see us at the J. A. Berkebile old stand, one block east and 1-2 block south from the Mo. Pacific Depot.

FORD SERVICE STATION AT ADRIAN AND BUTLER, MO.

Norfleet & Ream

West Side Square Butler, Mo.
The Only Independent Grocery, Bakery and Hardware Store
Phones, 144 and 49. Butler Garage 35. Adrian Garage 191.

At the new 2d hand store Bring in your old furniture and trade for something new. 7-tf

E. A., F. S. and L. H. Hardin and Frank S. Vance motored up to Kansas City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crews, of Odessa, visited old Butler friends a few days the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts, of Hutchinson, Kansas, spent a few days in this city last week visiting relatives and friends.

The Tri-County Medical association, composed of physicians of Bates, Henry and Vernon counties, held its regular meeting at Clinton last week.

Douglass shoes. Best in the world. Black & Sons sell them.

Miss Lillie Norton left the last of the week for St. Louis, where she will visit relatives. From there she will go to Chicago, Danville, Illinois, and Columbus, Ohio.

J. S. Brown, secretary of Plainview Lodge C. P. A. returned the last of the week from Plattsburg, where he had been attending the annual convention of the order.

J. R. Morrison came down from Kansas City Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. Caroline Morrison, who has been quite sick for some time, but is now improving.

We can prove to you that our prices are lower, Black & Sons.

Hugh Frazier left the last of the week for his home in Colorado Springs, Colorado, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Frazier, southeast of town.

Rev. J. J. Wolfe, of Richland, Missouri, and J. I. Wolfe, of Burlington, Kansas, arrived in the city the latter part of the week to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wolfe.

Ed Armstrong, of the Bennett Wheeler Mercantile company, left the last of the week for Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, on a visit to his sister, Mrs. C. C. Day, and brother, Sam Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Braden, who visited in this city last week at the home of Mr. Braden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Braden, left the latter part of the week for their home at Iola, Kansas.

Mrs. F. H. Crowell returned Saturday from Los Angeles, California, where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walton Allen. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Allen and little daughter, Cora Catherine.

H. E. Ray has sold his building on the south side, occupied by the Republican Press and the Harp barber shop, to Dr. J. T. Halsey. The Doctor may conclude to move his office to the room now occupied by the barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Moore and little daughter arrived from Kansas City the first of the week. Mrs. Moore will spend two or three weeks with relatives in Butler while Mr. Moore visits the Logan-Moore lumber yards in this vicinity.

Flannel shirts, winter underwear. Buy early, Black & Sons.

Mrs. L. N. Anthony, of El Dorado Springs, spent a few days in this city visiting the family of her son, A. O. Yeomans. Mr. Yeomans is at Philadelphia, where he has a position in the United States navy yard as a mechanic.

Wm. L. Crabb and family arrived here Thursday from San Diego, California, and will make Rich Hill their home. Mr. Crabb succeeds W. W. Jamison in the bookkeeping department of the F. & M. Bank here.—Rich Hill Review.

Stetson hats at Black & Sons.

The Times good friend, W. B. Herrell, of north of this city, was a caller at the office Monday afternoon. Mr. Herrell says that he did not have any wheat this year, but with the good prices of other farm products he got along very well at that.

County Treasurer J. H. Stone received a message Monday morning notifying him of the death of his aunt, Mrs. Betty Bush, at Allen, Texas. Mrs. Bush, who was about 80 years of age, had resided in Texas since before the Civil War. She is survived by two children.

Ray Kieger and Wm. Ragan, two young boys of Rich Hill were arrested last week charged with stealing turkeys from Fred Crabb, and selling them to a produce company. They were taken before Justice of the Peace J. T. Baker, where they pleaded guilty, says the Rich Hill Review, and sentenced to 60 days in the county jail.

Since a spider web was found in an alley in Kansas City some time ago by a man who probably had had one or two drinks too many and imagined that he could see the words "millions for war" plainly woven in the web, few communities have been without one of the fortune telling insects and according to the Adrian Journal, one was found in the north part of the county last week that had plainly spelled "Nov" in its web, which is taken to mean that the war will end in that month. It is to be hoped that the spider knew its business.

Our stoves will fit your purse. Call and look them over. Chas. A. Murray.

If it's furniture or stoves you want, see us, that's our line of business. Chas. A. Murray.

If you want to keep warm this winter get one of our stoves that will hold fire for 60 hours. Chas. A. Murray.

Circuit court adjourned Saturday morning until November 26. There were very few cases of importance this term of court.

We have an excellent line of furniture at the old prices, which will be a big saving to you. See us before you buy, Chas. A. Murray.

Saturday was our largest day with one exception since we have been in business. We very much appreciate your making it possible, Black & Sons.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cameron and son, Homer, and daughter, Miss Hortense, left Tuesday for Springfield, where they expect to make an extended visit.

Haven't these frosty mornings reminded you to have your auto curtains and tops repaired. If so go to WeMott & Major and have them fixed while you wait. 1-2t

Mrs. Luther Angel, who has been spending some time in this city at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vantrees, has returned to her home at Tarkio, Missouri.

Miss Winifred Stone, who has been assisting her father in the county treasurer's office, left the last of the week for Hiawatha, Kansas, where she will spend a vacation visiting at the home of her brother, Dr. W. H. Stone.

Holeproof hosiery, Black & Sons.

C. R. Long returned Tuesday from a business trip to southern Oklahoma. He visited Camp Doniphan and reports the boys from Bates county all enjoying the best of health. Captain Caruthers, who has been detached from Co. B, is serving as summary court officer.

