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Callaghan & Sutter



Today's entry is taken from the Dec. 20, 1906, souvenir edition of the Medina Tribune. A number of local business establishments were featured in stories and pictures. George S. Callaghan, mentioned here, was elected Orleans County Sheriff and served from 1907 to 1909.

The enterprise carried on by Messrs. Callaghan and Sutter is one of the most popular in Medina and the vicinity and as both members of the firm have hosts of friends in the village, a few words concerning them and their establishment cannot but interest many readers of this souvenir edition.

"Their store, located at 430 Main St., is neatly and conveniently arranged, is fitted up with a view to conducting the business to the best advantage, the front part being devoted to the display of the stock carried, which includes all kinds of choice confectionery, from the finest chocolates to the plainer goods, all the popular brands of cigars and

tobaccos, smokers' articles, foreign and domestic fruits, and a general line of everything pertaining to the business in hand.

"The rear part of the store is fitted up as a lunch room, oysters in all styles, tea, coffee, cocoa sandwiches of all kinds, pies and pastry being served at all hours from early morning to late at night, everything being strictly fresh, neat and clean, and served in the most appetizing manner and at popular prices. Delicious ice cream and soda water, made from pure fruit flavors, are also served in season, ice cream being sold by the plate, pint, quart or gallon.

"Messrs. Callaghan and Sutter have been established in business here 12 years and by strict attention to business have built up a liberal and permanent patronage. The individual members of the firm are G. S. Callaghan and B. M. Sutter. They are liberal in all their esteem of all who have had dealings with them."