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This is convention week in Coowee

Henry Drew never took out a pernit in his life. Joe Alcorn is the coming drug clerk

at Frazee & Co's. The Vinita Fair has been set for September 28, 29, 30, George Eaton went east last Sunday

with a car of cattle. Stock yards are being built by the

milroad company at Adair. A big barbecue is one of the proba bilities for Cooyyah on the 4th of July.

J. B. Stevens sold a saddle and outfit last week to Paul Campbell for \$85. A gasoline stove for sale; been in se one summer. Enquire at this

Two saddles were raffled off yesterday. Of course W. E. Halsell "got

The Downing district convention for coweescoowee takes place to-morrow andnext day at the court house.

It is reported that the Missouri Paific is about to repair and increase the size of their stock yards at this place. We hope 'tis so.

There are said to be 3300 persons in Cooweescoowee district under permits. it is not expected that another meet-This seems incredable but the clerk is authority for the statement.

It is proposed to expend \$200 in rading up our business street. This Thursday and Friday. Committees s a commendable move and should were appointed as follows: On finance, receive all the encouragement required.

The med hole beside the Frisco track near Little Cabin is being bridged. Money for the purpose was raised by subscription in and about this

The National convention in Dela- ed. The various superintendents and ware district, west of Grand river oc- assistants were also named. Vinita curs on the 20th; the Downing on the bas always had the best fairs in the 25th. The latter will be held at Ben | territory and it will this year with ont Landrum's spring.

Owen asking that J. Milton Turner be the agricultural exhibit can be made A petition has been sent to Agent uppressed from talking Cherokee 52 bounds of the nation.

The National party & Cooweesconwee district will meet to norrow, the The future never looked so rosy and Downing party at the Falls on next Saturday 10th, at Tickenters Spring, four miles every officer and stock holder should selecting a district ticket.

Children's day will be observed at the Congregational church next Suaday. Ten minute sermon to children, presentation of bibles, etc., in the morning. Concert exercises at 8 o'clock p. m.

One or two of the three following persons will be nominated by the Downing convention of Cooweescoowee district for the senate-or we are poor guessers: John Foreman, R. W. Lindsey, W. C. Rogers.

Chinch bugs were reported in some localities previous to the recent heavy rains and notably so in fields which were plowed up last year to destroy them. This fact is worthy of consid-

Will practice in the United States and State eration by our farmers. A great deal of trouble, some blood shed, and plenty of conflicting reports are just now finding their origin in the Choctaw nation. Some say it is a race war and others that it is a fead grow-

ing out of a drunken killing. A four toot and nine tuch vein of what is thought to be cannot coal has been found in a well on one of Maj. a day or two last week. Lipe's places. It is covered by a lease of the Claremore Stone Coal Mining why can't Claremore celebrate?

company, composed, we believe, of twenty-mix persons. The Frisco company has crected

stock yards at White Oak switch. As they have been so considerate to one or two persons living in that vicinity we suppose they will not hesitate to do something in that line for Vinita- last. a town of ten or twelve hundred ...

A note from W. B. Austin, presiding rented to John Ward. elder, days: The Cherokee district conference, Indian mission, will be held at Tablequah July 14th and 17th. | new now, or as good as new. Bishop Galoway is expected to hold the conference and he may possibly a dwelling house for Ed Hicks and will com change the time of holding the con-

"The desperate fight in Flint" turns out to have been no fight at all. someone shot a man off a horse he was stealing and a deputy sheriff came along and found the thief lying by the roadside wounded. He was returned to the national prison from whence he had escaped.

A barbecue and picnic will be held on Wednesday, 29th inst., by the friends of Pryor creek school, a few miles west of Adair. Mr. Thornton has proven a satisfactory teacher and good souls and his ever smiling face meets a the neighbors propose to show their appreciation in this manner. Everyody is invited. Exercises will be given by the school.

