

# The Sale of the Twentieth Century!

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## J. B. Anderson's.

Beginning Wednesday, March 15, 1905, continuing until Saturday, April 1, 1905.

### Bargains, BARGAINS, Bargains.

A reduction of 10 to 20 per cent made on all lines of merchandise. The news has gone broadcast that we are selling everything in the line of Prints, Domestics, Dress Goods, Silks, White Goods, Underwear, Boots Shoes, Carpets, Window Shades, Trunks, Suit Cases, Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks and Men's and Boys' Clothing at prices never before heard of in Monroe City.

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experience. Why, raises corn, he does so at am-

der is very much appreciated in this part of the country.

A handsome little son put in his appearance the 8th, at the home of Mrs. John Steward formerly Miss Nettie Rouse.

Misses Lu Vandeventer and Alice Richart spent a few days this week with Mrs. Hattie Uterback east of town.

W. W. Crigler has full possession of the postoffice now.

Miss Bess Hayden spent a few days in town last week and attended the parlor dance at Mr. Goss'.

Several ladies from the country in town last evening to attend the dance.

Russel Crigler is improving his place by putting up a neat woven wire fence.

Mrs. Wm McCrury who has been suffering with rheumatism this winter is improving.

Harry Gofs is assisting his brother Elliot in the store at Perry.

G. W. Green and family have moved from the barrens to the Vandeventer farm one half mile south of town.

Rev. Howerton moved his family to the Methodist parsonage last week.

Mrs. Foster attended her Sunday school to the sugar meeting a Republic had a social good date with a casted on delicious wax and maple sugar.

Wednesday evening March 1st, Robert Ray Crigler and Miss Myrtle Poage were married by Rev. Stribley at the home of the bride. Shortly after the ceremony they drove to their newly furnished home which awaited them.

After eight weeks suffering with whooping cough and pneumonia the little one year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mills died Saturday and was laid to rest Sunday evening at the Hawkins burying ground west of town.

Dr. Brown has purchased the Lawson property on South Main Street. He is having the old building torn down and will erect a nice residence in the near future.

Arch Ball is rejoicing over another little son at his home.

"Book News" for March wears every aspect of a thoroughly up-to-date, wide-awake literary magazine, a periodical designed essentially for busy people, who nonetheless, like to keep right in touch with the doings of the book-world. "Maxime Gorky," by Talcott Williams, is an especially timely article discussing the character and work of the Russian novelist, recently imprisoned for participation in the uprising. "American Men of Letters as Consuls and Diplomats," by Norma K. Bright, considers with anecdote, the numerous literary men of America who have served in the consular and diplomatic ranks abroad. Among the book reviews for the month are: "With the New Books," by Talcott Williams, L. J. L. D.; "Representative Nov-

els," reviewed by Norma K. Bright; "Entertaining Fiction," "Books of General Interest" and the Summary page of "Books of the Month for the Busy Man." The Educational Course comprises a study of the great Germans,—Lessing, Goethe and Schiller and in English Literature, John Bunyan is considered. Books News, John Wauamaker, Publisher, Philadelphia, Paris, New York.

E. J. McKnight spent Saturday and Sunday in this city with his family.

## The Democrat

Is Arranging For a

## Contest.

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MRS. J. B. GRADY, Monroe City, Mo.

R. F. Hixson, city editor of the DEMOCRAT, has had a very severe attack of the grip and was threatened with pneumonia but at this writing is much better.

## THE DEMOCRAT

W. J. ROUSE, Editor.  
R. F. HIXSON, City Editor.

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	F. & M.	90
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THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1905

Will Medcalf was in Hunnewell the first of the week.

Grab your pocket book and Hurry to Williamson, Hawkins & Yates Big Sale now going on. See adv in this issue.

The Church As a Social Medium.  
Esperance Goodlove, speaking of society as it concerns business women, in the New Idea Woman's Magazine for April, says that where society as it is generally known is not possible, and she acknowledges it is all but impossible to many business women in large cities there are other things which are semi-social in their nature, and which will do the work of substitutes for society if they are so approached. She instances books, concerts and churches, although she deprecates making use of the latter society on account of its social advantages. Of churches she remarks, "Let her" (the business woman) "seek first clergymen whose preaching helps her, whose spiritual inspiration assists her to bear the sorrow of loneliness, and by some miracle, human or divine, she will often find the loneliness superseded by kindly acquaintance."

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