

# Specials for Auction Day

## Saturday, March 22d

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| 1000 yards 7½c Percales<br>Blues, Grays, Reds, for.....      | 5c yd  |
| Boys and Girls \$2.00 and \$1.50<br>Jersey Sweaters for..... | \$1.00 |
| Mens Carhartt \$3.00 Corduroy Trousers<br>Brown and Tan..... | \$2.00 |
| Mens Carhartt \$2.00 Corduroy Trousers<br>Dark Brown.....    | \$1.50 |
| Odd lots Ladies \$3.00 and \$3.50 Oxfords for.....           | \$1.50 |

Choice lot  
**Wide Fancy Ribbons**  
ON SALE  
25c Yard

# Walker-McKibben's

"The Quality Store"

MORE  
**New Dress Goods**  
and  
Dress Trimmings

# Special Easter SALE Kid Gloves \$1.10



We offer at this very low price 9 dozen extra fine \$1.50 three clasp genuine Kid Gloves in the following fashionable colors.

Grays  
Tans  
Modes  
Browns

Sizes 5½ to 7½

These Gloves are guaranteed by the importers, the H. and P. Glove Co. and by us to be perfect stock and perfect workmanship. It is a rare chance to buy the best \$1.50 gloves for only \$1.10.

We also offer a splendid lot of 16 button length Kid Gloves in Black, and Brown. Regular price \$3.50, for only  
**\$2.90**

It will pay you to buy several pairs NOW

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#### DEMOCRATIC TICKET

##### Mt. Pleasant Township.

Trustee—Geo. G. Henry.  
Clerk and Assessor—John Wright.  
Collector—J. L. Barker.  
Constable—Johnson Stott.  
Members Township Board—  
W. S. Ferrell.  
E. H. Rosier.  
Justice of the Peace—  
W. F. Hemstreet.  
B. F. Jeter.  
W. W. Ross.

##### City Ticket.

School Director—W. S. Arnold.  
City Marshal—R. L. Braden.  
Alderman—  
1st ward—J. M. Coleman.  
2nd ward—H. G. Cook.  
3rd ward—A. R. Guyton.  
4th ward—A. W. Wemott.

#### WASHINGTON LETTER.

##### Special Washington Correspondent of The Times.

By Clyde H. Tupper.

Washington, D. C.—Woodrow Wilson, Man of the Hour, has an opportunity to make himself the greatest president since Abraham Lincoln, and to keep the Democratic party in power for years to come.

This is true not merely because he is today President of the United States. There have been other big men President since Lincoln. It is because Woodrow Wilson realizes that the one great principal issue that confronts the Republic is not the tariff issue, the currency issue, or the trust issue, but the issue of humanity. Taft did not realize this, hence his failure.

The tariff issue, the currency issue and the trust issue, are simply arithmetical problems that may be worked out, but the issue of humanity is one of conscience and soul. The first lesson that all business proprietors, and business directors and deal-

ers chiefly, while the issue of humanity refers to human rights, the protection of women and children and all those who are being oppressed by organized greed.

If the American public will read Woodrow Wilson's inaugural speech a second time, a better interpretation of the light that he sees may be had. No inaugural speech save the first one of Abraham Lincoln ever read like it.

"We know our task is to be no no task of politic," he says, "but a task which will search us through and through. Men's hearts wait upon us; men's lives hang in the balance. I summon all honest men, all patriotic, all forward-looking men, to my side. God helping me, I will not fail them, if they will but counsel and sustain me!"

##### People Behind Wilson.

It is an old tradition in Congressional circles in Washington that a President must not "interfere" with either branch of Congress. He may submit whatever views he may have on a subject, and recommend the passage of any legislation he may desire, but after that, according to tradition, he must sit with hands folded and watch legislation which may be highly desirable to the people, be peacefully chloroformed in committee and pass into oblivion.

It is said that Woodrow Wilson is going to disregard this tradition. This will be for the public good. The only ones who will protest will be those opposed to the progressive ideas that Woodrow Wilson stands for.

The President will be sustained by popular sentiment. The republicans as well as democrats, have for years been demanding a square deal at the hands of the public servants in Washington. They still demand it. They don't care whether it comes from a democrat or republican, they simply want it. President Woodrow Wilson proposes to give it to them. The people know full well he will have to fight, and they will hold up his hands, even should he find it necessary to break down a half dozen traditions!

##### What the People Say.

The people of the United States pay a subsidy in artificially-high prices to the wool industry which last year cost the country \$100,000,000 a year.

culations of Hon. Oscar W. Underwood, of Alabama, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives.

"The Payne-Aldrich tariff tax of 61 cents per yard, to say nothing of any increase in tax as it passes to the jobber, makes not less than \$104,000,000 paid each year to subsidize the wool industry of America," says Mr. Underwood. "Now the entire duties actually paid the United States on all imports of woolsens and worsteds in 1910 amounted to less than \$15,000,000, which means that of the \$104,000,000 extorted from the purchasers of woolsens nearly \$90,000,000 went to the woolen industry.

"Is it fair or just or right to maintain these enormous taxes unduly to foster the business of less than one-fourth of one per cent of the people and to require ninety-nine and three-fourths to stagger under this enormous burden?"

##### Antifusion Bill Passed.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 17.—The House today passed the Full-bright bill, which removes all doubt as to Gov. Major's right to appoint a Progressive on the St. Louis Election Board. It also passed the Moore (Barton) antifusion bill, prohibiting more than one political party from nominating the same candidate for office.

The House reconsidered and passed the bill creating the office of Land Reclamation Commissioner. It also passed the joint bill of Wolfe and Roney, creating a bureau of mines, to be located at Jefferson City, and providing for a chief mine inspector, appointed by the Governor, at a salary of \$2,000.