Worcester academy closed last evening and this week has been devoted to graduating exercises, etc., including a concert Tuesday evening. Misse Sarah Lucky and Emma Beck are the graduates and acquitted themselves with distinction. An alumni meeting occured last night which proved a particularly happy occasion. Changes Tahlequah in the faculty are probable for next

The Vinita primary of Cooweescoowee was held last Saturday. Delegates chosen were Dr. A. W. Foreman, Charles Wauscot, Henry Fallen; alternates, R. H. Fields, David Taylor, day with the measies Bear Timpson. Delegates were instructed as follows: For council George Walker, J. H. Fly, S. S. Bluejacket; district judge, Watt Starr; sheriff, Shelly Keys ; clerk W. L. Trott. Not instructed further.

CHRUREA'S CHOICE.-At a primary convention of the Downing party held last Saturday at Chelsea the delegates were instructed to endeavor to secure This powder never varies. A marvel of parity, atreagth and wholesomeness. More a sonomical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in compatition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate B. W. Ryder; council, Pole Rogers, powders, Sold only in case. Boral Barno Fowder Co., 106 Wall St., N. Y. 6-22 George Sibles, S. S. Bluejacket, Thomthe nomination of the following per-For senate, John Foreman and | week with intermittent fever. We are glad to B. W. Ryder; council, Pole Rogers, see him around again. George Bibles, S. S. Bluejacket, Thom- City will have a book and ladder fire company

er, Mrs. W. O. Williams

at home for vacation.

agent here.

the commencement exercises.

are expected to take charge of the

grounds, repair the same and have

them and the track ready when need-

a doubt exceed all former efforts. Be-

ing two weeks earlier than last year

ITEMS FROM CROUTEAU.

Enterprising Neighbor Below.

-Mrs. Butler is in Muskogee this week.

-Miss Quinn has returned from a two weeks

isit at Oswego and Osage Mission, Kansas.

-The Chouteau band is still practicing-

FROM CLAREMORE.

Newsy Batch of Items From the Versatili Pen of "Iyues."

-Fine nights for alceping, of late.

cutting their wheat next Monday.

West Point last Sunday morning.

ing at the West Point school house.

mence work the last of this week.

see him locate here.

nation last Saturday.

Monday on business

of town, died last Friday.

Fourth of July with a pic-nic.

hearty welcome in Claremore.

who is a professional man of late.

-A most pleasant dance and appper was no

-W. J. Strange, of Chelsea, probably better

one day last week. Will is one of those real

-The baldface pic-nic, or race pony, has

wood into the hands of the ''tall sycamore,'

SOUTHWEST CITY NEWS.

An Unusual Amount of Sickness Prevailing-

-Mrs. Al Howe was sick in bed last week

-Cnarles Snell has returned from his trip to

-Dr. LaRue, of Mayaville, was in town last

-Mr. Spence Edwards' little child died Fri-

-The wife of Mr. Jim Smith, who lives north

-The little child of Rol and Mandy Kephari

-Southwest City is going to celebrate the

-One of H. B. Rossberry's grown daughters who lives in the nation, died last Friday.

-A. J. Maxwell, editor of the Corner Stone

went to Bentouville Friday for his better half

-A dance was given at the Central hotel

last Thursday. Everybody enjoyed themselves

-Steve Lincoln was confined to his bed last

-Unless we'are badly mistaken, Southwes

known as "Hun," was a visitor in our town

-Rev. Crawford preached last Sunday morn

preparing for a grand musical entertainmen

General and Personal Notes From Ou

to give her a boom.

-Cattle shipping here

day from Muskogee

June 6th, 1887.

-Harvest time at hand.

to be given in the near future.

-John Hogan was in the city fast Tuesday. Of the International Causell of the Tereitory -A. C. Raymond has been quite sick for sev-

