

Brightly Gleams OUR Bargain Torch!

Every line is illuminated with money saving; every word is freighted with a message of economy; every letter is a guide post to the best and cheapest in the land.

NOW IS THE TIME TO ACT!

Tomorrow may be too late. There is a constant drain on the bargain flood and everything you want may go while you are deciding to act. Every inch of floor space bristles with brightest and most alluring of trade makers.

REMNANTS

On Friday, Aug. 27th, We will put on our counters 3,000 remnants from manufacturers and from our own stock; goods suitable for all purposes and in all qualities, for less than half price; come and look over this bargain counter; it's a money-saver.

LOOK AT OUR STOCK. GET OUR PRICES.

We can sell you the same goods, quality and style considered, 25 per cent. lower than anyone. Our goods are bought by a man who has had long experience in the wholesale business. Below see some prices.

DRY GOODS.

You can buy at the JUMBO STORE a good yard-wide Sea Island domestic for 3 1/2c a yard, or a good grade dress and apron check gingham for 3c a yard; or a good quality batting for 5c a roll; or a good straw tick, sold at 7 1/2c for 6c; or a good tick sold at 16c for 10c; or a nice bleached table linen for 25c a yard; or a 72-inch bleached table linen for 65c (our customers say they paid \$1.25 a yd for it before we came); or white bed spreads, the \$1.00 kind, for 73c. A good cotton check crash others sell for 6 1/4c; our price 5c. In dress goods compare our prices. You will be surprised at the price you'll find. We know where to buy them.

NOTIONS.

Think a minute. It will pay you: Ladies' fast black hose as good as you have paid 10c for, 5c a pair. Ladies' seamless black hose, 20c kind for 10c. 5 papers pins 5c.

SHOES.

We wish to impress on your mind that we have any style or quality of shoe you could desire and it is not necessary to say that our prices are the lowest, as you are well aware of the fact. \$1.00 will buy a good glove grain button shoe for ladies or a good lace or congress shoe for men. \$1.49 buys a ladies' Dongola custom-made shoe, all style toes, regular \$2.50 kind.

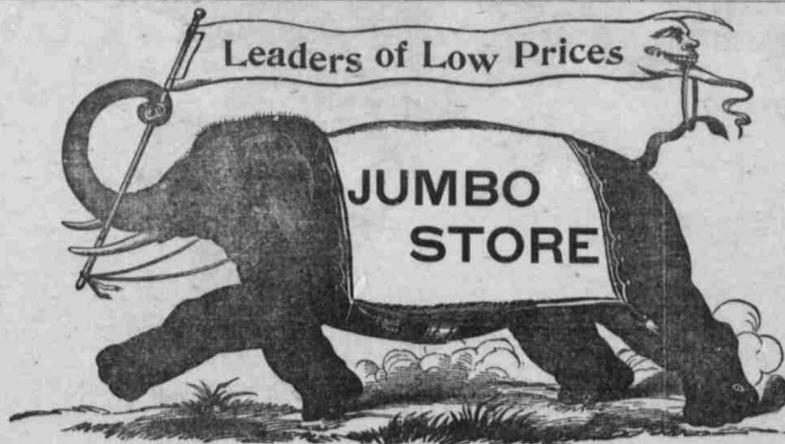
CLOTHING.

Our sale on clothing has been the wonder of the house. It is all because we are selling it cheap. Never before was clothing sold at such prices anywhere, and we intend to keep it going at these prices. New lots received daily. Ladies: Men's suits \$1.98, 2.48, 3.00, 3.50, 4.50, 4.98, 5.00 and up to \$15.00. Children's suits 49c to \$5.00, and beauties, too. See our 38c shirts, 25c underwear and a thousand other bargains we cannot mention here.

GROCERIES.

We sell high grade goods at prices as low as others sell low grade goods. Get prices. We are agents for the National Mills, Parsons, Kansas. Every sack of flour guaranteed.

Our Buyer makes his second trip to market next week. Keep your eye open for opening date of our Millinery and Cloak Department.



ONE PRICE TO ALL. ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

JUMBO STORE. W. T. WADE.

Do You Ever Think How much money you actually pay other merchants in our line unnecessarily in the course of a month, or a year? If You Do, THINK of the great change in prices since our arrival here.

COPIING THE ROLLS.

It is Quite an Undertaking and More than Eighty People are Employed.

