BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

Still continue at

B. C. EVANS CO.

Our buyer is now East, and we must have room for Spring Goods. Great reductions in all departments.

Never before in the history of the SHOE TRADE have there been such bargains as are now shown on our shoe counters. Every one leaves this prominent feature of our business thoroughly pleased.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS!

This is the Department we can give Bargains in. See the cut Prices.

Extra Heavy Undershirts reduced from 40c. to 25c.
Extra Heavy Undershirts reduced from 75c. to 40c.
Extra Heavy Fleeced Undershirts reduced from 75c. to 50c.
Fine Merino Undershirts reduced from $2.50 to $1.65.
Fine Wool Suits reduced from $3 to $2.
Fine Regular Made pure Wool Suits reduced from $4 to $2.50.
Australian Wool Suits reduced from $4 to $2.75.

Examine the Prices on Canton Flannel Drawers—Prices Cut only on Fine Goods.

Canton Flannel Drawers reduced from $1.25 to 75c.
Canton Flannel Drawers with elastic anklets reduced from $1.25 to 90c.
Our best Canton Flannel Drawers reduced from $1.50 to $1.

A First-class Line of Clothing offered at Reduced Rates.

CARPETS! CARPETS!

We have just received over 55 pieces New Carpets of the latest Spring Styles. Some handsom Brussels offered as low as 50c. per yard.

B. C. EVANS COMPANY,

113 and 115 Houston and 112 and 114 Main St.,

FORT WORTH, - - TEXAS.

I am Selling Best Quality

INDIAN NATION COAL

And guarantee it to be equal if not superior to any in the market.

Would respectfully refer to nine-tenths of the consumers of Coal in the city. All orders by either telephone to Grain Elevator will receive prompt attention.

N. C. BROOKS.

TEMPLE PLACE.

Our stock of high grade goods is now full and complete and embraces some the finest importations ever yet offered in the city. Having established the reputation of handling only goods of best quality, we propose to keep our stock up to its present standard, and solicit your orders. Very resp'ly,

F. P. PENDERY.

PIERSON HOUSE,

EL PASO, TEXAS.

This beautiful and elegantly furnished Hotel will be opened for the reception of guests on Tuesday, the 3rd of February. It will be replete with every comfort.

W. J. MORPHY, Manager.

THE DAILY GAZETTE.

Office of Publication—Second Street, Between Houston and Throckmorton. Entered at the Postoffice as Second-class Matter.

New Time Card.

Taking Effect December 28, 1884.

TEXAS & PACIFIC.

West.	Arrive.	Leave.
No. 501 daily	8:20 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
No. 506 daily	2:06 p. m.	
No. 507 daily except Sun.		8:00 a. m.
East.		
No. 504 daily	6:45 a. m.	7:00 a. m.
No. 506 daily		1:30 p. m.
No. 505 daily except Sun.	7:40 p. m.	

MISSOURI PACIFIC:

North.	Arrive.	Leave.
No. 152 daily		6:50 a. m.
No. 154 daily via Dallas	8:20 p. m.	8:55 p. m.
South.		
No. 151 daily	8:25 p. m.	
No. 153 daily via Dallas	7:35 a. m.	7:55 a. m.

FORT WORTH & DENVER CITY:

	Leave.	Arrive.
North-bound	7:40 a. m.	
South-bound		6:30 p. m.

GULF, COLORADO & SANTA FE:

South.	Leave.	Arrive.
No. 2 daily	7:45 a. m.	
No. 24 daily Acco'm'dation	3:00 p. m.	
North.		
No. 1 daily		11:55 p. m.
No. 12 accommodation		7:25 a. m.

RUNNING OF TRAINS.

Nos. 504 and 501 between St. Louis and El Paso.

Nos. 506 and 505 between Fort Worth and New Orleans.

Nos. 508 and 507 between Fort Worth and Colorado.

Nos. 152 and 151 between Fort Worth, St. Louis and Trans-Continental.

Nos. 154 and 153 between San Antonio and St. Louis via Dallas.

Nos. 2 and 1 between Fort Worth Houston and Galveston.

