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HAYTI, MISSOURI.

**CLEAN UP.**

It is very much against our will to have to mention this matter again, but if something is not done to rid this town of filth and stagnant water there is going to be a boom in Bob Sandidge's Woodlawn cemetery lots.

We know that if Bob was here about the time yellow fever or cholera gets a good start, there are a lot of people who would blame Bob with it all, but the best way to do Bob a piece of dirt is to clean up the town.

Of course those of us who carry life insurance can better afford to shuffle off, as we would leave our wife and kids in better fix, and it would turn a lot of money lose in the town, but some of us are not quite ready, and besides, we would like to live until the

**old lady gets too old to marry again.**

The other day we observed a dark brown taste in our mouth, we turned green and yellow under the gills, and had a far away feeling amidship, with a spinning in the head that reminded us of a merry-go-round, and to look out of our window over the beautiful green-seum tinted expanse of cesspools and filth made us long and gasp for a breath of desert air and a drink from the babbling brook from the rocky cliff.

I tell you, a right good case of this Hayti mixed cholera, yellow fever, malaria and billiousness will bring back the thoughts of other days to the most of us who have known something better.

It is said that people can or will become used to anything, but a twist or two of congestion, billious colic or cholera morbus will sometimes refresh a person's mind if they have any.

It is our candid opinion that at the present time Hayti is the nastiest, filthiest and stinkiest town in Southeast Missouri, and its condition is a shame and a disgrace to every citizen.

We have known Hayti since it was placed on the map in 1895, and it is in a worse sanitary condition now than

**we ever knew it.**

There is everything in Hayti to breed disease and death and to impair health for life. Every way you look and everywhere you go there is ponds, mud holes, hog wallows, cess-pools, filthy lots, barns and out buildings; there is weeds and rubbish and unsightly things, all dangerous to health.

Something must be done to remedy this condition, and it should be done at once.

The board of aldermen and the board of health should get busy at once and go to work in earnest.

We hope we shall not have to mention this matter again.

On several occasions we have had to turn away job printing, on account of not being able to handle it. We have repeatedly warned our friends that we cannot do job printing on the first part of the week. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday is devoted to the paper. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday we do job work. This is a one-man shop, where everything must pass through the hands of the editor, and in order to handle the business we must stick strictly to system, and then some weeks we have to do the work of about three men. After this week we

hope to have our gasoline engine installed, which will increase our capacity greatly and enable us to handle the business with less labor.

One of those real smart posoffice inspectors was here the other day. Just why he was here does not matter, but if he had used the same language and facial contortions to some men in this town that we saw and heard him use to some of the city officials he might have learned a lesson of courtesy and respect. The department will not tolerate discourtesy and disrespect to the people by any official. Public officials are servants of the people, and servants should be taught to respect their master.

The fact that it pays to advertise is fully attested by Postmaster Guffy, in advertising the letters that remain in the postoffice un-called-for. Last week was his first experience in publishing this list in the Herald, and as a result many of these letters are being called for.

A love-smitten youth who was studying the approved methods of proposal asked one of his bachelor friends if he

thought that a young man should propose to a girl on his knees. If he doesn't," replied his friend, "the girl should get off."—Everybody's Magazine.

The government sends out its advertising free (or, more strictly speaking, at the expense of the whole people); buys in vast quantities, prints by the wholesale and franks its finished product to the customer, which its competitor is compelled to pay. Therefore, says the Wisner (Neb.) Chronicle, if you believe in mail order houses, Brother Business Man, patronize the government mail order department, but don't complain when your customers follow your example and buy from your rival who is fighting you along the same line.

A newspaper may boom a town through its editorial and news columns, but a critical investor looks to the advertising columns for substantial evidence of push and life. To him they are thermometers measuring the intensity of public warmth; they are the pulse which indicates the healthy condition of the collective body of the people; they tell him whether or not the community is up to the times in business matters.—Ex.