Mackinaws and sweaters. All kinds and prices, Black & Sons.

The wholesale grocery house for which Frank Koontz, the well known jolly prune peddler, travels some time ago announced that they would present a Ford roadster to the salesman turning in the most grocery orders in a given time. The contest closed last week, and, of course, Frank won the car.

Col. Clyde Robbins, the live wire auctioneer, is certainly a busy man these days. He has had one off day since the 17th of September. He has established such a reputation as a high grade auctioneer that his services are in constant demand, not only in Bates county, but in the surrounding counties, and in other states.

Overalls and jumpers still $1.25. Buy several at Black & Sons.

Fred L. Starks, a linotype operator on the Kansas City Star spent Sunday in this city with his old friend, V. L. Johnson. Mr. Starks and Mr. Johnson went to Kansas City in 1886 and secured employment in the composing room of the Star, where Mr. Starks still remains. This was his first visit to Butler in 25 years and he says that the changes have been so great in that time that he hardly recognized the town.

Rev. A. R. Sitton, who has been conducting a series of meetings at the Baptist church, left the last of the week for San Francisco, California, in response to a telegram stating that his son, Paul Sitton, who is in camp with the California troops, was suffering from a severe mental derangement. It is thought that his condition is the result of over-study before he enlisted in the army. The meeting will continue for this week and perhaps longer.

In talking with The Times man the other day A. H. Herrell, the florist and gardener, said that this had been one of his most prosperous years. Early in the spring he about concluded that this year he would only raise such things as were necessities, as on account of the war times the people would not have money enough to spend on luxuries. But he has found the contrary to be the case. Money was plentiful and he could hardly raise enough flowers to supply the demand.

Congratulations are due the Commercial Club for securing the course of lectures on Business Science. When a man can see through a stone wall he can tell what is on the other side of it. We have such a man in our midst this week in the person of A. B. Francisco of Chicago Business Lecture Bureau and he is seeing through the stone wall of business and explaining the mysterious beyond so that many will be better equipped to render service which is the first requirement of business. Butler's progressive business people are attending these lectures and express highest appreciation of the elucidation of this comparatively new science. It will undoubtedly be the wish of many of our citizens that Mr. Francisco will return and add to pleasure and profit of these really serious minded ones among our foremost business people.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Church Cor. Ft. Scott and Delaware Sts.

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Services: Sunday 11:00 a. m.
Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday Evening Meeting 7:30 p. m.

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Public Reading Room, Church Edifice, open Tuesdays and Saturdays from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m.

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A WELCOME IS EXTENDED TO ALL VISITORS.

I. N. Earsom, of Pleasant Gap, was a Butler visitor Wednesday and found time to make The Times office a pleasant call. Mr. Earsom says that the wheat in his neighborhood is beginning to need a good rain.

Joe Burcham, formerly deputy sheriff of this county, now residing at Stamford, Texas, arrived in this city Monday evening in company with E. P. Harlan and will visit friends here a few days. Mr. Burcham served as deputy sheriff under Sherift J. R. Simpson and served as city marshal of Butler for a time. He left here in 1884, going to Texas, where he has since resided.

As L. R. Allen, cashier of the First National Bank, at Adrian, was walking across the railroad track to mail a letter on the north bound train Tuesday, he was struck by an engine of a freight train that was switching in the yards. He was struck on the chest by the heavy cross beam on the pilot of the engine and knocked clear of the track. He was taken at once to his home and medical aid summoned. It was found that outside of severe bruises he was not seriously hurt, but will be confined to his room for a few days.

Arthur Borkman, who was arrested in this city last week charged with stealing twenty head of cows from a farm in Henry county and driving them to Adrian and then to Butler and attempting to dispose of them to a local cattleman, was taken to Clinton Thursday by Sheriff Runner, of Henry county. J. A. North, who Borkman, under a vigorous sweating by Marshal Braden, said helped him steal the cows, is under arrest in Henry county, but strongly denies having anything to do with the cattle stealing. Otis Perkins, of Lawrence, Kansas, owner of the cattle, was here the same day for the purpose of identifying and recovering his property.

RED CROSS TO SERVE DINNER AND SUPPER TAFT DAY.

Menu.

To be served cafeteria style, dinner and supper, by Butler Chapter Red Cross Monday, November 5th, at Armory Hall:

Roast Beef
potatoes and gravy
baked beans
spaghetti and tomatoes
cottage cheese
slaw beets
pie
sandwiches
coffee
baked apples

Red Cross Headquarters in Circuit Court Room.

Red Cross headquarters have been opened in the Circuit Court room of the court house, where every one is invited to come and help. An instructor will be here Wednesday, October 17th, who will speak and arrange for those who wish to take up the work. She will be glad to meet those from out in the county who are interested in organizing units. Come and show your patriotism.

VARIETY GOODS

Get in line for fall goods. 'Tis about time for a fire in your heater and no doubt you need a new coal hod shovel and coal hods.

No. 16 Black Jap.....40c
" 17 " " 45c
" 16 Galvanized....60c
" 17 " 65c
Coal shovels.....5 & 10c
Complete lamps with ALL brass burners..65c
10 qt. granite bucket..60c
12 " " " ..75c
The above is first quality Hoosier grey, the best gray on the market.
Old reliable No. 2 Dietz cold blast lantern.$1.25
5-gal. all galvanized oil cans.....$1.00
Puritan hosiery. Quality Brand Aluminum Ware for all.

North Side Variety Store

A Place Where a Dollar Talks.