C. D. LUSK,
Union Ticket Agent.

Mutz Comedy Company.

The Mutz Comedy company met at the Fort Worth National bank last night, and in the absence of the president, Dr. Moore was appointed president pro tem. The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with, and the committee on plays reported. No play selected yet. Messrs. Lamborn and Kerens were appointed a committee to consult with Mr. Max Elser in ordering a number of comedies to select a suitable one from.

The following new members were added to the company: Messrs. Elliott, Bishop, Nunnally, Cravens and Dr. Lawrence.

Despair not, neither man nor maid,
Although your mouth has suffered ill,
Although your teeth are half decayed,
You can save them, if you will,
little SOZODONT be sure
Will make all balmy, bright and pure.

WHAT WE'D LIKE TO SEE.

A first-class business boom.

More light at the Union depot.

A larger and better hotel built.

The Waxahachie Tap a reality.

The Santa Fe extended north.

A railroad from Fort Worth to Brownwood.

The Democrats make city nominations.

A large audience at the opera-house to-night.

More sidewalks and better ones.

Our public schools continue to prosper.

A city board of trade established.

Mr. Cleveland appoint a strong cabinet.

The Illinois legislature elect Bill Morrison.

Tom Ochiltree meet Robert Alexander.

The city own both halves of the water-works.

Everybody prosperous and happy.

Don't Answer the Bell.

When on Sunday the gongs of the Pan-Electric telephone, at 12 midday, begin a racket, don't pay any attention. Three distinct raps will be given at that hour to indicate that it is precisely noon. This will establish a uniform standard of time throughout the city.

For Alderman.

In this issue appears the announcement of Mr. J. J. Kane as a candidate for alderman from the First ward. Mr. Kane has all the qualifications which fit a man for an aldermanic position. He is a gentleman of sound judgment and ripe experience in financial questions, and his integrity is above suspicion. In the questions of important financiering, which are constantly coming before the city council, his judgment and recognized business ability could be exercised for the benefit of the city. The First ward has many prominent men whose presence would add weight and dignity to the council, and Mr. Kane is undoubtedly one of them.

The best smoking tobacco is "Little Joker."

J. P. SMITH, President,

Fort Worth Gas Light Company,

Office 511 Houston Street, Fort Worth, Texas.

GAS FIXTURES, PIPE, FITTINGS, ETC., ETC.

Coke and Coal Tar.

FUEL DEPARTMENT.

Sole Agents for the

CELEBRATED McALLISTER (Nation) COAL—THE BEST.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Best Brands

Pennsylvania Anthracite (Hard) Coal,

In Egg and Nut sizes, also Standard Brands of

BLACKSMITH COAL,

At favorable prices, which will be shipped to any point in North Texas in quantities to suit and satisfaction guaranteed. TERMS CASH.

PERSONAL.

K. Ross, Hearne, is at the Mansion.

E. R. Hays, Waco, is at the Mansion.

W. E. Halsell, Vinita, is at the Mansion.

C. Randal, Palo Pinto, is at the Mansion.

H. G. Brady, Weatherford, is at the Central.

J. C. Carpenter, Decatur, is at the Mansion.

W. H. Portwood, Decatur, is at the Mansion.

C. D. Hughes, Sherman, is at the Mansion.

R. C. Judge, Louisville, is at the Mansion.

W. E. Lipsett, Fort Wayne, is at the Mansion.

Geo. Richardson, Waco, is at the Mansion.

Julius Shloss, Clarendon, Tex., is at the Central.