# BARGAINS

In any large store there accumulates a number of articles that prove to be slow sellers. The value is still there, but probably they have not been well displayed, or maybe now they are just a little out of season, or mabe it is a certain brand of something that the manufacturer has ceased to advertise. At any rate, cost or even less is all the store expects to get out of them. Our store is no exception to this rule, as you will note by the following:

Cup and saucer, fancy floral design 10c  
Cup and saucer, large white, gold trim 10  
Plates, 10 in. white, gold trimmed 10  
Soup bowls, 5 1/2 in. white, gold trimmed 10  
Novels, Detective, Love, Adventure, etc 10  
Scrub brushes, extra quality 10  
Cake Plates, fancy floral design, 10 in.

regular price 75c, cut to 50c  
Salad bowls, 9 in. regular price 60c, cut to 50  
Syrup pitchers, flowered, very pretty 50  
China puff boxes, \$1 sellers, cut to 67  
Assortment of 10c novelties, all cut to 7  
Assortment of 25c novelties, all cut to 19  
Assortment 10 and 15c soaps at 8c or 2 for 15

Salad dishes, oblong, \$1.15 sellers, cut to 85c  
Chop dishes, 12 in. \$1.25 sellers, cut to 95  
Hand lamps, cheap at 50c, now cut to 40  
Match boxes for home use, were 10c now 5  
Kentucky Kondition Powders, 2lb pkgs 15  
2 for 25  
B. A. Thomas improved stock food,

3lb packages 15c, 2 for 25c  
10 in Disc single side Zonophone records cut to 35  
[We will now handle double records only].  
Wall Paper, a few remnants at less than cost.

Look for the Bargain Table.

**KODAKS** We are agents for EASTMAN Kodaks, Films and other kodak supplies.

**BICYCLES** Pumps, Tubes, Valves, Plugs, Guards, Wrenches, Handles, etc.

**PAINT** Lowe Bros. and Sherwin Williams paints, enamels, varnishes stains, buggy and wagon paints

**GLASS** Window glass, etc. A big assortment of all sizes in double and single strength.

**HYGENO** Stock dip and disinfectant for lice, mange on dogs, etc.

**OILS** Castor machine oil, black oil, farmers delight harvester oil, goat oil, buggy oil, harness oil, coal tar, pine tar, linseed oil, floor oil, etc.

**WALL PAPER** Fifty-six different designs, all new. Some 10c paper that others get 15c for. A few remnants at less than cost.

**Fishing Tackle** Trolls and Minnow Seines, Minnow Buckets, Reels, Tackle Boxes, Floats, Sinkers, Lines, Poles, Fish Spears, Hooks, Staging, etc.

**PAINT BRUSHES**  
A Brush for Every Purpose.  
5c to \$1.75  
All kinds of Brushes.



**RAZORS**  
Keen-Kutter, the kind that cuts, \$2 to \$2.50.  
Keen-Kutter safety razor, Centaur safety, 3 extra blades, 25c. Blades for Gillett safety razor \$1.00 per dozen.



**CUTLERY**  
Keen-Kutter and Jordan pocket knives and scissors. The best goods to buy and the biggest line to select from at Lefler's.



**GUITARS**  
These Guitars have a mathematically correct finger-board. They are graceful in model and have a far carrying musical tone. Price from \$3.00 to \$8.00 each.



**VIOLINS AND MANDOLINS**  
These have been selected on account of their fine tone and musical qualities. Each Violin has a heavy cardboard case. Bow included. Prices from \$2.50 to \$12.00. Mandolins from \$3 to \$6.




**BANJOS** Prices from \$3.00 to \$4.00 each.  
**ACCORDEONS** From 75c to \$3.00 each.  
**HARMONICAS** From 5c to \$1.50 each.



Edison Phonographs and Records

**PIPES**  
We have an exceptionally nice line of 25c Pipes.  
Others at 5c, 10c, 15c, 50c and up.  
It is easy to find what you want when you have a large stock to select from—that is why so many people buy their goods at Lefler's Drug Store.




**CROQUET SETS**  
\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.00 per set.  
Keep your mind on Lefler quality. It is good, and we will keep it so.



**CLOCKS**  
Break o'day alarm each \$1.  
Republic alarm \$1.  
Luminous alarm \$1.25.  
Ansonia repeating alarm \$2.  
**WATCHES.**—Ingersoll "Yankee" \$1.  
Uncle Sam \$1. Ingersoll "Junior" \$2.  
We want your business, and we can please you.



**BASEBALL GOODS**  
Catcher's masks, baseball bats, catcher's mitts, first baseman's mitts, fielder's gloves, fielder's mitts, toe plates, heel plates umpire indicators, score books, ankle supporters, boy's caps, belts, baseballs, pick nick balls, rubber balls, etc.



**ANTISEPTINE** A perfect wood preserver and powerful germ destroyer and disinfectant. When applied to stables, stalls, sheds, pens and kennels prevents contagious disease among cattle, sheep, horses, hogs, etc. It deodorizes stalls and keeps them free from flies and vermin. Rids the place of chicken lice in one day. Quart 35c. Gallon \$1.00.

# LEFLER'S DRUG STORE

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