



A BRIEF LIST OF RARE, UNUSUAL, TEXAS, SOUTHWESTERN, INDIAN, AND DESPERADO ITEMS. LARGELY A LIST OF REMAINDERS. GUARANTEED AS REPRESENTED.

DID JOHN WILKES BOOTH DIE IN THAT BESIGED OLD CORN CRIB ON THE GARRETT PLACE SOUTH OF FREDERICKSBURG THAT FATEFUL APRIL DAY IN 1865?

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DID HE? DID HE?

FINUS L. BATES, MEMPHIS, TENN. LAWYER, SAYS THAT HE DID NOT. BATES WHILE YET IN HIS TEENS HUNG OUT HIS SHINGLE AT GRANBURY, TEXAS, IN THE EARLY 70's WHEN THIS WAS YET A FRONTIER TOWN. IT WAS HERE THAT HE BECAME ACQUAINTED WITH JOHN ST. HELEN, WHO DURING A SERIOUS ILLNESS CONFESSED THAT HE WAS JOHN WILKES BOOTH. IMPOSSIBLE? STUDY THE PICTURES OF ST HELEN AND BOOTH! READ THE IDENTIFICATION OF GEN. ALBERT PIKE, GEN. D. D. DANA, JOSEPH JEFFERSON AND CLARA MORRIS, PROMINENT STAGE FOLK WHO KNEW AND PLAYED WITH BOOTH AND BOOTH'S NEPHEW. FORM YOUR OWN CONCLUSIONS, RELATIVE TO THIS DARK CHAPTER OF AMERICAN HISTORY, AFTER READING THIS MOST INTERESTING BOOK. INCIDENTALLY THE LAST CURTAIN WAS RUNG DOWN ON THIS DRAMA WITH THE SUICIDE OF D. E. GEORGE IN ENID, OKLA. A FEW YEARS AGO. GEORGE BEING POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED AS ST HELEN. A FEW COPIES, WHILE THEY LAST. - - - - - \$3.50

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