F. H. Ernest of Warren, Ohio, is at the Lindell.

W. I. Little of Temple, Tex., is at the Lindell.

M. C. Montgomery of El Paso, Tex., is in the city.

W. T. Gardner, Mineral Wells, is at the Mansion.

W. J. Saunders, Texas, is at the Grand Central.

B. F. Comstock, Decatur, is at the Grand Central.

D. and W. Waggoner, Decatur, are at the Mansion.

J. M. Ross, Brenham, is registered at the Mansion.

C. L. Pratt, Henrietta, is registered at the Mansion.

I. Rauch of Dallas was at the Pickwick yesterday.

W. J. Davis and lady, New Orleans, is at the Mansion.

J. W. Young, East Liverpool, Ohio, is at the Mansion.

G. W. Dalton and lady are registered at the Mansion.

L. J. Wilson and wife, Jacksboro, are at the Mansion.

P. C. Wyatt of the Indian territory is at the Pickwick.

J. D. Merchant of Baird is registered at the Pickwick.

W. D. Johnson and wife, Atlanta, Ga., are at the Mansion.

I. E. Sowny, an attorney of South Carolina, is at the Lindell.

H. W. Levisen and M. I. Snyder of Milan, Tenn., are in the city.

W. B. Worsham of Henrietta, Tex., was at the Pickwick last night.

B. J. Dillard of Lebanon, Tenn., is stopping at the Pickwick hotel.

J. G. Halsell of Decatur, Tex., is stopping at the Pickwick hotel.

A. H. Parmer and Eugene Wicher of Wichita Falls are in the city.

Frank Simmons and Will A. Brasher of Franklin, Ky., are in the city.

Jno. H. Belcher of Gainesville was registered at the Pickwick last night.

R. A. Mitchell, J. P. Higgins and W. N. Huling passed through the city last evening.

Joe H. Stewart of Austin is stopping at the Pickwick, and will lecture to-night at the opera-house.

Col. J. C. Nixon and H. B. Christian, two oiley young gentlemen from St. Louis, are in the Fort with headquarters at the Pickwick.

C. W. Easley and wife, B. C. Babb and wife and T. J. Atkinson and family of Henrietta were at the Pickwick last night, en route home from New Orleans.

An Anniston, Ala., special telegram makes this mention of a gentleman well and favorably known in Fort Worth: "Col. Bob Bacon, formerly Georgia's secretary to the railroad commission, is in our town. The colonel has transferred his interests to the Lone Star state, and now has the step and stately mien of a thoroughbred ranchero. He returns to Texas in a few days."

A telephone message was received at THE GAZETTE last night stating that Westwood Wallace, who lived near Keller, died yesterday about 3 o'clock p. m. Mr. Wallace will be remembered in this city as a clerk in the county clerk's office under Mr John F. Swayne. He was a young man of much intellectual power, and his death will be regretted by a large circle of friends.

To Voters.

THE GAZETTE will not print "calls" for candidates unless paid for at the regular advertising rates.

The Pale Little Child.

Bloodless cheeks, hollow eyes, tight skin, joyless life. Poor little child Do a good deed for it. Hand its mother a bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters. The druggist who sells this famous medicine will tell you what wonders it has done for feeble children. Don't think it is only for grown-up people. It is gentle in its influence, and not unpleasant to take. It cures weakness and indigestion, regulates the bowels and enriches the blood.

PLEASURE ON SKATES.

A Large Crowd and Hearty Enjoyment at the Rink.

The masquerade carnival at Bloom & Rich's rink last night was a success, if one could judge by the number in attendance and the degree of enjoyment shown by the skaters. The large hall was crowded by an orderly throng, who entered with keenest relish upon the sports of the evening. The costumes were of endless variety, and their choice and preparation showed a highly creditable taste and discriminating judgment as to the proprieties of the occasion. With a smooth floor, a spacious hall and agreeable company, the skaters had nothing to call for that could have added to the pleasures of the evening. The reporter, watching the graceful participants as they glided up and down, across and around the room, entered with hearty zest into the spirit of the fun, and in his heart partook of the enthusiasm that drew from an unknown rhymester the rhapsody:

See the maiden with her skates,
Dainty skates!
What a world of coquetry her manner indicates!
For her lover gazes at her
And he joins her on the floor,
And they chatter, chatter, chatter,
All unheedful of the clatter,
All unmindful of the roar;
Floating light as any feather,
Till they both sit down together
With a haste involuntary,
And a grin that intimates
'Twas the skates, skates, skates, skates,
Skates, skates, skates—
Love, alas! is too unwary
On his skates.

The $5 prizes for best costumes were awarded to Mr. Charlie Snead and Miss Beulah Smith. Other costumes were admirable in taste, but these were voted the best.