The Orr bill prohibiting common carriers from accepting consignments of liquor for shipment into dry territory passed.

The afternoon session of the Senate was devoted to memorial exercises in honor of the late Senator Thomas E. Kinsey of St. Louis.

##### Joseph Hess Passes Away.

Joseph Hess, an old border pioneer, announced the death innocuous at his home near Worland, March 8, 1913. He had reached the advanced age of 98 years. He was a native of Ohio, and came to this country at an early day. The funeral took place Sunday and was held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Hess, and family.

#### Easter Services at Presbyterian Church.

Morning.  
7:00.—Christian Endeavor Sunrise Prayer Meeting.

9:45.—Bible School. Decision Day Service.

11:00.—Public worship. Gourley Commandery No. 30. K. T. will worship with us. Order of service: Hymn 304, "Onward Christian Soldiers." The Doxology. The General Confession. Anthem by the choir. Psalm 96 to be read responsively by the congregation. Responsive readings No 27. Gloria Patria by the choir. Hymn 104, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Ancient symbol of the Faith of Knight Templars. The Apostles' Creed No. 12. Lesson. Prayer. Hymn, choir. Notices. Offering. Sermon, Dr. C. H. Ticknor, "The Resurrected Life." Hymn 223, "Stand up, Stand up for Jesus." Benediction. Congregation will remain in their seats while the Sir Knights leave the church.

Evening services: At 7:30 the Livingstone Centenary will be commemorated. See program: Scripture lesson, Matt. 28:1-6. Prayer. Birth and youth of Livingstone, the Pastor. Exercise by the primary department. Responsive reading, congregation, Psalm 121. Anthem by the choir. Stories: (1) Smoke of Thousand Villages, Allen Drake; (2) On the Slave Trail, Eunice Pyle; (3) True to His Promise, Orval Howard. Chorus, "Easter Lilies," Junior girls. Declaration, "The Pathfinder," Anna Belle Thompson. Exercise, "The Hero's Message to Us," three Junior girls. Solo, Margery Lane. Recitation, "Friends Who Were Faithful," David Thompson. Reading, "Half Mast Colors," Miss L. Allison. Declaration, "Heirs of the Task," Ruth Myrtle.

Anthem by the Choir.  
"The Great Man," Rev. C. H. Ticknor.  
Song, 307.  
Benediction.

##### Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness shown us by our friends and neighbors on the death of our little daughter Lillian.

J. H. Hess and family.

#### Baptists Attention!

There will be a special service next Sunday morning for the members of the church only. It is very important that every member whether living in town or in the country should be present next Sunday at 11 a. m.

The service next Sunday evening will be public as usual. At that time the pastor will begin a series of sermons on, "The Seven Dispensations of Bible History." The purpose of this series is to set forth the main issues in the real history of humanity and to bring out the fundamental outlines of God's progressive revelation in the Bible.

The public is cordially invited to this service as well as to the weekly Bible study class, which meets on Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. and Friday at 7:30 p. m. The subject this week is, "Salvation and Rewards."

The W. M. S. will meet next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Holloway. Business of special importance at this meeting.

#### Two Road Bills Soon to Be Laws

Jefferson City, Mo., March 18.—Two important road measures were passed by the House today. They have passed the Senate and will become laws when signed.

They are the Cressley bill providing for the organization of special road districts in counties operating under township organization, and the Hawkins of Greene bill, being a complete revision and simplification of the present special road districting law.

The House also passed the Boyd bill repealing the mobile fraternal insurance bill. No opposition is expected this bill in the Senate, as the law, passed two years ago, has been very unsatisfactory.

#### Christian Church.

The worship begins at this church at this at 9:30 a. m. in the session of the Bible School. Let us exceed the two hundred mark on next Sunday.

The theme of Easter message from the pulpit will be: "Meanings of the Resurrection." There will be special music appropriate to the Easter spirit. Senior C. E. meets at 6:30 p. m. Evening devotions begin at 7:30 followed with sermon by minister. The public is invited and always welcome.

George Frewitt, Minister.

#### T. W. SILVERS HONORED

Appointed on Board of Regents for Warrensburg Normal.

Jefferson City, March 18.—Governor Major today appointed these members of the board of regents of the state normal school at Warrensburg, each for a term of six years from January 1, 1913: T. W. Silvers of Butler, T. J. Murphy of Windsor and Charles A. Keith of Lexington.

The appointment of Hon. T. W. Silvers of this city to the Board of Regents of the Warrensburg Normal is indeed one of par excellence. Besides being one of the best qualified men in the state to deal with educational matters, Mr. Silvers was a strong Major supporter and was largely instrumental in carrying Bates county for Gov. Major in the face of a widely organized opposition.

#### County Home Burns.

The county home 4 miles east of this city was totally destroyed by fire Monday morning shortly after eleven o'clock, the blaze originating presumably either from a defective flue or from sparks blown upon the roof. The fire had gained a considerable headway before being discovered and but a small amount of the contents of the building were saved. The inmates, six in number, were rescued uninjured although some trouble was experienced in getting two of them out of the building.

The patients at the home were brought to this city and later taken to Harrisonville and placed temporarily in the Cass county home.

Insurance to the amount of \$3000 was carried by the County on the building.

#### Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks for the kindness and sympathy extended to us during the last illness and death of our little son John Leslie Rice.

Wm. Rice and family.

#### Farm for Rent

80 acre farm 3 miles southeast of Butler, 1-2 mile north of Black school house for rent. N. M. Northside, 2241--

Butler, Route 5.

#### Girl Wanted

Good girl wanted for general house work. Apply at...