Which Met at Enfunia last Monday A note from there of Tuesday's date inform -Mrs. L. W. Marks is spending a season in A note from there of Tuocday's date informs us that the attendance is quite large. Twelve or fourteen tribes are represented, including the dve so-called civilized nations. The others are the Osages and the amiliated basels in the - Miss Lottie Henderson is visiting her sixsouthwestern part of the territory. S. H. Benge, Cherokes, is president and Wash Gray -Miss Inez Ratcliff, after a year's visit with er brother in Texas, returned bome Monday son, of Muskagee, secretary. A business committee of ten members selected from the five nations was appointed Monday. At noon of -Charley Poole and Dr. C. P. Linn came in ast esturday and remained to the city for sev-Thesilay they had not submitted a report. I is not probable, however, any business of an -Miss Julia Patton, who has been away at important character will be attempted. The question which seems to press heaviest on the hool in St. Louis the past several months, is minds of the small tribes represented in the -Freeman Ballard, a graduate of Worcester council arises from the late act of congress providing for the allotment of lands in sever ademy, came over from Mayaville to witness alty. To this these Indians, in common with the others, are decidedly opposed and implor -Norval Cole, formerly a Frisco conductor, but who was discharged because a broken axis the kindly intervention in their bebalf of the wrecked his train, was visiting old friends in civilized nations of the territory to whom the the city this week. He was once an express naturally turn for advice and sympathy in th hour of their weakness and well founded ap-prehension. The business committee have -Honorable J. T. Drew, of the suprem their request under advisement. While they court, made us a friendly call last Monday. He was going out into the western part of Coowseacoowse district where we are glad to say there is a prospect of his becoming a resi-Cauadian district, his home, is getting

OPENING NOTES

movement toward the disintegration of the land system of the Indians in the interest of white settlers more than that of the Indian and guarantees of the government, it is probabl THE VINITA FAIR .- A meeting of the that the only remedy suggested will be an ap directors of the fair association was peal to the president and an effort under author ity to be obtained from congress to have this and other cases referred to the judicial tribu held last Tue sday at which were present President McCracken, Secretary nais of the United States, believing as they de Shelton and Directors McClelian, that there is more safety in the courts of the Rogers, Buffington, Fortner, Bell, United States than in the halls of congress Chamberlin, Isbell. All preliminary The delegates present may be regarded as rep resentative men and as reflecting the views arrangements possible were made and their people on subjects that may come befor them for consideration. It is said that the ing will be held until the day preced- Cheyennes and Arapahous are not represented ing the fair. The dates fixed upon are September 28, 29 and 30, Wednesday, through the los rumentality of the Indian po spirit to deliver them from such inflated and ignorant estraps. The course of other agent was more wise and just, knowing as they do Messrs. Bell, Rogers and Buffington; on appeals, Chamberlin, McClellan that the influence and advice of the civilized and Couch, on grounds Isbell, Buffing. Indians all tend to peace, harmony and adand Couch, on grounds Isbell, Buffington and Chamberlin. The last named

WEBBERS FALLS.

The Crops and the Weeds Both Growing-Naviga

-Times are quite lively in these parts. -No exciting news of any kind. All quie

-The steamer Border City is now plying th river between here and Fort Smith and the cotton and cotton seed are fast disappearing from our landing.

much superior. As the association -The rathroad hands are working like her suppressed from taking Cherokee has a debt of but \$150 to start in with on the other side of the river. They have come and as Vinita has already su becribed menced blasting and quarrying rock for the a much larger amount than that, there bridge over the lilinois river. seems to be no obstacle in our way. -There will be a preliminary meeting of the

to arrange for a general district convention west of Chelsen, for the purpose of consider himself a committee of one will give you the names of the nominees after they have been chosen. -Prespect for a good crop of corn was neve better; cotton is also working fine and a better crop of weeds and grass never was known

Farmers are looking like wheat-horses and in the wet spell had lasted one week longer, some of them would have lost portions of their crops but as this week has been favorable most of them are about to pull through. There are only two or three fields of wheat in this district -Our base hall ning are getting in elegant but what there are look well and will be ready -Miss Carrie Archer returned home Satur

BLACK FOX ITEMS FROM FLINT.

Crop Prospects Still Very Flattering-Wheat Hartret on Hands-General News

-Wheat will be ready for harvesting next week. Crop very good. -The apple crop of our district will be an

verage but peaches are a rarity -The cases of Starr va. Sharp and Buffington vs. Paden were both appealed to the su

-Mrs. J. W. Chandler is now convalonment; Mrs. E. W. Buffington very low; Sam Adair -M. B. Baird was in town several days las very nick with typhold fever. -C. D. Ward and family spent Sunday in the -John Hunt returned from Missouri yester day where he has been looking after the estate

