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SANGER BROTHERS.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED
A new and elegant line of Novelties
in Evening Fans for Holiday
Presents.

Elegant Feather Fans at from \$3.00
to \$6.00 each.
Gause Fans from \$2.50 to \$12.00 each.
Fancy Lace Fans from \$3.50 to \$12.75.
Fancy Painted Satin Fans from 75 cts
to \$5.50 each.
In Plain and Carved Ivory and Moth-
er of Pearl handles.

New Lines of Hand Bags.

One Lot Hand Bags with Pocket-
Books attached at 50 Cents each.
Special Lot of Alligator and Seal
Hand Bags at \$1.00 each,
worth \$1.50.
And a line of Real Seal, Alligator,
Russian Leather, and Fancy Jap'
Hand Bags for Holiday Pres-
ents at popular low prices.

SANGER BROTHERS.

POCKET BOOKS.

A Large Line of Novelties for X-mas
Presents in Real Seal, Monkey,
Alligator, Russian and Fancy
Leathers, with real Gar-
nets & Sterling Silver
Corners and Claps
from \$5.00 to
\$9.25 each.

Special Lot of Pocket Books

At 50 Cents, worth 75 Cents.
At 60 Cents, worth 85 Cents.
At 90 Cents, worth \$1.25.
At \$1.00, worth \$1.35 to \$1.50.
And Better Qualities from \$1.50 up to
\$4.95 each, in New Shapes, also a
Line of Children's Fancy
Pocket Books and
Purses.

RETAIL & DEPARTMENT

Lessing, Solomon & Rosenthal,

Our Sales prove that Moderate Prices will
eventually bring trade, and we
propose keeping the prices
down to the lowest limit.

This week you who are in
need of a good Suit of
Clothes can save from
\$2.50 to \$10 on a
Suit by visiting
our Clothing
Department

A Good Suit for \$5.00,
A Better Suit for \$7.50.
An all-wool Stylish Suit
for \$10 that's worth \$15

Just Examine our line of Stylish
Garments at

\$12.50, \$15.50, \$18.50, and \$20.

This Stock is entirely too large,
and we must reduce same, no mat-
ter what this sacrifice may be.

We are showing the most eleg-
ant line of TROUSERS ever
brought to this city.

Lessing, Solomon & Rosenthal,
Cor. 5th and Austin Streets.

We are still selling the best
40 Cent Kid Gloves.

We are still selling the best
60c. Kid Gloves.

We are still selling the best
90c. KID GLOVES.

We are still selling the best
10c. Hose.

We are still selling the best
12 1-2c. Hose.

We are still selling the best
20c. Hose.

We are still selling the remainder
of our Cloaks and Wraps at

Sixty Cents
On the Dollar.

In fact, we are still Selling and will
Continue to sell our goods at the

Lowest Prices,
Which will always be found just a little

Lower Than Other Houses.

Lessing, Solomon & Rosenthal,
Cor. 5th and Austin Streets.

A Suicide at Dallas.

DALLAS, Dec. 19.—Mrs. J. F. Smith
died unexpectedly at her residence
last night on Beaumont street. This
morning it was rumored on the streets
that the lady had met death at her
own hands. Justice John Henry
Brown had been called to the resi-
dence to hold the inquest. The
mother of Mrs. Smith testified at the
inquest that about 10 o'clock last
night she heard a noise in her daugh-
ter's room and entered to find her suf-
fering greatly. Dr. Mitchell was at
once sent for. The doctor testified
that he found the lady suffering ex-
cruciating pain but perfectly rational.
She told the doctor that she had taken
morphine and quinine with suicidal
intent. He did all he could to restore
her but she died soon after his arrival.
Mr. Smith testified that his wife had
before attempted suicide and she had
suffered from temporary insanity.
Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Smith was
in perfect health and was out driving.
Investigation to-day disclosed the fact
that a separation had taken place be-
tween Mrs. Smith and her husband,
and that the latter several weeks ago
had filed a petition for a divorce.
There was nothing in the petition re-
flecting on the character of Mrs.
Smith. The allegation was merely
"incompatibility of temperament." It
is known, however, that domestic in-
felicity of the most aggravated nature
existed in the Smith household. The
divorce suit was withdrawn to-day.
The burial took place late this after-
noon.