Messrs. Bloom & Rich conducted the affair with credit, and their share in contributing to the entertainment of our people will be appreciated and themselves liberally rewarded.

LOCALETTES.

Oats and hay are scarce on the market.

"The South" at the opera-house to-night.

Don't miss the lecture at the opera-house to-night.

Street fakirs are in the majority on the square now.

Best wheat sells readily at eighty cents per bushel.

Corn sold mostly at fifty cents per bushel yesterday.

F. W. Patterson is shipping from one to two car-loads of oats per day.

Esq. Goforth of Bear creek sold 400 bushels of wheat to the Novelty mills at 81 cents yesterday.

To the ladies of Fort Worth—Miss M. C. Thierauf will be here for four days only with a full line of hair goods, all latest styles. Ladies will please call at room 24, Mansion hotel.

THE GAZETTE acknowledges the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the ball of the E. M. Daggett Hose company, to be given at the Germania opera-house Wednesday, February 28.

The Knights of the Faithful held their third meeting last night and initiated four new members. The degree of L. T. J. A. of O. was conferred upon J. D. McClure of the firm of Turner & McClure.

Maj. Joe H. Stewart, who lectures at the opera-house to-night, should speak to one of the largest audiences that ever assembled in Fort Worth. His mission is a noble one and appeals to the patriotism of all citizens.

The Pan-Electric people have made arrangements to furnish each of their patrons with with correct "standard time" daily. The bell of each 'phone will exactly at noon give three short rings, thus enabling every one to verify or adjust their time-pieces.

The wide-awake and energetic members of the Christian church propose to remodel the interior of their house and make it more attractive and comfortable. Funds sufficient have already been subscribed, and we learn that work will commence immediately.

Mr. Max Elser, manager of the Pan-Electric Telephone company to-day received a telegram from the Memphis manager stating that he had just put in a Providence switchboard there and already had twenty-five telephones working, while the linemen are constantly at work, putting up lines and 'phones.

About 10 o'clock yesterday Mr. Zeiler of Zeller Bros., fruit dealers, South side of the square, was thrown violently from a bucking horse, lighting on his head and shoulders, and was picked up in an insensible condition, caused by concussion of the brain, from which he slowly recovered and was resting easy at last accounts.

Notice.

I hereby give notice to all whom it may concern, not to buy a note given by me in September '84 for $2000, due twelve months after date, to A. F. Higgs. It has been paid.

GEO. B. LOVING.

Fresh shipment of pickled pork at Turner & McClure's.

CHAS. SCHEUBER.

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Wholesale Dealers and Importers of

Liquors and Ciga

Agents for

Schlitz's Champagne and Anthony & Kuhn's Bottled

404 Houston Street,

Fort Worth, Te

Cincinnati Office, 110 Second Street.

E. M. WELL

PRESCRIPTIONS A SPECIALTY.

Up Town, 509 Houston. Down Town, 1[illegible]

SUITS TO ORDE

Our Merchant Tailoring department stocked with as fine a selection of goods as were ever offered in the are ready for Spring orders and special figures for the present when the season has farther advanced

DAHLMAN BROS.,
FORT WORTH, TEX.

315 Houston Street,

LEWIS BROTHERS & CO.,

Boots and Shoes, Fort Worth,

MARTIN CASEY.

CASEY & SWASEY,

Importers and Wholesale Dealers in

Liquors and Ciga

Sole Agents for North Texas for

SCLITZ' MILWAUKEE BOTTLED B

Agency of the

William J. Lemp Brewing Association.

Nos. 56 and 58 Houston Street, Fort Wo

5000

Dozen eggs wanted at the Fort Worth Grocer Co.'s

Notice.

All persons are hereby warned not to trade for accept as a consideration checks as follows: No. 2733 for $260 00, No. 2735 for $380.00, No. 2737 for $330 00, No. 2738 for $100 00, No. 2739 for $160, No. 2754 for $80, all bearing date of Nov. 24 1884, and drawn by me on the City National bank of Fort Worth, as payment has been stopped.