There are now more than eighty persons engaged in copying the rolls of the Cherokee nation. All the rolls used in payments from 1880 to 1894 are being recopied, and after they are completed they are to be presented to the Dawes commission by Chief Mayes. The work of copying the rolls is costing the nation about \$240 per day, or \$1,680 a week. It will require more than two weeks to complete the work and so the job will cost something like \$5,300. Following is a list of those appointed to the work by the chief:

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| O. L. Wylie | Miss Lizzie Shelton |
| R. H. Fields | W. F. Cunningham |
| A. F. Adair | Miss Maggie Alberry |
| Mark Bean | E. W. Bullington |
| Miss Katie Bushy-head | M. Lee Paden |
| Leo Gritts | Levi Gritts |
| Jno. L. Adair | Mrs. Neppie Downing |
| Frank Fosticker | Stacie Smith |
| Henry C. Barnes | Wm. E. Johnson |
| Miss Beuna Harris | Geo. W. Johnson |
| Juliette Chambers | Louanna Wilson |
| Wm. E. Gould | Wm. H. Hunsingham |
| Nick Hittings | E. L. Hays |
| J. H. French | Mrs. T. M. Fuller |
| Mrs. J. P. Carter | Joe L. Manns |
| Rush Wilson | W. H. Valentine Jr. |
| Miss Ella M. Covell | Roger Robinson |
| Jesse Sanders | Chas. H. Gould |
| Wm. J. McKee | Levi Rogers |
| Jno. T. Drew | Miss Fannie Bean |
| Jno. G. Harnage | Sam Sanders |
| Chas. Crowder | Joe T. Mayes |
| J. H. Covell | Jas. P. Thompson |
| Fred McDaniel | Sam F. Parks |
| Joe L. Thompson | James Rich |
| Jno. Harris | Geo. Wofford |
| Geo. O. Butler | Wm. H. Harris |
| Thos. P. Downing | Miss Jean Finley |
| W. L. Daugherty | Ross Daniels |
| E. B. Sanders | Joe Gindrey |
| Dave Ingram | Chas. Glass |
| J. J. Carselovey | Evarts Thorn |
| Brown Hitchcock | Miss Ella Wofford |
| Henry D. Reese | R. T. Hanks |
| Miss Josie Duncan | Mrs. T. W. Tripitt |
| Henry B. Smith | R. W. Hicks |
| DeWitt Wallace | Olbert Starr |
| H. L. Chubbuch | Watie Forman |
| Birdie Harris | Jno. W. Adair |
| Jasanna Sanders | Robt. Terrell |
| L. D. Starr | Don Gharmaney |

Delaware District.

I will sell to the highest legal bidder at the town of Fairland, I. T., on the 1st day of September, 1897, the following described improvements, to-wit: 1 improvement, situated in Delaware district, about 1 1/2 miles northeast of Fairland, consisting of about 150 acres under fence, about 100 acres in good cultivation, fencing consists of posts and wire attached thereto on 3 sides and rails on the other; together with all other improvements thereon, which consists of two log houses, two rooms each; 14x16 and 8x16

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BABY BLEMISHES

and 16x16 and 12x16, stables, cribs and other out buildings; good well and orchard, appraised as the property of Samuel Crockett. 1 improvement, situated about 1 1/2 miles north of Fairland, consisting of about 150 acres under post and wire fence, about 40 acres in good cultivation, two houses of two rooms each, 16x16 and 10x16, together with stables, cribs and other out buildings, well of water, small orchard, appraised as the property of Wm. or Marion Crockett. 1 improvement, situated about 1 1/2 miles south of Fairland, consisting of about 180 acres of land under post and wire fence, about 120 acres in good cultivation, one house of three rooms, 16x16, 12x16 and 10x16, together with all out buildings and other improvements thereon, appraised as the property of James Crockett. 1 improvement, situated about five miles south of Fairland, consisting of about 250 acres under post and wire and rail fence, about 150 acres in good cultivation, four houses—1 frame house, two rooms 14x14, 1 box house, two rooms 14x14 and 2 log houses one room each, together with all out buildings and improvements thereon, said improvement appraised as the property of J. W. and H. T. Chastain. 1 dwelling house and lot situated in the southeast corner of block 8, in the town of Fairland, I. T., lot is 75 feet front by 150 feet deep, house three rooms 14x14, smoke house, barn cellar and good well of water, the said house and lot being the property of James Crockett. JOHN L. DAMERON, Sheriff of Delaware District.

Howell—"But for your birth you would be my equal." Howell—"Yes; if I had never been born I suppose I should be a nonentity, too."

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JOHNS COBB.