White Caps in Illinois.

AURORA, Ill., Dec. 19.—The White
Caps have opened a correspondence
bureau in Aurora and newspapers
and coal dealers have thus far had a
monopoly of communications. Alder-
man Jungles received a letter which
ordered him to stop giving short
weight on coal under penalty of re-
ceiving a visit from the White Caps
of local branch No. 27. The letter
was signed with red ink, representa-
tions of skulls and cross-bones, White
Caps and snakes. Upper coal dealers
have received similar communica-
tions. Coal is selling for \$675 a ton,
an important drop, the result of strong
competition, and the letter alleges
that the difference in price is more
than made up by short weight, and
insists that it must cease or "black
snake" will be employed to enforce
the demand. Editor Burlingame, of the
Daily Express, has also been warned
to stop publishing articles derogatory
to the case of the Burlington strik-
ers.

The New B. & O. President.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19.—The regular
monthly meeting of the board of di-
rectors of the Baltimore & Ohio Rail-
road company was held to-day. The
board is composed of twenty-three
members and all were present except
Mr. B. H. Farren. The meeting was
called to order by President Spencer,
who presided until the minutes of the
last meeting were read and approved,
after which, election of president be-
ing in order, he called to the chair Mr.
Burns. Mr. Deceatur H. Miller Nomi-
nated Charles F. Mayer for president
for the ensuing year. Mr. Mayer was
elected by a vote of thirteen to eight.
On taking the chair he briefly thanked
the board and expressed the hope that
with their aid and co-operation he
would be able to manage the affairs of
the company in such manner as would
be satisfactory to all interests.

Railroad Accident.

HOUSTON, Dec. 19.—A construction
train on the Arkansas Pass railway met
with an accident twelve miles from
this city to-day. The train was re-
turning to this city when one of the
cars was derailed, which ditched al-
most the entire train, with fatal re-
sults to several employees. The follow-
ing were killed outright: A. P. How-
ard, commissary clerk, of Austin;
Henry Roberts, a brakeman, and An-
tione Carlson, foreman of the work,
hailing from San Antonio. The fol-
lowing are the injured: George Bai-
ley, two Berry brothers and a man
named French.

A Fort Worth Failure.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 19.—A deed of
trust made by the firm of Hartfield
& Roe, retail furniture dealers, to E.
E. Chase was filed in the district
court this evening. It was to secure
\$13,000 due on notes to the Mer-
chants' National bank. Later J. M.
Hartfield gave a deed of trust on real
estate for \$11,000 and Roe a deed of
trust on four lots for \$3,000. The
assets are: A stock valued at \$25,000
and real estate to the amount of
\$28,000. The liabilities on stock and
real estate are \$39,000. Trustee
Chase will open the doors and con-
tinue business to-morrow.

If you did not see Jim, the Penman
last night go to-night. It is superb.

Hanged for the Murder of His Son.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Dec. 19.—
John M. Doremus was hanged this
morning in the corridor of the Bergen
county jail for the murder of his son
John, last June. The condemned
man was seemingly resigned to his fate,
professed his readiness to die and said
that he did not wish for a respite after
making up his mind to go. On June
7, last, Doremus returned from his
work in the evening and began to
abuse his mother. This angered the
elder man and he picked up a carving
knife from the table and plunged it up
to the hilt through his son's heart.

Murderer Arrested.

PALESTINE, Dec. 19.—Sheriff Day
left here this morning with a capias
for the arrest of J. L. Scarbrough,
who killed Bill Williams in the north-
west section of this county on Mon-
day last. The parties quarreled about
money and in the fight Williams was
struck on the head with a piece of
iron, from which he died several hours
afterward. Scarbrough fled to Athens,
Henderson county, where he was cap-
tured. Scarbrough is a young man,
and married, and of excellent family
connection. The deceased had only
been in this county a year.

A Serious Charge.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 19.—Charles S.
Cutting, master in chancery and a
member of the county board of edu-
cation, was arrested this morning,
charged with being an accessory to
burglary. Some time ago about \$2,100
worth of bonds were stolen from the
office of a hardware firm and Cutting,
it is said, began negotiations for the
return of the bonds. This led to his
arrest. In the police court this morn-
ing the case was continued. His office
was searched for the missing bonds but
they were not found.