JNO O FORD, Cashier.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 19, 1885.

Turner & McClure have just received another shipment of pickled pork.

A Big Bargain.

A $450 piano, in good condition, for $150. Call at 823 Lamar street.

Now is the time to have your pipes put in order for the coming spring. L. Higby's plumbing and gas-fitting establishment, 24 Main street, is the very place to have it done. Prices reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.

Thomas smoothing-harrows at cost for thirty days.

W. A. HUFFMAN IMPLEMENT CO.

Oats.

Fifteen thousand bushels red rustproof oats for sale.

W. F. PATTERSON,
Sixth and Houston, Fort Worth.

Excursion Tickets

Are now on sale at the Texas & St. Louis ticket office, opposite postoffice, for $32. Call for further information.

E. E. FOSDICK,
Ticket agent.

Don't Have Your Buggies Botched.

Go to Brooks' factory, West Weatherford street, and get first-class work.

Lime! Lime! Lime!

Round Rock Lime Works manufactures white lime of the very best quality. Orders solicited. For prices, etc., address MARTIN & WALSH, Round Rock, Tex. Proprietors.

1600

Bushels of millet seed for sale by W. F. Patterson, corner Sixth and Houston.

Grain for Sale.

Thirty cars of sacked oats.
Twenty cars of wheat, by
S. A. HATCHER,
Grain Dealer Fort Worth

When one takes into consideration the saving of hours of valuable time and the consequent lesser expenses in attending the inauguration via the B & O, it would be some pretty strong inducement to create a desire to go to the national capital by any other line Leaving St. Louis in the morning, Cincinnati in the evening, Washington is reached the next day at 1 o'clock, six hours in advance of the fastest trains on other lines.

5000

Dozen eggs wanted at the Fort Worth Grocer Co.'s

Before the warm weather comes it is always a good plan to have all your plumbing and gas-fitting put in order bath-tubs, water-pipe and hydrants, etc. Fountains to cool the air and make your gardens beautiful, and gas fixtures to save your wife's dainty hands. Ask L. Higby, at No 24 Main street, for estimates on all such work.

Notice.

All persons are hereby cautioned against negotiating for the following checks, drawn by me on the City National bank of Fort Worth, as payment has been stopped: Check No 173, dated November 26 1884 for $308; check No. 180, dated November 28, 1884 for $3.9 40; check No. 181, dated November 28, 1884, for $265 40.

GEO. B. LOVING,
Manager.

FRED L. KI

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Thursday, Febru

First Appearance of

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Strongest array of ... bled in Eng...

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Will give one of its unrivaled ... of Flotow's Grand Op

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In which Emma Abbott gives ... rendering of "The Last Rose ... mer," and with a ... N. Y. World and ... News call "the ... the days of ... Rosa."

Sale of seats begins Tuesday,

PRICES

Lower Floor,
Balcony, first two rows,
Balcony, rear rows,
Gallery,

LAMPASAS SP

Improvements, Hotel

As the season advances ... business is improving here, ... thing is more flourishing ... our new hotel, the San G... which is one of the most ... and elegantly furnished and ... tilated houses in the state. ... venient to business and ... sample-rooms. Its occupant ... all large and light, with high ... southern exposure. Its ... springs are A No. 1, and ... Thompson keeps the table ... correspondence with the ... tablishment, his reduced ... per day make the San Gero... popular.

To the Directors and Stockholders of the State National Bank.

GENTLEMEN: We, your ... appointed to examine into the ... tion of the State National ... Fort Worth, now respectfully ... our report:

We have examined the cash ... on the night of February 7, ... it correct and that it corre... with the report of the cashier ... loans and discounts, which ... isfactory, and also the book, ... find are kept in a business... creditable manner. The ... employes of the bank ... every assistance in our ... and we find the bank ... healthy and growing condition ... of which we submit, and ask ... charged.

SIDNEY MART...
J. G. WRIGHT,
WM G. NEWT...
FORT WORTH, TEX., F...

Go to H. Tassel's ...
Corner Weatherford and Taylor ... for the best quality of ... corn and other feed low ... telephone 276.