Cherokee Protection. EDITOR CHIEFTAIN:—There is a very pertinent question running from lip to lip just now in every direction throughout the country, like this: "What are the Cherokees going to do? What are they expecting? They have gone back on the Dawes commission; what do they expect is going to be the outcome?" A line of questions like these were propounded a few days ago to the writer by a prominent man of Kansas. He was a very intelligent gentleman, but his intelligence unfortunately was too local and sectional, not to say bigoted, to entertain a just notion of anything outside of the conventional circle in which his powers of thought and reason had been trained from infancy. He was a very fine sample of the great concourse of our white friends who live over in the states at a distance from us, who have never seen us personally, never talked with us, never eaten at our tables, never heard our side of the controversy between us and the government, who owe all they know of us to an Indian hatting press. Well, I will tell exactly how I answered him; said I, "Why sir, I intended to do just what so many white men would do in our situation." He significantly cocked his outer corner of his left eyebrow and, looking askance at me, said, "how is that?" "How is that?" said I; "don't you know what a white man is? I do; I

know him well. He will stand for what he conceives to be his rights every time; and that is just what we Indians are going to do, or go down in trying. Excepting the unfortunate color of our skin, hair and eyes, we mean, for the future, to be white men. We have all come to think a good deal of that old eagle of Uncle Sam's; and we are going to claim in return protection under his magnificent wings; do you see?" "Well, I don't see very clearly," said he. "You talk singularly; don't you consider that you have been protected all along by the government?" "Yes, yes," said I, "it is true, we have been nesting under the protecting feathers of Uncle Sam's eagle for the last hundred years; but somehow, or other, we have been loosing ground all this time. We Indians don't know how that is; we can't explain it. All that we can tell about it is this: Whereas a few years ago we were rich in lands and liberty; but now we have neither. That word "protection" in your English language has quite a number of variations in its meaning. When you speak of protecting your home, your wife and your children, your meaning is well understood; you simply mean all hands must be off, and that too with no condition annexed. Now that kind of protection we Indians have never had at the hands of the government, although it has been pledged to us time and again. But you have horses, cattle and

hogs; you feed them and protect them in comfortable stalls and pastures, and make the poor creatures as happy as could be expected for a time; but the outcome! What of that? Why you eat them, ride them and drive them to death. Just so the government has been dealing with us all along. She has preserved us and kept us safe against outsiders, and has now and then poured out upon us floods of kindness; but when the time comes to utilize us and ours, or to dispose of us in any way to promote her convenience, she comes to us and says, "My red boys, you are fine fellows, but," (in a political sense), "you are after all nothing; you are only 'wards' of the nation." And then she proceeds to execute upon us her sovereign will, just as you would do at your hog-pen." "My friend," said he, "you speak disrespectfully of the government." "If what I have said is false," I replied, "it is truly disrespectful; and deserves rebuke. But if it is true, what then? Proceed, if you will, and convince me of error in a matter of fact; and when you have done it, I will cheerfully proclaim my repentance and call for mercy upon erring innocence. But if what I say is true—a matter of unquestioned history—then I am clear, and the government must be accountable to herself for her own dishonor. Did not our slaughter day come 'round during this last call session of congress? What about that appropriation bill which, in violation

of every principle of honor known in connection with human obligation, kicked our treaties out of the way and destroyed our tribal judiciary, and involved in that destruction the entire existence of our motion?" By this time my Kansas friend, who had fired up a little at the outset, became cool and considerate; he confessed he was not as well informed in reference to the real issue between the Indians and the government as he would like, or ought, to be. He resumed then in a conciliatory tone, "Well, truly, my friend, I ask for information; what course do you Cherokees intend to pursue in reference to this question?" I laughed a little then, because it always does me good to see a white man gentle and considerate enough to act sensibly when on the Indian question. "Well," said I, "if you ask in good faith about our troubles with the government, I shall be glad to give you all I know; for it is the very height of my desires to have every generous white man in God's universe to know exactly all the carryings-on that are daily pushed forward to undermine the rights and well-being of these Indians." "What are the Cherokees going to do?" "that is what you ask," said I; well there is nothing under heavens that they can do without tripping the dead-fall that is set to entrap them. They would be glad to negotiate with the Dawes commission, were it possible to do so on the terms which they propose,

without committing an egregious act of self destruction. Let me tell you—you have a little time, I suppose—well, let me tell you about the M., K. & T. railroad claim; I will give you the inside history of it; I would like to have you Kansas people know it well. "Well, in 1866, when the state of public affairs in this country was in a ferment, a set of speculators got around Uncle Sam and wormed out of him a grant of his reversionary claim upon about a million acres of land occupied and owned by the Cherokees and— Just then that terrific old gong at Cobb's hotel turned loose, and that was the end of the matter. My Kansas friend went off laughing with a good natured threat to see me again, and I turned off to my own business as usual. TOO-QUA-STEE.

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