A Fatal Accident.

HOOVER, N. H., Dec. 19.—A short
distance north of this section are
three wooden bridges spanning the
Merrimack river. This forenoon a
large gang of men were at work on the
middle bridge when the ice suddenly
and without warning began to move,
precipitating the bridge and eleven
men over the falls and into the water.
Three men were drowned and the re-
maining eight were rescued in an in-
jured condition.

The Mississippi Trouble.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A Wal-
halla, Miss., special says: A report
has reached here that an armed posse
overtaken four of the negro partici-
pants in Sunday night's tragedy.
One of the four resisted and was rid-
dled with bullets. The other three
men were then hanged to surrounding
trees. The posse has sworn to run
down all the negroes who fled to the
hills on the night of the affray.
There are at least fifteen others in
hiding.

Earthquake shock.

TAOS, N. Y., Dec. 19.—A shock
of earthquake was felt in Washington
and Warren counties at 5:45 this morn-
ing. The vibration lasted about four
seconds and buildings were violently
shaken.

The House of Lords under its new
proprietor, Wes. Dameron, is dispen-
sing to its patrons the finest imported
and domestic liquors, wines and ci-
gars. The best brands of old Ken-
ucky whiskies passed over the bar.
Fresh, cool beer always on tap.
Polite attention and satisfaction guar-
anteed. This house is open day and
night, and your patronage is respect-
fully solicited.

Housekeepers buying goods for the
holidays will consult their own inter-
est by buying of Chas. East. He has
cords of butter, eggs and chickens,
fresh and nice, at bottom prices, being
the leader in those lines, and has all
the fine Christmas grocery goods, be-
sides a brand new stock, bought since
the fire. He is making a special drive
on fine fancy candies, of which he has
the largest and finest stock in the city,
at discount prices.

Curious?

What? Why the low prices of
Xmas goods at W. F. Glenn's Book
Store. Call and see. South 4th street.

A fine new stock of watches, dia-
monds and jewelry at bed rock prices
at Mitchell's.

Mr. J. H. Brown has in his em-
ploy a most excellent barber. Let
him shave you.

I not only sacrifice myself for one,
but dye for all.

DOT LEETHE FRENCHMAN.

Harrison is provokingly reticent
about his cabinet, and yet business
goes on all over the country. Men
and women marry and young folks
dance. The truth is the politics of
the country are only a very small part
of the country.

COMMENCING THURSDAY,

Our Store will remain open until
9 P. M., giving those who cannot
come during the day a chance to
make their Holiday purchases at
night.

BRING THE CHILDREN
To see our Holiday Show Windows
and Santa Claus at

Sanger Brothers.

THE BANKRUPT JEWELERS, LEVINSKI & LEWINE,

WILL BE SOLD OUT IN THE NEXT

◀ FORTY-FIVE :- DAYS ▶

◀ THE ENTIRE STOCK OF ▶

Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Silverware.

Optical Goods, etc., Must go at SACRIFICE PRICES. Come Early
and Bring Your Cash.

F. O. ROGERS, Trustee.

OUR BOYS & GIRLS

MEN & WOMEN

SHOULD BUY A HOME,

And JOHN MAYFIELD will furnish the Money on the
Installment Plan. If you are thinking of buying call
and talk to Mayfield about it, he can give you many
valuable points.

R. H. Gray

—SALES IN—

STAPLE AND FANCY

Groceries,

Hay, Corn, Oats, Bran, Etc.

Country Produce Bought and Sold:

TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

CHEAP CASH MARKET, J. J. RIDDLE

Keeps the Cheapest and Fattest Meats
in the City. South Side Public Sqr.

PRICES.

Choice Porterhouse, 10c, Choice roast, 10c
Choice loin, 10c, Second cut roast, 10c
Choice round, 10c, Choice brisket, 10c
Choice rib, 10c, Choice brisket, 10c
Choice steak, 10c, Choice brisket, 10c
Choice sausage, 10c, Choice fish, 10c
Choice ribs, 10c, Choice fish, 10c

A NEW DEPARTURE.