-Claremore merchants had a big trade last of his brother who died there in 1860. -The National party of the district is exert ing itself to the utmost, dramming up recruits 'Pow-wows' are held every Saturday

-The Fourth of July will soon be here and -Our section of country has no far beer -Several of our farmers intend to commune for a splendld crop of corn are excellent -Next Saturday has been set apart by the

people of the New Hope neighborhood for the decoration of the cemetery at that place -Prof. W. F. Rasmus is no longer a pela-gogue. He has been appointed by the board of -Rev. Morris, Methodist Episcopal minister, education to visit the schools of Flint and

preached at the court house Sunday morning Goingsnake districts. -J. W. Sharp has taken the lead in farming -The new house of G. W. Eaton will be and has purchased for himself a self-binding, improved reaper. This is the first machine of empleted this week. It has already been the kind ever brought to Filmt. -The old slock yards at this place were

-Eid. J. W. Riddle reports for the year ending June the ist, as the result of his labors as orn down last week and rebuilt, so they are missionary in the Cherokee nation, eighty-six conversions, sixty-eight baptisms and the organization of four churches. Very good. -D M. Hause has the contract for building

-E. W. Buffington is being pushed by his friends for the district judgeship. Elits is one joyed last Thursday night by all who particle pate, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilof our most intelligent and influential citizens and would be an honor to the bench. We would be glad to see him elevated to that pos-Charles Harris passed through our town this -Quite a number of our citizens will vote for morning with a drove of beef cattle en route

for his ranch on California creek. The cattle were hought near Gibson Station. competency at the next election, irrespectly of party lines. This we consider a good on and until the people become educated to the -M. B. Brown, jr., of Springfield, Missourt, point of voting for men who are qualified for arrived here last week and is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. H. Battle and family. Mr. B. is ition, can we ever hope for a better execution of the lawn. a pleasant gentleman and we would be glad to June 54h, 1887.

PARK HILL MISSION SCHOOL.

Interesting Closing Exercises-What How Been Done-Purposes of the Institution.

The Park Hitt Mission School closed for th beaten her record of twenty-two feet at a jump. She has jumped from the small cottonimer vacation on Wednesday, May 25th. There was a large gathering of parents and friends of the school at the closing exercises which consisted of recitations, distornes songs by the scholars and several short eddressess by friends. The sixty scholars present gave ample evidence that they have receive excellent instruction during the past year able specimens of the children's needle-work and map-drawing. The school only makes provision for day acholars and its aim is to give those a thorough and sound elementar education with instruction in such arts as will in all probability prove most useful to them is after life. A pleasing feature of the entertain--H. Dustin and J. Griffin made a trip in the ment was the presentation of hardsome bibles to two young ladies who had committed to -Mr. W. F. Brooks, of Silvam, was in town memory the whole of the shorter catechian during the past year. The school will reoper early in September when Miss Mathes at-1 Miss Evans, who have done such good work in the past year, are expected to be in their pla-again. From its formation, Park Hill sch has been steadily growing and we look forward to a future of great usefulness for it. WHAT ADVERTISING DOES.

The Verdlet of Two Gentlemen Baceived the CLAREMONE, I. T., June 7.

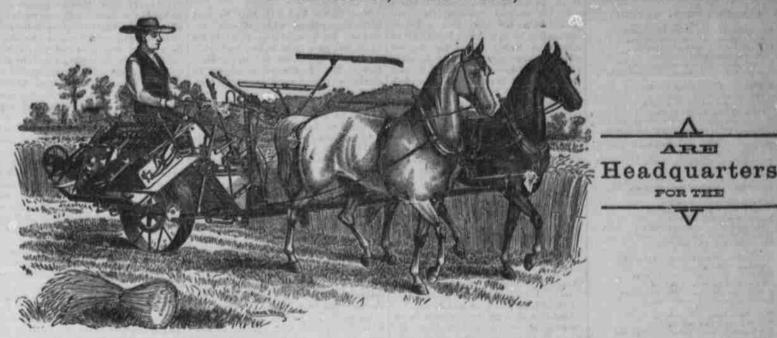
The reward which I offered fast week through the CHIEFTAIN for the return of my pony ought him in sunday, so you can take the M. D. WOODSON notice out. Yours,

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