FRESH BARBECUED MEATS

Every day direct from the hills, and
delivered at your residence.

J. J. RIDDLE.

New Birmingham.

Lots in this growing city are selling
rapidly. In certain blocks they have
advanced one hundred per cent in one
month. J. B. Baker, Mrs. E. Lyn-
ham, Mr. A. Berkshire, Mr. C. C.
Cook and others, who have just re-
turned from there, speak in the high-
est terms of the prosperity and rapid
advance of the city. We have maps
and price list of lots in our office,
which you are invited to call and in-
spect. The following is a specimen
of prices:

BUSINESS PROPERTY.		
18 lots block 1 Austin St.	\$ 500 00	
6 " " 1 Galveston	750 00	
7 " " 2 " "	750 00	
6 " " 2 Dallas	1,000 00	
3 " " 3 " "	1,000 00	
17 " " 5 Houston	500 00	

RESIDENCE PROPERTY.

Lots from \$100 to \$500, according to
location.

By using our maps and price list
you can make a judicious selection
and save the time and expense of a
trip to Birmingham.

J. B. GILMER & CO.,
Waco, Texas.

Waco coal yards, northeast corner
square, convenient for prompt deliv-
ery. Hard and soft coal and coke.
W. E. HARRISMAN.

CHEAP COLUMN.

LOST—Memorandum book with the daily and
monthly account of the Waco Bridge Co.,—
between the bridge and E. D. Russell's on
Austin street—finder will please return to this
office, or to Mr. Russell at the bridge.

WANTED—To trade a good five room house,
with fine orchard, good well of water
and 12 acres of land on 14th street, for land or
live-stock. Address, T. N. McMillen Jr.,
Box 30, Waco, Texas.

FOR SALE—Chambers' Encyclopedia, latest
edition, new, at half its value. For par-
ticulars call at or address this office.

PAPERS—We have old papers con-
stantly on hand, and
parties wanting them can get them at a bargain
by applying at the Evening News office, No.
515 Austin Avenue.

FOUND—A copy of "Daniel's" Chancery
Pleading and Practice, on south 5th street.
The book can be had by calling at the News of-
fice and paying for this advertisement.

WANTED—A young man as night clerk at
the Washington Hotel, corner of Eighth
and Washington streets.

LOST—A pair of gold spectacles. The finder
Lwill please return to Stoltz Bros. and be
suitably rewarded.

FOUND—A boy's overcoat, at the old Mc-
Clelland opera house. The owner can
have same by proving property and paying for
this notice. Apply at the News office.

LOST—One blow Pigeon. \$1 reward. Find-
er will please return to the St. Charles,
on Austin Avenue.

Stolte - Brothers,

FRESH - BREAD

GROCERIES AND PRODUCE.
Delivered in any part of the city. Increased
trade assures all of our groceries to be fresh.

STOLTE BROTHERS,
Corner Fifth and Franklin Sts.

WHO ARE WEAK, NERVOUS AND
EXHAUSTED AND SUFFERING FROM
NERVOUS DEBILITY, REMINAL
WEAKNESS, NIGHTLY EMISSIONS
and all the effects of early evil
habits, which lead to PREMA-
TURE DEATH, CONSUMPTION OR
INSANITY, send for FREE Trea-
tise ON DISEASES OF MAN, with particulars for
YOUR CASE.
Cures guaranteed. No cure no pay. J. S. FRANK-
LIN and 614 Church St. Nashville, Tenn.

New Enterprise.

Call and see Edgar & Co.'s new
Cider Mill in Stone's new hotel block,
on 5th street, between Austin Avenue
and Franklin streets. Come and get
some fresh cider from the apples as
they are ground and pressed. Cider
by the glass, pint, quart, gallon or
barrel at rock prices. Come one, come
all.
J. B. Edgar & Co. 1m94

The Waco Furniture company's
holiday display looks as though they
were still holding the State Fair.

LeDoux will duplicate prices of any
reliable jewelry firm.

"Jim, the Penman" at The Garland
Opera House Dec. 19th and 20th.

Opera glasses in all styles, at Le
Doux's, 463, Austin Avenue.